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Having failed to make sense of the online survey, I am writing in response to the new local plan .

With regards to the sites N4 and N5, I think this should be brownfield sites, not greenfield.

Re areas R7 and R8 in Littlebourne, I strongly believe that no further development should be considered until the existing water infrastructure is fully developed and working. This area already has considerable problems with drainage, sewage treatment, flooding and pollution that requires constant tanker service during wet seasons.

The environmental concerns around protection of the Little Stour chalk stream should be paramount in any planning. Chalk streams are rare and precious . The Government has said they “are a source of national pride. As one of Britain’s most nature rich habitats, they support some of our rarest wildlife – from salmon to trout, they are home to beloved and endangered species.”

Lynn Gooderson