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Dear Lucy,

Today, we offered a Town Deal of up to £22.3m to Telford in your constituency.

Town Deals are at the heart of the Prime Minister's commitment to levelling up our regions. They put local people in charge and will improve transport and broadband connectivity, provide vital social and cultural infrastructure and boost skills.

This is an exciting opportunity for communities, businesses, local leaders and Government to come together to transform Telford's long-term economic and productivity growth prospects, particularly as we meet the challenges presented by Covid-19.

The funding will help make Telford a better place to live and work by supporting projects that deliver widespread urban regeneration, encourage enterprise and improve connectivity.

For example, regeneration at the Station Quarter, Oakengates Theatre Quarter, and Wellington Conservation Area will regenerate vast amounts of public realm, unlock significant commercial space and transform the façade and feel of the town.

In addition, a new Digital Skill and Enterprise Hub will provide individuals and businesses with the training they need to thrive in the digital economy, ensuring a labour market that is dynamic and flexible to the opportunities of the modern age.

Progressing these projects is subject to Telford meeting the Town Deal conditions as set out in their Heads of Terms agreement.

Thank you very much for all your support so far. I am excited by Telford's plans and look forward to continuing to work with you and all the partners to make them a reality.

LUKE HALL MP