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Subject: LOCAL PLAN REVIEW - CONSULTATION RESPONSE.

I understand the necessity for this review in order to provide housing and employment land for the Borough for the next 20 years. It is very concerning that it is likely we will have to encroach into the green belt and the more significant consultation is the site specific consultation due next Spring. I find the maps describing the different categories rather confusing as the shades of green are too similar. For Lymm and Oughtrington the retention of the green gaps between the communities is vital to retain the ethos and character of the area. The site assessments seem adequate and appropriate for the perceived need and I agree a 20 year period is appropriate. I am concerned that certain sites are defined as being possible for consideration for development in the future which could dramatically alter the character of Lymm and I will be more specific in the next consultation. Consideration must be given to the potential pressure on the local infrastructure and services including schools most of which have been enlarged and are now at capacity. The highway infrastructure is now at capacity and any increase would destroy the quality of life for local residents.

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