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Dear Jean

Response to Inspector's Letter dated 18 May 2012 – Town Centre Area Action Plan

In response to the Inspectors request as to how the Council wish to proceed, I can confirm that it is our intention to put the TCAAP "in abeyance" whilst additional work is carried out.

It is proposed that the timetable for this work will enable it to be completed by the end of July. This would be subject to Cabinet approval for the resulting changes, on 5th September. The proposed changes would then be published for a six weeks consultation period, with a projected submission of the revised AAP by the end of October.

I trust this timetable enables you to be able to programme your time to carry out the Examination on the TCAAP. In view of the concerns you have previously raised about the content of the AAP, would it be helpful for you to see the changes that are proposed at the end of July before Cabinet, to ascertain if these would answer the issues which you identified?

Yours sincerely



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