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Insert any general comments that do not relate to a specific paragraph number or policy in the general comments box below.*If you are suggesting a change is needed to the draft Local Plan or supporting document, it would be helpful if you could include suggested revised wording. If you are commenting on a document supporting the draft Local Plan (such as a topic paper, or the Sustainability Appraisal), please indicate so.

Whilst I understand the need for housing my concern is that such housing would be more of the top end "executive" type encouraging new people into the area and fewer of the social and affordable homes that are needed . (Not just here but in the whole Test Valley). This leads to the next issue - infrastructure.

Where would children go to school

How would local doctors cope with even more people

If Winchester A&E closes there would be even more pressure on Southampton if more housing is built in south Test Valley

It is almost impossible to find a dentist in the area now, more people would increase demand

Local community facilities are almost non existent on a regular basis within a comfortable walking distance

Public transport stops at the lower end of Nursling - there is no street lighting along the Romsey Road so travelling by bus after dark is unpleasant (especially given the state of the pavements)

Upton Lane has little in the way of pavements - where would vehicular access be given the number of horse riders, cyclists and walkers who regularly use the Lane

Q8

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Policy 8 (SA8)

There is no local transport to the area being considered for industrial use

I would have concerns about access, noise and light pollution as well as pollution from increased traffic

The area has a lot of wildlife which would be adversely affected as well as areas of woodland of which there is so little anyway for breeding birds, badgers, deer, foxes as well as native plants (bluebells) and trees

Is there genuine need given the empty units on other places like Abbey Park and Adanac?

My comments about increased housing are in above box
