



12 March 2020

Dear Sirs,

We are writing on behalf of the Golden Lane Estate Residents Association in connection with the consultation for the COLPAI planning conditions currently being developed. We have met with residents who have asked us to express their concern with the following aspects of the consultation. These are the comments that we received:

- The drop-in on 27th Feb did not provide a full presentation of the facts. The draft plans that are now online were not available on the evening, even though they are dated October 2019 and January 2020. This meant that there was insufficient information provided to make an informed response.
- Because there was no formal presentation there was no opportunity for everyone to hear all the answers to the questions.
- The drop-in was not minuted formally. There were a number of individual conversations with officers, or groups of officers, but none of these conversations were recorded or minuted.
- The boards had insufficient detail and they contained errors. For example the parcel delivery to the tower block was recorded as “per week” rather than “per day”.

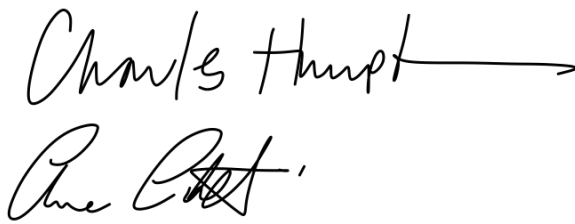
We consider that the presentation so far is insufficient to meet the criteria of the Gunning Principles which govern local authority consultation with the public. We would like the following steps to be implemented:

1. We understand that the consultation period has been extended. Please confirm.
2. We would like the Public Update Meeting on 26th March be repurposed as a public consultation meeting, formally minuted, as a part of the consultation process rather than after the fact.

We have formed working parties around each of the conditions proposed and are preparing a more detailed response. We will respond formally on behalf of the residents association before the end of the consultation.

It is a Gunning Principle that final decisions should not be made or predetermined by decision makers. In particular we continue to be concerned that only one option has been presented for refuse collection. We believe there are issues with the proposed solution. There is a lack of confidence that there has been conscientious consideration of residents' alternative proposals.

Yours faithfully,

The image shows two handwritten signatures. The first signature, 'Charles Humphries', is written in a cursive style and ends with a long horizontal line. The second signature, 'Anne Corbett', is also in cursive and appears to be a stylized, somewhat compact signature.

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