

From: [REDACTED]
To: [Local Plan](#)
Subject: Consultation response
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Dear sirs,

Please be advised that overall I do not believe the local plan to be sound on the grounds that not enough provision has been made to improve the road infrastructure for the level of housing planned.

[REDACTED] regularly commuting up and down the a49 / a50 / a56 and the connecting motorways the increase in traffic especially from the grappenhall / appleton thorn developments will only cause additional congestion and increase air pollution to even more than the current excesses.

We need to retain the green spaces and local walking / cycling routes rather than destroy them.

I have no issues with the western link road so long as Morley common and Moore nature reserve are retained and made safe from traffic for dogs and children to play in, likewise for any developments around the m62, my main concern is the lack of thought for the garden suburb and the congestion that will cause and the additional pressure on schools, shops and healthcare needs for all the planned housing, which does not seem justified, is excessive and unsound unless / until more ship canal / Mersey crossings (ideally high level) are built as the congestion from a single boat can lead to at least a half hour tailback with all the associated pollution.

Regards Stephen Turton