

WE NEED YOU TO SAVE OUR COMMUNITY.

Public meeting at St Augustine's Parish Church, Scissett.

Wednesday 6 May at 7 pm.

The threat from development may seem very remote at present, with building at a standstill and house prices falling. But, the threat to our area when the recession is over is very real.

Kirklees has produced the latest plan for the development of housing and industry over the next 15 years. All the options put forward call for housing growth of over 25% and a huge industrial zone to be constructed in our area. If these proposals go ahead the area we live in will be changed forever.

Consider the impact of such a development on our area:

- We would lose most of the Green land, which surrounds us.
- Traffic volumes would increase massively.
- The road system would not be able to cope and there is little scope to improve local roads.
- Parking would become a major problem.
- There would be a huge increase in surface water from roads and roofs, where would this go? Currently all surface water runs into local streams, which already flood at times of heavy rain.
- There would be a need for new water mains, sewers and electricity supplies creating disruption while they are installed.
- There would be increasing pressure on local schools medical facilities, sports facilities, parks, green spaces, youth facilities etc

We can stop this with your help, so come to the meeting on 6 May to hear more about this threat to our community and how you can help to prevent it.

Please tell your friends and neighbours and ask them to come too.

The survival of our community depends on you.