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Dear Friend,

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Because the primary purpose of the scheme is to facilitate a large office development in the fields to the rear of the Royal Bournemouth Hospital, the Council's own figures show that it would generate a significant amount of extra traffic, consequently increasing congestion along Castle Lane West and much of Castle Lane East and add to noise, air, light and water run-off pollution. It would also be harmful to wildlife.

The plans have now been submitted

Friends of Riverside have written a very strong objections case to the plans. To ensure that we achieve our aim of stopping this development, we ask you to write a short email or letter stating your objections.

The planning application number is 7-2017-9177-DH and the location is Riverside Avenue/Wessex Fields. The plans can be seen on the Council planning register.

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Or write a letter to: Planning, Transport & Regulation, Town Hall Annexe St Stephen's Road, Bournemouth BH2 6EA

Please remember to include your address, the application address and the reference number. OBJECTIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY: 26th January 2018 Together we can stop this damaging development!

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