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Dear Mr Barron

Re: River Ryton - Flood Risk

As part of the Duty to Cooperate, Bassetlaw District Council and Rotherham Metropolitan Council liaise on a regular basis on the work being undertaken on Local Plans/Local Development Framework, as required by the National Planning Policy Framework. Bassetlaw have not had reason to raise concerns on Rotherham's growth proposals up to date.

There are known problems with the watercourses located in the Rotherham area, which eventually feed into the River Ryton. However, there is on-going work being undertaken by the Borough Council on this and Bassetlaw will be involved in this, as and when is applicable.

Furthermore, all developments in the Anston Brook catchment are restricted, ensuring that any surface water run-off is balanced on site. This means any development will not add additional flows to the River Ryton, ensuring that the flows downstream are not affected.

Yours sincerely

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Interim Chief Executive



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