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Dear Sirs,

I am writing re site REYEM002 being designated as redevelopment in the LDP2 plan for Eyemouth. A new Primary School is much needed, however, the proposal to build ninety houses on this site is my, and many others, main objection. Eyemouth desperately lacks green space. We have no public park accessible to all. The green space next to the present primary has always been used by the schools and public for exercise and recreation. More than ever this space has been and is currently being utilised by the whole community. The past year has emphasised the benefits of being outside to exercise and connect with nature to the benefit of everyone's health and wellbeing. This green space area is also needed for the community to enable festivals to take place away from the sea front which, although picturesque, can be very dangerous and often hampers any events because of bitterly cold North Sea winds and very high tides. Scottish Government Planning Advice and Scottish Borders Green Space Strategy highlights the needs and benefits of every community having adequate green spaces. Unlike other towns in the Borders, Eyemouth has no recreational area or public park. The designated money by Scottish Borders Council for Playpark and Outdoor Community Spaces Programme would ideally be used in this area to the enhancement of the town and the whole community.

Yours faithfully

Lynda Lockhart

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