Dear Sirs,

I write as Secretary of the Neighbourhood Development Plan Working Group which has been established by Clapham Parish Council.

Further to previous correspondence, we wish to re-apply for designation of the neighbourhood area to be covered by our plan. The intended area comprises the entirety of Clapham parish, as indicated on the enclosed map. The entire parish falls within the National Park, with the exception of a small sliver of land (shown in orange on the attached map) which actually falls within Arun District Council. SDNPA will therefore be the lead agency supporting the Clapham Neighbourhood Development Plan.

Reference will be made to facilities shared with the adjoining parish of Patching, but these will be covered by the Patching Neighbourhood Development Plan (already in hand). The two groups will of course liaise closely.

It is appropriate to cover the entire parish as the adjoining parishes of Patching and Findon are already creating their own plans, and the Parish Council wishes to ensure that a forward-looking plan, that is consistent with those of our neighbours, is in place to ensure lively but sympathetic future development in the interests of our community.

We look forward to hearing from you at the earliest opportunity.

Yours sincerely

Sally Morris (Secretary)