

PLANNING REF : 252782
PROPERTY ADDRESS : 15 15 Foxes Walk
: Reading
: RG10 9TX
SUBMITTED BY : Mrs Anne Farquhar
DATE SUBMITTED : 08/12/2025

COMMENTS:

I object to planning application 252782 Speedy Fuels fuel storage and distribution depot for the following reasons:

Proximity to Charvil Country Park.

This is a well used recreational area. There is a vast array of wildlife and protected species here. Spillages during flooding and contamination from diesel and kerosene could devastate the wildlife.

Effects on nearby residential area.

The proposed long opening hours of the depot and high numbers of tankers using the site will cause will significantly affect nearby properties. There is also a fire risk from the large amounts of fuel being stored.

Road traffic safety concerns.

The road is a semi rural residential road used by a high number of walkers, cyclists, school children and commuters. It is a bending road with poor visibility and a narrow footpath. Tankers have to cross both carriageways to exit the site. The road surface will be damaged by the large number of tankers using the site and there will be increased noise and air pollution.

In summary this site is totally unsuitable for this industrial operation. This is due to the unacceptable risks to the environment , public health, road safety and residential amenities. It is a significant change from the previous usage.