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Dear Mr Gammond

Kidderminster Central Area Plan – Proposed Main and Minor Modifications Public Consultation – February 2013

These representations have been jointly prepared by West Mercia Police (WMP) and Hereford & Worcester Fire and Rescue Service (HWFRS), in response to the invitation to comment on the Proposed Main and Minor Modifications to the Kidderminster Central Area Plan (KCAP).

This submission constitutes a continuation of our engagement with Wyre Forest District Council regarding the KCAP, with representations made to all previous public consultation events, in order to offer our suggestions and views on what priorities and policies the KCAP might include to help deliver safe and sustainable communities in Kidderminster.

Before continuing, we would like to extend our thanks to the professional officers of the Council, for their positive and constructive work with us during the preparation of the KCAP and to the Inspector for providing this opportunity to comment further.

Schedule of Proposed Main Modifications (February 2013)

We welcome and support the following Proposed Main Modifications, which fully address our representations and are wholly in accordance with the Statement of Common Ground we agreed with the Council: -

- KCAPMA02
- KCAPMA06
- KCAPMA09
- KCAPMA13

For the avoidance of doubt, we confirm that we have no further comments to make regarding the Schedule of Proposed Main Modifications to the KCAP.

Schedule of Proposed Minor Modifications (February 2013)

We welcome and support the following Proposed Minor Modifications, which fully address our representations and are wholly in accordance with the Statement of Common Ground we agreed with the Council: -

- KCAPMI02
- KCAPMI04
- KCAPMI05
- KCAPMI07
- KCAPMI10
- KCAPMI11
- KCAPMI17

For the avoidance of doubt, we confirm that we have no further comments to make regarding the Schedule of Proposed Minor Modifications to the KCAP.

Overall, WMP and HWFRS hope that the Inspector and Council will consider these comments to be helpful, but should there be any queries, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Yours sincerely

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For and on behalf of WMP and HWFRS