

I am aware that there are currently planning applications in hand with Wiltshire Council relating to the Cereal Partners site in Staverton (ref: PL/2025/09391 and PL/2025/07023). I am writing to request formal inclusion on your notification list for all current and future planning applications, consultations, amendments, and related planning matters concerning that site and its immediate surrounding operational area.

My details are as follows:

Name: James Penaliggon

Address: [REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

The basis for this request is straightforward.

Although my property lies within the parish of Holt, the Cereal Partners site is within the parish of Staverton. As a result, we have not historically been consulted on applications relating to the site. The most significant omission was at the time their production silo was constructed, when no consultation reached us despite the clear and lasting impact on our property.

That parish boundary does not reflect the practical reality of impact.

My house is located just across the river from the Cereal Partners site, only a small number of fields away. We have lived here for 37 years. From our property, and particularly from Gaston Farm, 389 and 390 Gaston, we look directly into the site and experience its day-to-day operations in full.

The impact includes:

- **Visual impact** from the site itself
- **Noise** arising from ongoing activity, including significant factory and vehicle noise
- **Light intrusion**, which is a particular concern given the substantial amount of unshielded lighting, which appears to have increased over time

These effects are continuous and materially affect our living environment.

In these circumstances, I do not consider that parish boundaries alone provide a satisfactory basis for consultation or notification. My property is plainly within the affected area in practical terms, by reason of proximity, direct line of sight, and exposure to noise and light from the site.

I therefore request:

1. That I am formally added to Wiltshire Council's notification and consultation list for all current and future planning applications relating to the Cereal Partners site and its surrounding operational area.
2. That I receive direct notification of any new applications, amendments, consultations, committee consideration, or decisions relating to the site.
3. That Wiltshire Council confirms in writing that this arrangement will be maintained on an ongoing basis.
4. That the visual, noise, and light impact on Gaston properties, particularly 389 and 390 Gaston, is taken into account when planning matters concerning this site are assessed.

In addition, I would be grateful if the Council could set out how it is assessing and taking account of the combined effects of visual impact, operational noise, and artificial light on my property and neighbouring properties in Gaston, including the methodologies, standards, and guidance applied (for example in relation to landscape and visual impact, noise assessment, and external lighting), and how these considerations are being reflected in the determination of current and future applications.

This is a reasonable and proportionate request given the direct and continuing impact of the site on my home and living environment.

I would be grateful for written confirmation that this has been put in place.

Yours faithfully,
James Penaliggon