Rutland Local Plan

Town/Parish Council Observations on sites submitted through the "Call for Sites"

Site details		
Site reference		
Address/Location		
Village/Town/Parish		
Current use		
Proposed use		

	Potential assessment criteria that the County Council will use	Town/Parish Council Observations
Environmental		
Topography	Is the site land flat, sloping or are there any characteristics to the land which would may building difficult?	
Agricultural/Greenfield/Brownfield land	Greenfield or brown field siteAgricultural land quality	
Biodiversity and Geodiversity	 Potential to increase/improve biodiversity Potential impact on local, national and international designated sites Potential impact on trees and hedgerows 	
Heritage Assets	 Potential impact on designated and locally important heritage assets and their setting including: Scheduled Ancient Monuments Registered Parks and Gardens Conservation areas Listed buildings Archaeological sites 	
Landscape and townscape	 Impact on landscape and townscape character Impact in relation to scale and character of existing community Impact on historic landscape character 	
Loss of recreational or public open space land	Impact on existing recreational opportunities and designated open spaces	
Potential for new green infrastructure/open sapces	Potential for site to provide new green infrastructure/open spaces as well as improving links between existing green infrastructure	
Water conservation and management/flood risk	Susceptibility to, and impact on, identified areas of flood risk.	

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Environmental quality	Potential impact of development in terms of:	
	 Air quality (including dust) and pollution 	
	Noise and vibration	
	Odours	
Social		
Liveability	Factors that might affect "liveability": e.g.	
	proximity to:	
	noisy industry	
	 busy roads, 	
	electricity pylons	
Proximity to services and facilities	Ease of walking or cycling to services and facilities	Please reply separately to each bullet point
	including:	
	Shops	
	Primary school	
	Secondary school	
	 Doctors and health facilities 	
	Employment	
	Community and social facilities	
Accessibility to public transport.	Proximity to	
	Bus stops/routes	
	Railway stations	
Amenity of existing residents and	Impact on neighbouring communities and adjacent	
adjacent land uses	land uses	

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Economic		·
Infrastructure available	Available: • Power • Water • Drainage • Sewerage	
Accessibility and transport	 Safe and effective access to and from the site Opportunities for walking and cycling Conflicts with non-industrial traffic on access routes used by heavy commercial vehicles 	
Impact on the wider road network	Potential impact on existing road network	
Rights of way	 Impact on rights of way Potential to develop/enhance network of rights of way 	
Potential to address climate change and renewable energy generation	Potential to reduce greenhouse gas emissionsOpportunities for renewable energy generation	
Local need for the development	Local Need for market and/or affordable housing	
Please add in any site specific observations which are relevant to the appraisal of this site		