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To: Heinrich, Susan

Cc: Jill Glenn

Subject: Saham Toney - Information Requested during the Hearing Proceedings

Dear Susan (and Jill)

You will recall during the hearing yesterday afternoon - the issue came up with regard to the use of the local connection policy in affordable housing, where reference was made to the Swanton Morley Plan which included such a policy. I read out an extract from the Examiners report which had recommended that the policy be deleted as not being a policy for the use and development of land . It subsequently transpired that the extract to which I was referring to came from the first Examination and there was subsequently a second examination . As nobody at yesterdays hearing was personally acquainted, from the planning point of view, with that particular neighbourhood plan, I could not hear how the local connections policy came to be included a development plan policy. I asked if that issue could be researched and a note prepared setting out the sequence of events in terms of the evolution of that neighbourhood plan policy , the respective examiners' comments on it and the reasoning for its eventual inclusion in the made plan as set out in the Council's Decision Statement .

In order to be clear as to my expectations, you asked me to put the request in writing and I am happy to do so .

Can Breckland Council this explanatory note be prepared and be sent to me by 4th March please. I would request that a copy of that note and indeed this email be placed on the respective websites. I would also ask that the note be shared with the Parish Council at the same time as it was passed to me.

Kind regards

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