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PIMPERNE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN Regulation 16 Consultation 11 May to 22 June 2018

Response Form

The proposed Pimperne Neighbourhood Plan has been submitted to North Dorset District Council for examination. The neighbourhood plan and all supporting documentation can be viewed on the District Council's website via: www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk/planning/north-dorset/planning-policy

Please return completed forms to:

Email: planningpolicy@north-dorset.gov.uk

Post: Planning Policy (North Dorset), South Walks House, South Walks Road, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1UZ

Deadline: 4pm on Friday 22 June 2018. Representations received after this date will not be accepted.

Part A – Personal Details

This part of the form must be completed by all people making representations as **anonymous comments cannot be accepted.** By submitting this response form you consent to your information being disclosed to third parties for this purpose, personal details will not be visible on our website, although they will be shown on paper copies that will be sent to the independent examiner and available for inspection. Your information will be retained by the Council in line with its retention schedule and privacy policy (<u>https://www.dorsetforyou.gov.uk/privacypolicy</u>). Your data will be destroyed when the plan becomes redundant.

*If an agent is appointed, please complete only the Title, Name and Organisation boxes to the personal details but complete the full contact details of the agent. All correspondence will be sent to the agent.

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Part B – Representation

1. To which document does the comment relate? *Please tick one box only.*

Х	Submission Plan	
	Consultation Statement	
	Basic Conditions Statement	
	Other Please specify:	

2. To which part of the document does the comment relate? Please identify the text that you are commenting on, where appropriate.

	Location of Text	
Whole document	X	
Section		
Policy		
Page		
Appendix		

3. Do you wish to? Please tick one box only.

	Support	
Х	Object	
	Make an observation	

4. Please use the box below to give reasons for your support/objection or make your observation.

The Blandford+ Steering Group representing Blandford Forum Town Council, Blandford St Mary Parish Council and Bryanston Parish Council offer the following points for consideration.

Page 1 makes reference to the need for new employment land without any identified suitable space within the Parish of Pimperne. This is fully in accordance with the revised Blandford + Plan which seeks development land for employment purposes to the North of Blandford and therefore easily accessible for residents of Blandford and Pimperne.

Page 1, para 7 refers to the 'fragile gap' between Pimperne and Blandford and this term is used again within the Plan. It is not clear what this fragility is, and no further clarification is given. There is no obvious reason why this open agricultural land is any more deserving of special status than any other similar land surrounding the village.

On page 4 para 1 it states that Pimperne is less than a mile from Blandford which rather infers the two communities are almost on top of one another. It is generally accepted that distances from adjacent communities are measured from centre to centre and a Parish Church is often at the heart of historic development. The distance between the church of St Peter & St Paul in Blandford and St Peter in Pimperne is precisely 4.6km or closer to three miles than the one mile stated in the Plan.

On page 18 reference is made to the village being reliant on some services in Blandford. Pimperne currently has a primary school and two pubs. It would be more accurate to say almost all services, including local Hospital, Surgeries, Dentists, Leisure Centre, Post Office, Sports Clubs, Library Secondary School and shops are provided in Blandford.

Continue overleaf if necessary

5. Please give details of any suggested modifications in the box below.

That the Pimperne Neighbourhood Plan is amended to reflect the comments above.

Continue overleaf if necessary

6. Do you wish to be notified of the District Council's decision to make or refuse to make the neighbourhood plan? *Please tick one box only.*

Х	Yes
	No

Signature:

Date: <u>5th June 2018</u>

If submitting the form electronically, no signature is required.

Please use this box to continue your responses to Questions 4 & 5 if necessary