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To: Local Plan Review
Subject: Objection to Mid Devon Local Plan 2013-2033 Cullompton

To whom it may concern

I would like to strenuously object to the plans for the massive expansion of Cullompton as laid out below:

<http://www.middevon.gov.uk/CHttpHandler.ashx?id=25346&p=0>

I understand that I can do so until the end of today.

I can completely understand the merit of in filling area between Cullompton and Willand and alongside the motorway (as long as adequate provision has been made to cope with the flood plain).

However I strongly object to the yellow area of development stretching into beautiful countryside alongside the A373 almost as far as Kentisbeare. The A373 is already a very dangerous road that carries too much inappropriate traffic. There are numerous accidents between the Kentisbeare Junction and the motorway as these roads juggle an mixture of heavy agricultural vehicles, commercial vehicles and domestic traffic. The motorway junction 28 is already extremely dangerous with traffic backing up the hard shoulder at peak times and increasing the size of the town by such a massive amount is not only going to destroy wonderful wildlife habitat and agricultural land but will make Cullompton as soleless and characterless as Cranbrook.

There seems to be not increased provision for schooling, for health services or parking within the town so Cullompton which is already struggling will suffer more and not benefit from these additional homes and those living in them will be forced into longer commutes to find the services and jobs needed which will just put additional strain on the already over busy roads.

Please confirm that you have received this objection and that it has been taken into account.

Warmest regards

Jan Billington

