

Responses to Representations made on the Pre-submission Draft Stratford Neighbourhood Development Plan

Policy NE4

Representations: Total received 17

Number in Support: 13

Modification Proposed:

As the creation of a Biodiversity Action Plan is not a land-use matter, this Policy has been amended to a Project (NE Project 1).

Individual Representations and Steering Group Responses

Code Number	Full Name	Organisation represented (where applicable)	Policy NE4	Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group Response
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Statutory Consultees' Comments				
1001	Stratford District Council	Statutory Consultee	<p>Biodiversity Action Plan - appears to be aspirational and/or dependent on other local authorities to undertake, and should therefore be set out in a separate section of the Plan.</p> <p>Explanation: First line of second paragraph – replace the word “achieve” with “achieving”.</p>	<p>This is now a project.</p> <p>Noted.</p>

Residents' Comments				
030	Annie English	Warwickshire Wildlife Trust	The Trust supports the development of a neighbourhood area biodiversity action plan. This could include specific measures that new developments can take to best protect particular species or habitats that are important to the local area. It could identify where the opportunities for enhancing the local natural environment are - therefore making it easy to find compensation schemes should a development result in a site level loss to biodiversity. It could also look at the connectivity of habitats within the area and how this may be improved.	Supportive
056	Martyn Luscombe	Stratford Voice	Support	Supportive
057	Trevor Honychurch		Strongly agree- a part of all S106 or CIL should be designated for Biodiversity work to include volunteers	Supportive
060	Richard Price		Fully endorse	Supportive
086	Jenny Fradgley		Strongly support	Supportive
095	Eric Ward		Good idea	Supportive
108	Cheryl Aubrey	Work at The Fourteas, 24 Sheep Street.	Agreed	Supportive
138	Alison Tor		I am concerned that I cannot find any available NABP. Without an action plan for Stratford and the surrounding villages, I believe no further planning permission should be given and no designation of greenfield sites in the Neighbourhood Development Plan should be allowed. I comment on this further in	Control of new housing development is within the remit of the Core Strategy

			the site specific section.	
139	Renny Wodynska		Get on with it! This should already be there. Work with local organisations like Warwickshire Wildlife Trust, local Friends of earth.	Supportive Agree ... where is this ... need to include connectivity of habitats –see local wildlife trust... HC
140	Alan George		As above.	Supportive
174	Sarah Eglin		rubbish and dog mess in all the green spaces in an issue, I'd like to see stricter enforcement of penalties for anti-social behaviour which are detrimental to the green spaces	Outside the scope of the NDP
201	Graham John Nicholson	The Inland Waterways Assoc. (Warks branch)	Support	Supportive
226	Debs Campton		Sound to prioritise a Local Biodiversity Plan	Supportive
228	John Campton		Support	Supportive
256	Valerie Ansfield		Developments already approved on green fields on the Birmingham Road do not have "easy access to public transport & the highways network". This statement should be strengthened. Flooding of the Race Course Brook must be solved by the Environment Agency works BEFORE any more houses are built.	The NDP cannot be applied retrospectively. Traffic management on the Birmingham Road is the subject of debate with the County Council. All developments are required to have flood mitigation which will be subject to the examiners approval
278	Joan Graham		We need to preserve and protect as much green space and biodiversity as possible - it benefits everyone.	Supportive