In response to the letter dated 4 October from the Examining Authority seeking written summaries of oral submissions made during the Issue Specific Hearings held on 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> September.

- During ISH2 we supported the comments made by NKDC on the issue of woodland loss and it not being replaced within the Borough.
- We had nothing to add to NKDC's comments on the implications with planning policy.
- We would defer to NKDCs ecologists as we do not have a Borough Council ecologist.
- We had nothing to add to the discussion on Best and Most Versatile agricultural land.