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

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Individual

#### Individual

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Individual name:

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Address line 1:

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Address line 2 :

Address line 3:

Town / city:

[REDACTED]

Postcode:

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Leave a quick comment about the Proposed Scottish Borders Local Development Plan, or planning and development in general.....

Quick Comment:

I wish to object to the building of 45 houses at Netherbarns opposite Abbotsford House. I feel that despite the proposed small strip of woodland it will impose too much on the Abbotsford and change the flavour of this historic house. You wouldn't build houses in the woodland around Neuschwannstein Castle and you should not right next to one of our cultural assets. It changes it from a rural to a town setting. Also, Abbotsford aside, I think it very regrettable extending Galashiels further out along the A7 towards Selkirk. One of the charms about the Borders towns is their distinct characters. There is a danger of ribbon development and Galashiels merging into Tweedbank, Selkirk, Melrose, etc. It is nice to leave one town and then have a sufficient amount of green fields before reaching the next town.

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