

Dear Worcestershire County Council Planning Team,

especially for young children.

**3. Noise Pollution and Disturbance:**

The constant noise from quarry machinery, along with heavy truck movements, will create an intrusive environment for nearby schools, families, and residents. This disruption level is unsuitable for an area with new homes and a community focused on a peaceful, safe lifestyle.

**4. Traffic and Road Safety Near Residential and School Areas:**

road safety. The additional trucks on local roads could endanger students walking to school, residents and emergency service access.

**5. Long-term Economic Impact:**

The quarry could negatively impact property values in these new housing estates and deter future investors and residents from the area. The Lea Castle site has the potential for more sustainable