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Potential Residential Development
Land off Walden Road, Thaxted
Introduction
Gladman Developments are proposing a new residential development of approximately 120 homes on land off Walden Road, Thaxted. This leaflet provides outline details of the scheme and seeks views and comments from the local community on the current proposals.

We want to hear your views
This is your first opportunity to tell us what is important to you and what you would wish to see in this development should it be built.

Things we would like to hear about include:
- Are you, or is anyone you know, in need of affordable housing in Thaxted?
- Is there a need for housing for first time buyers and/or housing for young professionals in Thaxted?
- Are there any particular types of houses that Thaxted is currently lacking?
- Are there community facilities that you would like to see improved or developed as part of this scheme?

If you are in favour of or opposed to new housing on this site, please tell us why. Your feedback is important to us and will be used to help shape our proposals.

How can you comment?
You can respond by email:

comments@your-views.co.uk (using ‘Thaxted’ as the subject line)

or by Post:

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Or by using the online feedback form on our dedicated website:

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Site Location
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The need for new housing

Every Council is required by the Government to boost significantly the supply of housing and to make planning decisions in the light of a presumption in favour of sustainable development.

What is proposed?

- A residential development (shown highlighted on the above plan) to include approximately 120 new homes of varying sizes, types and tenures.
- 40% of these new homes would provide affordable housing for local people.
- On site Public Open Space with recreational facilities.
- The opportunity to provide new landscape planting to complement the existing hedgerows and trees.

Why is the site suitable for development?

Thaxted is a sustainable settlement for further growth and is identified as a ‘Key Service Centre’ in the saved policies of the Uttlesford Local Plan 2005; as well as a ‘Key Village’ in the draft Local Plan. Further development in Thaxted will generate additional investment and wealth for the area.

The site off Walden Road is easily integrated into the existing settlement and is sustainably located with good access to existing community facilities and the local public transport network. The proposal will provide new homes to help sustain the vitality and viability of the local community.

Where can you get more information?

More information on our proposals can be viewed on our website at:

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What are we doing now?

This consultation provides the community with their first opportunity to comment on and help shape the development proposals. As well as seeking your views we are currently contacting a number of organisations and groups in the local area.

Please aim to submit your comments on this leaflet as soon as possible. We consider comments whenever they are received and there will be further opportunities to comment during the planning process.

What happens next?

Your comments and suggestions will be taken into account when formulating the final planning application submission. All comments and feedback will be provided to Uttlesford District Council as part of the planning application.

Once a planning application has been submitted you will also be able to make further representations to Uttlesford District Council who will take these into account before making their decision on the planning application.

You can keep up to date on progress using our dedicated website which provides further information and includes an online feedback form for making comments:

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