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Dear Sir/Madam,

We were surprised to read in the Lymm Life that Warrington Borough Council are proposing that 500 new homes be built in Lymm. The villages around Warrington are a great asset, and to urbanise them would change them into towns, which would not have the same appeal to the people in towns who want to get out into the countryside. Much of the green belt in Lymm borders the Bridgewater Canal and the tow path and the boats are a great attraction.

Lymm has already lost a lot of green space to housing, and the local infrastructure could not cope with many more new homes.

When the Unitary Plan was drawn up the proposal was that the green belt in Lymm would be protected until 2021, and we hope this still stands. Only then should it be reviewed and we feel that

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Careful thought be given, as far as possible, to keeping Warrington's surrounding villages unspoilt. Building on this scale on green belt would not achieve this.

We hope that our comments will be taken into consideration when the Local Plan Preferred Development is drawn up and finalised.

Yours faithfully