

Crookham Village Neighbourhood Plan - Gaps Consultation

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To: Neighbourhood Planning <neighbourhoodplanning@hart.gov.uk>

Re: Appendix 3 supporting evidence for the whole Policy NE01 Preserving the Gap Between Settlements.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

The need to maintain a suitable gap between Crookham Village, Church Crookham, Fleet and Dogmersfield has been recognised as an imperative toward maintaining the valued 'village' atmosphere bestowed on Crookham Village and the prevention of yet another sprawling conurbation where the benefits of 'character' villages is all too easily lost for all time.

The proposed gap will provide the continued and important human benefit of existence where character and 'individualism' are key players, essentials lost too easily as the area is fast consumed by extensive housing estates. We still have a chance to retain a little of English country life in the Crookham Village area, and I would urge this be given very high regard when considering the value of the proposed green gaps around Crookham Village.

While large swathes of the south east are consumed by large scale housing estates it is the retention of some small characterful hamlets within suitably green environs such as Crookham Village that will portray something of England's origins and character to future generations.

I would urge this matter is given the strongest consideration and the proposed Green Gaps around Crookham Village are given your strongest protection in the interest of considered and realistic Planning.

Yours faithfully,

Peter Brown.