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To: 'planning.division@wales.gsi.gov.uk'

Subject: Reference: H6955/A/16/3161155 P/2016/0225-Land West of Bryn Offa, Fennant Road, Ponciau, Wrexham

Good morning

My e mail relates to the above proposal for a development to be situated adjacent to Fennant Road, Ponciau.

I am a local resident, who has significant concerns regarding any development on this site, which is one of historical and environmental importance.

As a headteacher by profession, our school ethos is based on respect, including that of the immediate environment and the local community and all of its stakeholders, including our most precious asset, our children.

To develop Offa's Dyke would be in direct conflict with this belief, historical recognition that relates directly to our heritage of which we should be proud, would be threatened by the placing of any residential dwelling on this site.

Access onto the nearby road is also limited and I could foresee considerable potential difficulties which would make pedestrians and motorists vulnerable should this planning proposal be given approval.

After consideration, the local community councils have already declined the application for the reasons stated above and others and any u turn of that by your planning department would be set a precedent for building on any strip of land and cause immense difficulties for future generations. However the most pertinent factor to consider here is the message that it would give about how we value our history, treasured by the majority of our residents opposed to what an individual regards as being her preference as a solitary voice amongst a thriving community, of which she is not part of.

I urge you to act in the best interests of that community and turn down the appeal that has been made.

Yours

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Headteacher



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