

Chobham Neighbourhood Plan 2024-2038 Consultation Response

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To Neighbourhood Planning < Neighbourhood. Planning@surreyheath.gov.uk >

Dear Mr Hitt

Windlesham Parish Council has reviewed the published Chobham Neighbourhood Plan 2024–2038 and wishes to submit the following comments.

Members welcomed the publication of the Chobham Neighbourhood Plan and commended the work undertaken to develop a comprehensive document. The Plan demonstrates a clear commitment to managing future development sensitively and includes welcome commentary on flood risk, which is a significant concern in the local area.

However, Members noted that while the Plan offers limited support for development and includes consideration of flooding issues, it does not adequately address the ongoing and well-documented parking challenges within Chobham village centre. Further emphasis on sustainable transport and localised parking solutions would enhance the Plan's overall effectiveness and community benefit.

In particular, the Council supports Policy CH1, point 2(f), which seeks to protect the Green Belt. This point is especially welcomed as it reflects the shared priority across rural parishes to safeguard open space and preserve the character of the local environment.

Best Wishes

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