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Dear Supporters

The No To Hammonds Farm Working Group would like to wish everyone a very **Happy New Year** for 2025!

2024 was a very busy year for our campaign and all of your support was highly appreciated.

£28,807 was raised in donations for the campaign

In 2024, as a result of your support, £28,807 was raised in donations for the campaign. Every single amount that has been donated has helped us to continue the fight and has funded things such as:

- **Banners** which were erected in our villages in key spots to drive awareness and make it loud and clear that it is not a 'done deal', the campaign against the proposals continues.
- **Leaflets** which were distributed to all households in the local area to inform them of the second round public consultation and the public meetings which the campaign team organised to inform the public about the campaign and how to object if they wished to do so. Other leaflets and literature were also produced and given out to members of the public at events in order to provide information to those either not aware of the proposals or to provide an update for those who have been following and supporting the campaign.
- **Legal representation** in the form of a top Barrister were instructed to work on our behalf to fight our case.
- **Expert consultations** were commissioned as we engaged with leading environmental and planning experts to provide critical evidence.

A huge number of people took part in the second round public consultation which was for 6 weeks, ending on 19th June 2024. In fact there were over 10,000 people who raised their objections to Chelmsford City Council's Local Plan with only 9 people showing their support for the plans.

Many of you engaged with our social media accounts, X, Instagram and Facebook and each time you commented, shared or interacted with our accounts and content, it really helped to spread the message to as many people as possible, far and wide about our campaign. Spreading the word through word of mouth, signing up for our email newsletters and speaking to your friends, family and colleagues all helped to play a vital role and we cannot thank you enough. You very much helped make 2024 a year in which not only did the Boreham, Danbury, Little Baddow and Sandon Parish Councils work together as a key team, every single person who helped support our campaign made a huge difference.

2025 is now here and is an even more important year for the campaign than 2024. Very soon (exact dates to be confirmed as soon as available), will be the third and final public consultation and as you can imagine, we have to ensure that we keep the campaign's momentum going and even more objections will need to be raised than in the second round public consultation.

Stay tuned for imminent updates on the next steps of the campaign and most of all, thank you very much for all of your support to date!

Your Action will be needed again!

If you objected during the last round, we will need you to step up and do it all again! Plus, we're counting on you to bring in more supporters. Talk to your friends, neighbours, and family—**let them know how critical this is!** Every single objection strengthens our position and shows CCC that our community will not back down.

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We will be holding public meetings around the parishes as soon as the consultation opens (date to be advised) to update and instruct you on how best to object. In the meantime we will keep you informed if there are any updates or changes coming from CCC.

Watch this space!

Fundraising update!

Thanks to your amazing support, we managed to raise **£28,807**, which is **52%** of our £55,000 target! These funds are crucial for covering essential legal costs, environmental surveys, and expert witness testimony.

If you haven't contributed yet, please consider donating through our website www.notohammondsfarm.co.uk or go directly to our GoFundMe page: <https://www.gofundme.com/f/No-To-Hammonds-Farm>

Alternatively, you can donate directly by bank transfer to Little Baddow Parish Council account :
Sort Code: 23-05-80
Account Number: 50822067

Or via cheque: Made out to Little Baddow Parish Council - write on the back that it is a Hammonds Farm donation

Send to:

The Clerk

Little Baddow Parish Council

The Memorial Hall

North Hill

Little Baddow

CM3 4TA

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Recap on proposal

16a - Hammonds Farm consists of a new garden community of 3,100 houses and 500,000 square feet of industrial and business park.

16b Pigeon (Columba Park) involves an additional 500,000 square feet for business park and industrial site development. This massive development will forever alter the character of our region.



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Thank You for Your Support

Sincerely,

The No to Hammonds Farm Working Group

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