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To: Simon Davis  
Subject: Bonhams Flansham

Dear Mr Davis.

I understand your committee is still unable to reach a decision on this extremely controversial application. Arun council has been doing its utmost to destroy what has always been a rather special part of England and has very nearly succeeded.

You have nothing in your area to compare with the Hamlet of Flansham and yet your councillors seem hell bent on destroying its character for future generations.

Through the year thousands of people walk through the old settlement, to get the feel the way its residents worked and lived over the Centuries. Although a number of the old dwellings and farm building have been upgraded there is still the feel today of how the proximity of the old farmsteads intertwine with the meadows that encroach them, There are still cattle in the meadows, often seen crossing the lane from north to south as they move to new grazings around the heart of the settlement.

There is no Tesco, no shops, nothing other than a postbox in a flint wall.

Yet all this is at huge risk if the Bonhams application is granted, as a new influx of non country people move in with their noise, rubbish and ways and habits quite alien to this quiet enclave of old civilization.

I am aware minds are probably closed to views like this but can I ask you finally to at least make this plea from Flansham known to the urban decision makers who have the whole future of this little place in their hands

Thanks

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Sent from my iPad