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Dear Mr Rutter,

**Consultation on Planning Application which will be determined by Suffolk County Council**

**Planning Ref: SCC/0014/20SE/VOC2**

**Proposal: Variation of condition 1 (compliance with approved plans), condition 2 (hours of operation), condition 10 (waste capacity) and condition 11(waste types) of permission SCC/0014/20SE.**

**Location: Country Style Recycling, Unit 6, Little Heath, Barnham, IP24 2SY.**

I am writing on behalf of Barnham Parish Council in respect of the above application. The Council would like to object to this application for the following reasons:

1. **Condition 1 – Compliance with approved plans –**

**Objects for the following reasons:**

* The proposed vehicles movements will increase from 16 average daily movements to 35 average daily movements, this would have significant impact on the byway, and C633 in both directions due to the 2 way flow of CRL vehicles between the traffic lights and the byway entrance.
* The Byway is a single track road – there needs to be a vehicle movement plan to avoid opposite direction traffic meeting on the byway including vehicles not associated with CRL.
* The increase in traffic will affect the amenities of the dwelling, Triangle Cottage, the dwelling located 450m to the north of the site.
* Lorry Routing and Management Plan (LRMP) should include a restriction on ALL HGV vehicle movements to an easterly direction only on C633 in compliance with the TRO (excluding the permission for conveyance of goods)
* The Parish Council completely support and agree with Highways in their objection to this variation to condition 1.
* The Parish Council request that a full Transport Assessment be carried out due to the significant effect the increase in traffic will have on the C633 bearing in mind the adjacent quarry application which proposes to route all vehicles from it onto C633.

1. **Condition 2 – Hours of operation**

**Objects for the following reasons:**

* It will impact and affect the dwellings on the C633 and properties located adjacent to the byway.
* On site they are currently breaching the conditions of Bank Holidays and Sundays restrictions and should not be given permission for further relaxation of the operating hours
* On Sundays and Bank Holidays Leisure traffic, for example, cyclists will be affected by the increase in traffic on the byway.

1. **Condition 10 – Storage – waste capacity**

**Objects for the following reasons:**

* The increase in volume from 26,000 tonnes to 40,000 tonnes will increase the volume of traffic accessing and egressing the site.
* The Environmental Permit is currently for glass. The storage of paper, card and plastic poses a significant increase in the fire risk and consequently the environmental and health risk to Barnham village due to the possibility of a fire and the effect of the prevailing wind. Increasing the waste capacity will raise further concerns regarding the health and safety of the environment and the village

1. **Condition 11 – Waste types**

**Objects for the following reasons:**

* The possibility of increased Fire Risk
* The Parish Council are concerned that an adequate fire safety plan does not appear to be in place and that the lack of suitable fire hydrants would pose problems for the fire service.

Yours sincerely,

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Barnham Parish Council Clerk

(on behalf of Barnham Parish Council)