From:
To: Local Plan

Subject: Objection to Revised Local Plan (2-21) **Date:** 12 November 2021 21:15:46

Dear Sir,

Warrington Proposed Submission Version Local Plan 2021

I do not believe that the proposals in the above document are sound. Whilst realising that Warrington has to grow and that some development is needed. I do **not** accept that the scale and nature of what is being proposed by Warrington Borough Council is either necessary or desirable.

As an asthmatic it concerns me that the plans will still:

- 1) Bring extra congestion and therefore make for even more air pollution in an area that is already known to cause concern about air quality.
- 2) This proposal for new housing and warehouse development in South Warrington, will bring extra gridlock to our already congested roads, adding extra air pollution while taking away Green belt. This means loss of open countryside which now allows gases and particulates to disperse and act as lungs to absorb at least some of the carbon footprint caused by the traffic. Which because of the current climate change crisis is very much needed.
- 3) Add extra stress onto local amenities in particular, doctors surgeries and the local hospital.

Warrington has brown sites, which I realise are harder and mean more work for the developers, but could be used and would mean that precious green belt, which is used for both agriculture and leisure need not be used.

I therefore submit that this current proposal is not sound or fit for purpose.

Your sincerely

Douglas Earnshaw

