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Subject: AGALA029 Netherbarns Objection

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To Whom It May Concern:

I am a member of the Dandie Dinmont Terrier Club of America and wish to express my dismay over the Netherbarns Project construction being considered near the Abbotsford historical site. As I'm sure you are aware, Sir Walter Scott's novel, *Guy Mannering*, a very popular publication in its day, was written at Abbotsford and celebrated dogs owned by a shepherd named Dandie Dinmont. It was from this character that the Dandie Dinmont Terrier got its name.

Dandie Dinmont owners from Europe and North American have visited Sir Walter's home for years. It is a sort of Mecca for them. They love to roam the beautiful grounds and take in the views from the magnificent homestead. Having 45 homes built close by, supposedly screened by trees, will take away from the beauty of this very special spot and interfere with the view of the River Tweed.

I wish to express my heartfelt objection to the AGALA029 Netherbarns Project and hope that it will not go forward.

Sincerely yours,

Barbara McFarlane Wright