

Comment

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Q1 Do you consider the Local Plan is Legally Compliant?	No
Q2 Do you consider the Local Plan is Sound (positively prepared, effective and Justified)	No
If your comment(s) relate to a specific site within a core policy please select this from the drop down list.	N/A

Q4 Please give details of why you consider the Local Plan is not legally compliant or is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible. If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the Local Plan or its compliance with the duty to co-operate, please also use this box to set out your comments.

It has staggered me to learn that Central Government can impose on a town a requirement to build huge numbers of houses whose existence will totally alter the character of the existing settlement. Such demands put District Councils, both officers and members in an appalling position.

Campaign groups such as those in Wantage & Grove, and the bold ?pathfinders? at Cherwell, represent the Voice of Reason. They deserve own energetic support and own confidence in their ability to moderate the totalitarian approach which is the temptation of any democracy, and the dread of its despairing and disillusioned electors.