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Subject: (Case Ref: MA0116) New Homes near Moore - Objection

Dear Professor Broomhead

On behalf of my constituents I would like to formally lodge an objection to plans to build 2,000 new homes on land between Moore and A56 (Chester Road) - known as the South West Urban Extension.

I recently attended a public meeting in Moore at the request of the Parish Council where many concerns were raised by residents about the plans.

I wish to echo the Parish Council's objection on the grounds that a homebuilding scheme of this size on Green Belt land would reduce the gap between Warrington and Runcorn and create an almost continuous built up area, which contravenes the entire purpose of the Green Belt.

Part of the purpose of the Green Belt is also 'to preserve the setting and special character of historic towns', and I feel these plans would also have a detrimental impact on the nature and feel of Moore Village.

I also have concerns about the impact of the plans on the Moore Conservation Area and Moore Nature Reserve as well as 12 listed buildings in Moore Village, along with the swing bridge and the three bridges at the Bridgewater Canal.

In addition, I also feel such a large development would place too much pressure on existing services for residents, this includes the impact on medical services as well as road infrastructure. The latter could become a particular issue if people wishing to avoid tolls on the new Mersey Gateway Bridge choose to reroute through the area.

I have copied Warrington South MP Faisal Rashid into this email as I understand he shares similar concerns with regards to the potential impact on his own constituents.

I would appreciate it if you could look into this matter and respond to me directly.

Yours Sincerely