

While wanting more availability of suitable housing for Barnsley people and migrants, I would prefer this to be achieved by making better use of existing housing stock and brownfield sites. There is insufficient reckoning of the value of greenfield amenities for wellbeing and ecological considerations that will be lost. If the development goes ahead, it is vital that homes and business premises are constructed to the highest energy efficiency standards with insulation and fossil fuel free heating. Have you considered community energy for this project? They must also be affordable to local people and benefit from great public transport and active travel links. The plans are not explicit enough about this. There is also concern about the increase in traffic during and after the prolonged construction phase, on roads that are inadequate, regardless of the "relief road"