Dear Planning Policy Team,

Oswestry Town Council considered the above document at their meeting last week.

The focus of the discussion and comments was on energy efficiency of, and energy production in new homes. The policies in the document could be strengthened by the adoption and inclusion of the Merton Rule (requiring new developments to generate at least 10% of their energy needs from on-site renewable sources). The risk of fuel poverty could be reduced and fewer carbon emissions could be achieved by increasing the standard of insulation in new homes. Such policies would be progressive.

Kind regards

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