

## Community Council of the Royal Burgh of Peebles & District

05 April 2022

Planning and Regulatory Services Scottish Borders Council Headquarters Newtown St Boswells Melrose TD6 0SA

<u>Objection – Addition to letter dated 04 April 2022</u>

Reference: 22/00422/AMC – Erection of block of residential flats comprising 14 No units.

Recognising that there are almost 400 objections now filed on the portal and that consequently, it is very easy for officers and members of the planning committee to miss reading some objections. I am writing to highlight a very important objection tabled by Mr. Kenneth Harvey.

Mr. Harvey introduces himself as follows:

"I am a Chartered Arboriculturist and a Registered Consultant of the Institute of Chartered Foresters. I have been fully engaged in forestry and arboriculture for over 40 years and have specialised in trees and planning matters for over 30 years - firstly as a Local Authority Tree Officer and latterly as an independent consultant".

I consider his observations are of vital importance when considering the proposal made by Granton Homes.

Yours faithfully

Peter Maudsley Planning Convener