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On behalf of my clients McCarthy Stone and Churchill Living, please find attached a response supporting main modifications MM107, MM108, MM109 and MM110.

With kind regards Natasha Styles

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For responding to:

- Main Modifications (EXAM 81-83)
- Housing Land Supply (EXAM 58J - 58M)

Charnwood Local Plan 2021-2037

Main Modifications Representation Form Ref:

(For official use only)

Please return to Charnwood Borough Council by 5PM on 4th September 2024 by:

- Email: <a href="mailto:localplans@charnwood.gov.uk">localplans@charnwood.gov.uk</a>
- Post: Local Plans, Charnwood Borough Council Southfield Road, Loughborough, LE11 2TX

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This form has two parts -

Part A - Personal Details: need only be completed once.

Part B – Your representation(s). Please fill in a separate sheet for each representation you wish to make.

### Part A

	e complete only the Title, Name and Or ull contact details of the agent in 2.	2. Agent's Details (if applicable) rganisation (if applicable)
Title		Miss
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# Part B - Please use a separate sheet for each representation

Name or Organisation:

3. To which modification to the Local Plan or to the Local Plan diagrams does this representation relate?

Modification MM107 Reference MM108 MM109 MM110

4. Do you consider the modification is (please tick as appropriate):

4.(1) Legally compliant	Yes	Yes	No	
4.(2) Sound	Yes	Yes	No	

5. Please give details of why you consider the modification is not legally compliant or is unsound. Please be as precise as possible.

If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the modification, please also use this box to set out your comments.

We support main modifications MM107, MM108, MM109 and MM110 as these changes will ensure that the plan is consistent with national policy, justified and will be effective in delivering much needed older persons housing in particular.

- We support MM107 it its removal of reference to M4 (3) housing as this was not effective or clear.
- We support MM108 in its recognition that NDSS has a cost implication and flexibility may be needed.
- We support MM109 it its recognition that the 'viability evidence shows that neither sheltered housing nor extra care housing developments are likely to be viable if a contribution towards affordable housing is sought'.
- We support MM110 and the proposed amendment to policy H4 Affordable Housing that confirms that 'Contributions will not be sought from sheltered housing, extra care housing, self build or custom build housing developments'. This makes the policy fully justified.

(Continue on a separate sheet /expand box if necessary)

6. Please set out the change(s) to the modification you consider necessary to make it legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified at 5 above. You will need to say why each change will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text. Please be as precise as possible.							
N/a							
(Continue on a se	parate sheet /exp	and box if necessary)					
7. Please set out any comments that you have on the updated housing land supply documents:							
EXAM 58J: Housing Trajectory Update 2024 EXAM 58K: Housing Trajectory Update Notes July 2024 EXAM 58L: Update to Five Year Supply on Adoption May 2024 EXAM 58M: Updated Housing Land Supply Site List April 2024							
N/A							
(Continue on a se	parate sheet /exp	and box if necessary)					
<b>Please note</b> In your representation you should provide and supporting information necessary to support your resuggested modification(s). You should not assume that opportunity to make submissions.	epresentation (	and your					
		4 <sup>th</sup>					
8. Signature:	Date:	4 <sup>th</sup> September 2024					