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Good morning

I would like to highlight my concerns on not having adequate time to assess each of these submissions and attend hearings for these projects as they are so close together. It would appear they are running concurrently, and we have previously been assured that these schemes would be examined independently on completely different timelines to enable interested parties to make their way through the vast amount of information,

I believe this makes the process unnecessarily confusing and prejudice and allows the developer an unfair advantage. The information is difficult enough to get through and understand for the average interested party. A time frame of at least 6 months should be set between schemes making it far more reasonable and fair. Alternatively, why are the 2 schemes not being examined as 1 as they are both ready at the same time?

I would ask that you consider these things if you are keen to show that public participation is important to the planning inspectorate.

District Council for Lea Ward – Lea, Knaith Upton & Kexby.
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