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Dear Sirs

NEW MINERALS LOCAL PLAN

We are in receipt of the " Issues and Options Consultation , 20/11/17 to 14/01/18 " document and wish to make the following comments .

Caythorpe is a small village situated in the Trent Valley and due to it's location , our initial concerns and comments are based on new sand and gravel (materials) quarrying . It is assumed that new quarries are established in the vicinity of / served by the A6097.

Transportation

It is a major concern that heavy goods vehicles would inadvertently use the Caythorpe and Hoveringham Roads when transporting materials from the A6097 to pre-cast concrete product companies situated within the Hoveringham industrial area . We would also point out that the A6097 is already an extremely busy road and question it's capacity to accommodate increased traffic volumes caused by quarrying activities .

Given the above , we would insist that a vehicle weight restriction is placed upon the Caythorpe and Hoveringham roads . Further , we strongly support the notion of transporting all materials by river barge , a form of transport which is sadly under utilised.

Flooding

Caythorpe is situated within flood zones 1 , 2 and 3 and any activity which would increase flood risk would be vigorously opposed.

Environmental

Caythorpe is effectively downwind of the A6097 and therefore likely to be affected by quarrying activities , in particular dust and noise .

We trust that you will take our concerns into account when considering the next stage of the New Minerals Local Plan .

Yours faithfully

K Price

Clerk Caythorpe PC