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Dear Strategic Planning Team

Thank you for consulting Birmingham City Council with regard to the Submission of the Lickey & Blackwell and Cofton Hackett Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) 2018-30 and the opportunity to comment.

We appreciate that the scope of the NDP is limited to local issues and welcome the reference to its relationship with the Bromsgrove District Plan which provides the strategic planning framework. Birmingham City Council also welcomes the acknowledgement in the NDP that, as part of the review of the Bromsgrove District Plan, the Council will be reviewing the green belt which will ensure that opportunities for potential future growth are identified and maximised to meet wider needs across the Greater Birmingham and Black Country Housing Market Area. The City Council therefore supports the content of the NDP Submission Plan and have no further comments to make.

Best Regards

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