Proposed Submission Adur Local Plan 2014



**Representation Form** 

**Return Address:** 

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Or:

Planning Policy Team, Adur and Worthing Councils, Town Hall, Chapel Road, Worthing, BN11 1BR

Or hand in at:

- Adur Civic Centre, Ham Road, Shoreham-by-Sea, BN43 6PR or
- Portland House, 44 Richmond Road, Worthing, BN11 1HS

#### Please return to Adur District Council by 5pm on 1st December 2014 Late representations will not be considered.

**Use of your information** Respondent details and representations will be forwarded to the Secretary of State for consideration when the Adur Local Plan is submitted for examination. All documents will be held by Adur District Council and representations will be published including on the internet e.g. <u>www.adur-worthing.gov.uk</u>. Personal contact details (address, email and phone number) will be removed from published copies of representations. Your information will be handled in accordance with Data Protection Act 1998.

Contact details will be added to the Adur Planning Policy consultees database to keep you informed on the progress of the Adur Local Plan and other related documents.

 $\Box$  Please tick if you do **not** want to be informed.

This form has two parts:

- i. Part A Respondent Details. You only need to fill this in once.
- ii. Part B Your representation(s). Please fill in a separate sheet for each representation you make.

It is recommended that you read the Guidance Notes provided for an explanation of terms used in this form.

## Part A – Personal Information You only need to complete this section once

Personal Details	
First name	
Last name	
Organisation (where applicable)	Arun District Council
Address line 1	1 Maltravers Road
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Address line 3	
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# Agent's Details (if applicable)

First name	
Last name	
Organisation	
Job Title	
Address line 1	
Address line 2	
Address line 3	
Post Code	Telephone
Email address	

#### Part B – Representation

#### Please use separate sheets for each representation

## 1. Which part of the Adur Local Plan does this representation relate to?

Policy No.	Policy 33	Paragraph No.	
Мар		Other section (please specify)	
2. Do	you consider the Ac	lur Local Plan to	<b>be:</b> (tick as appropriate)

2.1	Legally Compliant	Yes	No 🗆
2.2	Sound	Yes	No 🖂

Please read the Guidance Note for guidance on legal compliance and soundness.

If you have ticked no to 2.1, please continue to Q4. If you have ticked no to 2.2, please continue to Q3. If you have ticked yes to 2.1 and 2.2 please go to Q7.

# **3.** Do you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound because it is not: (tick as appropriate)

3.1	Positively Prepared	
3.2	Justified	
3.3	Effective	$\boxtimes$
3.4	Consistent with National Policy	

4.	If you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound or not legally
	compliant, please explain why in the box below:

At the end of the first paragraph the policy states that "Where not possible or necessary to provide open space on site, contributions will be required to provide or improve open space off-site." It is not clear from this as to which system this is intended to be done through, CIL or S106.

(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

5. Please explain in the box below what change(s) you consider necessary to make the Adur Local Plan legally compliant and sound having regard to the reason you identified above.

(You will need to say why this change will make the Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested or revised wording of any policy or supporting text. Please be as precise as possible).

Clarification over the system for collecting contributions would be helpful to ensure the policy is robust.

(Continue on separate sheet if necessary)

# 6. If your representation concerns soundness or legal compliance and is seeking a change, do you consider it necessary to attend and give evidence at the hearing part of the examination? (tick as appropriate)

No.	I wish to	communicate	through	written re	presentations	$\boxtimes$
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Yes,	l wish to	speak to	the Ins	pector at	t the h	nearing	sessions	
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**Please note**: The Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate at the hearing part of the examination.

7. If you wish to participate at the hearing part of the examination, please
outline why you consider this to be necessary.

#### Part B – Representation

#### Please use separate sheets for each representation

#### 1. Which part of the Adur Local Plan does this representation relate to?

Policy No.	Policy 5	Paragraph No.	
Мар		Other section (please specify)	

2. Do you consider the Adur Local Plan to be: (tick as appropriate)

2.1	Legally Compliant	Yes	No 🗆
2.2	Sound	Yes	No 🖂

Please read the Guidance Note for guidance on legal compliance and soundness.

If you have ticked no to 2.1, please continue to Q4. If you have ticked no to 2.2, please continue to Q3. If you have ticked yes to 2.1 and 2.2 please go to Q7.

# 3. Do you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound because it is not: (tick as appropriate)

- **3.1** Positively Prepared □**3.2** Justified □
- 3.3 Effective
- 3.4 Consistent with National Policy

# 4. If you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound or not legally compliant, please explain why in the box below:

The end of the policy refers to "all elements" being delivered through S106 or planning conditions, but it is unclear whether this is actually intended to relate to all elements outlined within the policy or is related to the phasing of development. As written this causes confusion and potentially repeats other parts within the same policy that also refer to CIL and S106.

(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

5. Please explain in the box below what change(s) you consider necessary to make the Adur Local Plan legally compliant and sound having regard to the reason you identified above.

(You will need to say why this change will make the Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested or revised wording of any policy or supporting text. Please be as precise as possible).

It is suggested that either a minor addition to add clarity, or the removal of the earlier mention to CIL/S106 could ensure the policy is robust.

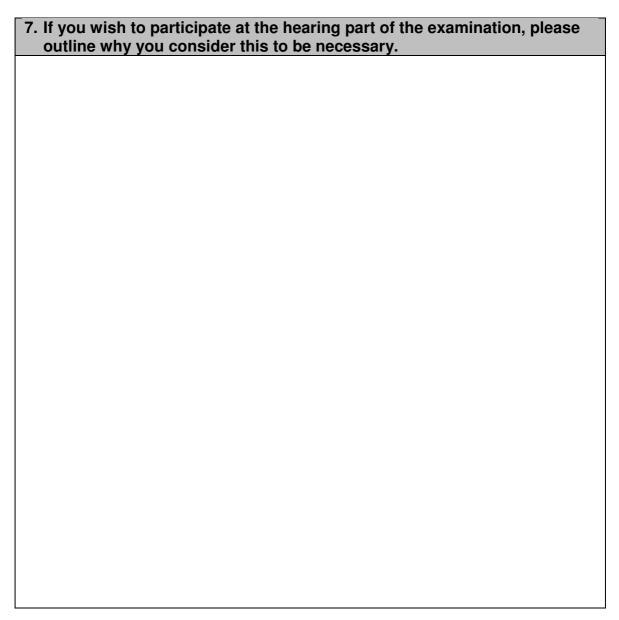
(Continue on separate sheet if necessary)

6. If your representation concerns soundness or legal compliance and is seeking a change, do you consider it necessary to attend and give evidence at the hearing part of the examination? (tick as appropriate)

No, I wish to communicate through written representations	$\boxtimes$
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Yes, I wish to speak to the Inspector at the hearing sessions  $\Box$ 

**Please note**: The Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate at the hearing part of the examination.



#### Part B – Representation

#### Please use separate sheets for each representation

## 1. Which part of the Adur Local Plan does this representation relate to?

Policy No.

Paragraph No.

Duty to Cooperate Statement – Para 3.22

Мар			Other so (please	ection specify)					
2. Do you consider the Adur Local Plan to be: (tick as appropriate)									
2.1	Legally Compliant	Yes		No 🗆					
2.2	Sound	Yes		No 🗆					

Please read the Guidance Note for guidance on legal compliance and soundness.

If you have ticked no to 2.1, please continue to Q4. If you have ticked no to 2.2, please continue to Q3. If you have ticked yes to 2.1 and 2.2 please go to Q7.

3.	Do you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound because it is not:
	(tick as appropriate)

3.1	Positively Prepared	
3.2	Justified	
3.3	Effective	

3.4	Consistent with National Policy	
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4. If you consider the Adur Local Plan to be unsound or not legally compliant, please explain why in the box below:

The third bullet point under this paragraph covers extension of the membership of the Board to include Brighton and Hove and Lewes. However if this is going to be included then it needs to be revised.

Brighton were part of the Coastal West Sussex and Greater Brighton Strategic Planning Board formed in 2012, after issues of governance resulted from the need to achieve the place based approach of the intended Local Strategic Statement. It was in 2013 that Lewes were invited to become formal members of the Board rather than simply being observers, as had previously been the case.

More recently Mid Sussex requested to be considered for membership on the Board and this was agreed, due to already being part of the Greater Brighton Economic Board. This should also be included within the document.

(Continue on a separate sheet if necessary)

5. Please explain in the box below what change(s) you consider necessary to make the Adur Local Plan legally compliant and sound having regard to the reason you identified above.

(You will need to say why this change will make the Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested or revised wording of any policy or supporting text. Please be as precise as possible).

It is suggested that the third bullet point under this paragraph is removed and a new paragraph is inserted to cover how membership of the Board and Partnership have expanded.

(Continue on separate sheet if necessary)

# 6. If your representation concerns soundness or legal compliance and is seeking a change, do you consider it necessary to attend and give evidence at the hearing part of the examination? (tick as appropriate)

**No**, I wish to communicate through written representations  $\square$ 

Yes, I wish to speak to the Inspector at the hearing sessions  $\Box$ 

**Please note**: The Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate at the hearing part of the examination.

7. If you wish to participate at the hearing part of the examination, please outline why you consider this to be necessary.

## 8. Please tick if you <u>do not</u> wish to be informed of the following:

When the Plan has been submitted for Examination	
When the recommendations from the Examination have been Published	
When the Local Plan has been adopted	

## What happens next?

Representations made to the Council will be passed to the Inspector for consideration.

Once this has happened, the Inspector will commence the examination and give notice of the start of the hearing sessions.

Interested parties will be informed of the start date of the hearing sessions and the matters to be considered.

Thank you for making representations.