The erection of a 2.5m acoustic fence, to be suitably screened by hedging along the existing boundary hedge of Mr & Mrs Crawford's property and Mr Simmons property initially sounds good However the mature hedge is said to be on the Crawford's land and they would be unhappy for it to be removed. A culvert runs the length of the boundary hedge on the Simmons side, making the erection of an acoustic fence on their land problematic. A horse walker two storage units, hard standing and muck heap are situated close to the drain and hedge leaving little or no space to put the fence. This is an area where a lot of work is carried out, including the tractor moving supplies, and clearing waste. The area is adjacent to the Crawford's property. Re-siting this area of work, with exception of the horse walker would be an excellent solution.

Re-siting the flood lighting, needed for illuminating this area in the hours of darkness, would also be less intrusive to neighbours. Does the flood lighting need additional planning permission?

The horse manure is contained in an over two metre high, three sided concrete panelled open construction which is positioned by the boundary hedge of the neighbours property. A tractor moves the horse manure to the back of the heap daily. Contrary to Mr Burns statement of being odourless, the smell from the wet, steaming manure permeates through to the neighbours' property. This manure heap could be moved away from the boundary to a less sensitive site.

Lillings Ambo Parish Council have spent a great deal of time discussing the plans, visiting the site and talking to all concerned. We hope that our observations will be given due consideration as a fair and meaningful insight to this planning application.

Until these observations are taken into account, Lillings Ambo Parish Council feel they cannot give their consent to this planning application.

Helen Loynes Chairman of Lillings Ambo Parish Council