

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

Respondent details

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What is your Name: Ruth Coulthard

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 2: Development Management Policies and Implementation

Which section of the document is your representation on:

Chapter 4: Thriving Neighbourhoods and Communities

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:

As a resident, I object to any other person or institution dictating what constitutes a 'thriving neighbourhood' (e.g. bingo hall!??) and how close to my home various facilities and options should be and which they should be, nor how often I can use my car to go where I wish. As a tax-paying, law-abiding UK citizen, this is the beginning of curtailing my freedom of movement and of choice.

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:

Remove the notion of 20-minute neighbourhoods. It's a precursor of a new form of lockdown and your documents aren't being honest about that. Furthermore, this survey is hugely unfair in that you are assuming people have the time and intellectual capacity to scan complex documents, refer to specific parts and articulate according to this format. Moreover, you only allow me to highlight one document (as in first Q). You don't explain what a duty to cooperate' is in Q 7 and below, what on earth is an 'examination hearing session'? Difficult to answer that question! So this survey is highly discriminatory and exclusive.

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