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Dear Sir/Madam -

CHECKLEY PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN- REGULATION 16 CONSULTATION.

Thank you for the invitation to comment on the Submission Neighbourhood Plan.

Our previous comments on the earlier regulation 14 consultation remain entirely relevant, that is:

"Historic England is supportive of both the content of the document and the vision, aims and objectives set out in it.

We particularly commend the thorough approach taken to identifying the distinctive local characteristics of the varying settlements of the Parish and the emphasis placed upon the conservation of their local distinctiveness through good building design that is sustainable. The protection afforded to locally significant buildings, farmsteads and landscape character including archaeological remains, green space and important views is equally to be applauded.

The plan has an extremely sound evidence base that includes reference to the Green Infrastructure Strategic Network for Staffordshire Moorlands 2018, and it reads as a well-considered, concise and fit for purpose document which we consider takes a suitably proportionate but thorough approach to the historic environment of the Parish.

Beyond those observations we have no further substantive comments to make on what Historic England considers is a good example of a community led plan".

I hope you find this advice helpful.

Yours sincerely,

P. Boland.







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