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To whom it may concern, please consider this as a record of my objection to the proposed Warrington Local Plan, with particular reference to the South East Extension. I object to this proposal on the following grounds: We are currently experiencing a climate emergency building on greenfield land will negatively impact on wildlife and biodiversity, this land is currently used for food production thus reducing food miles. Greenfield land should not be used for building until all brownfield land has been developed.

The increase in population will adversely impact on the currently overloaded infrastructure, the junction at the Cat and Lion is already severely congested at times and the proposed new roads will not improve this. There is no current safe cycle path from Appleton to the centre of Warrington, providing green travel areas within the new extension area will not stop people driving to reach local amenities in the centre of Stockton Heath and surrounding areas, creating further traffic congestion and adversely impacting on air quality.

Mains drainage is already overloaded at times of heavy rain resulting in back flow of water from the manhole covers, as this water is contaminated it constitutes a risk to public health, further development would put increased pressure on this already failing system.

There is currently no plan to build a new hospital in Warrington, the service at Warrington Hospital is already stretched to the limit, increasing population size without increasing NHS capacity is unethical.

In view of the above I do not feel the Local Plan is sound.

Regards  
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