

PLANNING REF : 252498  
PROPERTY ADDRESS : 12 Horse Chestnut Crescent  
: Redlands Village, Swindon  
: SN3 0AQ  
SUBMITTED BY : Mr Marc Burrows  
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COMMENTS:

Having had to move away from Reading in order to get onto the housing ladder, I believe this proposal represents a sensible and much-needed step toward addressing the national housing shortage. The inclusion of a country park would significantly enhance the amenity value of the land currently known as Halls Farm, which is presently largely inaccessible to most local residents.

Many objections cite concerns about overstretched local facilities. However, these arguments often overlook the large number of young people who already use these facilities while living at home with parents or in shared rented accommodation. These individuals are eager for the opportunity to secure a place of their own.

In 2020, younger generations were asked to make enormous sacrifices for the good of the country. It's time we start building a future for them - literally.