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Organisation (where relevant): EDDC Ward Member

Proposal:

1. Introduction

1. To which part of the Introduction chapter does your representation relate?:

Paragraph

1(a). Please write down the paragraph, policy or figure number that your representation relates to.:

1.14

1(b). Does your comment relate to one of the changes listed above?: Yes

2. Do you consider that this part of the Introduction chapter is legally compliant?:

No

2(b). If no, please give details of why you consider this part of the Introduction chapter is not legally compliant. Please be as precise as possible.: Whilst EDDC has consulted with neighbouring districts, as a member of the EDDC strategic planning committee, I believe the EDDC consultation with residents was one way and no attention was taken of people's responses and valid concerns, nor of local councillors. I suggest EDDC strategic planning officers were predetermined on what they wanted to happen. They guided through a result and process that suited them but neither East Devons future needs nor National Governments desire for sustainable development through efficient timely delivery.

3. Do you consider that this part of the Introduction chapter is sound?: No

3(b). If no, please give details of why you consider this part of the Introduction chapter is not sound. Please be as precise as possible.: It refers to Devon district consultation, but fails to involve genuine consultation with communities

3(c). Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this part of the Introduction chapter sound, in respect of any matters you have identified above. You will need to say why each modification will make this part of the Introduction chapter sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording for the relevant policy or paragraph. Please be as precise as possible.: I believe the emerging local plan should be rejected because it fails to coherently deliver National Governments targeted sustainable housing and it flies in the face of community consultation.

4. Do you consider that this part of the Introduction chapter complies with the duty to cooperate?: No

4(b). If no, please give details of why you consider this part of the Introduction chapter fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.: The co-operation is external, where it exists, but fails to be inclusive within East Devon.

5. If your representation is seeking a modification to the plan, do you consider it necessary to participate in examination hearing session(s)?: Yes, I wish to participate in hearing session(s)

6. If you wish to participate in the hearing session(s), please outline why you consider this to be necessary.: On many levels, the emerging East Devon Local Plan will fail to deliver. I am extremely keen to ensure the Inspector has ample opportunity to understand and reflect on the shortcoming of the delivery process of this plan.