



BLANDFORD + NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN 2011 - 2033

Consultation on Draft Decision Statement 8 May 2020 to 26 June 2020

Response Form

Dorset Council is consulting on a draft Decision Statement relating to whether the plan should proceed to referendum. The statement can be viewed on Dorset Council's website via the following hyperlink: <https://www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/planning-buildings-land/planning-policy/north-dorset/neighbourhood-planning/submitted-plans/blandford-v2/blandford-neighbourhood-plan-version-2.aspx>

Please return completed forms to:

Email: planningpolicy@dorsetcouncil.gov.uk

Deadline: 5pm on Friday 26 June 2020. Representations received after this date will not be accepted.

Given the majority of Dorset Council's Planning staff are currently working remotely, in response to Government restrictions relating to coronavirus, the Council would ask that you refrain from sending any response forms by post if at all possible. If you have no alternative then response forms should be sent to:

Planning Policy Team, South Walks House, South Walks Road, Dorchester, Dorset, DT1 1UZ

Part A – Personal Details

This part of the form must be completed by all people making representations as **anonymous comments cannot be accepted**.

**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.*

	Personal Details	Agent's Details *
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Part B – Representation

1. **Do you wish to?** *Please tick one box only.*

X	Support
	Object
	Make an observation

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

See attached letter - Representations to Blandford +NP Draft Decision Statement on behalf of Hallam Land Management 26.06.20

Continue on a separate sheet if necessary

Signature: _____

Date: 26th June 2020

If submitting the form electronically, no signature is required.

Data protection

By signing or electronically submitting this form, you are agreeing to your comments being made publicly available. We will not display your personal data online, however we may share your details with the independent examiner for the purposes of examining the plan. Your information will be retained by the Council in line with its retention schedule and privacy policy (www.dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/privacypolicy). Your data will be destroyed when the plan becomes redundant.

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26th June 2020

HLM053/FP

Dear Sir/ Madam,

**RE: Blandford + Neighbourhood Plan 2011-2033 draft
Decision Statement**

We write on behalf of our client, Hallam Land Management (HLM), in respect to the consultation on the *draft Decision Statement* for Blandford + Neighbourhood Plan 2011-2033.

Hallam has submitted representations throughout the preparation and examination process and has provided its support for this Neighbourhood Plan as a positive framework to help manage growth within the Plan area and to ensure its policies are consistent with the NPPF objectives, namely, to boost the supply of housing.

We are pleased to note that, subject to some relatively minor modifications, the Examiner considers the Blandford + Neighbourhood Plan 2011-2033 meets the Basic Conditions, and we confirm our support for its progression to a referendum.

Whilst the provisions of the *Coronavirus Act 2020* dictate that the referendum cannot take place until after 6 May 2021, HLM notes the legislation also provides clarity that during this intervening period Neighbourhood Plans that have been examined favourably can be given significant weight in decision-making, insofar as the Plan is material to the application.

We would like to be kept notified of the Plan stages as it progresses to a referendum.

Yours faithfully

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