

## **Response from Baltic Distribution Ltd.**

Many thanks for your email and attachment re the ROCHFORD District Council CORE STRATEGY dated 6<sup>th</sup> April 2011

We note your comments and ask that the Inspector supports the current Governments policy of focusing on promoting sustainable growth in the economy and the creation of local and rural jobs. Government also supports the SME's who are a vital contributor to the national and local economy as stated earlier this month by the Chancellor George Osborne at the BCC annual conference in Westminster.

Thus we ask that Rochford District Council supports these goals and to assist them produces without further delay its Transport Strategy Supplementary Planning Document, in full consultation with the Business Community. Is it possible that the inspector can shorten the timescale for this part of the Core Strategy as if it takes too long, employment and business opportunities could well be lost to other Districts or Regions.

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