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Submitted to **Proposed Scottish Borders Local Development Plan**

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Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing in support of the Abbotsford Trust's objection to the proposed 45 houses development across the Tweed opposite the Abbotside Mansion. As their objection points out there is an increasing demand for the tranquil house and grounds of the Abbotsford Estate. This is increasing because of the (hopefully) short term demands stemming from the Coronavirus emergency, but also in the longer term from greater reliance on shorter journeys and the demand for local attractions arising from the response to climate change. The trustees also point out the economic and employment benefits to the local economy of the additional attractions and facilities they plan to install.

If the Council nevertheless decide to authorise the development, I would ask that a wider belt of trees be provided for screening and sound reduction and that evergreens be included.

I live a good way from Abbotsford as my address indicates, but I do regard the house and estate as one of the great features of the border country and the whole of Scotland.

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