[Sent on behalf of Karen Carsberg. Strategic Housing Manager]

Dear Town / Parish Clerk or representative,

## **Cheshire East Council Housing Strategy 2018-2023 – consultation**

Cheshire East Council are consulting on a proposed new housing strategy, setting out the authority's vision and priorities for housing until 2023, and I am pleased to invite you to contribute towards the development and shaping of this important Strategy.

Driven by the Cheshire East Local Plan, the Housing Strategy is a significant contributor to achieving the aims and objectives of the Corporate Plan and the resident focused outcomes. Our approach is based upon the continuation and building of strong relationships with our partners to further improve the quality, quantity and choice of housing within Cheshire East, enhancing place and wellbeing, through meeting the aspirations and needs of all our residents both now and in the future. We also want to support our most vulnerable residents to live independently in safe, secure and affordable homes.

Cheshire East has a strong ambition for jobs-led economic expansion and housing is seen as essential to support this continuous growth. The council wishes to see that homes built across the borough are of the right type and are built in the right place, offering a range of high quality housing that is affordable and meets the needs of young people, families and older residents.

To view and contribute to the draft Housing Strategy, please visit;

www.cheshireeast.gov.uk/housingstrategyconsultation

If you require any further information, please contact;

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The draft housing strategy consultation begins on **Monday 27 November 2017** and continues until **Monday 08 January 2018.** 

I look forward to receiving your contribution.

Regards

Karen Carsberg

Strategic Housing Manager