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**Broxtowe
Borough
COUNCIL**

Dear Sir/Madam,

BROXTOWE BOROUGH ALIGNED CORE STRATEGY – SUBMISSION

I am writing to you as you or your organisation submitted representations on the Broxtowe Borough Aligned Core Strategy Publication Version 2012, or had previously expressed an interest in the Council's Development Plan Documents

The Broxtowe Borough Aligned Core Strategy, together with the Schedule of Changes and Modifications, was submitted to the Secretary of State on 7th June 2013, and this is the start of the Examination process. The Core Strategy can be formally adopted if it is found to be 'sound' at Examination. Part of this process will involve Public Hearings chaired by the Inspector to discuss specific issues. It is the Inspector who will decide the issues to be discussed. The Inspector will invite further supporting evidence from the Councils and respondents as necessary. The Planning Inspectorate has produced a document to explain the process for examining core strategies, which is available at: http://www.planningportal.gov.uk/uploads/pins/dpd_procedure_guide.pdf

The Examination will be administered by an independent Programme Officer, Carmel Edwards, who works directly to the Inspector (contact 0115 876 3975, mobile 07969 631930, programmeofficer@gngrowthpoint.com). The Programme Officer will be writing to those who have made representations on the Aligned Core Strategy to give details of the Examination programme and explain how they may be able to participate in the round table hearings.

Details of the availability of documents can be found in the Notice of Submission on the back of this letter. If you would like any additional information or have queries about the Broxtowe Borough Aligned Core Strategy, please do not hesitate to contact the Planning Policy team on 0115 917 3482.

Yours faithfully,

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