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Dear Jerome

As promised, below is a joint statement from the ICB and Broadland District Council:

The NHS Norfolk and Waveney Integrated Care Board (ICB) and Broadland District Council are working together to explore options for a potential new healthcare and community facility within the Marriotts Park development in Taverham.

The partners have begun updating feasibility work to understand what could be delivered on the site, the potential costs, and the funding and delivery options available. This work will help determine whether the project can proceed to a formal business case stage.

One option being considered is a first phase focused on a new medical centre that could, subject to approvals, provide purpose-built accommodation for The Taverham Surgery. Any relocation of the practice would require both Council and NHS business case approval, including a full assessment of the strategic and financial viability of the proposal.

Should the project progress, there will be opportunities for residents and patients to share their views through a public engagement process at the appropriate stage.

The timeline for any potential delivery will depend on the outcome of feasibility work, funding, and approvals, with the earliest possible start for construction likely to be several years away.

Both organisations remain committed to exploring ways to enhance access to high-quality healthcare and community services for residents in the Taverham area.

Kind regards

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