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Dear Parish Clerk

Re: Neighbourhood Plans for Wheatley

We note that you have requested comments from the Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) regarding your NP. The CCG commissions Primary Care services to all residents in Oxfordshire.

With the large scale housing developments planned across the District the CCG would like to make the following comments on your Neighbourhood Plan:

Any large scale housing development, notwithstanding the cumulative effect of smaller sites, will have a direct impact on our local health services, in particular the local GP's.

If the local GP practice is able to grow and expand to support the housing growth the CCG would look to both the Parish Council and the Local Planning Authority to consider supporting this new population by negotiating developer contributions. Where expansion of the existing GP practice is not viable the CCG will need to consider its options to ensure Primary Care services are available to the new population.

The CCG is very keen to work closely with the Neighbourhood plans and we have a co-ordinator in your area: Anne Lankester who can be contacted on planning@oxnet.nhs.uk.

Please do contact us if we can provide further information and support. We look forward to working with you.

Yours faithfully

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