

Publication Draft Representation Form 2014

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This consultation stage is a formal process and represents the last opportunity to comment on the Council's Local Plan and accompanying Sustainability Appraisal (SA) before it is submitted to the Secretary of State. All comments made at this stage of the process are required to follow certain guidelines as set out in the **Representation Form Guidance Notes** available separately. In particular the notes explain what is meant by legal compliance and the 'tests of soundness'.

This form has two parts:

- Part A – Personal Details
- Part B – Your Representations

If you are commenting on multiple sections of the document, you will need to complete a separate Part B of this form for each representation on each policy.

This form may be photocopied or alternatively extra forms can be obtained from the Council's offices or places where the plan has been made available (see the table below). You can also respond online using the Council's e-Consultation System, visit: www.warwickdc.gov.uk/newlocalplan

Please provide your contact details so that we can get in touch with you regarding your representation(s) during the examination period. Your comments (including contact details) cannot be treated as confidential because the Council is required to make them available for public inspection. If your address details change, please inform us in writing. You may withdraw your objection at any time by writing to Warwick District Council, address below.

All forms should be received by **4.45pm on Friday 27 June 2014**

To return this form, please deliver by hand or post to: **Development Policy Manager, Development Services, Warwick District Council, Riverside House, Milverton Hill, Leamington Spa, CV32 5QH** or **email: newlocalplan@warwickdc.gov.uk**

Where to see copies of the Plan

Copies of the Plan are available for inspection on the Council's web site at www.warwickdc.gov.uk/newlocalplan and at the following locations:

Warwick District Council Offices, Riverside House, Milverton Hill, Royal Leamington Spa
Leamington Town Hall, Parade, Royal Leamington Spa
Warwickshire Direct Whitnash, Whitnash Library, Franklin Road, Whitnash
Leamington Spa Library, The Pump Rooms, Parade, Royal Leamington Spa
Warwickshire Direct Warwick, Shire Hall, Market Square, Warwick
Warwickshire Direct Kenilworth, Kenilworth Library, Smalley Place, Kenilworth
Warwickshire Direct Lillington, Lillington Library, Valley Road, Royal Leamington Spa
Brunswick Healthy Living Centre, 98-100 Shrubland Street, Royal Leamington Spa
Finham Community Library, Finham Green Rd, Finham, Coventry

Where possible, information can be made available in other formats, including large print, CD and other languages if required. To obtain one of these alternatives, please contact 01926 410410.

Part A - Personal Details

	1. Personal Details*	2. Agent's Details (if applicable)
Title	Ms	
First Name	Rose	
Last Name	Freeman	
Job Title (where relevant)		
Organisation (where relevant)		
Address Line 1		
Address Line 2		
Address Line 3		
Address Line 4		
Postcode		
Telephone number		
Email address		

3. Notification of subsequent stages of the Local Plan

Please specify whether you wish to be notified of any of the following:

- The submission of the Local Plan for independent examination Yes No
- Publication of the recommendations of any person appointed to carry out an independent examination of the Local Plan Yes No
- The adoption of the Local Plan. Yes No

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Part B - Your Representations

Please note: this section will need to be completed for each representation you make on each separate policy.

4. To which part of the Local Plan or Sustainability Appraisal (SA) does this representation relate?

Local Plan or SA:	<input type="text" value="Local Plan"/>
Paragraph Number:	<input type="text"/>
Policy Number:	<input type="text" value="CT1 and/or HS8 and/or PC0"/>
Policies Map Number:	<input type="text"/>

5. Do you consider the Local Plan is :

5.1 Legally Compliant?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.2 Complies with the Duty to Co-operate?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>
5.3 Sound?	Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

6. If you answered no to question 5.3, do you consider the Local Plan and/or SA unsound because it is not: (please tick that apply):

Positively Prepared:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Justified:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Effective:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Consistent with National Policy:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

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7. Please give details of why you consider the Local Plan is not legally compliant or is unsound or fails to comply with the duty co-operate. Please be as precise as possible. If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the Local Plan or its compliance with the duty to cooperate, please also use this box to set out your comments.

The document is unsound because it does not reflect item 70 of the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) which states that *to deliver the social, recreational and cultural facilities and services that the community needs, planning policies and decisions should plan for the use of shared space and guard against unnecessary loss of valued facilities.*

There are no policies to protect your social and cultural facilities to reflect the NPPF. Policy CT3 protects existing visitor accommodation, and Policy CT4 will extend cultural and leisure facilities in rural areas. However, the aspirations in the text of the section on Culture, Leisure and Tourism do not complement the policies that are supposed to support their accompanying text.

- para.3.112 states that as cultural assets such as theatres, cinemas, libraries etc enrich people's quality of life, it is appropriate to consider how planning can assist (presumably in their protection and enhancement).
- para.3.116 states that culture, leisure and tourism are important for centres to be vibrant and prosperous (i.e. 'valued facilities').
- para.3.128 says that 'meeting places, cultural facilities and public art are important

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- para.3.129 says that new development will inevitably place demands on existing public meeting places such as community halls and public cultural facilities such as theatres, concert halls and libraries (i.e. 'valued facilities').
 - para.3.9 repeats para.3.112 regarding the importance of cultural assets with reference to policy PC0 which supports 'the important role of culture and leisure assets'.

Policy HS8 does protect community facilities, but is wholly inadequate in providing a comprehensive description for the term 'community facilities'. Paragraph 5.90 gives some D1 examples and says that other facilities (presumably cultural, leisure and tourism) may be protected but only in exceptional circumstances. Theatres are sui generis, and all other entertainment facilities are D2 so are not included in this policy.

There is no policy in this document to protect your cultural, leisure and tourism facilities.

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submissions will be only at the request of the Inspector, based on the matters and issues
he/she identifies for examination.

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9. If your representation is seeking a modification, do you consider it necessary to participate at the oral part of the examination?

No, I do not wish to participate at the oral examination

Yes, I wish to participate at the oral examination

10. If you wish to participate at the oral part of the examination, please outline why you consider this to be necessary:

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Please note: This written representation carries the same weight and will be subject to the same scrutiny as oral representations. The Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to adopt to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate at the oral part of the examination.

11. Declaration

I understand that all comments submitted will be considered in line with this consultation, and that my comments will be made publicly available and may be identifiable to my name/organisation.

Signed:

Rose Freeman

Date :

25 June 2014

Copies of all the objections and supporting representations will be made available for others to see at the Council's offices at Riverside House and online via the Council's e-consultation system. Please note that all comments on the Local Plan are in the public domain and the Council cannot accept confidential objections. The information will be held on a database and used to assist with the preparation of the new Local Plan and with consideration of planning applications in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998.

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