Dear

I am writing to you as one of the statutory consultees entitled to express a view and comment on the **Pre-Submission Draft Hampton-in-Arden Parish Neighbourhood Plan**.

This is an update of an earlier Neighbourhood Plan made in 2017. We felt that an update was required, not just because of the passage of time, but also because in 2019 the parish boundary was changed to embrace the whole of Catherine de Barnes which hadn't been part of the previous consultation exercise. In addition, because Solihull Metropolitan Council was in the process of updating its own Local Plan, we felt that our Neighbourhood Plan needed to try and move in step.

This Pre-Submission Draft follows extensive opinion surveys of our residents and businesses. We have launched a further consultation exercise within the parish on this new draft and would be grateful if you could also take this opportunity to let us have any comments and representations that we feel we should consider.

The Parish Council will review each response and use that input to produce a **Final Submission Draft** which will be submitted for formal **Examination** and **Approval**.

The draft plan can be accessed at xxx.fyiuryt4t45.iu.rrt.

The deadline for comments on this Pre-Submission Draft is 6 April 2023.

With Many Thanks

Parish Clerk, Hampton-in-Arden Parish Council