


Colchester Borough council
Planning Dpt

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**Forty acre agricultural farm land next to
Battleswick Farm, Rowhedge**

Dear Sirs,

**I understand that a housing development is proposed for
this important site. I wish to strongly object to the proposal.**

First, it is good agricultural land.

**It forms a strategic barrier between Colchester TOWN and
Rowhedge VILLAGE .**

**Rowhedge is about to absorb a very large development on
the other side of the village. ONE such development for a
village is more than enough.**

**The infrastructure is inadequate, particularly for sewerage
where it is clear that the system is already straining to cope,
and with the terrible smells at peak periods still not cured**

**Much of the road access is via St Botolphs roundabout
which already suffers major congestion at peak periods ,and
we have yet to see how it copes when the new barracks
development is complete.**

**It is important to keep Rowhedge village as a separate entity
from Colchester town**

Yours faithfully,


Peter Thistlethwayte

Cc Councillor Lilly