

# Object to the Introduction of Huge Factory Farms into the UK

## Foston Pig Factory, Derbyshire

UK Company, Midland Pig Producers (MPP) is applying to build an indoor pig factory farm on a green field site near the village of Foston, Derbyshire. If the plans are approved it would be one of the largest factory farms in the UK, containing 2,500 mother pigs (sows) and around 25,000 pigs, with 1,000 going for slaughter each week.

**If you don't want to see massive US-scale pig factories entering the UK, then please object by registering your opposition to the plans:**  
via [www.pigbusiness.co.uk](http://www.pigbusiness.co.uk)

The local MP, Heather Wheeler, Friends of the Earth and the Soil Association have already objected alongside over 13,000 others. Make your voice heard now and help us reach our target of 25,000 - One objection for every pig that will be confined in this factory farm.

## Further information

- 'Not in my Banger' Campaign:  
via [www.soilassociation.org](http://www.soilassociation.org)
- Local Community Group:  
[www.facebook.com/pages/STOP-Foston-PIG-Factory/](http://www.facebook.com/pages/STOP-Foston-PIG-Factory/)
- Pig Business:  
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You can also get in touch with us and watch the film *Pig Business* for free online:



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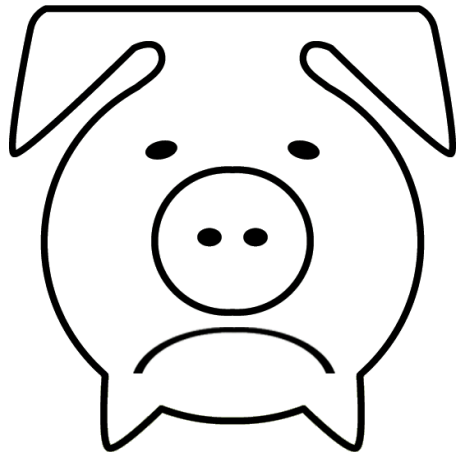
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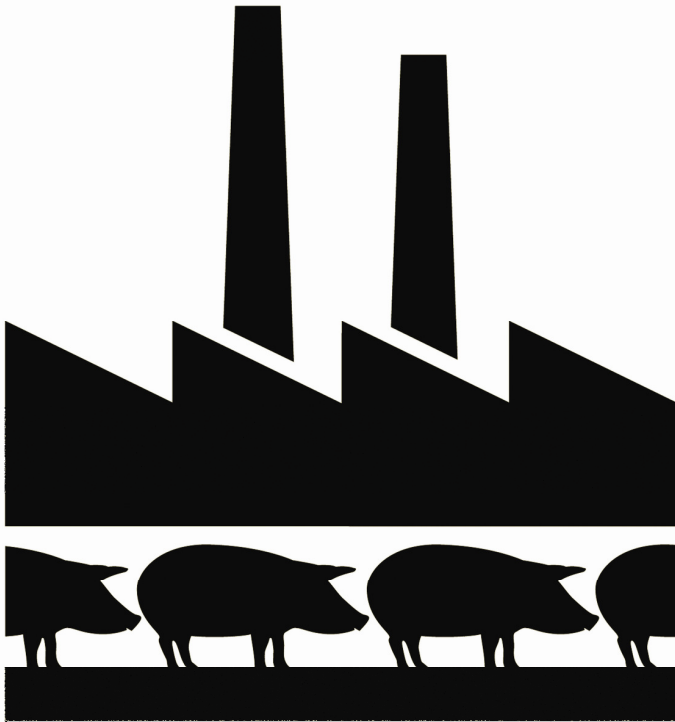
[/user/PigBusinessFilm](https://www.youtube.com/user/PigBusinessFilm)

## Some facts

1. This site is only 130 metres from a women's prison and natal unit and only 90 metres from other residential buildings
2. The Health Protection Agency states: *'Recent research has found that those living up to 150m downwind of an Intensive farming installation could be at risk of adverse human health effects associated with exposure to multi- drug resistant organisms'*.
3. Research shows that as farms get bigger, levels of antibiotics and disease (including some that can cause illness to people) increases.
4. Pig farming currently accounts for approximately 60% of all UK farm antibiotic use.



# **STOP FOSTON MEGA-FARM!**



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