

## Representation on the Sheffield Plan Publication (Pre-Submission) Draft

### Respondent details

**Comment ID number:** PDSP.198.001

**What is your Name:** ChloeCheeseman

**If you are making this representation as a member of an organisation, what is the name of your organisation:**

N/A

**If you or your organisation are making a representation on behalf of another person, organisation or group, please tell us who it is and its role:**

N/A

### Document

**Which document to you wish to make a representation on:**

Part 1: Vision, Spatial Strategy, Sub-Area Policies and Site Allocations

**Which section of the document is your representation on:**

Policy BG1: Blue & Green Infrastructure

**Which paragraph/site/map layer of the document is representation on:**

N/A

### Representation

**Do you consider the Local Plan is legally compliant:** No

**Do you consider the Local Plan is sound:** No

**Do you consider the Local Plan complies with the duty to co-operate:** No

**Please give details of why you consider the Local Plan is not legally compliant or is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate:**

I have only answered "no" to questions 5, 6 and 7 because I do not feel qualified to comment "yes" regarding the entire plan - the questions make it unclear whether I am submitting a representation about the whole plan or just the section mentioned (part 1, chapter 4). However, I would like to make a representation in support of the Green Space designation for Bolehill Wood because of its value as green space to the local community.

I would also like to comment on the soundness of Part 1 (and indeed all of the plan) with regards to its scant mention of making use of land for sustainable food production, or urban agriculture.

For example, in Part 1, p 16 (Objectives for an environmentally sustainable city), there is no mention of urban growing/food production even though it is something that would support all three of the stated objectives. This fails to take into account Sheffield City Council's Right to Food motion (2021), and the Urban Agriculture Amendment.

**Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make the Local Plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above:**

in Part 1, p 16 (Objectives for an environmentally sustainable city), add an objective: To support the development of sustainable urban agriculture to improve soil health, store carbon and boost biodiversity, reduce flood risk and soil erosion, and produce locally sourced, climate-friendly food.

**If your representation is seeking a modification to the plan, do you consider it necessary to participate in examination hearing session(s):**

No, I do not wish to participate in hearing session(s)

**If you wish to participate in the hearing session(s), please outline why you consider this to be necessary:**

N/A