

Cllr Andrew Williams  
Chair  
Hemel Garden Communities Board  
c/o Dacorum Borough Council  
The Forum  
Marlowes  
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8<sup>th</sup> January 2020

Dear Andrew

**Hemel Garden Communities Memorandum of Understanding**

I refer to the Memorandum of Understanding dated December 2019 between Dacorum Borough Council, St Albans City & District Council and Hertfordshire County Council regarding the Hemel Garden Communities programme.

Although Hertfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership is not a signatory to the Memorandum of Understanding, I am pleased to confirm that the LEP is a partner to the programme and is fully committed to the programme. Hemel Garden Communities marks a significant step in the growth and development of Hemel Hempstead in the 21<sup>st</sup> century. The programme will be transformational for Hemel and has the potential to make a major contribution to Hertfordshire as a whole.

We look forward very much to working closely with Dacorum Borough Council, St. Albans City & District Council, Hertfordshire County Council and other partners over the coming years to secure delivery of high quality, sustainable development to the benefit of local communities and businesses, now and in the future.

Yours sincerely



Neil Hayes  
**Chief Executive**  
Hertfordshire Local Enterprise Partnership

