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Dear Sir/Madam

## SUBMISSION OF WINCHESTER DISTRICT LOCAL PLAN PART 1 – JOINT CORE STRATEGY

I write on behalf of my clients, the Land Owners of Land off Upper Moors Road, Colden Common, to update my previously submitted representations of  $9^{th}$  March and  $30^{th}$  July 2012 on the submission DPD and in light of the recent adoption on the  $3^{rd}$  October 2012 of the South Hampshire Strategy published by the Partnership for Urban South Hampshire (PUSH).

Policy 4 of this adopted Strategy requires South Hampshire to provide 55,600 net additional dwellings for the period 2011-2026, with Policy 11 of the Strategy allocating 6,200 net additional homes to the PUSH subarea of Winchester for this plan period. This equates to 413 dwellings per year for the Hampshire Strategy period of 2011-2026.

The Council's published Background Paper 1 – Housing Provision, Distribution and Delivery (June 2012) sets out at paragraph 5.6 that the Local Plan Part 1/JCS will provide in the region of 6,650-7,250 dwellings within the settlements that are located within the PUSH sub-area of Winchester, during the plan period 2011-2031. This would equate to a figure of between 332 - 362 dwellings coming forward per year within the PUSH sub-area over the twenty year plan period, representing a yearly shortfall of between 51-81 dwellings on the PUSH Strategy requirements.

We therefore consider that the overall housing allocation to the PUSH subarea within the Local Plan Part 1/JCS should be increased to alleviate this apparent shortfall, ensuring that the required 6,200 dwellings come forward within the Hampshire Strategy plan period of 2011-2026. Yours faithfully

Will Thompson