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Dear David,

## Re: Redesignation of the Hadley Wood Neighbourhood Forum

I am pleased to inform you that the decision to redesignate the Hadley Wood Neighbourhood Forum has come into effect on Monday, 18 January 2020.

The redesignation will enable the Forum to continue their work on the Hadley Wood Neighbourhood Plan for further five years. I am also pleased to note that the great majority of the responses to the redesignation consultation carried out between 24 August and 9 October 2020 have been very positive.

The Hadley Wood Neighbourhood Plan will empower local residents and businesses in the area and enable them to have a much stronger role in shaping Hadley Wood by having a greater say in the relevant planning matters.

Neighbourhood planning provides the opportunity for communities to set out a positive vision for how they want their Neighbourhood Plan area to develop over the plan period.

One of the benefits of having a neighbourhood plan in place is that up to 25% of the Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL) collected from developments in the Hadley Wood Neighbourhood Area would be allocated to be spent on prioritised infrastructure improvement works in the Area.

Preparing a neighbourhood plan can help strengthen communities by coming together to make planning decisions and the Council is supportive of the work that the Forum is doing to achieve this.

Yours sincerely,

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