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Dear Stroud District Council

I do not support the draft local plan to meet the district's future housing growth.

I am a resident of rural Gossington and am very concerned about the impact the proposed Wisloe development will have on the environment and local wildlife. Currently we enjoy a very rich and varied amount of wildlife in our garden, including kingfishers, herons and otters.

In terms of wildlife conservation this proposed development will have a very serious negative impact. I understand that there have been sightings of rare birds such as Curlew and Lapwing in the immediate area (British Trust for Ornithology Red Data listed birds). This area is rural and important for wildlife and conservation so should not be considered for large-scale development. Why can't the housing developments be spread over a much wider area to help lessen the impact on the environment and nature?

Yours

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