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**From:** Bate, Christopher <[REDACTED]>  
**Sent:** 17 June 2016 14:18  
**To:** Sadler, Reiss  
**Cc:** Howell, Serena  
**Subject:** RE: North Claines Neighbourhood Plan

Hi Reiss,

Apologies for not responding sooner and the mistake in our original response.

I can confirm that given the small scale of the development site (site off A38 at Sling Lane) and its distance from the Strategic Road Network, we consider that there would not be any issues.

Therefore our previous position of no further comment remains.

Kind Regards,

Chris

**Chris Bate, Asset Manager, Worcestershire**

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**From:** Sadler, Reiss [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 17 June 2016 13:59  
**To:** Bate, Christopher; Howell, Serena  
**Subject:** FW: North Claines Neighbourhood Plan

Dear Both,

Please see the below email which was sent by Andrew Ford from the Wychavon Policy Plans email address ([policy.plans@wychavon.gov.uk](mailto:policy.plans@wychavon.gov.uk)) on 31 May 2016 in response to Highways England's consultation response on the North Claines Neighbourhood Plan.

HE's consultation response states that, as the NCNP does not allocate land above and beyond that allocated in the recently adopted SWDP, HE have no further comments to make. However, as Andrew points out below, the NCNP does propose to allocate a housing site off A38 at Sling Lane for an indicative 48 dwellings (see policy NCH1B).

We welcome any further feedback on this proposal. The consultation is due to conclude at 5pm this afternoon but if a response is not achievable in this time, we are happy to receive a late response providing it is by the end of the day on Monday 20 June as we need to progress the NCNP through the various further stages.

If you do not wish to make any further comments, could I request that you respond to this email to that effect.

Regards,

Reiss

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**From:** Plans, Policy  
**Sent:** 31 May 2016 12:24  
**To:** 'Howell, Serena'  
**Subject:** RE: North Claines Neighbourhood Plan

Serena

Thank you for providing comments on the North Claines NP. Please can I draw your attention to the new allocation that the plan is proposing for approx. 48 dwellings under Policy NCH1B (p.34) off the A38 at Sling Lane and we would welcome any further feedback on this proposal.

Many thanks

Andrew

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**From:** Howell, Serena [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 26 May 2016 12:26  
**To:** Plans, Policy  
**Cc:** Bate, Christopher; 'Chris Cox'; 'HASPAem.europe@aecom.com'  
**Subject:** North Claines Neighbourhood Plan

Andrew

Please find attached Highways England's response to the North Claines Neighbourhood Plan consultation.

Regards

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24 May 2016

Dear Andrew

**RE: North Claines Parish Council Submitted Neighbourhood Plan Regulation 16 Consultation, North Claines, Droitwich Spa.**

Thank you for forwarding me details of the consultation regarding the above document. Highways England ('We') are responsible for the operation and maintenance of the Strategic Road Network (SRN) in England. The SRN includes all major motorways and trunk roads. The SRN in the vicinity of North Claines Parish includes the M5 Motorway.

The North Claines Neighbourhood Plan (NCNP) has been produced in order to allow the local community to identify priorities for its future along with highlighting methods to combat current and perceived future issues. The NCNP has been reviewed within context of the South Worcestershire Development Plan (SWDP) as the NCNP should support the policies put forward within the SWDP.

We are aware the SWDP was adopted in March of this year following Examination in Public and that no new site allocations arise from the NCNP within the area. Consequently, we have no concerns with regards the impacts of the Neighbourhood Plan on the SRN as the transport implications arising from development sites with South Worcestershire have been considered during our engagement in the production of the SWDP.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you require any more information or clarification.

Yours sincerely

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