

## Policy and Programmes

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Dear Mr Ashcroft

### **Shiplake Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan – South Oxfordshire District Council response to Examiner’s Clarification Note of 13<sup>th</sup> January 2022**

In your clarification note dated 13 January 2022 you raised the following point for the District Council to address:

*Question for the District Council:*

*The representation from Victoria Land comments about the supply of housing land in the District. Please could the District Council provide me with its most up-to-date assessment of this matter.*

The District Council’s current housing land supply position is set out in the June 2021 statement published on our website:

<https://www.southoxon.gov.uk/south-oxfordshire-district-council/planning-and-development/local-plan-and-planning-policies/our-development-plan/five-year-land-supply/>

This demonstrates a 5.33 year housing land supply. We are aware of recent appeal decisions where this has been challenged, and we are reviewing these cases to help inform our next update.

Yours Sincerely,

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