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Dear Ms Morton

<u>Winchester Core Strategy Examination – Comments submitted on behalf of Ms Connie</u> Forbes (reference number 2034) forSession 3: Housing Strategy

Ms Forbes has asked me to confirm to the Inspector that, although the Barton Farm development now has planning permissions, she is still strongly of the opinion that additional greenfield sites need to be allocated for housing around Winchester in order to give a choice of housing sites and house types.

In relation to question (iv), Ms Forbes considers that the core Strategy should include a contingency allowance in order to have plans in place to provide additional housing sites should the houses not come forward as the Council expects.

Yours sincerely

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Enclosure