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VIA EMAIL ONLY

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Dear Steffan,

Thank you for consulting Staffordshire County Council on your Local Plan. Our respective Authorities have a long history of working collaboratively on planning matters, which we hope continues.

We can confirm the Plan as proposed presents no new cross boundary issues. We will of course need to be consulted on any planning applications for the proposed employment allocation at Drakelow Park as we have been for the Residential element from the previous Plan. This is in particular reference to highways and transport matters.

Previously we have considered cross border impacts on Education infrastructure. There are no new issues with the Part 1 Review. However, we would wish to continue to be consulted on Part 2 of the Local Plan or any new Plan that may be produced in the future. We also ask that should you receive any speculative applications outside of the plan making process that are within close proximity to the Staffordshire border you formally engage and consult with us.

Yours sincerely,

James Chadwick
Principal Planning Policy Officer

