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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI464474034

Thank you for your request for information relating to Settlement Boundaries.

You have requested the following information:

1. Can you please provide the Settlement boundaries in shapefile (.shp) format?

Clarification: These settlement boundaries indicate the areas where new development will generally be permitted, subject to satisfying other policies in the Plan.

Following careful consideration, the information you requested falls under the exemption(s) in Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, which relates to 'information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means.'

The exemption applies as the information is published and publicly available to view by accessing the Ordnance Survey website, please use the following link:

<https://osdatahub.os.uk/downloads/open>

Settlement boundaries can be found using link above as open source data which will provide the Coventry City Council administrative boundary. This exemption is not subject to the public interest test.

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non-commercial research without requiring further permission. Similarly, information supplied can also be re-used for the purposes of news reporting. An exception to this is photographs. Please contact us if you wish to use the information for any other purpose.

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If you are unhappy with the handling of your request, you can ask us to review our response. Requests for reviews should be submitted within 40 days of the date of receipt of our response to your original request – email: infogov@coventry.gov.uk

If you are unhappy with the outcome of our review, you can write to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF or email icocasework@ico.org.uk.

Please remember to quote the reference number above in your response.

Yours faithfully

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