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To whom it may concern

Norton Community Primary School Targeted Provision – Consultation Response

Following review of the consultation information, East Riding of Yorkshire Council children, families and school's directorate acknowledge North Yorkshire's desire to open a TMP at Norton Community Primary School. East Riding operate several Enhanced Resource Provisions for children and young people; however, we have none located close to the border of the East Riding closest to this provision.

Our nearest provisions are in Bridlington, Driffield and Market Weighton. These primarily cater for children and young people with an identified SEMH need or autism. We had approval in March 2024, as part of the Free School Wave programme for an SEMH school to be in Bridlington. It is envisaged this will open around 2028 and will cater for 120 pupils across primary, secondary and post 16.

This provision will be 28.6 miles from the proposed TMP location, whilst we recognise this is a significant distance from Norton Community Primary School, we feel it is pertinent to share this information. Furthermore, we have another approved SEMH Free School to be located in Welton, due for opening in 2027.

To conclude we would like to thank North Yorkshire for drawing our attention to this consultation and recognise the work the authority is doing with schools to ensure positive outcomes for children and young people with an EHCP. We do not believe this TMP would impact provision in East Riding.

Yours sincerely

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