## Northumberland Line Order - Town Planning evidence

## Statement of Alannah Healey

- 1 My name is Alannah Healey. I am a Chartered Planner for SLC Property.
- I hold a Bachelor of Arts degree with Honours in Geography, and a Master of Science degree with Merit in Urban Planning, both from Newcastle University. I am a Chartered Member of the Royal Town Planning Institute ("RTPI").
- 3 I am lead planner for the Northumberland Line scheme, supporting the project team on all matters relating to town and country planning. I have been involved in the Scheme since March 2019 and, in particular, I have been responsible for managing the preparation and submission of the various planning applications associated with the Scheme.
- 4 Due to extenuating circumstances, I am taking over from Mark Russell as planning witness at the Inquiry. Having reviewed Mr Russell's proof of evidence, I confirm that I am content to adopt it as my own and accordingly give this evidence to the Inquiry in accordance with the guidance of my professional institution, the RTPI.
- 5 I hereby declare as follows:
- 5.1 I adopt Mark Russell's proof of evidence as my own.

5.2 The proof of evidence includes all facts which I regard as being relevant to the opinions expressed in it and that the Inquiry's attention has been drawn to any matter which would affect the validity of that opinion.

5.3 I believe the facts stated in the proof of evidence are true and that the opinions expressed are correct.

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