

## Response ID ANON-VDDE-RPX4-H

Submitted to **Proposed Scottish Borders Local Development Plan**

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### About you

Are you responding as an: individual, group / organisation, agent?

Individual

### Individual

What is your name?

Individual name:

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What is your email address?

Individual Email:

[REDACTED]

What is your address?

Address line 1:

[REDACTED]

Address line 2 :

[REDACTED]

Address line 3:

Town / city:

[REDACTED]

Postcode:

[REDACTED]

What is your contact telephone number?

Contact number:

[REDACTED]

### Proposed Local Development Plan Menu

Where would you like to go?

Submit your response to the consultation (Exit)

### Comment on Sites in Settlements F to H

Which Site are you commenting on?

Settlements F to H:

Galashiels: AGALA029: Netherbarns: Housing

What are your comments regarding this site?:

Inappropriate to replace the current peaceful view from Abbotsford with houses.

Sir Walter Scott is remember for his love of landscape and great tree-planting schemes (as well as his writing).

Professional advice to the Abbotsford Trust states that it is 'highly likely that sight lines to the development will be created as mature trees fall naturally or are felled as part of active woodland management'.

Abbotsford has been described as one of Scottish Borders' major attractions. Therefore it's hard to believe that this proposal has been resubmitted (particularly as it has already been overturned at least once.)

Can Borders Region afford to lose revenue by reducing the appeal of, and therefore the footfall at, this jewel?

What would you like to do now?

Proposed Local Development Plan Menu (includes Exit option)