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Our ref: SP 8010.10
Ask for: Nicholas Dean

Dear Sir or Madam,

Worcestershire Waste Core Strategy: First Draft Submission Consultation

The Council is preparing a Waste Core Strategy. This is a document that will set out how we plan for waste management facilities in Worcestershire until 2027. It will guide developers as to what kind of waste management facilities will be acceptable where and will be used by the Council to make decisions about planning applications for waste management facilities. The consultation identifies "*Areas of Search*" which we consider would be suitable for waste management facilities. It also contains policies regarding the implications of other types of development for waste.

The consultation will run from **28th September to 9th November 2010**.

I enclose a short information sheet for your information. A detailed summary (approx 25 pages) and the full Waste Core Strategy First Draft Submission Report (approx 110 pages), as well as the Sustainability Appraisal and background evidence documents, can be found on our website www.worcestershire.gov.uk/wcs and copies of the summary and full report can also be seen at the county libraries, council hubs and at County Hall.

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We would like you to tell us whether you agree with our approach, the evidence we have based it on and the policies we propose or, if not, why not and what you think we need to say. This is your opportunity to suggest other locations for inclusion as *Areas of Search* and is the last opportunity for you to significantly revise the strategy.



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You can fill in the consultation questionnaire online or request a copy of the questionnaire using the details below. It is important that you reply by the **9th November 2010** so that we can fully consider your comments.

Your comments are important to us and I have also enclosed a questionnaire that will help us evaluate our consultation procedures. I would be grateful if you could complete the questionnaire and return it in the enclosed pre-paid envelope. Please note this evaluation questionnaire is separate from the **consultation questionnaire** which asks specific questions about the content of the Waste Core Strategy consultation documents.

Please contact me if you need any further information or copies of the documents or questionnaire sent by post.

Yours faithfully

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