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Dear Val,

Thank you for your response and for clarifying the respective roles of Bradford on Avon Town Council and Wiltshire Council in the planning process.

I appreciate that the application was available on the Wiltshire Council planning portal and considered by councillors. However, I feel the level of public notification for this application was extremely limited given the nature and visibility of the proposed telecommunications upgrade.

I understand that residents on Niblett and Benjamin Street received notification letters, but I live with a direct and unobstructed eyeline to the mast from both my lounge and bedroom (as per photograph in my previous email) and received no notification whatsoever.

I only became aware of the application through a friend less than a week before the public consultation period closed.

I have also been unable to identify any wider efforts to make nearby residents aware of the proposal beyond the online planning portal listing and limited neighbour letters. I haven't seen any site notices or local publicity.

I do not feel the consultation process reflected the scale and visual prominence of the proposal. Given the height and visibility of the mast, together with the proposed increase in antennas and associated equipment, it seems reasonable that residents with a direct eyeline to the site should have been proactively informed.

I will also raise these points directly with the Wiltshire Council planning officer, as suggested.

Kind Regards
Tanya Maidment