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I object to the local plan for a multitude of reasons :

The plan eats away into Greenbelt far too significantly. The ecological impact I fear cannot have been thoroughly assessed. As I already see the loss of certain wildlife spots and the reduction of habitats. Eg. Birds of prey. Already the streams are full of silt never seen before the building work started in appleton. It will get far worse with further development. As human homes are created ...animal homes are lost . We have so much wildlife here ...but we will inevitably lose it.

The number of planned homes is far too high. We simply do not need these. Anyone working in the warehouses you plan on increasing will not be in a position to be able to live here. Greenbelt land when sold is expensive and so the homes built on it will be ... So who will live in all these homes. We don't even have a decent leisure facility in Warrington South ... There are few shops in the town centre ...people will go into Manchester or Knutsford or Northwich or Cheshire oaks and so not contribute to any town centre economic growth. More houses means more traffic and more pollution ! Aren't we supposed to be reducing pollution. Why not consider creating homes in already existing empty buildings in the town centre ?

Our village of Appleton Thorn will merge into the new homes...There is nothing to save it from completely vanishing. There is no gap to separate it off. The integrity of such a village in the UK must surely be kept ?

Our roads are already ridiculously congested and as mentioned , pollution causing. I cannot see that there will any improvement to the town, its congestion and pollution or its economics. In addition the environment and wildlife and all that is left that is beautiful is just being utterly destroyed. Please think again.

In fact the new plan makes me want to leave this area....and return to the North east. Already I know locals who have left for more open space and more will if the plan isn't revised.

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