

## Comments for Planning Application P/16/0074/FUL

### Application Summary

Application Number: P/16/0074/FUL

Address: Land To The South West Of Wester Bonhard Bo'ness

Proposal: Erection of 3 no. Dwellinghouses

Case Officer: Kevin Brown

### Customer Details

Name: Mrs Fiona Longstaff

Address: Bonhard Old Mill by Linlithgow

### Comment Details

Commenter Type: Member of Public

Stance: Customer objects to the Planning Application

Comment Reasons:

Comment: Agricultural land is a precious resource. Of course, it becomes more valuable, as a one-off, to the developers who convert it into housing. But once built on, the agricultural land can scarcely be restored.

I have no problem with local residents building additional accommodation for their families on land adjacent to their existing dwellings. But this development seems different.

What is the purpose of the green belt designation if it cannot protect rural land from housing developments?