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Dear [REDACTED]

Under the most minimal of scrutiny your strategy to build 5000 homes in the Berkeley/Sharpness area is filled with holes. mistruths and poorly orchestrated process. Your department's actions and behaviour are a shameful reflection of flawed central government strategy coupled with weak resolve and poor leadership.

Development of this scale without guarantees of necessary infrastructure are destined to fail and this will only reflect poorly on Stroud District Council (whose reputation is already in tatters across the county). You should be representing the interests of the local communities, not finding a 'quick fix'. The scale of this development clearly doesn't match what this area can offer. The burden of responsibility for destroying an area of incredible beauty and breaking up long-standing communities rests purely on your department's shoulders.

I, like many others in this area, want to register my objections to PS36 (Sharpness Garden Village).

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