

To: Planning Policy Team, Vale of White Horse District Council.

From: Dr Dudley Goodhead OBE, Hillside House, Hinksey Hill, Oxford OX1 5BD.

I wish to record my objections to the Vale's Local Plan Part One 2013. I believe that the Local Plan is unsound because it has been rushed through without proper testing or justification of the evidence base from which it is purportedly formulated, the forecast housing needs are erroneous and the Plan is inconsistent with national Green Belt planning guidance and government policies on the protection of the Green Belt, which is a precious and irreplaceable natural resource that should not be eroded except in the most extreme circumstances.

Dr Dudley Goodhead, OBE.