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Dear Sirs

I would like to voice my support for Lidl's planning application above. We don't have a proper supermarket at this side of town, the only choice is Sainsbury's which we do shop at for essentials and things that you can only get at Sainsburys. We have to travel to the other side of town to get to the Lidl there, this often takes a lot of time, and contributes to pollution.

90% of local residents are in full support for the application so I am confused as to why this has been refused in the past. Many acres of green belt designated land has randomly been approved for housing, and thousands of characterless identical houses are being built, yet one well planned (and needed) supermarket is facing difficulty getting approval for no good reason at all.

The site has been derelict for many years and I can see no better use for the land than a well thought out supermarket that is wanted by the community. There are already too many new houses being built with no thought of infrastructure, plus Lidl's plans look far more sympathetic to the area than hundreds of tiny identical box houses.