

Planning Policy

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To: Planning Policy
Subject: Local Gap - Upper Clatford

Dear Sir/Madam

It has been brought to my attention that there are possibly plans by the owners of the fields behind our property to submit plans for development.

My partner and I only moved to our property () last September. The reason we bought here was because of the village location, conservation area and the great community feel Upper Clatford and the surrounding villages have.

We came from Bramley, due to the fields in front of us being sold for development. It went hundreds of houses, totally spoiling what was a beautiful view and also without any thought about additional traffic and people. I.e. The level crossing was starting to become an issue, due to queues of traffic. The small, yet efficient doctors surgery began to struggle etc etc.

The Clatfords and surrounding villages have always been so traditional and quintessential. Why would anyone want to spoil this, other than making lots of money!

We totally oppose this idea and would be totally devastated if any development plans were passed. When our searches were done, nothing was ever highlighted and we were of the understanding we were in a conservation area and the grounds behind us were part of the Local Gap.

Would prefer it be developed as a park for the community, with maybe allotments. This is a village and residents work hard to pay the premium to live in such a lovely village. Please don't allow someone's need to make money, spoil the landscape and upset hundreds of local residents.

Many thanks and regards