

PLANNING REF : 250959
PROPERTY ADDRESS : 1 Elizabeth Close
: Henley On Thames, Oxfordshire
: RG91RE
SUBMITTED BY : Mr Keith Barton
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COMMENTS:

I am writing to strongly object to the proposed development by Speedy Fuels. I feel very worried about what this might mean for our environment, our rivers and water supply . Please do take a moment to consider the following concerns.

Environmental Concerns

The proposed site is on a floodplain and right next to Charvil Nature Reserve and Charvil Meadows, which are both designated Local Wildlife Sites.

Ground Stability and Water Risk

An earlier survey done by the previous owners showed the land is most ly filled-in ground -unstable, with signs of subsidence and cracking. They even had water flooding into test boreholes.

I was shocked to hear they want to park 15 fuel tankers there and build a wash-down area, with all the run-off and dirty water being sent straight into the Old River Loddon. That's awful. Pouring polluted water into the river how can that possibly be allowed? It would harm the very heart of our local wildlife and water systems.

In all honesty, I'm deeply distressed by this proposal. Surely, the Environmental Protection Agency cannot allow polluted water to run off into the river. This would just add to the contamination of water that is caused by Thames Water