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Dear Member

This is a brief note just to update you on the soft consultation on the Local Plan. The reason for doing this consultation is to ensure we have a robust and sustainable plan when we submit in June.

These sites have been put forward by developers and will be going out to the public for comment. This is in order that we have evidence to substantiate their objection or acceptance into the core strategy document.

We in no way have committed to supporting any of these sites. In fact, they would have to be proven on substantial and environmental grounds in order for them to have any chance of being accepted into the plan. So have my assurance that this is not a way of sneaking sites in, it is my personal belief that following consultation, many of these sites will be totally rejected and more importantly, developers will not be able to appeal and force development where we do not want it.

Please find attached a press release regarding the consultation and a link below to the agenda for Strategic Planning Board on Wednesday 1st May.

http://moderngov.cheshireeast.gov.uk/ecminutes/ieListDocuments.aspx?Cld=279&Mld=4976&Ver =4

Kind regards

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