

South Oxfordshire Local Plan 2034

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Q1. Are you responding as an:

Individual

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Q2. Due to the plan-making process including an independent examination, a name and means of contact is required for your comments to be considered:

Title	Mrs
Full name	Evelyn Jane Drury
Business / Organisation name (if relevant)	-
Job title (if relevant)	-
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Address line 3	-
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Postcode	██████
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Q5. For comments on the Local Plan, please provide the paragraph or policy to which your comments relates. You can view a list of policies here. If you wish to comment on one of the evidence documents or the policies maps, please state the document title as well as the paragraph or policy reference.

Document / Policy / Paragraph: SODC Local plan 2034, STRAT 12 Northfield

Q6. Do you consider the Local Plan and supporting documents:

	Yes	No	Don't know	Not answered (OPTION HIDDEN FROM LIVE SURVEY)
are legally compliant?		X		
are sound?		X		
comply with the Duty to Co-operate?			X	

Q7. Please provide further information in relation to the previous question. e.g. why you do or do not consider the Local Plan to be legally compliant or sound.

With reference to STRAT 12 Northfield, I am responding to object to the inclusion of the Northfield housing site in the Local Plan 2034 because I have never been consulted about this at any earlier stage in the development of this plan. No "exceptional circumstances" exist for removing Northfield site from the Green Belt. The building of Northfield in the Green Belt land is in conflict with SODC's policy "STRAT 6: Green Belt" in the Plan.

I object to the use of this site in the Green Belt near Horspath as it is important to keep the village of Horspath separate from the industrial zone of Cowley. I chose to live in the village of Horspath as it has its own identity, with its own village hall, the Horspath Hub, a village shop, as well as a small infant and junior school, 2 public houses and a church. Together these facilities promote a great community spirit which enhances life. I do not wish to live in an area of urban sprawl. The countryside around Horspath is accessible to walkers and I regularly walk across fields with my dog. The proposed Northfield housing estate would harm this landscape and spoil my enjoyment of it. The Oxford Cambridge expressway may be sited nearby. That plan includes construction of 1 million homes. That negates the need for so many new houses in the area. Oxford City's unmet housing needs would better be addressed by construction of high density housing within city limits on brownfield and non Green Belt sites. I request that Northfield is completely taken out of this Local Plan 2034. Please confirm receipt of this objection.

Q8. Please set out any modifications you consider necessary to make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound, having regard to your comments above. (NB - any non-compliance with the duty to co-operate is incapable of modification at examination). It will be helpful if you could put forward your suggested wording of any policy or text as precisely as possible.

I request that Northfield is completely taken out of SODC Local Plan 2034.

Q10. Would you like to participate at the oral part of the examination, which takes place as part of the examination process?

Yes

Q11. Would you like to comment on another policy or paragraph?

No

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Q354. As explained in our data protection statement, in line with statutory regulations you will be contacted by the programme officer (and where necessary the council) with relevant updates on the Local Plan. South Oxfordshire and Vale of White Horse District Councils have a shared planning policy database. If you would like to be added to our database to receive updates on other planning policy consultations, please tick the relevant district box(es) below:

I would like to be added to the database to receive planning policy updates for South Oxfordshire