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Dear Neil,

I would like to register my objection to the planning for 'The Bald Kitchen' drive through take away outlet at the top of Climping Street.

Firstly, as a resident of Climping Street, it is often incredibly difficult getting out of the top of Climping Street and onto the busy A259. Adding another busy entrance at this point would make the traffic problem even worse, quite a lot worse if there is a steady stream of customers in and out of the drive-through take away. Already at this point there is The Maidenhead Aquatic Centre, The Woodpecker Camping and the proposed Dementia Home.

Secondly, Climping Street is a tiny lane. Even now, cars have to stop at passing places to let each other through, to make their way along the street. As a resident, it can sometimes take time to just get to and from our house to the A259. Customers with their take away food will undoubtedly look for a close place to sit and eat it which will mean a much higher level of traffic on an already tiny lane.

Thirdly, Climping Street is a very quiet and pretty lane leading to a wild and untouched beach, The Climping Gap an area of SSSI, and I am also concerned that this fast food outlet would cause more rubbish on a quiet unspoiled beach. Already my husband and I spend hours and sometimes days collecting the rubbish that people leave behind them on the beach, or throw out of their car windows as they drive up Climping Street.

But my biggest worry is that, should this planning application for a drive through fast food outlet go through, then further down the line this plot could be bought by a much larger chain such as MacDonalds and ruin this beauty spot forever.

Please consider carefully and don't let this planning application go through.

Yours faithfully
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