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As promised, we're continuing to keep our members updated on the Epilepsy Society's planning application (PL/22/2898/OA) to build 975 homes on Green Belt land in Chalfont St Peter. The application was validated on 12th August 2022, but we're still awaiting news of the outcome. The latest internal target date for a decision is 24th March 2024, but this may be extended yet again. Whatever the planning officer's recommendation, the final decision will be made by Bucks councillors on the Strategic Sites Committee. SENSE4CSP will have a voice at that meeting, as will our CSP Buckinghamshire Counsellors and the Parish Council, who also strongly oppose the application. The SENSE4CSP core group are continuing to work hard on your behalf by preparing for all possibilities.



The latest development is that the Epilepsy Society has erected notices on its land which prohibit the public from using the footpaths across its estate, other than on the few registered Public Rights of Way. It is evident that walkers, particularly dog walkers, are totally disregarding these notices, reflecting strong opposition to The Society's action.



If you, or anyone you know, has regularly walked any of the footpaths on the ES site, would you please provide SENSE with your/their name and contact details, preferably including an email address. We will then make contact as we're collecting evidence to demonstrate the long-term use of these paths. Please do this by emailing sense@sense4csp.org.



SENSE4CSP STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP PLEASE!!!

Thank you to everyone who emailed photos or video footage of traffic congestion on the lanes adjacent to the Epilepsy Society site following our request in the last two newsletters. We've received some amazing and shocking images which highlight how unsuitable these lanes are for the current volume of traffic. If the ES application is approved, the traffic using the lanes will increase considerably and include the many heavy goods vehicles generated over the eight plus years of construction.



We're continuing to collect evidence, so please keep sending your photos or dashcam footage to sense@sense4csp.org

Please spread the word and encourage you friends and neighbours to register with SENSE4CSP using our website www.sense4csp.org or email a request to register to sense@sense4csp.org. Email addresses are not shared with other organizations and members can unsubscribe at any time.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

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