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I am completely against a 2nd runway at Gatwick airport for a number of reasons, but mainly it does not comply with the Governments Aviation Strategy. I live in rural Newdigate and it will affect our quality of life immensely. I have chosen to live in a relatively quiet part of Surrey. We already have flights constantly overhead, and to increase those will make life unbearable.

Where will all the workers live? There is no affordable housing in this area. I have grandchildren living with me at present because although they are both in work, they cannot afford to rent a flat.

Access to the airport is quite unsuitable for increased traffic, and the main Brighton train line cannot be extended.

The whole idea of trying to make Gatwick as large as Heathrow is just not feasible within these surroundings.

Of course we are all very concerned about climate change and a new runway would add a significant amount of carbon and greenhouse gases.

I urge you to deny this application.

Yours faithfully,  
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