Subject Visitor Accommodation Impacts Study for Friends of the Lake District

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Mrs Coltman

Good afternoon - this email is with regard to your role as Clerk for Ennerdale & Kinniside Parish Council

I'm Robin Miller from Understanding Data, who are undertaking an assessment of Visitor Accommodation and the associated impacts on both communities and the landscapes of the Lake District National Park on behalf of the Friends of the Lake District.

I am seeking an input from you - or interested colleagues on the Parish council - with any evidenced examples of positive or negative impacts from either the generality of visitor accommodation within your area or from specific examples of new or changing types of visitor accommodation.

Could you provide a brief description of up to 2 clear impacts - our initial research has identified key concerns around loss of housing stock, and impact on community facilities, tranquillity and identity - however feel free to include other impacts with any local responses or solutions to the issues that you have seen.

We have been asked to ensure the final report we produce is concise - and we would aim to include strong examples of provided impacts as small case studies - so we would have limited space to include every response - but we would share a full compiled list of responses to the Friends of the Lake District - if individual responses aren't included in the main report. We may end up summarising any responses so brevity and conciseness would be appreciated. We would source any material used unless you tell me you would prefer anonymity.

I'm mindful of other pressures and timescales around scheduled meetings, If it is easier and acceptable to you, I'm happy to receive responses from yourself in your role as Clerk - or from local councillors - but could i ask that there is single response per parish council.

Could you provide any examples by the 16th September?

Many thanks for your time - drop me an email if you need anything clarified about this.

Best Regards

Robin Miller

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