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Dear Sir/madam,

I wish to strongly object to the proposed settlement at Sharpness on a number of grounds.

1. It's far too large, the new housing should be spread more equally across several sites in the county. This major large settlement is just easier for the council to manage, than multiple smaller sites, it seems to me.
2. Much of this area is on a flood plain, with the river Severn tides becoming larger as the effects of global warming become more apparent, it is madness to build on sites so close to the river. It is also a major habitat for much wildfowl and wild life including many skeins of migratory geese and swans whose navigation could well be affected by this development.
3. There is single major road in and out of this development of 5000 homes, that alone should be reason to build elsewhere. The local lanes will become major rat runs as traffic seeks alternatives to the single major road in and out.
4. Local motorway junctions are already failing die to existing traffic, they will be unable to cope with this huge increase.
5. This plan will needlessly destroy wildlife, historic communities and the local environment,I strongly oppose it.

Regards

