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Comments: I strongly oppose this plan as a lifelong Buxton resident. Hogshaw provides a much needed green space for both local residents, as well as wildlife including birds living and hunting in the area such as Owls. Buxton is well known as a beautiful town in the Peak District, loved for its rolling hills, woodlands, and valleys. To destroy a hillside woodland in a valley, it would be extremely detrimental to Buxton, to its residents and to tourists/visitors. Buxton does not have enough resources for 99 new homes; this has been ignored with every single new housing development. The schools will not have enough capacity if Buxton continues to grow. There are not enough shops close to residential zones, and the developer has not built any for any of its other new build estates. There is no hospital with facilities for a growing population. There are not enough doctors to support the health and wellbeing of these people. It will put additional strain onto emergency services in our small town. Buxton absolutely does not have sufficient road, rail, or bus infrastructure for its current population, never mind new houses. Furthermore, Hogshaw is not a geologically stable area for a housing estate and it will cause endless issues with flooding as well as likely land slips.

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