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RE: Blakelands Review

Dear Ms Aldworth,

Further to the email passed to me on 4-5-20 from [REDACTED] I agree it would be sensible to update stakeholders on the position of this Review.

I further agree with Mr Herman that there is no reason why the Review should not be completed and any further interviews/meetings conducted remotely. I agree there are still residents and councillors as set out in the email, that would like to express their views to me and that they should have that opportunity. A meeting was attempted to be arranged last year for some of the residents mentioned in Mr Herman's email and Cllr Stabler to attend, but eventually timings were not convenient for everyone and therefore this did not take place.

I have been in touch with [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] with Mr and Mrs [REDACTED] and with [REDACTED] I have also been in touch with Cllrs John Bint, David Hosking and Andrew Geary. I have been in contact with Cllr Peter Cannon, Chair of Audit, to deal with report timetabling and with Cllr Alan Rankine, who sits on the Audit Committee, on Audit Committee consultation matters.

In response to the request from Mr Herman, I am happy to make email contact with:

Simon Hussey [REDACTED]

Cllr David Stabler - [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

[REDACTED]

In addition, in the past, [REDACTED] has also asked me to be in contact with:

[REDACTED] (whose email I have), and

Elizabeth Woodhouse – landscape advisor MK Council

The Review has gone very slowly and for that I apologise. I have over the last month or so been dealing with the following:

- Legal matters relating to the issuing of incorrect Decision Notices
- Human Resource matters
- Code of Conduct matters as set out in the MK Constitution and RTPI Guidance
- MK Development Management Performance
- Some further interviews

Progress has been slow because of my own speed. I have also come across some bits of information which I have needed to be follow up, and am still doing this to ensure a thorough report is prepared.

I aim for the report to be completed by or before the end of May/early June and I will of course continue to keep you updated on my progress.

Yours sincerely,

Marc Dorfman