

Firstly I wish to state that I fully endorse and agree with all the concerns and comments made in the Cowfold Residence Impact Statement. There has been little mention so far of the very negative impact the Rampion 2 project will have on the Oakendean Industrial Site. There are many thriving businesses on this site providing much needed local employment. Rampion 2 I understand plan to use The Oakendean Industrial Site entrance as an access, stating that they do not consider it a problem as it is used mainly by small vans and cars. This is not the case. At least three businesses on the site, a composting site, Steel framework makers and a company providing gravel and scalping for the building trade all use heavy goods vehicles. Many local residents have their cars serviced and MOT and then walk back to their homes using local footpaths many of which will be closed during the long Rampion 2 construction period. Some of the businesses on the site will be very seriously impacted by Rampion 2 and some I have no doubt will have to relocate if they are to remain viable. The impact on the Oakendean Industrial Site has not in my opinion been fully considered by Rampion 2 and needs to be looked at in more detail.