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nd here today, nervous, emotional and not quite believing we are even at this point, so
ely worried about what our family future holds and the future of our loved ones, friends
fellow residents.

I have lived in Caunsall and Cookley my entire life. Having been educated at Cookley
Sebright Primary School, Christened in the Church, Married in the church with my two girls
christened as young children.

This is home.

they wish, when they're older.

I don't stand here today with notes full of facts and figures but I do stand here with my heart
on my sleeve and emotion, whether it's deemed worth listening to or not. Wishing to appeal
to you all to please allow our village and those surrounding us, to stay as we are. Not
because I'm a village nimby, but because I care so deeply about my family, friends and
everyone else who lives in this beautiful green belt area.

There are thousands of residents surrounding the proposed site, with even more people
purchasing homes, just over the road, less than 500 metres as the crow flies, all hoping to
start new and exciting lives in the peace and tranquility we are so lucky to have.

Whilst many are coming to learn of the proposals, it is hugely disconcerting to hear how few
people are aware of the size and scale of the proposal and how this will not only blight our
local environment and landscape, causing destruction and disruption but more importantly
the health ramifications to us all, associated with such mineral extraction.

In addition to the vast housing in and around the site, there are five schools only a stone's

However, the ground will only be dampened down when the dust levels reach a certain level. At which point, many of the particles floating around, prior to these levels being reached, will already be in the air and most likely lining the lungs of our beautiful children, innocently

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