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To: Core19
Subject: Core Strategy

Dear Sirs,

I wish to register my objection in the strongest possible terms to the proposals to allow an additional 1670 homes in Clitheroe.

The volume of housing proposed, and the consequent probable increase in population of more than 4000 people, is totally out of proportion with the current size of Clitheroe.

Such an increase in population will place an impossible strain on the existing infrastructure such as education, health services, traffic and car parking and will potentially overstretch existing utilities capacities.

In addition, to build on a the vast green space of the Standen estate, currently used for grazing, is the sort of despoilation of the countryside which used to take place but which I had thought would no longer happen with a much more environmentally aware public. I cannot understand why the RVBC are so determined to press ahead with their plans to enrich the Standen estate owners in the face of so much local opposition.

In summary - the proposed plan is **unpopular, undesirable and unsound** and even at this late stage I urge you to reconsider.