Hauxley Neighbourhood Plan

Summary of representations received and submitted to the Independent Examiner

Northumberland County Council is required, under Regulation 4(3)(b) of The Neighbourhood Planning (Referendums) Regulations 2012, to provide a summary of any representations submitted to the independent examiner pursuant to paragraph 9 of Schedule 4B to the 1990 Act.

This document provides a summary of those representations which were made in relation to the Submission Draft Hauxley Neighbourhood Plan.

Electronic copies of the representations made on the Plan, and which were submitted to the independent examiner, are available on the County Council's Neighbourhood Planning webpage:

https://www.northumberland.gov.uk/Planning/Planning-policy/Neighbourhood.aspx

Name	Organisation (if applicable)	Summary of representation
Sara Frisby	Northumberland Wildlife Trust	The Plan shows that the Hauxley community obviously values its natural heritage. Nature conservation is at the forefront of the plan and NWT applaud this. Suggest the inclusion of 'protecting local ecosystem services' within Objective 3 (section 3.2, page 12). The natural coastal dune system provides the equivalent of millions of pounds worth of sea defence, a vital service to the local population. Support the definition of Local Green Spaces and that they do not need to be accessible. Also support the retention of valuable wildlife corridors and coastal habitats.
Planning Technical Team	Sport England	Standing advice provided relating to sources of information, guidance and requirements set out in national policy. No specific comments to make.
Melanie Lindsley	Coal Authority	There are recorded coal mining features present at surface and shallow depth including: mine entries, coal workings and coal extraction by surface mining methods. These recorded features may pose a potential risk to surface stability and public safety. However, the Neighbourhood Plan does not propose to allocate any new sites for future development. On this basis the Coal Authority have no specific comments to make on this document.
Sally Wintle	Natural England	Standing advice provided relating to sources of information, guidance and requirements set out in national policy. No specific comments to make.
J Stewart		Fully supportive of the proposals made within the Plan. The Neighbourhood Plan will support the sustainability of the parish and the villages within it, whilst also retaining its rural nature and protecting the natural habitats and wildlife that are supported within it.

Sunny Ali	Highways England	There are no negative consequences associated with the Neighbourhood
		Plan in relation to the Strategic Road Network.
Jules Brown	Historic England	No comment to make on the detail of the plan.
Sarah Brannigan	Northumberland County	Recommendations for the correction of typographical errors and
	Council	amendments to supporting text.
		Did not consider that sufficient evidence had been provided to justify the
		inclusion of Green Gaps within Policy H3.
		Minor suggested changes to policies and policies map to improve clarity and
		remove ambiguity.