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Dear Mr Adams

Chairman's Delegation Procedure

The Parish Council understands that Comberton Parish Council has written to the Scrutiny and Overview Committee regarding the South Cambridgeshire District Council Chairman's Delegation Committee Policy. Caxton Parish Council shares these concerns in particular the treatment via the Chairman's Delegation Committee Policy of applications relating to village developments of up to 10 and the lack of democracy in delegating 93% of all applications to Planning Officers.

Hardwick Parish Council's Chairman Cllr Ian Storr and its Vice-Chairman Grenville Chamberlain hope to attend the meeting to raise in person the Parish Council's concerns with the Committee and to seek a change to the current policy.

The Parish Council's representatives have been given a copy of South Cambridgeshire District Council's procedural guidance for attending and addressing the Committee meeting and Hardwick Parish Council thanks the Committee for this opportunity of raising its concerns in person.

Yours sincerely



Mrs Gail Stoehr
Clerk