

I would very much like to object to the reservoir in havant thicket going ahead.

We have already lost 57 acres of this beautiful woodland to the industrial estate at the Hulbert Road end. The Hazelton interchange end is ear marked for building, not sure on the acreage but I know it's a huge field. When new estates are built (like the one on whichersgate road Rowlands castle) every garden is fenced off, no hedges, trees or any kind of option left for the animals that once lived there.

Hedgehogs are in a dramatic decline and even if they could enter these gardens they offer very little in the way of food, cover etc that wildlife so badly need. Old barns and trees which are sanctuary to birds, bats etc are rarely replaced. You can not replace a hundred year old tree with a sapling. It offers very little for a long time.

Houses are built in a way that house Martin's nests can't adhere to them any more. There are tiles that can be added into rooves etc that could make up for this loss but no one seems to care enough to make it compulsory.

The resivour will not only take away yet more of this woodland but also draw in more people so the wildlife that cant move on else where cannot live in peace.

No doubt it will attract the unruly youths into the area that will start fires, take drink and drugs, litter etc.

What was once a peaceful place and home to nature will be ruined.

I understand it could also bring it's own wildlife into the area but the loss is much greater and it (the wildlife) could certainly do without the extra people it will attract
Please reconsider.