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Local Plan

Subject: Local Plan Consultation **Date:** 15 November 2021 12:46:14

Dear Sir/Madam

I refer to the Borough Council's current consultation on the draft Local Plan

I write on behalf of the 8 strong Appleton Parish Council Conservative Group of Parish Councillors on the 13 Member Appleton Parish Council.

Our Conservative Group fully endorses the document entitled "The South Warrington Parish Councils' Local Plan Working Group - Representations to the Submission Draft of the Warrington Borough Local Plan" dated 11 November 2021 which has been prepared for the current Local Plan Consultation by Groves Town Planning Limited. It is being submitted on behalf of the South Warrington Parishes Local Plan Group. Appleton Parish Council is a member of the South Warrington Parishes Group.

The Appleton Parish Council Conservative Group believes that the current draft of the Local Plan is not sound for the reasons set out in the above document including:

Loss of the distinctive character of Appleton and surrounding parishes.

Lack of any reasonable justification for the scale of the proposed level of house building (up to 2400 homes plus a further 1800 homes) and for the proposed level of employment land usage in south east Warrington.

Permanent destruction of large areas of Green Belt in Appleton and surrounding parishes for non-sustainable development.

Inadequate, ill-timed and non-funded infrastructure proposals.

Regards

Mark Jervis

Appleton Parish Councillor

on behalf of Cllrs S Brookes, K Critchley, C Critchley, J Freeman, G Chapman, W Kidley, M Jervis and M Marshall all of Appleton Parish Council