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Given that there is a need to provide more homes in Thornbury I cannot see why a moderate development off Morton Way would be detrimental to the town. The road is well suited to more housing; it has a well placed pavement with a wide verge, good visibility for vehicles and pedestrians; a foot underpass; a good roundabout at one end and clear junction at the other. When the Core Strategy was being developed we were told that Thornbury needed grow, the population was ageing, school numbers were expected to fall, there was a shortage of homes. The planned development at Park Farm will not meet housing demands forever, Thornbury will need to grow on beyond this. A development at a second site will add diversity of choice for buyers, relieve pressure on the roads and help build a balanced town.

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