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TR010059 Our Ref: A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project

Date: 6 July 2022

# FAO: Bart Bartkowiak (Case Manager)

Dear Bart Bartkowiak

# Planning Act 2008 (as amended) – Section 55

### Application by National Highways for an Order Granting Development Consent for the A66 Northern Trans-Pennine Project

#### Adequacy of consultation request

I write in response to your letter (dated 22 June) confirming the above application for an Order granting development consent has now been received and requesting views on the 'adequacy of consultation'. The comments of Northumberland County Council are set out below.

# Duty to consult (Planning Act 2008, Section 42)

Northumberland County Council has been correctly identified being a category A and category D authority as defined by Section 43 of the Planning Act 2008. Northumberland County Council can confirm the authority has been consulted in accordance with this requirement.

Duty to consult the local community (Planning Act 2008, Section 47)

Northumberland County Council is satisfied that the applicant has complied with this requirement.

Duty to publicise (Planning Act 2008, Section 48)

Northumberland County Council is satisfied that the applicant has complied with this requirement.



Rob Murfin, Interim Executive Director of Planning and Local Services County Hall, Morpeth, Northumberland, NE61 2EF



I trust this is of assistance to you in progressing the Development Consent Order application.

Yours sincerely



Kevin Tipple Senior Planning Officer Northumberland County Council