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Planning Policy Team
City of Bradford Metropolitan District Council

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Dear Planning Policy Team

RE: Ilkley Neighbourhood Development Plan

Thank you for the notification of the 16 July 2021 consulting the Coal Authority on the above Neighbourhood Development Plan.

The Coal Authority is a non-departmental public body which works to protect the public and the environment in coal mining areas. Our statutory role in the planning system is to provide advice about new development in the coalfield.

According to the Coal Authority records there are recorded risks from past coal mining activity within the area in the form of likely historic unrecorded coal mine workings at shallow depth.

We note that the Neighbourhood Plan does not propose to allocate any sites for future development and on this basis we have no specific comments to make.

Yours faithfully



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