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Publication Stage Representation Form (For official use only)

Name of the Local Plan to which this representation relates:

South Staffordshire Council Local Plan 2023 - 2041

Please return to South Staffordshire Council by 12 noon Friday 31 May 2024

This form has two parts -

Part A - Personal Details: need only be completed once.

Part B - Your representation(s). Please fill in a separate sheet for each

representation you wish to make.

Part A

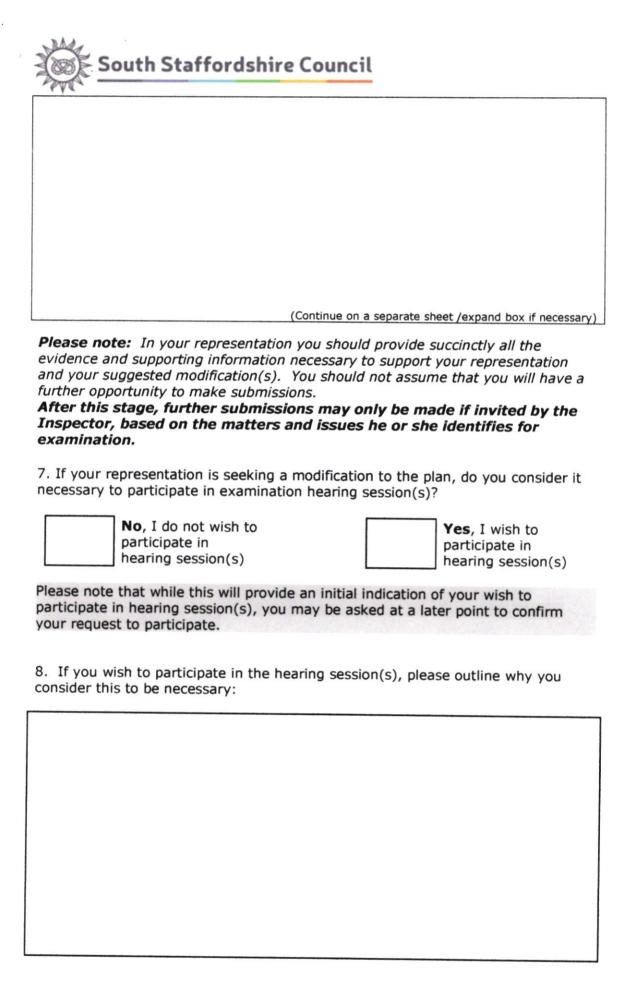
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Title	MRS	
First Name	SARAH	
Last Name	PENNICK	
Job Title		
(where relevant) Organisation		
(where relevant) Address Line 1		
Line 2		
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Line 4		
Post Code		
Telephone Number		
E-mail Address		



Part B - Please use a separate sheet for each representation

Name or Organisation:		
3. To which part of the Local Plan does this representation relate?		
Paragraph Policy Policies Map		
4. Do you consider the Local Plan is :		
(1) Legally compliant Yes No		
(2) Sound Yes No		
(3) Complies with the Duty to co-operate Yes No		
Please tick as appropriate		
5. 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. Please be as precise as possible. If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the Local Plan or its compliance with the duty to co-operate, please also use this box to set out your comments.		
Please see attached sheet.		
(Continue on a separate sheet /expand box if necessary)		

6. 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 at 5 above. (Please note that non-compliance with the duty to co-operate is incapable of modification at examination). You will need to say why each modification will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text. Please be as precise as possible.





Please note the Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to adopt to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate in hearing session(s). You may be asked to confirm your wish to participate when the Inspector has identified the matters and issues for examination.

Representations cannot be kept confidential and will be available for public scrutiny, including your name and/or organisation (if applicable). However, your contact details will not be published.

Data Protection

Your details will be added to our Local Plans Consultation database so that we can contact you as the review progresses. South Staffordshire Council will process your personal data in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018 and the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR). Our Privacy Notice can be viewed at Data Protection (Strategic Planning) | South Staffordshire District Council (sstaffs.gov.uk)

Please return the form via email to localplans@sstaffs.gov.uk or by post to South Staffordshire Council, Community Hub, Wolverhampton Road, Codsall, South Staffordshire WV8 1PX

My name is Sarah Pennick and I have been a resident of Bishopswood in South Staffordshire for over 25 years.

My husband and I chose this location precisely as it was a small rural community which would give us an opportunity to raise our children in an area surrounded by natural green spaces. Our home is which our children attended and backs onto fields (SHELAA site 096). As keen nature lovers all members of our household walk frequently in the lanes and paths of our village and enjoy the wildlife that it contains.

We have looked at the draft South Staffordshire Local Plan with great interest and have attended community meetings to ensure that we have a clear understanding of it. We believe that it outlines a clear strategy for controlled, sustainable and appropriate development across South Staffordshire, avoiding use of greenbelt land where possible and thereby protecting the rural nature of smaller Tier 4 villages like ours which have limited infrastructure and facilities.

We believe that the plan offers sufficient opportunities for development in the region without sacrificing the green spaces that surround our smaller villages, preserving them for the generations to come. It also gives strict criteria which would support rejection of any speculative development proposals outside of this plan.

Therefore, I am keen to express my strong support for the Draft Plan.