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Site Address: High Edge Raceway Dale Head Road Brandside Buxton Derbyshire SK17 0RR Buxton

Comments by: Carol Mary Copsey

From:

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Submission: Objection

Comments: I object to this application on the following grounds:

1. Visual impact of the surrounding area particularly the Peak District National Park
2. Increased audience capacity would lead to increased traffic in both directions leading to and from High Edge raceway which already puts these minor roads with limited passing places under pressure on race days. The exit onto the A53 is dangerous with limited visibility of oncoming traffic particularly from the right.
3. It is of concern that this is a retrospective planning application. Mr Watson caused local residents and the HPBC a lot of time and costs, including solicitor and barrister fees in 2014/2015, when he applied for increased planning permission for meetings and then changed his application to claim that as he had been exceeding planning permission for over 10 years that permission should be granted. Concerns had also been raised about height of containers and sheds. This application is for a new multi-storey building. That inquiry found against him.
4. In the past few years the Fire Brigade have been called to the site because of burning rubbish including burning used tyres causing air pollution.

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