

To whomever this may concern

I write to express my deep concerns regarding plans to build 9,000 homes for Warrington on greenbelt land.

Firstly I can't see how a national formula can reflect the true needs of a local community. We need a housing development plan that reflects the actual needs of the local population, that can be sustained by local jobs, than one devised from some arbitrary national formula.

I also understand that the formula has also been changed recently and I would like to express my expectation that Warrington's housing plans will be amended to reflect this, if the council is not willing or able to plan based on local need.

I have considerable concerns about plans to build on greenbelt land. Firstly there was specific and valid reasons why greenbelt land was established, and those reasons still stand true today.

Secondly, greenbelt land inevitably largely sits in more rural areas of the town, where infrastructure (roads, schools, dentists, GPs) are not suitably equipped to deal with the impact of increased housing. I'm extremely concerned that infrastructure is not currently being appropriately considered in the development options put forward.

In summary I oppose the building of housing on greenbelt in Warrington