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Dear Parish Councillors,

You are probably aware of The Government's Open consultation 'Proposed reforms to the National Planning Policy Framework and other changes to the planning system' opened 30th July, closing 24th September at 11.45pm, and that the proposed reforms and changes would result in a 41.1% increase in the number of houses that would have to accommodate in Horsham District.

Councils and communities would have little or no control over development

For details, please see the attached briefing note 'CONSULTATION Proposed reforms to the NPPF and other changes to the planning system' and the accompanying 'New Standard Method, New Assessed Housing Needs' for Sussex LPAs'.

Yours sincerely,

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Annual Housing

Indicative Annual Housing Need: Proposed New Standard Method

Annual Increase/

Local Authority

Need: current method

Decrease % Change