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Via email

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Dear Freshford and Limpley Stoke Parish Councils

Re: Freshford and Limpley Stoke Neighbourhood Plan Decision Statement

As qualifying body for the Freshford and Limpley Stoke Neighbourhood Plan, please find attached, via the link below, a copy of Wiltshire Council and Bath & North East Somerset Council's Decision Statement in response to the Examiners Report on the Freshford and Limpley Stoke Neighbourhood Plan Examination. <http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/decision-statement-freshford-and-limpley-stoke-neighbourhood-plan.pdf>

Wiltshire Council and Bath & North East Somerset Council have jointly considered the examiner's recommendations and the reasons for them, and concur with the examiner's views. The Councils have decided to make modifications to the draft Freshford and Limpley Stoke Neighbourhood Plan to ensure that it meets legal requirements including the basic conditions as set out in legislation. Modifications are to be made to the Plan in response to the examiner's recommendations which include a number of modifications for the purpose of correcting errors.

Wiltshire Council and Bath & North East Somerset Council are satisfied that the Neighbourhood Plan as modified complies with legal requirements and can proceed to referendum.

Further details on the progress of the Freshford and Limpley Stoke Neighbourhood Plan and the Examiners Report can be viewed on the following web page:

<http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/planninganddevelopment/planningpolicy/neighbourhoodplanning/npfrontrunners.htm>

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to e-mail neighbourhood.planning@wiltshire.gov.uk or call spatial planning on 01225 713223

Yours sincerely



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