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Comments: Traffic in Whaley Bridge is poor enough already; another large retail unit such as the one proposed will only exascerbate the problem. The amount of heavy freight coming through the village will only increase.

Whaley Bridge is already losing its rural charm; the continued growth of large stores and chains will only compound that. Before you know it there will be a retail park with a McDonalds and a Nandos.

The area is already well-served for budget shopping, with a Tesco in Whaey Bridge, a Morrisons and an Aldi in Chapel. Another large budget store like the one proposed will further lower the tone of the area.