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Date: *2nd November 2020*

Dear Sir/Madam,

Scottish Borders Local Development Plan: Proposed Plan

The Local Development Plan (LDP) is produced by the Council and sets out land use proposals and planning policies which are intended to guide development and inform planning decisions within the Scottish Borders over the next ten years.

The Proposed Plan will be out for public representation between 2 November 2020 and 25 January 2021. This deadline is final and any representations received after this date will not be considered.

Due to the ongoing health risks posed to the general public by the COVID-19 pandemic, there will not be any public events, meetings or roadshows held in connection with this consultation. Instead, the consultation is being conducted primarily online using web-based resources which can be accessed on the Scottish Borders Council website at www.scotborders.gov.uk/ldp2.

During the consultation period an online video will also be prepared in response to frequently asked questions. Details of when this video will be shown and how it can be accessed will be confirmed on the aforesaid link to the website.

Representations in relation to any part of the Proposed Local Development Plan can be made via the Scottish Borders Council website using the link above, by email to localplan@scotborders.gov.uk or in writing to Forward Planning, Council Headquarters, Newtown St Boswells, Scottish Borders, TD6 0SA.

Please note the Council will be forwarding separately a poster to each Community Council confirming the LDP representation period and how responses can be submitted. We would be grateful if you could display these posters in an appropriate location within the community.

If you require any further information please contact the Forward Planning Team on 01835 825010.

Yours faithfully



Charles Johnston
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