Subject: Concerns Over New Houses Being Planned in South Warrington

Dear sir/ madam,

I am writing to raise some concerns about the number of houses being planned to be built in South Warrington namely in Appleton, Grappenhall and Stretton.

I have lived in the area since and have seen the town grow significantly since moving here. Some areas have been good for the town, but in other areas such as public transport there has been a significant decline in the services provided.

With the advent of 20,000 planned new homes, I can foresee a further decline in the quality of living here.

According to the draft plans I have seen, there are numerous houses expected to be built in this district that will mean approximately 40,000 people being added to the town's growing population. This brings many problems eg:-

Petrol stations: - none in the area, the nearest being Lymm services or Stockton Heath which is already very congested.

Lack of Public transport: impossible to get home after 1800 at night

Congestion in Stockton Heath :- this grinds to a standstill numerous times during the day and the draft plan will only exacerbate the situation.

M56 junction 10 :- queueing to leave this junction extends for several miles during peak rush hours.

Infrastructure for Schools, Doctors, Dentists and Hospitals are already at a high saturation point.

Local Shops:- only the Co-op exists in Dudlow Green Road and this necessitates everyone having to use the already congested Stockton Heath

Please take into consideration my concerns.

Yours sincerely