Craven Local Plan (Draft 5/4/16) Consultation

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: SKIPTON

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
SK013: East of Aldersley Avenue and south	of Moorview Way		
Partial development acceptable for retention of green corridor. Shown on Green Infrastructure map for Skipton Biodiversity risk and erosion of wildlife habitat. Site at risk of flooding including surface water Development effects of traffic generation on to Shortbank Road and Greatwood Estate Cumulative effects of all development sites on traffic generation on to Shortbank Road Erosion of greenbelt corridor and natural wildlife habitat Loss of view and light arising from development Impact on Roman Road Supporting comments	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK013 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

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SK015: Cefn Glas and land to southeast, Sho	rtbank Road		
Partial development – keep to the building line Flood risk Development effects of traffic generation on to Shortbank Road Cumulative effects of all development sites on traffic generation on to Shortbank Road Heritage effects require consideration Skipton Town Council would prefer to see site removed Proximity to priority habitat	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK015 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
SK018: Land west of Whinny Gill Road (gara	ges)		
Allocation supported Photographic record recommended	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK018 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass all four District Level Analyses, as given the site size it is unlikely to deliver affordable housing. Therefore the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Skipton

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	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK044: Former allotments and garages, Brou	ıghton Road		
Allocation supported as it will reduce	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site identified as a preferred
pressure on greenfield sites	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site with development
Proximity to railway line	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
Flood risk			Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
	Site SK044 passes all four District Level Analyses.		2017.
	After a comparison with other Pool of Site		
	options in Skipton, the site is considered suitable		
	as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK049: East of A629; south of Sandylands, w	est of Carleton Road		
Partial development for employment uses	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
only	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
Flood risk considerations	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Visible site. Create green area to shield			2017, nor does it remain in the
cemetery	Site SK049 - Although the site performs to an		pool of sites for Skipton
Partial development sought due to heritage	adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis,		
environmental issues	the site is not deemed suitable to enter the Pool		
Work to improve Engine Shed Lane	of Sites because the ELR recommends that this		
required	site should be considered for employment.		
Urbanising effect on PROW			
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK052: Croft House, Carleton Road			
Setting of Victorian Mill/villas	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
Flood risk	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
Congestion effects	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Important part of the Conservation Area			2017, nor does it remain in the
No new build – kept to a minimum	Site SK052 is not suitable to undergo a		pool of sites for Skipton
A distinctive Victorian Villa	Sustainability Analysis as the site has planning permission.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK058: Whitakers Chocolate Factory Site, Ke		T	
Prominent position on Keighley Road	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site identified as a preferred
Valuable contribution to townscape	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site with development
Victorian dwellings should be incorporated	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
into development of the site	Cita CVOEO manfanna antinfantanila in tha		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
	Site SK058 performs satisfactorily in the		2017.
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		
	Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is		
	considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites		
	in this settlement.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
	document.		
SK060: Business premises and land west of I	Firth Street		
Traffic effects arising from development – consider impact on Sackville Street Retain historic mill buildings Retain north light shed buildings and conversion of other buildings to retain variety of building types Important canal bank structure to be retrained	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK060 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
SK061: East of Canal, west of Sharpaw Aven			
Urbanising effect on PROW. Consider using green infrastructure to mitigate Flood risk effects and run off. Congestion and access Buffer zone alongside canal to allow for green space and environmental importance Setting and character of town to be enhanced. Avoid solid surfacing	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK061 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
	The methodology of reassessing this site		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
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Important open site on edge of town Retain and enhance green corridor Congestion effects on surrounding road network. No traffic report published and concern that Gargrave Road data is incomplete Keelham Farm shop and Craven college expansion and effect on traffic generation Traffic conditions compromised by parked cars No further access from Gargrave Road, route through Rockwood/Whitehills Major over development when taken together with other sites Public transport needs to improve Infrastructure improvements for area should be commensurate with number of houses to be built Environmental impacts. Priority habitats in area. Partial development only. Retain woodland, trees along Gargrave Road and green area around watercourse and keep open space to enhance this important road approach to Skipton (already compromised by HML) (SK081)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Sites SK081, SK082 & SK108 (incorporating site SK080a – formally SK080) perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and pass all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton these sites are considered suitable as Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Sites SK081, SK082 & SK108 (incorporating site SK080a - formally SK080) are identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre- Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Suggested as potential local green space designation due to richness of wildlife on site (SK081)			
Need to acknowledge steep topography and sewer running through site from HML (is it adequate?) (SK081)			
Forming an adequate access onto Gargrave Road and appropriate site lines would result in the loss of too many mature trees (SK081)			
Development would result in increase in traffic on Rockwood Drive and Gargrave Road both of which are already congested and over-parked at rush hour			
Impact of development on already strained infrastructure: schools, doctors, parking Maintain green corridor to ring road and White Hills Lane (SK082)			
Limit housing on this part of site due to heavy traffic noise from bypass and bridge (SK082)			
SK087: East of Overdale Caravan Park, south	n of A65		
Avoid development so far out of town – significant distance from facilities (unsustainable) Development of site would affect park	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the
homes and elderly residents	Site does not perform to an adequate standard		pool of sites for Skipton.

Employment zone: railway track alongside site, tip, line of quarry, some industrial archaeology Site supported for potential local green space designation. Allowance should be made for important green spaces on site Major gas pipe across site Poor access onto already busy road, with dangerous junction of A59 nearby Use green infrastructure to mitigate against urbanisation impacts on PROW Heritage assessment required for site: trackbed for 1785 quarry wagonway, late C18 water tower Part suitable for a travellers site SK088: Hawbank Fields, North of Otley Road Support of site for residential development: FZ2/3 addressed through sensitive design with development on remainder of site; buffer around the ecologically sensitive areas; provision of open space; access from The Bailey and Greenacres to avoid access from Otley Road. Flood Risk and Drainage Review, Preliminary Ecological Appraisal,	to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
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Illustrative Masterplan and Promotional document submitted in support of site. Area of woodland on site (Little Wood) should be identified as green space. Informal recreation value Important road approach to Skipton. considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

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Development strongly resisted	document.		
Environmental impacts on wildlife and			
plant life. Consider retaining/improving			
woodland on site. Priority habitats in area.			
Impact on Skibeden site of archaeological			
importance			
SK089: Land at Elseycroft, south of Otley Ro	ad		
If site developed, access should be onto Otley Road and not through Shortbank Road	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication
Important road approach to Skipton. Development strongly resisted on north of site. Green corridor with railway bridge providing a 'gateway' into built up area of Skipton Use green infrastructure to mitigate against urbanisation impacts on PROW	Site SK089 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
SK090: Land north of Airedale Avenue east of	•	Γ	T
If site developed, access should be onto Otley Road and not through Shortbank Road, which would not be able to support increase in traffic	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
Environmental impacts on this sensitive wildlife area	Site SK090 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		2017.
Use green infrastructure to mitigate against	Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		

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urbanisation impacts on PROW	Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
SK094: Land bounded by Carleton Road, rail	way line, and A629		
Possible for employment, but not for residential Access issues into the Burnside estate Flood risk on site Environmental impact on plant and wildlife Impact on schools in the area which are already full Impact on doctors surgeries in the area which are already full Vacant apartments in Skipton, why the need for more new housing? Parking for existing residents is difficult during construction of any new homes New development should not be approved until Local Plan is adopted Carleton Road and Keighley Road are grid locked at peak times. New housing would exacerbate this	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK094 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
Health and safety issues for children playing during construction of any new homes Development of site may impact on			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
protected species – lamprey spawning			
habitat in the River Aire			
SK101: East of Keighley Road and south of C	awder Lane		
Important views over farmland and town setting	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development
Employment zone	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
Important canal approach to the town and considered to be outside the town boundary	Site SK101 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
Access issues over Horse Close bridge	Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		
Use green infrastructure to mitigate against urbanisation impacts on PROW	Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites		
Piecemeal allocation in open countryside with boundaries that make no sense	in this settlement.		
Support for site as a housing allocation as it can help to meet the growth identified for Skipton	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Support for site as it can be genuinely integrated into the town without causing harm to it or its surroundings. It is in a sustainable location with good access to commercial and community services and facilities.			
SK114: Land to east of North Parade, Horse	Close		
Support for site but need to check archaeological survey/heritage and natural environment conservation issues (Iron Age site below Greatwood Plantation.)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site (together with SK124) with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Use green infrastructure to mitigate against	Site SK114 performs satisfactorily in the		Plan; 14 th June 2017.
urbanisation impacts on PROW	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
Support site for as a sustainable location as	Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		
site is not materially different in use and	Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is		
character to the adjoining housing	considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites		
committed site which has planning	in this settlement (combined with site SK0124:		
permission for residential development and has therefore been deemed to be suitable	Cawder Road Gargarge Site, Horse Close)		
for development.	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK116: Land to east of canal and west of Hig	h Laithe Farm, Snaygill		
Piecemeal allocation in open countryside	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
with boundaries that make no sense	Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
Important views over farmland and town	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
setting.			2017, nor does it remain in the
Employment zone	Site SK116 does not perform to an adequate		pool of sites for Skipton.
Important canal approach to the town –	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
high landscape value	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites . A suitable access cannot be		
	achieved to the site as there is no direct		
	connection/frontage to a highway maintainable		
	at the public expense.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
SK119: Land south of Whinny Gill Reservoir			
Consider archaeological significance in this area. Potential flood risk High landscape value and outside the town's eastern boundary Use green infrastructure to mitigate against urbanisation impacts on PROW Support for site. Agent has commissioned a Flood Risk Assessment on this site, which concludes there are no flood risk issues which would prevent the development of this site.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SK119 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites . The site currently presents an inadequate road access, which is a determining impediment to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Skipton.
SK135: Skipton Rock Quarry, Harrogate Road	d		
Site adjacent to a SINC site (Haw Park) and appropriate buffering and enhancement will be needed.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Use green infrastructure to mitigate against urbanisation impacts on PROW Priority habitat on site (woodland) and next to species rich grassland. Consider retaining/improving habitat.	SK135 - Although the site performs to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, the site is not deemed suitable to enter the Pool of Sites because the ELR recommends that this site should be considered for employment. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in		2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Skipton.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SK083: Land bounded by A65, White Hills La	ne and Raikes Road		
Objection to application (ref 63/2013/13748) approved for housing on 07/10/13. Land should be conserved rather than developed. Important buffer zone between bypass and existing residential area. New housing will be too close to bypass and pollutants. Overdevelopment when considered alongside other existing housing developments in Skipton.	This site was not identified in the pool of sites within the April 2016 draft Local Plan. At that time the site was shown as an existing committed housing site in Skipton. Site SK083 is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site has planning permission. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Skipton.
SK103: Clay Hall Farm, Broughton Road		•	
Allocation for housing is supported as site is deliverable: over 1ha of the site is within FZ1; the agricultural land is not large enough for high yields of grazing or arable production; there are no heritage assets on site; there are no ecological designations on site and ecosystems could be enhanced through well-developed landscape strategy; site only 2km away from services in Skipton and 1km away from railway station (with existing footpaths to both) Site is available in the short term – under	This site was not identified in the pool of sites within the April 2016 draft Local Plan. Site SK103 is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site has planning permission. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Skipton

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unified control. No known ownership or			
other legal constraints			
Access has been established onto			
Broughton Road by prior planning approval			
on eastern part of site			
Site is suitable – organic, seamless			
extension of Skipton, with low sensitivity to			
statutory designations, and use of FZ32			
area of site for public space or SUDs			
Development could compliment setting of			
canal and open countryside beyond.			
Development could soften this approach to			
Skipton which currently has a hard			
boundary (flyover bypass).			

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: SETTLE

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
General			
Question as to whether mass house building in Settle is environmentally or economically appropriate. There is simply no demand for housing in the town on the scale proposed. Appreciate that additional housing needs to be provided within Craven but it should be provided in other areas of the district where it is actually needed. For example Settle has ¼ of the population of Skipton yet the proposal is for a disproportionate number of new homes in Settle. Demand for housing is far greater in the south of the district nearer to the major conurbations. Surely it would make more sense to concentrate the new provision there rather than commit new residents in Settle to long commutes by car given the limited service on the railway? It simply does not make commercial or environmental sense.	The Council's SHMA 2016 identifies a need for 4280 houses to be built in the plan area over the Local Plan period of 2012-2032. This equates to 214 houses per year. The draft Local Plan sets out a draft spatial strategy which identifies Settle as a tier 2 settlement and as a key service centre for the mid sub area, to accommodate 10.5% of the overall housing requirement, i.e. 450 houses over the plan period. This is due to the level of services and facilities currently provided in Settle. The settlement strategy proposes that Skipton, as the principle service centre for the plan area will accommodate 2140 houses over the plan period, or 50% of the total housing requirement, a substantial increase of that allocated to Settle.	No	

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It is proposed that development take place	The draft Local Plan sets out a draft spatial	No	
in larger units concentrated in the more	strategy which identifies Settle as a tier 2		
major towns and villages. Where there is a	settlement and as a key service centre for the		
need for housing in the Settle area is in	mid sub area, to accommodate 10.5% of the		
small pockets in the surrounding villages so	overall housing requirement, i.e. 450 houses over		
that housing is available for future	the plan period. This is due to the level of		
generations. It does not need to be provided	services and facilities currently provided in Settle.		
in larger units.	, ,		
	Following Sustainability Appraisal and a		
	residential site selection process, housing sites		
	for Settle have been preferred either on smaller		
	town-centre locations or on larger sites that are		
	immediately adjacent to the town's built up area.		
If and to the extent that larger numbers of	The industrial areas in Settle, notably Sowarth	No	
houses are genuinely needed then it must	Industrial Estate, are currently in use by a variety		
be the case that development on the	of businesses and services. The Council's		
current industrial sites would be vastly	Employment Land Review 2016 recommends that		
preferable since they are ripe for	the southern and central sections of the		
redevelopment. They are closer to the	industrial estate should be retained and		
centre of the town and much more suitable	protected for employment use and the northern		
locations for industrial development are	section of the industrial estate should be		
available on the bypass at SG083 or SG064.	considered as a mixed use opportunity site.		
This would remove many commercial	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,		
vehicle movements from the town and	Following Sustainability Appraisal and a		
enable the development of a high quality	residential site selection process, housing sites		
modern industrial area.	for Settle have been preferred in other town		
	centre locations or immediately adjacent to the		
There are alternative sites for building the	town's built up area.		
relatively small number of additional houses			
which are actually needed in Settle. Those			
sites are closer to the centre of the town			
and would be part of and complement the			
community.			

For sites close to PROWS, plans have been submitted showing the location of the existing PROW in relation to these sites.	Noted. The proximity of PROWs has been taken into account in the residential site selection process and where preferred sites encompass or are adjacent to a PROW, areas of green infrastructure have been proposed to help retain a sense of openness around the PROW.	Yes	Green infrastructure incorporated into preferred sites where PROWs exist.
SG021: Land to the rear of Penny Green			
150mm trunk gas main running diagonally across the site would make the site uneconomic for development Access to Cammock Lane is not available owing to a blind junction caused by the railway bridge crossing Cammock Lane. No logical point of access through SC080. Too close to the Settle and Carlisle railway conservation area .	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG021 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Settle the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
SG023: Land south of Settle, between Skipto	n Road and Railway		
Building on this area south of Settle and Giggleswick would effectively destroy the visual aspect of the entire area. This is a small, relatively remote and very beautiful part of the world whose tranquillity and peace is valued and respected by residents and visitors alike. Any development in this area will urbanise it and turn it into just another town; its unique character will have	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG023 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Settle.

gone for ever. The suggested developments would undoubtedly be followed by others which would, in time, finish us off completely. The field SG023 is low lying with a large culvert taking water under the Settle Carlisle Railway and onto Runley Brook. SG023 regularly floods.	site, including the site's unsustainable location which is disconnected from the town centre making it difficult to access services and facilities. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
This site adjoins the boundary of the Settle-Carlisle Line (Hellifield to Langcliffe) Conservation Area. The loss of this currently undeveloped area and its subsequent development could harm elements which contribute to its significance (Heritage England.			
SG023 is in agricultural use for sheep and cattle with an unusual historic animal underpass between the two fields There is currently a Dales Barn in the field.			
With the adjacent woodland the field attracts a large range of animal life including summer visitors of birds, native birds, deer etc.			
SG025: Land to the south of Ingfield Lane			
Support The site within the Representors control (SG025) is available, suitable and deliverable as a sustainable housing site. The suitability and deliverability of this site has been evidenced by the completion of Phase 1 for	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG025 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.

37 dwellings; and the issuing of planning permission for the delivery of a Flood Meadow to facilitate the development of Phases 2 and 3. A detailed pre-application package of information setting out the detailed proposals for Phases and 3 has been submitted to and considered by the Council and which demonstrates the site is deliverable with no technical constraints.

Flooding This site, particularly southern end of the site is prone to flooding. On several occasions during last Dec., Jan and February, the southern half of the site was under water, and there were many pools and flows of water on the other parts of the site, even after only moderate rainfall.

Drainage: Whilst the plan put forward to improve the drainage would help, there would still be problems. Development would increase the amount hard surfaces, increasing the problems of drainage. It is doubtful if the culvert under the railway would cope successfully with this, and the streambed downstream is restricted. The flow of water into the Ribble would increase, making flooding downstream more frequent. Has the Council undertaken an independent feasibility study of the effects a large development would have in terms of flooding?

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The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

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the significance of the heritage assets in its
vicinity.
In addition, this site abuts the curtilage of
the Falcon Manor Hotel which is a Grade II
Listed Building (Historic England)
This is a valuable amenity space including
frequently used and admired rights of way
with impressive landscape views. It is also
important to recognise and respect that the
fields in this area are part of the medieval
settlements of Settle, Anley and Runley.
Access to the site is poor. The access at the
northern end is could take some extra
traffic, but not for the flow which would be
generated by development of the whole
site. The other proposed access to Skipton
Road is on a bend by the railway bridge and
would be dangerous due to poor sighting.
Lorries have to come under the bridge in the
middle of the highway. Whilst this could be
improved by Traffic Lights, it would produce
long delays.
This proposal is against PO1 PO2 and PO3
There are wide and elevated views over this
site from within the NP (Mitchell Lane and
High Hill Lane). We consider there would be
significant harm if this site is fully
developed. The vista out (particularly from
High Hill Lane) is focussed over the gentle
pastoral land of the Ribble Valley around
Settle and beyond. The view is framed by
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argument for landowners to seek other			
adjoining land to be included for			
development.			
Most towns (Skipton & Kendal) site their			
employment land on the outskirts of the			
own. Settle should do this on sites SG064			
nd SG083, freeing up the existing Sowarth			
Field area for new housing development.			
GG025: Land to the south of Ingfield Lane; SG	027 & SG068: Land to the south of Brockhole View a	and west of Brockho	ole Lane
Development of these sites would	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Sites identified as preferred
undamentally change the character of	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing sites with development
Settle as viewed from the surrounding hills.	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
			Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
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	pass all four District Level Analyses. After a		
	comparison with other Pool of Site options in		
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	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
G027: South of Ingfield Lane, east of Brockh	ole View		
All of the land proposed is available for	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site identified as a preferred
levelopment. The site is bounded to the	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site with development
orth by residential development, Brockhole	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
ane to the east and open fields to the south			Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
nd west. Public footpaths are located along	Site SG027 performs satisfactorily in the		2017.
he western and eastern site boundaries.	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
Residential development to the north is	Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		

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through a well-developed landscape	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	
strategy.	document.	
The sites are within Flood Zone 1, which has		
the lowest risk of flooding.		
Land Form: site are predominantly flat and		
are free from contamination, buildings and		
largely clear of trees.		
Designations: There are no site specific land,		
ecological or historic designations. The		
YDNP is located to the east of the sites.		
Development could be designed to ensure		
the special landscape and scenic beauty		
could be conserved.		
Location: Development on these sites would		
offer an opportunity to deliver housing on		
sites that immediately adjoin the town of		
Settle.		
Accessibility: existing access point through		
the new housing development to the north,		
off Ingfield Lane and is within walking		
distance to the centre of Settle and existing		
services.		
Capacity: The site is approx. 3 ha and at a		
density of 30dph would deliver 90 homes.		
SG027 and SG068 – these sites are highly		
prominent at close range from Brockhole		
Lane (which also forms the NP boundary)		
and from Mitchell Lane and High Hill Lane		
above Settle (in the NP). Whilst we consider		
there may be modest capacity for well		
contained development on SG027 (although		
it is hard to make out where the site		
allocation boundary would be) we consider		

that the development of SG068 would have			
a significant and harmful impact on close			
and long range views from the National			
Park, and in particular the character and			
enjoyment of the green lane. (Yorkshire			
Dales NP)			
SG079: Land to the north of Town Head Way,	/South of Barrel Sykes		
Housing Requirement – Draft policy SP4	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site identified as preferred housing
identifies that Settle will meet 10.5% of the	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		sites with development principles
districts' minimum annual housing	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven
requirement per annum that equates to 27	,		Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
dwellings per annum. Centres such as Settle	Site SG079 passes all four District Level Analyses.		·
have an important role in meeting the	After a comparison with other Pool of Site		
District's wider housing needs and this site	options in Settle these sites are considered		
require allocation in order to deliver housing	suitable as Preferred Sites in this settlement.		
early within the plan period.			
Site Area – the boundary should be	The methodology of reassessing these sites		
extended in line with the plan included at	together with the actual assessment is set out in		
appendix 1 of the submitted comments,	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
reflecting the full extent of the site available	document.		
now for delivery of housing in order to make			
the most efficient use of the available land.			
Suitability of the Site:			
Location & Sustainability –			
Site is well located to Settle town centre			
(approx. 500m) and all the services and			
facilities it provides. Residential			
development on this site would promote			
sustainable travel patterns by new residents			
accessing day to day services without the			
need to travel, supporting the viability of			
Settle town centre.			
Flood Risk – Site is entirely in flood zone 1.			

Availability – The site is available now with		
no ownership constraints which would		
create a barrier to early delivery of the site		
within the plan period and would help to		
meet the housing requirement for Settle to		
support its role as a key services centre.		
Access – Proposed that the site can be		
achieved from Town Head. This access will		
also provide a direct route for pedestrians		
and cyclists into the town. There is also		
potential for the provision of pedestrian		
links under the railway tunnel, which leads		
to Barrel Sykes and up to the "Highway".		
This could be explored through detail design		
of any future scheme.		
Consideration of Sustainability Objectives –		
The SA has identified the site as reaching		
stage 6, therefore it is suitable for inclusion		
in the pool of site options. The site		
specifically scored significantly positively in		
relation to Objective S04. Therefore there is		
an opportunity to capitalise on the sites		
proximity to existing services and facilities in		
Settle.		
Agricultural Land – Site classified as Grade 4		
agricultural land, which is not considered to		
be the best and most versatile. The loss of		
existing grazing land is regrettable; the		
opportunity to deliver much needed housing		
in a sustainable location outweighs the loss		
of this grazing land.		
Conservation on the Historic Environment –		
No listed buildings on the site. Site is within		

vicinity of Settle-Carlisle Conservation Area		
and Barrel Sykes (Grade II). Proposed		
residential development on this site can		
respond positively to its location and be		
designed in line with adjacent residential		
development such as providing back		
gardens along the railway tract to provide a		
buffer between housing and railway. The		
site will continue the historic linear growth		
pattern of the town adjacent to the railway		
line while maintaining a close relationship of		
housing to the town centre. The site would		
not introduce any new built development		
within this area which would further detract		
from the		
Visual Impact & Amenity – Residential		
development would not introduce any new		
urbanising elements of development which		
does not already exist within this area. Due		
to existing railway bank and topography the		
site is relatively well screened from public		
view with exception of adjacent residential		
development, users of the railway and		
"highway". Site has strong linear		
boundaries along east and west boundary		
which will help retain development in this		
area and continue to follow the historic		
pattern of Settle and not lead to sporadic		
development within the landscape. A		
housing scheme can be deliver to provide a		
satisfactory standard of amenity for future		
occupants of the site and neighbouring		
existing residents.		

Biodiversity – Mitigation and recommendations provided by the Council do not suggest that biodiversity mitigation should be built into this site. Any future application will provide full details of existing habitats and the sites potential to provide a net gain in biodiversity. Air Quality & Noise – Site is not located within an Air Quality Management Area. Future Transport Assessment and Air Quality Assessment can fully assess any impact. Due to the size of the site any impacts will not be significant enough to be capable of mitigation. The noise impact of the site in relation to the adjacent railway line will need to be considered. This can be adequately mitigated against following any recommendations within a Noise Assessment.			
SG080: Land to the west of Skipton Road	and railway		
This is a raised site, which is particularly visible and is adjacent to the Conservation Area.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG080 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Settle the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the		

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document.	

April – May 2016 Draft Local Plan

Site Response Paper by Settlement: HIGH BENTHAM

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Bentham and Settle lack good road connections and should not be a main site for development	The June 2017 draft local plan policy SP4: Strategy and Housing Growth identifies Low and High Bentham & Settle as tier 2 settlements (Key Service Centres). The proportion of housing growth identified for High & Low Bentham is 10.5%, which equates to 23 dwellings per annum. Draft policy SP4 included in the April – May 2016 draft Local Plan set the proportion of housing growth identified for Bentham at 10.2%, which equates to 26 dwellings per annum. There has therefore been a slight increase in the growth planned for High & Low Bentham since April – May 2016. Bentham serves a wide rural hinterland and has the benefit of urban amenities and a rail connection with the potential for development of more frequent train services. Draft policy SP4 distributes growth in larger urban centres including Bentham & Settle.	Yes	A slight increase in growth since the April – May 2016 draft Local Plan.
Lack of off street parking	High Bentham has two areas of off street parking, which are on Council owned land. Proposed furture housing growth is concentrated within walking distance of village facilities to avoid the need to bring cars into the centre.	No	

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Traffic	An increase in housing numbers in the village will	No	
	inevitably lead to more traffic. However High		
	Bentham has the potential for improved public		
	transport via the railway which links the village		
	with Skipton and Lancaster.		
	Assessment of potential site allocations has been		
	informed by consultation with NYCC Highways.		
Find alternative site for the auction mart on	The auction mart site in High Bentham is	No	
the edge of town.	identified as an existing employment area on the		
	policies map for Bentham. The Council is		
	involved in on-going discussions relating to the		
	relocation of the auction mart and wider area.		
Retain buildings released from public use for	The site of the former High Bentham primary	No	
new uses	school was identified as a potential housing		
	option in the April – May 2016 draft Local Plan.		
	The same it is proposed as a preferred housing		
	site. Draft local plan policy SP7 sets out		
	development principles for the site including the		
	need for development to conserve heritage		
	assets.		
Avoid building on green spaces	The June 2017 identifies proposed Local Green	Yes	Amendments made to draft policies
	Space Designations via draft policy ENV10; as well		ENV10, INF3 & SP7 in terms of
	as designating existing areas of open space, sport		development principles for
	and recreation facilities via INF3. Some preferred		preferred housing site sin Bentham.
	housing sites will incorporate new areas of open		_
	space within them, such as draft preferred		
	housing site HB011 (former High Bentham		
	primary school) – see draft policy SP7.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB003: Bank Head, west of Robin Lane, sout All in-fill sites, far more preferable than expanding onto adjacent farmland. Site includes existing houses Site is indicated on plan as [proposed] local green space Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	h of Lakeber Drive The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB003 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate road access, which is a determining impediment to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High Bentham.
	with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB011: Primary school, east of Robin Lane, w	vest of Lowcroft, Higher Bentham		
Retain buildings released from public use for new uses Turn site of school into a car park Should be protected in case the Extra Care Facility moves forward. The suggestion to use HB011 as a green space is a good one HB011 should not be 'also local green space' since the general public have never had rights of access to those sites. Such designation would also severely hamper the development potential of the site. The local planning authority is currently undertaking as assessment about whether High Bentham should be designated a Conservation Area. This site should not be identified as an Allocation until such time as this evaluation has been completed and the potential impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is eventually designated) Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Bentham the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The Council is aware that NYCC are considering the provision of extra care accommodation on this site. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB014: Land to east of Lairgill Row on Butts I	ane, High Bentham		
An existing car park. It is widely used. Cannot build on Lairgill carpark as would destroy aspect of historic terrace (464) Parish Council Historic England The local planning authority is currently undertaking as assessment about whether High Bentham should be designated a Conservation Area. This site should not be identified as an Allocation until such time as this evaluation has been completed and the potential impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is eventually designated) 3.3.1.2 Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area; increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact. Expansion onto surrounding countryside - not necessary.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB014 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses, however after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in High Bentham, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The assessment of this site has concluded that development of the site for housing would have a negative impact in terms of conservation of the historic environment, due to the site's various contributions to the recommended conservation area for High Bentham. In addition, there are concerns regarding surface water flood risk, much of the site is in use as a public car park and the site is bisected by Butts Lane. These constraints on development not only restrict the likely yield of dwellings from the site, but, more importantly, bring into question the site's basic suitability, availability and, therefore, deliverability as a local plan housing site. On current evidence and for those reasons, HB014 is currently not a preferable site for allocation in High Bentham.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in		

HB022: North of Bigber Farm Higher Bentham All fill in sites preferable to expanding into adjacent countryside Site identified as requiring tongues of green land (green infrastructure) along footpaths The local planning authority is currently undertaking as assessment about whether High Bentham should be designated a Conservation Area. This site should not be identified as an Allocation until such time as this evaluation has been completed and the potential impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is eventually designated). Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document. The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB022 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate or uncertain road access and negative heritage impact, which are determining impediments to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.
Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to	with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
mitigate this impact. Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB023: North of Low Bentham Road, rear of	Furness Drive		
Support – This is an excellent site being in close proximity to the primary school. This site would also be large enough to incorporate some green space for social interaction Plan key needs amending. Expansion onto surrounding countryside - not necessary This area has an annual flooding problem adjacent to Moonsacre The access beside the BT building is dangerous being just over the brow of a hill. Traffic entering and exiting a new housing estate in the area of the new school is only adding to dissatisfaction with regards to children's safety The sewage system is running at capacity and is too expensive to replace The local planning authority is currently undertaking as assessment about whether High Bentham should be designated a Conservation Area. This site should not be identified as an Allocation until such time as this evaluation has been completed and the potential impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is eventually designated) Heritage England) Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB023 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents surface water flood risk and negative heritage impact, which are determining impediments to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.

area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact. Main issues from consultation HB024: North of Lakeber Drive, High Bentham	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
All in-fill sites, far more preferable than expanding onto adjacent farmland Site identified as being suitable for providing tongues of open land alongside footpaths through the sites Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB024 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB025: Robin Lane and east of Butts Lane, Hi	gh Bentham		
Expansion onto surrounding countryside - not necessary Site identified as being suitable for tongues of open space alongside footpaths across the site Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB025 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB026: North of Springfield Crescent and eas	t of Butts Lane, High Bentham		
We support the Site Allocation of land within SHLAA No. HB026 We seek allocation of this site for new housing development under Policy SP7 (547). A standard density of 30 dwellings per hectare, as suggested in the POSO, is not relevant for this particular site and the number of new homes that can be provided will likely be less than an assumed 77 (30 x 2.577 hectares).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB026 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
The site has direct unfettered access directly from Springfield Crescent and is an open undeveloped site immediately adjacent to the rear of existing houses within the settlement. Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area; increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB027: Mount Pleasant, High Bentham			
These sites provide a natural infill of housing development within the existing residential area of Mount Pleasant, Lairgill and Springfield I therefore feel that your inclusion of these sites into the second draft Local Plan is well considered and will benefit the future Bentham community The introduction of a mini roundabout to access the development (to County Highways standard) would alleviate the existing and potential accident area at the road restriction on Mount Pleasant, due to speeding vehicles. It may also have been suggested that the site is liable to flooding, this is not the case, Lairgill Beck is deep fast flowing in flood conditions, and the site is a considerable distance and elevation from the possible flood areas of the River Wenning.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB027 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites . The site presents a negative heritage impact, which is a determining impediment to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the <u>Residential Site Selection Process June 2017</u> document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB028: East of Station Road and south-west	of Pye Busk, High Bentham		
Site too large. Some of the fields are steep and I feel the character of the landscape should be kept, rather than built on. Encompasses area earmarked for new park.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB028 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.
Rest of site too far from current areas of Employment. The auction mart is part of the heritage of the area and the character of the town. We should do anything possible to support the continuation of the busy and thriving Auction Mart, right in the centre of our community. I would like to see the development of the Auction to extend its connections within the community to really develop Bentham into a Rural heritage centre, to celebrate farming, traditional crafts and food, to promote the sustainability of the local economy. This land comprises several unspoilt habitats. Principally a grazing meadow it also includes mature trees smaller trees some hedgerows and undergrowth as well as a clean and lively beck which crosses the main area. The part sometimes known as the old allotment is rich in biodiversity and birdlife HB028 may be located on or next to a Boloria selene (Small Pearl Bordered	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites . The site presents a negative heritage impact and negatives for location, access, agriculture and landscape, which are determining impediments to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

Fritillary) colony. Investigation is required to	See response on page above	
determine whether this proposal would		
affect the colony Site HB028 is adjacent to		
the SINC site Cowslip Hill. Buffering and		
enhancement will be necessary.		
Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of		
Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to		
area, increased access could be an issue but		
is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of		
multifunctional green spaces could help to		
mitigate this impact.		
Agree with greenspace designation. The		
main meadow could provide an asset which		
is much needed in Bentham, namely an		
attractive and easily accessible multi-		
purpose public space.		
HB028 includes CDC land adjacent to Station		
Road. There is a proposal for this land to		
provide new commercial and office space,		
with additional much needed car parking		
This area could also include a hotel and		
leisure area, green area. But no reference is		
made to this in the plan		
Assessment needed of safe road access to		
and from the site from the main road.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
It also seems that there is an idea to put a road through from either Mount Pleasant or Pye Busk to connect with Station Road. Surely a much better solution would be to make a connecting road between the back of the Angus Fire complex running across fields behind the new school (HB038 and HB030) (633)	See response on page above		
Has a stream running through them. Tend to carry a lot of water at times of heavy rainfall We recommend that an 8 metre wide strip of land is left clear, adjacent to the watercourse. There should be no structures, fences or trees in this area. Again, this will allow access, essential maintenance and future watercourse improvements to take place. (Environment Agency,)			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
If the local planning authority concludes that High Bentham should be designated as a Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-open area and its subsequent development could harm elements which contribute to the significance of the Conservation Area.	See response on page above		
HB030: Land off Duke Street, High Bentham			
All in-fill sites, far more preferable than expanding onto adjacent farmland I believe this site could be developed for housing. It is close to the school and road access would be good. Additional traffic to a housing development would not cause problems in this location Part of it in a flood risk area. The field has flooded to some degree (pond to small lake) every year since 1961 on frequent occasions. (538, 239). Access could be a problem (538).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB030 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites . The site presents an inadequate road access and a negative heritage impact, which are determining impediments to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Surely a much better solution would be to	See response on page above		
make a connecting road between the back			
of the Angus Fire complex running across			
fields behind the new school (HB038 and			
HB030) and accessed from the Low			
Bentham road. This could also provide an			
access to the caravan park and the Bentham			
industrial estate completely relieving the			
town centre congestion.			
It would be a blot on the landscape			
Site identified on map provided by			
correspondent as being suitable for tongues			
of green land along footpaths			
Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of			
Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to			
area, increased access could be an issue but			
is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of			
multifunctional green spaces could help to			
mitigate this impact.			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB031: Auction Mart and land south of Mour	nt Pleasant, High Bentham		
The auction mart is part of the heritage of the area and the character of the town. We should do anything possible to support the continuation of the busy and thriving Auction Mart, right in the centre of our community. I would like to see the development of the Auction to extend its connections within the community to really develop Bentham into a Rural heritage centre, to celebrate farming, traditional crafts and food, to promote the sustainability of the local economy Find alternative site for the auction mart on the edge of town Land comprises several unspoilt habitats. Principally a grazing meadow it also includes mature trees, smaller trees hedgerows, undergrowth as well as a beck crossing the main area. The part sometimes known as the old allotment is rich in biodiversity and birdlife. Site may be located on or next to a Boloria selene (Small Pearl Bordered Fritillary) colony. Investigation is required to determine whether this proposal would affect the colony Site Site is adjacent to the SINC site Cowslip Hill. Buffering and enhancement will be necessary.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB031 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate road access, which is a determining impediment to selection. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for High and Low Bentham.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
This land comprises several unspoilt habitats. Principally a grazing meadow it also includes mature trees smaller trees some hedgerows and undergrowth as well as a clean and lively beck which crosses the main area. The part sometimes known as the old allotment is rich in biodiversity and birdlife HB028 may be located on or next to a <i>Boloria selene</i> (Small Pearl Bordered Fritillary) colony. Investigation is required to determine whether this proposal would affect the colony Site HB028 is adjacent to the SINC site Cowslip Hill. Buffering and enhancement will be necessary. Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to the area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact. Agree with greenspace designation. The main meadow could provide an asset which is much needed in Bentham, namely an attractive and easily accessible multipurpose public space.	See response on page above	(yes/no)	

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB028 includes CDC land adjacent to Station	See response on page above		
Road. There is a proposal for this land to			
provide new commercial and office space,			
with additional much needed car parking			
This area could also include a hotel and			
leisure area, green area. But no reference is			
made to this in the plan			
Assessment needed of safe road access to			
and from the site from the main road			
HB033: Land east of Butts Lane and north of		T	
I believe this land is a good place for new	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
housing development. It is easy to access	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
and will not add to any congestion in the	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
centre of town, yet it is close enough to give			2017, nor does it remain in the pool
easy access to the shops and other	Site HB033 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for High and Low Bentham.
amenities.	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
Expansion onto surrounding countryside -	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
not necessary.	the Pool of Sites . The site presents an inadequate		
Site has streams running through them.	road access and a negative heritage impact,		
HB033 streams are culverted. Tend to carry	which are determining impediments to selection.		
a lot of water at times of heavy rainfall			
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
The road access to the site (Robin Lane)	See response on page above		
already has issues with traffic negotiating			
the narrow sections and junction with the			
Dales View development. Further traffic and			
another junction on the opposite side to the			
current one will only compound this (354)			
HB025, HB033, HB036 – Object – HB033			
(and HB025 & HB036) is particularly close to			
the cemetery; please preserve the			
peacefulness of this current and future			
burial space by not building in its vicinity. At			
the very least, please consider leaving an			
immediate green space surrounding the			
cemetery and the streams, from Butts Lane			
onwards. (270)			
If the local planning authority concludes that			
High Bentham should be designated as a			
Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-			
open area and its subsequent development			
could harm elements which contribute to			
the significance of the Conservation Area.			
(Historic England)			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB038: Land south of Low Bentham Road, Hi	gh Bentham.		
School built on one side & outline planning permission granted on the other, with good access (464 Parish Council) Development of this site should be dealt with carefully. It is close to the school, which makes it a good place for new housing Care should be taken not to develop further in the direction of Low Bentham to avoid a joining of the towns; the two have a slightly different feel/culture and it would be a	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB038 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Bentham the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
shame to lose this Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area; increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
HB044: Land to west of Goodenber Road, Hig	gh Bentham		
Support – HB052, HB044 and HB030 would provide many years' worth of housing need; please build here rather than scatter new houses on many sites around the town Designated sites: Robert Hall Moor Site of Special Scientific Interest (SSSI) is close to area, increased access could be an issue but is unlikely to be detrimental. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate this impact.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB044 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Bentham the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

Drainage water from the area causes		
flooding in my property – more houses	The methodology of reassessing this site together	
would make this worse	with the actual assessment is set out in	
Goodenber Road would also have more	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	
traffic	document.	
I live in Goodenber Road and already have		
50+ social houses in close proximity More		
housing would add to the social problems		
including bad language As a result of the		
recent building of social housing the value of		
my house has been reduced by £40,000.		
Other areas of Bentham should receive their		
share of social housing		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HB052: Land to north west of Bank Head Farm	m and south of Ghyllhead Farm, High Bentham		
Site too large – needs reducing in size towards Goodenber (Parish Council) Awful for Bentham! Site identified as being suitable for tongues of green land along footpaths through the site	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HB052 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Bentham the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: LOW BENTHAM

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan	Changes made to the plan
General			
We estimate that if all the sites included in the pool of potential sites which lead into the Burton Road were to be developed an extra 113 vehicles would need to gain access via Burton Road (calculation based on CDC's figures of 30 dwellings per hectare and 1.5 vehicles per household). (448, 449+)	It was never the intention that all of the sites in the pool of sites presented in the 2 nd consultation round would be developed. In fact because of recent permissions and by concentrating development in High Bentham only one preferred site on the Low Bentham Road has been identified as a preferred site generating 18 dwellings.	Yes	Site LB012 identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
Why build new houses in a place where there is very little infrastructure or services to support an increase in population?(2) One of the major flaws in the Plan is that it lumps together High Bentham and Low Bentham as though they were one entity, when in fact they are two separate and very different settlements. High Bentham is a small town whereas Low Bentham is a small village with very few facilities - fewer facilities than, for example, Burton in Lonsdale which you categorise as 4a.	The lack of Infrastructure has been noted and preferred sites concentrated in High Bentham. Sites in Low Bentham are proposed for a lower density of development than those in High Bentham due to the lack of facilities	Yes	Only one site, LB012, has been identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
Any temptation to 'fill in' any further green spaces with the current built up fabric of Bentham should be resisted (329)	Sites have been allocated in High and Low Bentham following sustainability appraisal and a residential site selection process, which takes account of maintaining a balance between preserving open space within built up areas and avoiding development spreading into open	Yes	An appropriate level of sites, commensurate with the proposed housing requirement for Bentham, have been identified in High and Low Bentham as preferred housing sites with development principles

The existing character of the township should be conserved including the retention of buildings released from public use e.g. Original primary school buildings. Main Street and Station (329) Infrastructure issues need to be addressed – inadequate road and pavement and parking provision, inadequate public transport & access to industrial sites, whilst ensuring that drainage and communications and other utilities are adequate. The threats to public services provision, parking & retail provision need always to be kept in mind (329)	Following sustainability appraisal and the residential site selection process it was concluded that the old High Bentham primary school site should be allocated for housing, but not the primary school in Low Bentham due to inadequate access arrangements. It is not intended to redevelop the train station, nor are there any new allocations of land for housing directly adjacent to the Main Street in High Bentham. One site has been identified in Low Bentham; on the edge of the built up area (LB012), on Low Bentham Road. The adoption of a Local Plan will make it easier for infrastructure providers to identify future needs. In some cases development can make a contribution to infrastructure costs through S106 agreements.	Yes	in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017. An appropriate level of sites, commensurate with the proposed housing requirement for Bentham, have been identified in High and Low Bentham as preferred housing sites with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017. Draft policy INF6: Planning Obligations amended and included in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
LB007: Corner of Cross Lane and Burton Road			
Support; All in-fill sites, far more preferable than expanding onto adjacent farmland. (244) Drainage; There would be drainage problems in such a high rainfall area. It is currently farm land which naturally drains	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site LB007 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Bentham.

the rain water away. Housing would	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
interfere with this and create more drainage	the Pool of Sites. The site presents a negative		
issues that might not be dealt with by the	heritage impact, which is a determining		
existing drains and sewers (2)	impediment to selection.		
Access; These plots of land are adjacent to			
Cross Lane and Greenfoot Lane. These are	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
narrow lanes, frequently used by walkers,	with the actual assessment is set out in		
and an increase in traffic would create a	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
danger to pedestrians. The junctions of	document.		
Cross Lane with Greenfoot Lane and with			
Burton Road, are on hills with difficult site			
lines. An increase in traffic caused by an			
increase in residential properties could			
result in road traffic accidents (2)			
Heritage; Low Bentham should be			
designated a Conservation Area. This site			
should not be identified as an Allocation			
until such time as this evaluation has been			
completed and the potential impact upon			
the Conservation Area (if it is eventually			
designated) can be evaluated.			
LB008: East of Greenhead Farm, Cross Lane			
Support: All in-fill sites, far more preferable	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
than expanding onto adjacent farmland	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
(244)	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Drainage: There would be drainage			2017, nor does it remain in the poo
problems in such a high rainfall area. It is	Site LB008 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Bentham.
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result in road traffic accidents (2)			
Heritage:			
This site should not be identified as an			
Allocation until such time as this evaluation			
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impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is			
eventually designated) can be evaluated.			
If the local planning authority concludes that			
Low Bentham should be designated as a			
Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-			
open area and its subsequent development			
could harm elements which contribute to			
the significance of the Conservation Area			
LB009: South of Greenhead Farm, Cross Lane	<u> </u>		<u> </u>
Support; All in-fill sites, far more preferable	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
than expanding onto adjacent farmland.	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
(244)	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Drainage; There would be drainage			2017, nor does it remain in the
problems in such a high rainfall area. It is	Site LB009 does not perform to an adequate		pool of sites for Bentham.
currently farm land which naturally drains	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
the rain water away. Housing would	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate		
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Low Bentham should be designated as a
Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-
open area and its subsequent development
could harm elements which contribute to
the significance of the Conservation Area.

Support: All in-fill sites, far more preferable	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site identified as a preferred
than expanding onto adjacent farmland	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site	. 60	housing site with development
(244)	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
,	, 11		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
	Site LB012 performs satisfactorily in the		2017.
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
	Level Analyses. After a comparison with other		
	Pool of Site options in Bentham the site is		
	considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites		
	in this settlement.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
LB013: Low Bentham Primary School and ass	ociated land		
Availability: Site purchased by Bentham	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
Town Council as Green Space This space is	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
much needed since there is no other	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
recreational space for public use in Low			2017, nor does it remain in the
Bentham. (464 Parish Council,448, 449 479)	Site LB013 does not perform to an adequate		pool of sites for Bentham.
Green Space: Support for Local Greenspace	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
Allocation (636)	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
Heritage: The local planning authority is	the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate		
currently undertaking as assessment about	road access, which is a determining impediment		
whether Low Bentham should be designated	to selection.		
a Conservation Area. This site should not be	The control of the co		
identified as an Allocation until such time as	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
this evaluation has been completed and the	with the actual assessment is set out in		
potential impact upon the Conservation	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
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Quality of Life: We are concerned that building houses on LB014, a site which has been added since the first draft of the Local Plan, will seriously impact on the quality of life of the residents of Low Bentham, particularly those living on Hillside Road (448, 449)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site LB014 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate road access and a negative heritage impact, which are determining impediments to selection.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Bentham.
Extent of Development: The Plan provides insufficient detail to allow meaningful comment. If it were to extend beyond the line of houses on the north of Hillside Road this would have a different (and greater) impact than if it stopped behind 25 Hillside Road.(448, 449) Loss of Agricultural Lane: Building on LB014 will destroy good agricultural land (448, 449) Dark Skies: It will also help to blot out the multitude of stars that you can still see at night as you walk up the path from Burton Road to Hillside Road (448, 449)	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

Access; There is also a problem of access			
from the Burton Road. Access would be			
from just below a blind bend in a stretch of			
the road that is already dangerously filled			
with parked cars, partly an overflow from			
Hillview Road, which has no parking			
facilities. Also for most of the Burton Road			
down to the village there is no footpath,			
which makes walking dangerous (448,449).			
Expansion into adjacent countryside (244)			
Listed Building; Ellergill House, immediately			
to the south of this area, is a Grade II Listed			
Building.			
Therefore, an evaluation will also need to be			
undertaken of the potential impact which			
the development of this site might have			
upon the significance of this Listed Building			
(Historic England)			
LB015: North of Harley Close			
Rights of Way: LB015, have urbanisation	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
impacts on Public Rights of Way (PRoW) (in	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
order of highest impact). Consider use green	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
infrastructure to mitigate (Natural England)			2017, nor does it remain in the
Heritage; The local planning authority is	Site LB015 does not perform to an adequate		pool of sites for Bentham.
currently undertaking as assessment about	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
whether Low Bentham should be designated	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
a Conservation Area. This site should not be	the Pool of Sites. The site presents a negative		
identified as an Allocation until such time as	heritage impact, which is a determining		
this evaluation has been completed and the	impediment to selection.		
potential impact upon the Conservation			
Area (if it is eventually designated) can be	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
evaluated.	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		

If the local planning authority concludes that	document.		
Low Bentham should be designated as a			
Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-			
open area and its subsequent development			
could harm elements which contribute to			
the significance of the Conservation Area.			
LB018: Land between Low Bentham Road and	d railway line		
Support: All in-fill sites, far more preferable than expanding onto adjacent farmland	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication
(244)	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains
	Site LB018 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Bentham.
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		·
	Level Analyses. However, the site is relatively		
	large and is in a fairly prominent location on the		
	edge of the settlement, where development may		
	have a greater impact on the wider landscape		
	and where services and facilities are more		
	distant. Land within the site is also of greater		
	agricultural value (grade 3), of some		
	archaeological interest and partly subject to		
	surface water flood risk.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
LB021: Land between Hillside Road and Ellerg	 gill		
Quality of Life; We are concerned that	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
building houses on LB014, a site which has	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
been added since he first draft of the Local	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Plan, will seriously impact on the quality of			2017, nor does it remain in the pool

life of the residents of Low Bentham, particularly those living on Hillside Road. This is particularly so if both LB021 and LB014, which are on both sides of Hillside Road, were to be developed (448,449)

Access: We have a major concern about access to LB021.

If access were to be gained by driving an entrance through numbers 22 and 20 Hillside Road this would go through bungalows which are designed for and occupied by elderly residents, and funnelling cars through these bungalows would produce a great deal of extra noise and pollution which are bound to be deeply disturbing.

Quite apart from the sharp turn into the field traffic would first have to pass along Hillside Road, a relatively narrow road that is already choked with parked cars. Indeed it is doubtful whether an emergency vehicle could actually get down Hillside Road even now. So an increase in traffic along Hillside Road would raise very important quality of life and safety issues. There are also problems with Burton Road, where pedestrians already face dangerous conditions, as there is no pavement for most of the hill (448,449).

Green Space: At the moment this field is a wonderful green space, bordered on three sides by tall, mature trees (448,449).

Loss of Agricultural Lane; This is agricultural

Site LB021 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate or uncertain road access and a negative heritage impact, which are determining impediments to selection.

The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

of sites for Bentham.

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land, a meadow where sheep			
graze(448,449).			
Biodiversity: Site sustains our local bio-			
diversity including bats, owls and the			
occasional deer (448,449).			
Need: We would question what kind of			
houses it is proposed to build in the field. If			
these are private houses at normal			
commercial prices it has to be said that			
there is no shortage of such accommodation			
in Low Bentham. If it is proposed to build			
low cost social housing for rent, it is clear			
that Low Bentham is not the best place to			
build such housing unless there is going to			
be substantial investment in physical and			
social infrastructure (448,449).			
Listed Building: The loss of this currently-			
open area and its subsequent development			
could harm elements which contribute to			
the significance of the Listed Building. In			
addition, Ellergill House, immediately to the			
south of this area, is a Grade II Listed			
Building.			
Therefore, an evaluation will also need to be			
undertaken of the potential impact which			
the development of this site might have			
upon the significance of this Listed Building.			
(448,449, Historic England).			
LB024: Recreation ground adjacent to Burton			
Planning Application Submitted (464 Parish	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferre
Council)	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
The local planning authority is currently	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th Jun

undertaking as assessment about whether		2017, nor does it remain in the
Low Bentham should be designated a	Site LB024 does not move past a Level 1	pool of sites for Bentham.
Conservation Area. This site should not be	acknowledgement, and the site is not suitable to	
identified as an Allocation until such time as	undergo a Sustainability Analysis. The site has	
this evaluation has been completed	planning permission.	
and the potential impact upon the		
Conservation Area (if it is eventually	The methodology of reassessing this site together	
designated) can be evaluated.	with the actual assessment is set out in	
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	
If the local planning authority concludes that	document.	
Low Bentham should be designated as a		
Conservation Area, the loss of this currently-		
open area and its subsequent development		
could harm elements which contribute to		
the significance of the Conservation Area.		

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: GLUSBURN AND CROSSHILLS

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan (ideas relating to change/site identified or not as a preferred site)
SC003			
Housing should be built on sites SC037 and SC003. We would actively support this due to the benefits that not only Cross Hills residents would get but also those of the wider neighbouring communities. Steeton and Eastburn would also see a reduction in traffic which they are going to need if all the proposed development in the area goes ahead. In support of sites SC037 and 3 this would provide much needed infrastructure which to date has not been forthcoming despite numerous housing developments being constructed in the close locality.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC003 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as the site is landlocked and has no access to an adopted highway. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.
SC004 3.3.12.1 Land of least environmental	The need of sites identified in the Draft Local	No	Site is not identified as a
value: SC058, SC059 and SC085 contain priority habitat (see below). SC004 (partial), SC016 (partial) SC037, SC058, SC061 and SC085 are all liable to flooding (Natural England).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC004 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, however it does not	INU	preferred housing site in the Pre- Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.

SC014	pass all four District Level Analyses, this is due to the size of the site, this site would not be able to provide an affordable housing contribution and therefore is not deemed to be as favourable as other sites identified within Crosshills and Glusburn. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Waterco have prepared the attached report to inform our representations to the current consultation in the meantime. The key findings of the attached report include that: • Greater than 0.1 hectare of the site is located outside of the extreme 0.1% annual probability flood extent and should therefore be considered as Flood Zone 1. • Mindful of the above, an update to the EA model/flood map is required. • Mitigation measures such as localised land raising could designate additional land within the site as Flood Zone 1 (potentially 100% of the site), without increasing flood risk elsewhere. (558)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC014 does not move past Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site does not contain at least 0.1 hectares of land that is at the lowest risk of flooding (Flood Zone 1). The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.
3.3.12.1 Land of least environmental	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a

value: SC016 (partial) are all liable to flooding English Nature. The local planning authority is currently undertaking as assessment about whether Glusburn should be designated a Conservation Area. This site should not be identified as an Allocation until such time as this evaluation has been completed and the potential impact upon the Conservation Area (if it is eventually designated) can be evaluated. (Historic England)	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC016 does not perform to an adequate standard within the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as the site is landlocked by a ransom strip and therefore access cannot be gained. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		preferred housing site in the Pre- Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.
The site is elevated and any development would adversely impact on the appearance and character of the village. (243) It is currently green space and should remain so (243) The traffic from the site would also add to congestion Old Hall Road and in Crosshills and Glusburn as commuters head for the A629 for Skipton, keighley stations (243, 284, 320, 254) Traffic would impact on the "Clean Air zone" (284) We are extremely concerned about flooding and drainage, the potential for it to affect the residents already here could be a real issue that we have never had a problem with. (284, 320) Among the wildlife that live in these	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC034 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Crosshills and Glusburn, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. Although the site is a positive one for development, there are more preferable brownfield sites within Crosshills and Glusburn. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.

fields (which are green belts) and the	June 2017 document.		
lovely views, one of the residents has			
seen great crested newts which are			
protected (284, 320, 254			
The schools are at full capacity (243,			
284, 320			
Cross Hills Group Practice is large and			
patients struggle to get appointments.			
Airedale Hospital is still having a bed			
crisis in May (284, 320)			
The local planning authority is currently			
undertaking as assessment about			
whether Glusburn should be designated			
a Conservation Area. This site should			
not be identified as an Allocation until			
such time as this evaluation has been			
completed and the potential impact upon			
the Conservation Area (if it is eventually			
designated) can be evaluated.			
If the local planning authority concludes			
that Glusburn should be designated			
as a Conservation Area, the loss of this			
currently-open area and its subsequent			
development could harm elements which			
contribute to the significance of the			
Conservation Area.			
To the south of the proposed fields there			
is the Grade 2 listed building of Glusburn			
Old Hall, surely this would become			
compromised by new build houses? (320			
SC037			
Housing should be built on sites SC037.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site identified as a preferred
We would actively support this due to the	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to		housing site with development
benefits that not only Crosshills residents	further site assessment and sustainability		principles in the Pre-Publication
would get but also those of the wider	appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th

neighbouring communities. Steeton and	Site SC037 performs satisfactorily in the	J	une 2017.
Eastburn would also see a reduction in	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four of		
traffic which they are going to need if all	the District Level Analyses. After a		
the proposed development in the area	comparison with other Pool of Site options in		
goes ahead.	Glusburn and Crosshills the site is		
In support of sites SC037 this would	considered as one of the Preferred Sites in		
provide much needed infrastructure	this settlement.		
which to date has not been forthcoming			
despite numerous housing	The methodology of reassessing this site		
developments being constructed in the	together with the actual assessment is set out		
close locality (687).	in the Residential Site Selection Process		
This site feels like a much more	June 2017 document.		
appropriate development – access would			
be easier to the A629 and this site could			
therefore support a sustainable increase			
to the size of Glusburn and Crosshills			
without having a direct impact on			
through-traffic in the actual village(s).			
Closer access to the A629 also means			
school choice is wider – Steeton,			
Eastburn, Kildwick and even Silsden are			
all within easy reach (254)			
Area shown on strategic scale desk-			
based mapping to potentially include			
best and most versatile (BMV)			
agricultural land. Due to their scale and			
location on SC037 and SC052 are of			
particular concern but without field level			
ALC surveys it is difficult to assess the			
impact on BMV agricultural land (English			
Nature)			
SC004 (partial), SC016 (partial) SC037,			
SC058, SC061 and SC085 are all liable			
to flooding(English Nature)			

SC052			
Inadequate foul drainage leading to flooding of sewage.(345, 978 Fields below Baxter Wood flood(345, 654, 978) Roads and trains overcrowded(345, 978 Baxter Wood is inadequate; narrow and constraints by on street parking.(345, 654, 687, 699, 978	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC052 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. SC052 is outweighed by negatives and neutrals compared to positives.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2027, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.
Access from Cononley Road to Baxter Wood is inadequate(345, 654, 687, 699, 978	The methodology for assessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Development would increase congestion on Station Road.(345, 654, 687, 699, 978			
Development would lead to loss of public footpaths .(345, 654, 699, 978			
Services in Cross Hills are inadequate.(345, 978.			
Loss of agricultural land .(345, 978 3.3.12.8 Soils and Agricultural Land: Area shown on strategic scale desk- based mapping to potentially include best and most versatile (BMV) agricultural land. Due to their scale and location on SC037 and SC052 are of particular concern but without field level ALC			

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surveys it is difficult to			
assess the impact on BMV agricultural			
land. However we consider that in the			
context of Craven, where BMV			
agricultural land is not widespread we			
would question whether sites SC037 and			
SC052 should be assessed as '—' in the			
Sustainability Appraisal with regards to			
SA objective 10, unless ALC surveys			
can be provided that suggest otherwise			
(English Nature)			
Development would be outside the			
village boundary .(345, 978			
Development would be visually			
detrimental .(345, 978			
Existing and proposed development			
should be adequate for the needs of			
Crosshills .(345, 978			
Development on greenfield sites is			
contrary to Government policy .(345, 978			
Loss of area for Public			
Recreation/Removal of valued habitat			
(699, 978)			
The proposed development at Site			
SC052 is in a green wedge. It would			
almost fill the gap between Cross Hills			
and Farnhill/Kildwick and would			
constitute large-scale development			
beyond the settlement boundary			
removing the individual character and			
identity of the settlements (654, 265,			
699, 716, 978).			
SC058/SC059/SC060/SC085	1		
Support: Malsis Ltd	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes and No	Sites SC058, SC059, SC060 are
Development will restore Listed	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to		not identified as preferred
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2016 (550) Support (243, 664) Concern over impact of traffic (243, 664) Concern over impact on infrastructure (664)	and SC065 to create SC085. Site SC059 does not move past Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site has been combined with SC058, SC060 and SC065 to create SC085. Site SC060 does not move past Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site has been combined with SC058, SC059 and SC065 to create SC085. Site SC085 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes three of the four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Crosshills and Glusburn, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
Concern about impact on wildlife on the	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	No	Site is not identified as a

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site (177, 238, 234)	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Site has been flooded in the past	further site assessment and sustainability		Publication Draft Craven Local
(177,238, 234, Natural England)	appraisal.		Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site
Impact of development on traffic (177,			therefore remains in the pool of
238	Site SC061 performs satisfactorily in the		sites for Glusburn and
Malsis Hall is a Grade II Listed Building.	Sustainability Analysis, it also passes all four		Crosshills.
In order to demonstrate that the	of the District Level Analyses. After a		
allocation of this area is not incompatible	comparison with other Pool of Site options in		
with the requirements of the NPPF, as	Crosshills and Glusburn, the site is not		
part of the Evidence Base underpinning	considered suitable as one of the Preferred		
the Plan there needs to be an	Sites in this settlement. The site is situated		
assessment of what contribution this	within Flood Zone 3a and has surface water		
currently-undeveloped area makes to	problems to the south, in order to gain access		
those elements which contribute to the	to the site and begin development a number		
significance of this Listed Building and	of trees would have to be removed. Therefore		
what effect the loss of this site and its	this site is not favourable compared to other		
subsequent development might have	identified sites within Crosshills and		
upon those significances (Heritage	Glusburn.		
England)			
	The methodology of reassessing this site		
	together with the actual assessment is set out		
	in the Residential Site Selection Process		
	June 2017 document.		
SC071		1	
Access to Cross Hills Road [from	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	No	Site is not identified as a
Cononley Road] dangerous	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Access to Baxter Wood unacceptable	further site assessment and sustainability		Publication Draft Craven Local
Increased risk of surface water flooding	appraisal.		Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site
Baxter Wood			therefore remains in the pool of
Loss of area for recreation	Site SC071 performs satisfactorily in the		sites for Glusburn and
Loss of footpath	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four of		Crosshills.
Infill of green wedge between Cross Hills	the District Level Analyses. After a		
and Cononley	comparison with other Pool of Site options in		
Problem of foul water drainage Baxter	Crosshills and Glusburn, the site is not		
Wood	considered suitable as one of the Preferred		

Traffic congestion Station Road Loss of agricultural land Development outside village boundary Visual Impact Existing development should be adequate SC081	Sites in this settlement. Although this site is a positive piece of land for development there are other more preferable brownfield sites within Crosshills and Glusburn. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
This piece of land would extend the confines of the settlement westwards in a linear fashion. It appears as a standalone development, which is clearly outside the settlement. Between the site and the next building (Dog and Gun PH) is a car park and a piece of undeveloped land, further highlighting the visual separation between the Public House and that particular piece of land.(704) The case for extending the built area would in any event, achieve very little in terms of making a realistic and substantive contribution to the overall supply of housing in the Borough. It would be more logical to consider the allocation of sites which are more centrally placed in relation to the facilities and services offered by the village. (704) Indeed, were this site to be allocated, it could present a realistic precedent to further development on the car park to the Public House, which would serve	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC081 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass all three of the four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Crosshills and Glusburn, the site is not considered suitable as one of the preferred sites in this settlement. This is due to the size of the site; this site would not be able to provide an affordable housing contribution and therefore is not deemed to be as favourable as other sites identified within Crosshills and Glusburn. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.

only to artificially extend the edge of the			
settlement further westwards in an			
incongruous fashion (704).			
SC083			
The site lies at the very western extremity of the built settlement of Glusburn and comprises open countryside which rises to the South East. Planning application ref 32/204/14668 was refused on appeal on 17 February 2015. The Inspector concluded: "the proposal would harm the character and appearance of the countryside and would represent relatively sporadic and isolated development". "However, all in all, I conclude that the adverse impact on the countryside would significantly and demonstrably outweigh that benefit in this instance and, taking all aspects of sustainability into account, would not represent sustainable development" It can be inferred that a development for a greater number of dwellings as is now envisaged, would only serve to intensify and consolidate the above identified harm.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC083 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as the site is subject to a ransom strip. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Glusburn and Crosshills.
The allocation of this site would effectively amount to an incongruous and oddly shaped incursion into the			
open countryside, introducing in depth development to the housing along Colne Road, where none exists at present and			

appearing notably out of character with		
the pattern and form of built		
development at this point.		
There is no footway fronting the southern		
side of Colne Road in the vicinity of this		
particular site, rendering it extremely		
dangerous for pedestrians and those		
with prams and wheelchairs to attempt to		
navigate towards the village centre. This		
matter cannot be addressed because the		
northern elevations of Bridge End House		
and Bridge End Cottage directly abut the		
carriageway of Colne Road rendering it		
impossible to introduce a footway at this		
point. This is a further major detractor		
from the allocation of this site in		
sustainability terms.		

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: INGLETON

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
IN006			
Any encroachment into the Ingleton Conservation Area is unnecessary and should be avoided. The site provides essential car parking, reducing congestion and improving ease of access for residents and tourists.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site IN006 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Ingleton, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria under the	No	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June –July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
	Sustainability Appraisal, and then when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. The presence of the Ingleton Conservation Area is noted, and the site's potential development		

IN010	should be sensitively and appropriately designed with this in mind. The site is owned by Craven District Council, and is viewed as a prime, town centre brownfield site for potential residential development. During a weekday visit to the site in 2016, there was just a singular abandoned vehicle on the site.		
Small-scale development of an appropriate scale in this location has the potential to enhance the setting of the conservation area, the viaduct and the street scene as the entry into the village (the National Park boundary runs along the opposite side of the road).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site IN010 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Ingleton, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria, and when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. There is agreement with the site response opposite. Small-scale residential development of an appropriate nature has the potential to improve and enhance the setting of the	No	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.

	conservation area, the viaduct and the entry into Ingleton from the northwest.		
IN015			
The site has urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider use of green infrastructure to mitigate.	The points on urbanisation impacts on PRoW and the use of green infrastructure are noted. Planning Permission approved (45/2016/17387) for residential development on the site. Hence, site not to be taken forward.	no	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June –July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work. Site now has planning permission.
IN022			
The site has urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider use of green infrastructure to mitigate.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site IN022 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site does not have an existing suitable access. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. The points on urbanisation impacts on PRoW and the use of green infrastructure are noted. The majority of the site is in FRZ1, but it is recommended that any future development be concentrated on the eastern area of the site as large areas of the western section are in FRZ2. There is a medium to high surface water risk on parts of the site. The site does not have a	No	Site not identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work. The site is not in the pool of sites.

	connection to an adopted highway.		
IN028	<u> </u>		
IN028 and IN029 are taken together - close	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan	No	Site identified as a preferred site
range views into this large site are relatively	of April 2016 has been subject to further site		for housing in the June – July 2017
limited from within the National Park due to	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		consultation following further site
the topography of the land and mature tree			assessment and sustainability
cover although from certain vantage points	Site IN028 performs satisfactorily in the		appraisal work.
it will be seen as a significant enlargement	Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of		
of the village. These views are not	the District Level Analyses. After a comparison		
considered to be harmful to the setting of	with other Pool of Site options in Ingleton, the		
the National Park as they would be views	site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred		
down into the village. For similar reasons it	Sites in this settlement.		
is unlikely to affect views into the National			
Park from southern vantage points to a	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
harmful degree. Any views of development	with the actual assessment is set out in		
would be seen in the context of the wider	the <u>Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.</u>		
village, which is positioned on much lower,			
relatively level ground compared to the	This site has performed well when assessed		
steeply rising hills on the flanks of the	against site assessment criteria, and when		
National Park above.	compared to other sites included in the pool of		
The site has urbanisation impacts on	sites.		
PRoW. Consider use of green infrastructure	The construction of the state of the state of		
to mitigate.	The comments on the views into the site from		
	within the National Park are noted. It is		
	recommended that only a portion of this site be		
	utilised, an area of land in the northeast of the		
	site, bordering existing residential development.		
	The northwest of the site has built heritage elements which warrant protection, and the		
	remainder of the site to the south has		
	biodiversity and open countryside elements		
	where it is not desirable to locate residential		
	where it is not desirable to locate residential		

	development under this Local Plan.		
	The points on urbanisation impacts on PRoW and the use of green infrastructure are noted.		
IN029			
IN028 and IN029 are taken together - close range views into this large site are relatively limited from within the National Park due to the topography of the land and mature tree cover although from certain vantage points it will be seen as a significant enlargement of the village. These views are not considered to be harmful to the setting of the National Park as they would be views down into the village. For similar reasons it is unlikely to affect views into the National Park from southern vantage points to a harmful degree. Any views of development would be seen in the context of the wider village, which is positioned on much lower, relatively level ground compared to the steeply rising hills on the flanks of the National Park above. The site contains priority habitat woodland consider retaining/improving any woodland on this site. The site has urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider use of green infrastructure to mitigate.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site IN029 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Ingleton, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria, and when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. The comments on the views into the site from within the National Park are noted. It is recommended that only a portion of this site be utilised for residential development, namely a central-west portion, adjacent to existing residential development.	No	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
	It is not desirable to locate residential		

IN049	development on the remainder of this site as the site contains large amounts of open countryside, and also some woodland habitat which should be retained. The point raised regarding the site having potential urbanisation impacts on the PRoW is noted, and this is further reason why the large majority of the site should not be developed under the Local Plan proposals.		
The site is shown as 'also local green space' but this should not be so since the general public have never had rights of access to the site. Such designation would also severely hamper the development potential of the site (which is relatively small).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site IN049 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Ingleton, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria, and when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. The site is no longer shown as a site for local	Yes	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.

	green space. The site is a village centre site which		
	has good potential for residential development.		
IN050			
The site has urbanisation impacts on PRoW.	The point regarding potential urbanisation	No	Site not identified as a preferred
Consider use of green infrastructure to	impacts on the PRoW is noted.		site for housing in the June – July
mitigate.			2017 consultation following further
			site assessment and sustainability
			appraisal work.
General			
With a potential of 450 houses, albeit	Consultation with infrastructure providers is		
phased in, I would like to see an	ongoing throughout preparation of the Local Plan		
assessment/plan for the development of	to ensure that representatives of the key services		
additional facilities to support these extra	such as health and education are aware of the		
households e.g. school, doctors, and shops.	growth planned in Craven over the next plan		
Provision of green space/corridor for wildlife	period. The aim of this process is to ensure that		
and community enjoyment. Carbon neutral	the Local Plan and the delivery and longer term		
properties built.	management plans of such providers is aligned.		

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: GARGRAVE

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
GA004			
In fill sites which lessen impact on the village. Currently Neville House Brownfield Site – Chosen site for Neighbourhood Plan & supported by the village. These would be natural extensions of the existing more recent housing and are outside the conservation area. There is an existing road for access and are not in sight from many existing houses Achieved 108 on site assessment score on page 31 of Gargrave Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan (November 2015). I support the reuse of brownfield site with minimal impact on infrastructure and character of village. GA004 (site of NYCC Home for the Elderly) Neville House, Neville Crescent 19 Houses proposed. The number of houses on this site should be reduced and perhaps homes suitable for the elderly should be considered. Even excluding 50% of GA017 (which –	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site GA004 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Rathmell, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria, and then when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. Agreement – this is an infill, brownfield site with potential residential development which would lessen the impact on the village in comparison	No	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017.

according to the 1999 plan -- appears to be a flood risk) these sites [GA004, GA017, GA031] would provide about 4 Ha which is sufficient for 120 homes. These are in addition to the 29 already allocated at G2/4 on the NDP.

Object

Why do these spaces need to be filled in? Spaces are what they are space without space there is no freedom to move to escape all these things that are vitally important

If sensitive considerate development took place I would support this site.

Low density would be supported.

The Neville House site is a valuable asset to the community and should not be redeveloped. The green open space is vital to maintaining the character of the village. with some other available sites.

Acknowledgement that this site is a chosen residential site under the draft Gargrave Neighbourhood Plan.

North Yorkshire County Council has stated to the Planning Policy team that they are currently looking at a replacement site for Extra Care units in Gargrave. This is a brownfield site in the village centre and an appropriate density is expected to take advantage of the sustainable modes of travel which this site can encourage.

It is not appropriate to comment on combinations of sites outside of those proposed in the draft Local Plan, and the possible number of houses they may contain.

Regarding the comment on spaces, site GA004 is not an empty space, but has a current care home for the elderly. North Yorkshire County Council have expressed their intention to move on from this site, and accommodate Extra Care units elsewhere in Gargrave.

Sensitive development of this site in terms of design is encouraged. A residential density appropriate to a brownfield site in the village centre is recommended.

As stated, North Yorkshire County Council has expressed their intention to move on from this

	site, and accommodate Extra Care units elsewhere in Gargrave.		
GA005	1		
Building on this site would create new dwellings very close to existing dwellings.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site GA005 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Appraisal, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. Potential for undesirable cumulative effects if all of the site developed, in terms of increasing traffic onto the already busy narrow roads of Church Lane and Pennine Way. This is a built area of Gargrave with its own urban characteristics within the Conservation Area. Access from Church Street is unacceptable due to no visibility to the north.	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. The site is not in the pool of sites for Gargrave.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. Agreement – the site is largely surrounded by a dense concentration of existing dwellings.		
Negative impact of building new properties within the conservation area. Increased traffic would cause blockages on Church Street and prevent traffic from crossing the bridge.	The potential impact on the conservation area is noted, as is the likely increased pressure on Church Street. This is already a quite busy intersection, from site visit inspection.		
Any building on this site would spoil the	Agreement – it is not thought desirable to change		

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development here is not appropriate in this part		
of the village, which has a largely separate		
character to the rest of Gargrave.		
The site is not immediately adjacent to the canal.		
The open green space which this site contains is		
valuable in the context of the local built		
environment.		
The additional traffic which would be generated		
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	character to the rest of Gargrave. The site is not immediately adjacent to the canal. The open green space which this site contains is valuable in the context of the local built environment.	under the Local Plan's Preferred Sites. The point on the site being one of the two remaining 'home crofts' in this part of the village is noted. Agreement that residential development here is not appropriate in this part of the village, which has a largely separate character to the rest of Gargrave. The site is not immediately adjacent to the canal. The open green space which this site contains is valuable in the context of the local built environment. The additional traffic which would be generated by development of the site may be excessive for

disproportionate development		
Good Access.	Potential accesses may be formed.	
All the above sites are outside the "settlement boundary" as shown on the	The 'settlement boundary' referred to in the plan issued by Gargrave Parish Council is not	
plan issued by Gargrave PC and should not	something which the Craven Local Plan is	
be approved for further residential or	required to adhere to when choosing the most	
commercial use. The village of Gargrave is	appropriate residential sites for Gargrave.	
unsuitable for further large scale	Development of this site could not represent	
development as the infrastructure is already	'large scale development' due to its size.	
over capacity.		
Sites on outskirts of village where	There is no residential development on this site.	
development has already started, so impact		
is lessened.		
Object Strongly	The references to development alongside the	
Development alongside the canal would	canal are noted, although this site is not located	
change the whole nature of the village.	immediately adjacent to the canal.	
Once development started it would be		
difficult to contain. We saw much flooding in		
this area in the winter which may become		
more common.		
Traffic joining A65 from Church Street is	It was noticed during a site visit in 2016 that	
already heavy and at peak times traffic is	traffic was already reasonably heavy along	
tailing back the length of the bridge on Church Street increased traffic would make	Church Lane.	
this narrow bridge a danger for both walkers and drivers alike.		
Access problems. Flood Issues. Again I	The Craven draft Local Plan is in agreement with	
object most strongly to the urbanisation of	Gargrave's draft Neighbourhood Plan regarding	
this village. Gargrave Parish Council have	GA004 and GA031, two sites chosen for	
spent 3 years in a democratic process to try	residential development by both plans. This site	
and get the best possible plan for the	is not to be chosen for such development.	
village. Is CDC now going to override this	is not to be snown to bush development.	
democratic process? Maybe a legal		
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challenge couple be implemented.		
The occasional grazing was discontinued in	The references to previous uses and maintenance	
2012 following damage to surrounding	are noted. There is no intention to put forward	
fences and tree hedge planting on the croft	this site as a Preferred Site.	
itself. In all practical terms the croft is now		
an extension of the gardens to Bell House		
and The Hollies and should be recognized as		
such in the new Plan.		
4. Conclusions – Designation of		
the land as LGS will create more problems of		
uses and maintenance. We would suggest		
that the site is well-protected by its status		
within the Conservation Area and will object		
strongly to any suggestion to increase the		
level of protection to Local Green Space.		
The site is generally given positive support	The observations on Flood Risk and Heritage	
apart from 2 issues:	Assets are both noted.	
SO9: Flood risk - 95% in Zone 1, never been		
affected by flooding in living memory. No		
formal flood risk assessment has been		
carried out by any practical inspection		
demonstrates little risk – the site is 2 to 3m		
higher than the Riverside properties to the		
north and well above the formal Greens		
flanking the River Aire (which do flood		
regularly).		
S12: Heritage Assets/ Archaeological		
Interest – both limited in scope. The site is		
mainly surrounded by the backs of		
properties all partially screened by fencing		
and hedges and adjoins The Hollies (grade II)		
and the Church Yard. The archaeological		
interest relates to human remains		

discovered when the Vicarage was built in the 1950's; this was on a limited area and since then no further remains have been discovered. A formal Archaeological Report submitted following investigation as part of appl.ref 30/2013/13571, the Vicarage Extension copy available if required. Summary of Issues and Recommendations – P12 – Support/Comment: Highways: development of the site has always been anticipated in 2 sections, the western end accessed from Church Street (with the added advantage of being able to improve the access to Riverside) and the eastern end from Church Lane. The problem with Church Lane is not one of volume (a traffic survey was included with appl.ref. 30/2014/14091 and is available if required). Problems arise when having to pass the occasional heavy farm vehicle; an additional refuge was provided at the rebuilt site entrance in October 2013, much closer to where the HGV's come into view which has eased the problem considerably. Mitigation and Recommendations – P12 – Support: Measures 5a & 5b are accepted. It is also suggested that measure 6, very good accessibility to key services and public transport to be included. **Summary & Conclusions** Introduction – We are

generally in support of the overall		
objectives, methodology etc as set out in		
the Craven Local Plan consultation		
documents (draft 5/4/16).		
Our principle concerns relate to Gargrave		
and in particular to site GA005, partly		
owned by Mrs Anne Clark and the possibility		
of this being designated as 'Local Green		
Space' (LGS).		
2. Draft Neighbourhood		
Development Plan – Prepared by the Parish		
Council and distributed for consultation in		
autumn 2015. This document introduced		
the proposal for several open areas within		
the Village boundary to become LGS and		
had many shortcomings including:		
- References to sites were		
inconsistent and confusing		
- Sections of previous		
consultation documents which did not agree		
with the objectives had been omitted		
- Incorrect assumptions has		
been drawn from some of the analysis		
Representations objecting to the LGS		
proposals were made in December 2015; a		
copy is attached.		
3. Current Position – Site GA005		
was originally the 'home croft' attached to		
Church Gate Farm which ceased farming in		
the 1960's. From then and up to approx.		
1985 the land was used as a domestic croft		
connected to The Hollies. Over the last 25-		
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30 years the land has been effectively		
disused, occasionally grazed – 'mobile grass		
cutters' as a favour by a local farmer. The		
occasional grazing was discontinued in 2012		
following damage to surrounding fences and		
tree hedge planting on the croft itself. In all		
practical terms the croft is now an extension		
of the gardens to Bell House and The Hollies		
and should be recognized as such in the new		
Plan.		
4. Conclusions – Designation of		
the land as LGS will create more problems of		
uses and maintenance. We would suggest		
that the site is well-protected by its status		
within the Conservation Area and will object		
strongly to any suggestion to increase the		
level of protection to Local Green Space.		
Object		
Church Lane is not suitable to accept		
increased levels of cars. This green space is		
the only one of its kind in the middle of the		
village. The whole ambience of Church		
Street/ Church lane would be affected.		
GA005 P24 of "Gargrave Pool of site options		
with potential for residential or mixed use –		
Object: This site is one of the two remaining		
"home crofts" in the ancient part of the		
village - a conservation area. It should be		
preserved for the character of the village. It		
also has poor access for housing use.		
Strong concerns re 1) Infrastructure -		
surrounding drainage / risk of surface water		
flooding 2) Roads - congestion: road already		

busy (Church Street) with local, commuter,		
agricultural; cyclists and horse riders 3)		
Access to site - present access was I		
understand not officially agreed to / several		
accesses to houses near present access / risk		
of accident 4) Aesthetically unsympathetic		
in heart of "heritage" type housing /		
damaging ambience of Gargrave to locals		
and visitors alike. Strongly support		
designation as Green Space.		
Near church idyllic spot beautiful village		
surrounded by Grade II Listed Buildings.		
Lovely walks part of cycle network. Pennine		
way. Please do not spoil the village Take		
heed of the GPC Plan		
3.3.11.3 Rights of Way: GA005, GA014 and		
especially GA28, GA30 could have a		
landscape impact		
on the Pennine Way. Although GA023,		
GA029 and GA031 aren't next to the		
Pennine Way, there		
could be a landscape impact from these		
allocations. GA017 and GA031 could have an		
urbanisation		
impact on other PRoWs. Consider use green		
infrastructure to mitigate.		
Destroy areas that have always been "green		
spaces". Part of the attraction of the village.		
Reasons for coming. Do not go against the		
GPC plan. Do not be party to destruction of		
a beautiful village and go against the wishes		
of the people.		
Neighbourhood Plan – GA005 – Support –		

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We agree with the neighbourhood plan and		
green spaces. As the site GA005 is classed as		
a croft and heritage site and planning		
permission on it has already been refused.		
We hope this continues.		
Conservation Area – the site is a narrow		
strip sandwiched between the formal Village		
Greens and the Church Yard, formal green		
spaces which do make a 'strong'		
contribution to the CA. The site at best can		
be described as making 'some' contribution.		
This has already been thrown out on		
Appeal! Keep as Local Green Space please.		
I'm shocked and surprised to see this site as		
mixed potential housing/green space. I		
have recently exchanged contracts on half		
this site and am due to complete in the not		
too distant future. The full site does not		
have the capacity to both be for residential		
use and green space given its limited size.		
Surrounded by a number of listed buildings,		
the beautiful vista in provides from the path		
from the south to the north of the village		
and the vital role it plays in retaining the		
village character, would mean development		
would erode one of the core pieces of land		
giving the village it's character.		
In addition, I was paid a visit by the owner of		
the other half of the site. There were a		
number of concerning messages about the		
wish to develop the land to make significant		
financial gain. However, this would not be in		
the near term until the overage the church		

on the land had expired and the		
vidual could reap maximum financial		
t concerning was the rather worrying		
st that he was in contact with members		
ne craven planning team and that those		
ners did not want the green spaces of		
grave identified to be designated as		
n space. This worried me greatly that		
consultation is pre-judged and that		
e may be influence in order to achieve		
ndividual's financial gain. I have a record		
ne conversation and a number of		
uments he left with me should this need		
e investigated. This and the potential		
t to affect my current purchase and lose		
ney would cause me to need to consider		
options should the decision be made		
ch does not reflect the best use of space.		
n Space – states that the site 'is not to		
esignated as Local Green Space' (our		
or concern); the 'Outcome' concluding		
ion indicates that 'the site is presently		
tified as a potential Local Green Space		
gnation.		
statements are obviously in digb rect		
radiction. And we feel it is worthwhile		
siting the original LGS Methodology for		
essing Sites.		
1 – No existing Planning Consents.		
gnated 'Agricultural' in the 1999 Plan.		
land was last in agricultural use in the		
O's; originally the home croft to Church		

Gate Farm, later taken over by Church Close Farm. For the last 50 years the croft has been used in connection with The Hollies (domestic paddock and occasional grazing), sections have been sold off for residential uses (the Vicarage, Bell House, Fletchers Barn); corners have been trimmed to improve access to Riverside and Goffa Mill and the land encroached into by Riverside boundary hedges. The land area is now approximately 60% of the original croft – see Site Plan OS4 attached. Test 2 – Proximity to the community they serve. The site is within easy walking distance of the Village Centre, the Railway Station and other amenities. Whilst this fulfils the LGS criteria, it also makes it an ideal site for a limited number of small retirement homes which many local people drew attention to in response to the Parish Council's October 2015 public consultation. Test 3 – Local in character / not extensive. The croft is the remains of an agricultural field, original area 0.48 hectares (1.19 acres), now reduced to 0.30 hectares (0.74 acres). Test 4 – Can the site be shown to be 'special' Beauty: Generally accepted criteria for assessing the quality of an 'Open Space' within a town or village would include the

following –		
- use / functional role within the built-up		
area		
- spatial characteristics (important gaps or		
spaces)		
- providing a setting for LB's or other		
important features		
- providing a setting for other frontage		
buildings		
- trees and other natural features		
- views, either of features within the village		
or hills beyond		
The Croft is a very ordinary piece of		
grassland surrounded by the backs of		
houses partially hidden by miscellaneous		
walls, hedgerows and fences in various		
states of repair; the site provides for none of		
the amenities listed.		
Historic Significance : Not relevant		
Recreational Value : The croft is private land		
with no public access.		
Tranquility : Not relevant		
Richness of Wildlife : Not relevant.		
Other Reason: There is an element of		
nimbyism especially objections from the		
Riverside neighbours to any form of		
development. The site is well protected by		
its Conservation Area status and ignoring		
any residential development, the site could		
be used to improve local deficiencies,		
improving the access to Riverside, providing		
rear access to the Church Street properties		
(currently parking on the road) and possibly		

parking for the Church which would			
presumably be prevented by LGS			
designation.			
If designated, can the LGS be sustained			
beyond the Local / Neighbourhood Plan			
periods: Maintenance of the Eastern			
section of the croft currently costs between			
2 & £3,000p/a. When the Parish Council put			
forward their proposals for LGS sites in			
October 2015, they were asked if they			
would be taking over the maintenance of			
these community assets – the answer was 'NO'.			
Whilst we will continue to maintain the			
Church Lane section for the time being, it is			
unlikely to be undertaken by future owners -			
the Church street section is now owned by			
parties living outside the Village. When such			
sites are not connected to farmland on-			
going maintenance is likely to become a			
major problem; the sites will become			
valueless and are likely to degenerate into			
'Urban Wastelands'.			
GA005 - object to possibly being designated			
Local Green Space.			
GA009			
Accessibility for the site referred to as	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Site identified as a preferred
GA009 is totally unsafe with regard to traffic	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site with development
movements and speed flow. I have been	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		principles in the Pre-Publication
dealing with the Police for some time on this			Draft Craven Local Plan of June
matter, so far without success.	Site GA009 performs satisfactorily in the		2017.
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		

They have provided a graph showing the excess speed of vehicles passing both of the proposed access points - these being in a 30MPH restriction without control or monitoring on any regular basis. This road is totally unsafe for current residents.

The building of houses in the eastern section of the proposed site in incompatible with the surrounding area.

The units would be out of the current line and contrary to the local landscape. The centre access section between the 2 sites renders the parcel of land to the south of the line unusable for current agricultural activities.

The only means of access to this part of Eshton Road, Gargrave is via two listed bridges one to the west of the site and the other to the east. The amount of increased traffic will have a detrimental effect on these bridges together with an increased level of accident potential. The bridge on the east of the site access suffers from chronic congestion currently; the building of units on this scale will create an unacceptable gain in congestion and is therefore not compatible with current road safety requirements.

This land is not a proposed housing site in the Gargrave Neighbourhood Development Plan. Generally it has poor accessibility to services. Has identified flood risk issues. Some policy constraints; it is identified as Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Settle the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. This site should not be completely developed over its whole land area due to the current FRZ3 zone in the southern part of the site, adjacent to the canal. This is Grade 3 agricultural land which is of importance. Potential for community recreational use adjacent to the canal to the southern boundary. It must be noted that North Yorkshire County Council are looking at the potential for Extra Care units on the site.

The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

Special Landscape Area in the adopted Development Plan. It does not relate well to the village and the open land in the southern part of the site is important to the rural setting of Gargrave and to views of the National Park from the village and key amenity corridors, notably the Leeds and Liverpool Canal. There would also be a significant increase in traffic on Eshton Road and its listed canal bridge. The village has identified sites sufficient for the needs of the village in its Neighbourhood Development plan and this should be the development option going forward. Use the Gargrave NP sites. These are sustainable and fulfill Gargrave's strategic housing requirement, therefore no need to allocate this site. Clause 185 of the NPPF says not to duplicate the process. The site has flooding risks as identified by the EA. As there are other sites, as identified in the Gargrave NP, which are at lower risk of flooding and more sustainable. GA009 fails when treating flooding sequentially. By using the low flood risk area only the risk of flooding on the other areas increases. The Local Plan accepts this by requiring SUDS and flood risk assessment. This is not treating flooding sequentially and risks indescriminate planning applications from other sites which flood, particularly the cricket pitch site.

By including this site in the LDP Craven are		
resetting the acceptable sustainability score		
in the Gargrave NP. This increases the risk		
of indiscriminate planning applications for		
sites not included in the Gargrave NP, which		
have the same or higher scores.		
So far as GA009 is concerned we object on		
the following grounds: -		
1. The proposed development will be		
visually intrusive when viewed from		
Yorkshire Dales National Park, the boundary		
of which is very near, and also visually		
intrusive from the Leeds-Liverpool canal.		
2. Access is from Eshton Road where it		
may not be possible to achieve satisfactory		
sight lines. We have seen the results of a		
survey made by the police earlier this year,		
the highest speed was almost twice the limit		
on Eshton Road, which is 30 m.p.h.		
Substantial vehicular traffic will be created		
by the proposed development, to the		
detriment of road safety.		
3. We are seriously worried about		
flooding. Our property has been flooded		
twice and just avoided it on Boxing Day		
2015. The proposed development will		
inevitably have substantial areas of hard		
surfacing thus potentially increasing the		
flood risk.		
4. The proposed development will be		
an intrusion into open countryside and will		
destroy the open aspect of the fields to the		

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rear of the properties on Eshton Road		
originally constructed by the West Riding to		
serve as small holdings, and will be		
detrimental to the character of the area.		
5. The proposed development will		
increase vehicular traffic on Raybridge Lane		
which is already very busy (often being by		
vehicles unsuited to a narrow Dales road)		
and subject to drivers travelling at an		
unsuitably high speed. There is no footpath		
along Raybridge Lane which is also used by		
many pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders.		
The risk of accidents and injury to anyone		
walking or riding along Raybridge Lane will		
be increased because of the extra traffic.		
Immediately on our boundary (along		
Raybridge Lane is the narrow, steep and		
blind bridge over the canal, already the		
scene of many and frequent accidents.		
Yours faithfully		
CJ Varley IJ Varley		
Other – The southern part of the area		
adjacent to the LL canal should, as shown,		
not be developed. This to preserve the		
character and aspect of the canal.		
Other – This area next to the canal should		
not be developed.		
Part of site floods but remainder would be		
an excellent location for extra care		
provision. Do not support for housing		
though numbers sufficient in GA004 &		
GA031 would result in over development of		
the village.		

I wish to object to the inclusion in the list of
Preferred Sites for Housing of GA009 (land
off Esthon Road) on the basis that, in
consultation with North Yorkshire County
Council, the Neighbourhood Planning Group
has identified another site on Marton Road
which is more suitable for the care home
provision sought by North Yorkshire.
Access
The accessibility for the site referred to as
GA009 is totally unsafe with regard to traffic
movements and speed flow. I have been
dealing with the Police for some time on this
matter, so far without success.
They have provided a graph showing the
excess speed of vehicles passing both of the
proposed access points - these being in a
30MPH restriction without control or
monitoring on any regular basis. This road is
totally unsafe for current residents.
Eastern Aspect
The building of houses in the eastern section
of the proposed site in incompatible with
the surrounding area.
The units would be out of the current line
and contrary to the local landscape. The
centre access section between the 2 sites
renders the parcel of land to the south of
the line unusable for current agricultural
activities.
Sewerage

The sewerage system on Eshton road -			
North of the canal was constructed in the			
mid 1950's.			
t was designed to accommodate 6 pairs of			
semi-detached, smallholding houses. The			
method of moving this sewerage over or			
under the canal, will be of a size to			
accommodate the requirements at the time.			
It will not accommodate 50 new dwellings.			
Infrastructure			
There are no places left in the local school			
for additional children.			
The doctor's surgery cannot currently cope			
with the demand for appointments.			
There are no shops other than a co-			
operative store.			
There is an inefficient and unreliable public			
transport system to other towns, trains that			
do not always stop or return, the bus system			
ooks to be a temporary measure to fill the			
gap left by the original company going out			
of business.			
There are no facilities to buy fuel for cars			
that have to be used on a general basis.			
GA009 & GA022			
Added adverse effect on canal users.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan	No	Site not identified as a preferred
Proposals will change the nature of	of April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
Gargrave as an attractive tourist village with	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
the economic drawbacks this would entail.			2017. The site remains in the pool
	GA009 has been discussed above.		of sites.

Site GA022 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. This is a prominent site on the settlement's northwestern edge and sensitive design would be required. It is also among the closest sites to the National Park and it is a site that is not required at this time given the other options available.

The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.

GA009, GA017, GA022, GA027, GA028, GA029, GA030, GA031, GA032

All of the above sites are outside the "settlement boundary" as shown on the plan issued by Gargrave PC and should not be approved for further residential or commercial use. The village of Gargrave is unsuitable for further large scale development as the infrastructure is already over capacity.

The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.

No

The methodology of reassessing these sites together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

Whether SHLAA sites are inside or outside the aforementioned 'settlement boundary' does not restrict the choosing of sites by the draft Local Plan.

GA009 has been previously discussed.

GA009: Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017.

GA017: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA022: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan

GA017

Site GA017 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time. The majority of the site is in FRZ1, but areas of FRZ3 exist on the northern portion of the site, with high risk of surface water flooding in this area. A sub-division of the site would be necessary to allow only a portion of this site for dwellings for reasons of flood risk. A sub-division is also necessary in order to reduce the impact of increased traffic on Church Lane, and allow a setback from the creamery on the site's western boundary. The existing lanes to the north and southwest of the site's boundaries have the potential to be upgraded to accommodate vehicles.

GA022 has been previously discussed.

GA027

Site GA027 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time. The site performs well regarding having a low flooding risk, and may be suitable for some small-

of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA027: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA028: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA029: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA030: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

GA031: Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017.

scale residential development. Any development would need to be sensitive to existing surrounding dwellings. Access is available onto Eshton Road, but is considered difficult as there is poor visibility to the south.

GA028

Site GA028 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time. All of the site is in FRZ1, but has a medium to high surface water flooding risk on its northern boundary. Possibility for the site to be assessed for Local Green Space to occupy part of the site, considering the adjacent Leeds-Liverpool canal. This is a site within the Conservation Area, and also development here would represent a fresh precedent in terms of residential development north of the canal in this area of Gargrave. There is enough frontage at the site to make visibility acceptable (Mark House Lane). If access was made off Chew Lane, a bridge may be required.

GA029

Site GA028 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time.

GA032: Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017. The site remains in the pool.

Medium to high surface water flooding risk in the northeast area of the site, but majority of site in FRZ1. This is a site within the Conservation Area, and also development here would represent a fresh precedent in terms of residential development north of the canal in this area of Gargrave. Possibility for the site to be assessed for Local Green Space to occupy part of the site, considering the adjacent Leeds-Liverpool canal. There is an existing stream in the northeast area with rough grassland which has biodiversity value, and should be protected from any development - this area coincides with the area of high surface water flood risk. Visibility for access is considered acceptable.

GA030

Site GA028 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time. A prominent site which, if developed in full, has the capacity to have a significant impact on the town given the site's relatively large size. The majority of the site is in FRZ1, but medium to high surface water risks exist on various localised areas of the site. Development here may be dependent on the sites GA028 and GA029 being allocated for development. Visibility is acceptable off Mark House Lane.

	Site GA031 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. GA032 Site GA032 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement at this time. The site performs well regarding having a low flooding risk, and may be suitable for some small-scale residential development. Any development would need to be sensitive to existing surrounding dwellings. Access is available onto Eshton Road, but access may be considered difficult as there would seem to be poor visibility to the south.	
GA009, GA022, GA027, GA032		
If these sites were developed a large green	The point of preserving a large green corridor to	
corridor should be preserved to the north of	the north of the canal is noted.	
the canal. [Swans often congregate on these fields].	GA009, GA022, GA027 and GA032 are all	
neiusj.	discussed in the previous section.	
- Eshton Rd – Ray Bridge are all Country		
Roads. They have a better chance of road		

widening - & new sewer constructions. But the village is a traffic hasing now. Sites on outskirts of village where development has already started, so impact is lessened.	
Sites on outskirts of village where development has already started, so impact	
development has already started, so impact	
is lessened.	
These sites were not shown on the GPC	
plan. They have much to commend them for	
the following reasons:	
More access for traffic onto Eshton Road	
and Ray Bridge Lane.	
New appropriate drainage and sewer	
systems can be constructed	
It is not objected to by GPC	
Well outside village boundary well into rural	
green space.	
Too large an area of development for	
houses although could offer employment	
potential for a small site.	
As a whole this area far too big for	
development. Infrastructure of village	
definitely would not support development	
of that size.	
This is also a lovely aspect. Taking away our	
green fields is terrible. We love our village!	
against these developments: Massive	
intrusion into the field network on this side	
of the village outside village boundary.	
Too many houses for the infrastructure to	
support school, doctors, drains, water	
supply etc. also flooding.	
Development on these sites would again	
spoil yet more views of the countryside and	
peaceful walks along the canal tow path.	

GA009, GA027, GA022, GA032, GA029, GA028,GA030				
These sites would generate traffic (additional) on to either Eshton Road or Ray Bridge Lane or West Street/Mark House Lane, none of which are suitable for extra local traffic. Eshton Road is 24ft at full width, with restricted width (due to residents parking) of 18ft. The bridge on Eshton Road is 18ft wide. These widths do not allow two vehicles to pass. The excess traffic would create a safety hazard for children going to the playground.	GA009, GA027, GA022, GA032, GA029, GA028, and GA030 are all discussed previously.			
These sites are included in the Gargrave NP and have been identified through a thorough quantitative assessment process and have been consulted on extensively already.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site GA010 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Appraisal, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. There is no existing access to the site, either from the site's northern boundary (existing dwellings) or the site's southern boundary (large expanse of agricultural land). The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is not in the pool of sites for Gargrave.	

GA028, GA029 & GA030		
All these sites have very serious issues with	GA028, GA029 and GA030 are previously	
road capacity & access with narrow &	discussed above.	
	discussed above.	
limited village bridges. All these sites		
unnecessarily extend the village boundaries.		
All these sites are an inappropriate and		
unnecessary extension of the village		
boundaries.		
These sites are identified as LGS in		
Gargrave's NP using the methodology		
requested by Ruth Parker for CDC. These		
sites should be included in the Local Plan as		
LGS as the Local Plan is progressed following		
this consultation on preferred sites for		
housing.		
Whilst not preferred these sites should be		
removed from the SHLAA. They should be		
LGS as in the Gargrave NP.		
Sites GA028 and GA029 offer a more		
sustainable location, close to the village		
centre. These being larger sites which can		
add betterment to the village in terms of		
providing open space and community		
facilities.		
Objection to GA028 and GA029 being in the		
Conservation Area: Sites GA028 and GA029		
should be removed from the Conservation		
Area boundary. This land has no buildings on		
it there is no public access. It has no place		
within the Conservation Area which is at the		

other side of the canal. It does not affect		
views or any aspect of the Conservation		
Area.		
It should have the same status as other land		
on the periphery of the village.		
The normal Planning Procedures and Acts		
will govern how this land is used and the		
designation as a Conservation Area is		
inaccurate, misleading and not within the		
guidance.		
GA014		
Object	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan	Site is not identified as a preferred
Would spoil view of village and church from	of April 2016 has been subject to further site	housing site in the Pre-Publication
Marton Road	assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017.
		It remains in the pool of sites for
	Site GA014 performs satisfactorily in the	Gargrave.
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District	
	Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with	
	other Pool of Site options in Gargrave, the site is	
	not considered suitable as one of the Preferred	
	Sites in this settlement at this time. Sensitive	
	design of any future residential development	
	would be required due to the site's location in	
	the Conservation Area, and its proximity to the	
	church to the southwest. The site has the	
	potential to contribute positively to the existing	
	built character of this part of Gargrave.	
Near church idyllic spot beautiful village		
surrounded by Grade II Listed Buildings.		
Lovely walks part of cucle network. Pennine		
way. Please do not spoil the village Take		
heed of the GPC Plan		
3.3.11.3 Rights of Way: GA005, GA014 and		

especially GA28, GA30 could have a		
landscape impact		
on the Pennine Way. Although GA023,		
GA029 and GA031 aren't next to the		
Pennine Way, there		
could be a landscape impact from these		
allocations. GA017 and GA031 could have an		
urbanisation		
impact on other PRoWs. Consider use green		
infrastructure to mitigate.		
Object		
These are two green araes [with GA023]		
which need to be preserved and are shown		
as such on the GPC plan and your local		
green designation plan.		
Object		
Both these locations provide an openess to		
the village providing good natural views and		
openess to an already crowded part of the		
village. A crowded part that is alleviated by		
having these beautiful green spaces.		
Road access to both GA014 & GA023 is of a		
higher standard to that of any of the other		
proposed sites within Gargrave, both		
leading out onto Marton Road / Church Lane		
which in turn have access to the High Street		
or commuters can turn left towards		
Broughton in order to meet the A59.		
Neither of these sites are known to have		
flooded in recent history unlike many of		
those proposed (or GA030, GA029 & GA028		
which regularly flood). Neither of these		
sites are on the areas very popular with		

walkers / biker riders / horse riders and		
therefore will not impact on pedestrian		
safety or tourism in the village nor are they		
in areas of outstanding beauty within the		
village. Both areas have been developed		
slightly over the past couple of decades with		
new houses on Marton Road and Church		
Croft estate.		
Road access - lack of footpaths - width of		
road.		
Negative impact of building new properties		
within the conservation area. Site is at the		
narrowest part of Marton Road.		
Unacceptable traffic levels & significant		
safety risk.		
Again significant local green space		
Transport/Access		
This site (and GA023) was identified as		
Green Space in the Gargrave LP. This now		
appears to be reversed in the CDC plan and I		
am most concerned that this has happened.		
1. The approach to the village via the		
Pennine Way, traversed by many thousands		
over the years, over the ancient drumlins		
towards the church and pub is the most		
beautiful approach to Gargrave which		
should be protected.		
2. Approach to the site via the corner		
at the Masons Arms from Marton Road will		
be a real issue given the current traffic		
problems.		
Destroy areas that have always been "green		
spaces". Part of the attraction of the village.		

Reasons for coming. Do not go against the GPC plan. Do not be party to destruction of a beautiful village and go against the wishes of the people. Suitable for extra burial ground? Or keep as green space. For obvious reasons, well documented elsewhere, these 3 sites for development would destroy Gargrave as a visitor attraction and damage the environment. GA031			
Neighbourhood Plan Chosen Site Popular with the village. These sites are included in the Gargrave NP and have been identified through a thorough quantitative assessment process and have been consulted on extensively already.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site GA031 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Gargrave the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017.

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: BURTON IN LONSDALE

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
The village needs to ensure that it adopts a housing policy which allows it to maintain facilities by having the required number of houses and hence population in the village. Developments are not proportionate to	Agreed. The June 2017 draft local plan policy SP4: Strategy and Housing Growth identifies Burton In Lonsdale as a tier 4a settlement (village with basic services). The proportion of housing growth identified for Burton is 0.4%, which equates to 1 dwelling per annum. The proposed	Yes	Proportion of development in Burton reduced to reflect adjusted OAN and housing requirement for Craven.
Development likely to be too rapid due to allocation of two large sites in a small village	housing allocation in Burton would yield 15 dwellings. Draft policy SP4 included in the April – May 2016 draft Local Plan set the proportion of housing growth identified for Burton at 1.2%, which equates to 3 dwellings per annum. The level of housing growth planned for Burton is therefore reduced to reflect an overall reduced Objectively Assessed Housing Need (OAN) and housing requirement for Craven.		
Inadequate infrastructure in the village.	The perception of a lack of infrastructure noted. Burton in Lonsdale is identified as a tier 4a settlement (village with basic services). The proposed growth will help support the maintenance and potential enhancement of infrastructure provision.	No	
Additional of impact of additional cars.	Assessment of potential site allocations has been informed by consultation with NYCC Highways. The site preferred for housing allocation is considered suitable in highway terms and is within walking distance of the village centre.	No	

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan	
Concern about over supply of second homes and too few affordable homes	Draft local plan policy H2: Affordable Housing sets out how affordable housing will be provided. The draft Local Plan does not include policy to influence the purchase of new homes for second homes. Control of second homes within the existing housing stock falls outside the scope of the planning system.	Yes	Draft Local Plan Policy H2: Affordable Housing has been amended.	
BU001 - West of Ireby Road, Burton in Lonsdale.				

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
In principle, this may be seen to be the more appropriate area of the two proposed, as it is adjacent to (relatively) new housing; the visual impact might be less than that on the BU013 site (147) Location We note BU001 is outside the current (Local Plan 1999) development limit and the designated Conservation Area. These limits were designated to protect the existing environment (both built and natural) from inappropriate development. This has	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BU001 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. There is unacceptable access due to poor visibility and there are no footway links into the village. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Burton.
ensured Burton in Lonsdale has retained it special character. (147). Scale/Density	document.		
The full site BU01would be attractive to a medium scale builder and indeed could accommodate over 100 properties if the full site at a proposed Craven average density of 50/hectare was used. It would be helpful if the proposed area for use and the density was outlined (507)			
 Traffic,/access Ireby Road is narrow, and has no pedestrian footways beyond the junction with the A687. At the junction with the A687 it is a single lane. Any increase in traffic from the new houses will have to go through the 			

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required	Changes made to the plan	
		to the local plan		
		(yes/no)		
BU008 - Land between Ireby Road and Mill Wood, Burton in Lonsdale				

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
We feel that the development of BU008 would enhance the development of BU001 (628). Access Ireby road, single track with passing places, the south exit onto the A687 is dangerous. (3723). (628) Traffic BU008 is at the wrong end of the village to access main roads. Any increase in traffic from the new houses will have to go through the centre of the village, making worse an already severe problem with traffic. (373). Topography; BU008 is on a steep bank (628) Impact on Listed Buildings (628) Agricultural land BU008 are greenfield sites, Grade 3 agricultural land, there are brownfield sites which would better fulfil the planning criteria.	This site was not identified in the pool of sites within the April 2016 draft Local Plan. When assessed in preparation of the June 2017 Pre-publication Draft Local Plan site BU008 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The access road serving the site is unsuitable for serving a development of this scale (NYCC Highways). The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017, nor is it included does in the pool of sites for Burton in Lonsdale.

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
BU009 - Land to the east of Burton Hill, Bu	urton in Lonsdale.		
BU009 - We find it difficult to understand that BU008 is not being considered when the same supposed difficulties apply to BU0013 off Brookland. BU009 is situated next to the Village Recreation Field which is within the village. Keep these two sites BU008 and BU009 within the Local Development Plan (628)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. The site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site is not located within, adjoining or adjacent to the village of Burton. The site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017, nor is it included does in the pool of sites for Burton in Lonsdale.
BU012 - Richard Thornton's CE Primary Sc	hool, Burton in Lonsdale		
Objection to exclusion of this site: Access is better than BU001 and BU013 The site is already developed Failure to allocate the site could lead to deterioration of the Listed Buildings (Parish Council, 27, 251 147, 535)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BU012 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other site options in Burton in Lonsdale, the site is considered suitable as a Preferred Site in this settlement.	No	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan of June 2017.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
	document.		
BU013 - Land to the east of Brooklands, Bu	rton in Lonsdale		•

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Support:	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication
Danial Thwaites confirm that they own the land and it is available for development (624)	assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BU013 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Burton in Lonsdale.
The site is not affected by any statutory designations.	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as it has no direct access onto the adopted road network.		
The site benefits from an existing access point off Brookland. Initial feedback from the Highways Officer is that there would be no objection to this on the grounds of traffic generation	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Development would be an opportunity to create a new area of open space/walkway along the line of the stream.			
It is much closer to the village centre than BU01 and more suitable than BU01. (507)			
Objections:			
The original 1986 planning application (5/15/77) for 14 detached houses was refused at appeal. The original objections included unsuitable access road, restricted visibility at the exit to Burton Hill, river bank erosion, concerns about extra waste water			
production, and unneighbourly development. Little has changed since that time (147).			
²⁵⁷ Flood Risk:			

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: BRADLEY

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
Implications for the Neighbourhood Plan Bradley Parish Council has spent considerable time and expense undertaking a Neighbourhood Plan and have recently undergone a public consultation exercise of the draft plan. It has identified sites that may be allocated, based on earlier consultations of the CDC Local Plan. The Neighbourhood Plan has provided Development Briefs for 3 sites that would deliver sufficient housing for Bradley's needs over the next plan period. However, the latest CDC SA assessments dismiss two of the three sites in the Neighbourhood Plan and propose a further 4 sites for inclusion in the Pool of Sites. It is disturbing that CDC officers have not been able to work more closely with the Neighbourhood Plan group. This renders much of the good work done on the Neighbourhood Plan abortive and will result in additional costs and delay in its production/adoption (540).	Paragraph 184 of the National Planning Policy Framework states that; "Neighbourhood plans must be in general conformity with the strategic policies of the Local Plan. To facilitate this, local planning authorities should set out clearly their strategic policies for the area and ensure that an up-to-date Local Plan is in place as quickly as possible. Neighbourhood plans should reflect these policies and neighbourhoods should plan positively to support them" The draft Neighbourhood Plan was published for consultation at roughly the same time as the 2 nd draft of the Local Plan and has been taken into account in selecting preferred sites. However 2 of the sites put forward in the Neighbourhood Plan are not acceptable given impact on Conservation Area, existing access and flooding issues. BR016 has been accepted as a preferred site. Additional discussion has taken place between the Neighbourhood Plan Group and Officers.	Yes	Draft Neighbourhood Plan site BR016 identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.

BR002: Holly Tree House and land to the real	BR002: Holly Tree House and land to the rear		
BR002: Holly Tree House and land to the real Support in preference to BR016. Houses already behind Skipton Rd adjacent to this site and permission for some the other side so it would infill. Would not be as visible as development of BR016 (630) Access: The Bradley neighbourhood planning group considered that this site should only be developed if a joint access was made with BR001. The present access to the site BR002 is on Skipton road almost directly opposite the	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as it has no direct connection/frontage to a highway maintainable at the public expense.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Bradley.
main entrance to the Primary School. There is a genuine cause for concern at any increased lateral traffic movements into Skipton road at this point. (255, 505, 505, 646) Amenity: Building on this site would dominate the view both into and out of the village, detracting from its current natural beauty (255)	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

BR004: East of Skipton Road adjacent to Mi			
Support Seems a good site. A safe way in	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
could be via the Methodist	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
Church car park (moving the car park			2017, nor does it remain in the pool
beside/behind the church) (630)	Site BR004 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Bradley.
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites as visibility to the right, from the		
	access point is restricted by the existing building,		
	therefore an access up to NYCC standards would		
	not be able to be formed. The site is also located		
	within Flood Zone 2 and 3 areas to the north west		
	and plays a strong contribution to the character		
	and appearance of the area.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
BR005: South of Lidget Road			
Support: Seems a good site for	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	No	Site is not identified as a preferred
development. There is no public access to it	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to		housing site in the Pre-Publication
and it is not even visible from most of	further site assessment and sustainability		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
Skipton Road with ground level/bank.	appraisal.		2017. This site therefore remains
Building has happened on 2 sides already	appraisa		in the pool of sites for Bradley.
(630)	Cito DDOOF and forward actinform with in the		
Flood Risk: I also have concerns regarding	Site BR005 performs satisfactorily in the		
possible flooding. Without this grassy area	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four		
acting as a sponge, more of the housing	District Level Analyses. However, after a		
downstream" would have been damaged	comparison with other Pool of Site options in		
more than it was. (549, 561)"	Bradley, the site is not considered suitable as		

BR006: Land of West Ings Lane I believe that this will have minimal impact	one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement as it is an open greenfield site in the middle of the village which makes a strong contribution to the Conservation Area. Residential development of this site may be inappropriate in the context of Bradley's current housing requirements. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document. The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool
on the overall appearance and feel of the village.(549, 630,561) The BR006 site lies within the village conservation area, maintains the integrity of	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR006 does not move past a Level 1	163	housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool
the set aside view of the old mill as you enter the village from the main road (630,637)	acknowledgement in the residential site selection process, and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site has an overall		of sites for Bradley.
It is a flood risk area (630,637). ID Civils produced a flood risk appraisal for the landowner.	site size less than 0.1 hectares, and/or cannot accommodate five or more dwellings.		
 There is no historical record of fluvial flooding. Flooding may be possible from 	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
north of the site to the south parallel to Ings Lane	document.		
Falls across the site are relatively steep and do not form a flood plain			

If a corridor of land adjacent to Ings Lane			
was left open the site could be developed			
Access: I object to any proposal to build an			
access road across the front face of the Mill			
as this would:			
(a) destroy the unimpeded view of the Mill			
for all villagers and visitors as they enter the			
village from the main road,			
(b) obstruct the view for Mill residents in the			
10 flats on the south-west side, particularly			
for ground floor residents, and			
(c) likely create annoying permanent night-			
time street light pollution for residents on			
the south-west side. (478, 630,637)			
BR007: South west of Matthew Lane			
Support:	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
The site will provide an opportunity to	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
create recreational space to the south west	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
of the site, adjacent to the existing cricket			2017, nor does it remain in the pool
ground which would include access to the	Site BR007 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Bradley.
canal bank	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
Support Access:	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
The road is as wide as or wider than Skipton	the Pool of Sites as the site does not have enough		
Road by site BR016 and Skipton Road has	frontage available to create a safe access to NYCC		
loads more traffic.	standards, the site also provides a strong		
Visibility is good and access off Matthew	contribution to the character and appearance of		
Lane has been used for development	the area.		
before. (505, 540, 630).			

Report prepared by Sanderson Associates Highway Consultants which confirms that a suitable access is achievable	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Object: Access would presumably be via Matthew Lane. This is narrow and confined by walls which make pedestrian access hazardous (549, 561).			
BR008: Land at College Farm			
Support: Even with narrow access a small no of houses could be built (630).	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR008 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as it has no direct connection/frontage to a highway maintainable at the public expense.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Bradley.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

BR011: Land to east of College Road	,	,	
Site good but should use all to infill between	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
existing houses (630)	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
This site was previously refused planning	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June
permission on the grounds of not preserving			2017, nor does it remain in the pool
or enhancing the character of Bradley's	Site BR011 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Bradley.
conservation area. At appeal (1991) the	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
Inspector rejected the application	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
The development of this site would cause	the Pool of Sites as the site does not have enough		
substantial harm to the setting of College	frontage available to create a safe access to NYCC		
House, a Grade II listed former farmhouse	standards. The site also provides a strong		
Divorcing this former farmhouse from the	contribution the character and appearance of the		
agricultural land which it once served would	area.		
prevent the historical significance of the			
building from being understood. (151, 221,	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
255, 409,412, 488, 540,542, 645, 869)	with the actual assessment is set out in		
Development will exacerbate traffic	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
problems on College Road. It is as narrow as	document.		
four metres in width and has no footway on			
either side. It now serves as access to			
around thirty 30 dwellings. (151, 210, 221,			
255, 273, 409, 412, 488, 540, 645, 869)			
An evaluation will also need to be			
undertaken of the potential impact which			
the development of this site might have			
upon the significance of this Listed Building			
(Heritage England)			
The proposed site appears to pay no regard			
to this landscape character and would result			
in a modern, regimented housing estate			
type layout bolted onto the end of the			
village. Development would "tower" over			
this area of Bradley and the character and			

6.1.1
appearance of this conservation area would
be lost forever. (409)
Problems with drainage of surface water on
College Road from the fields at higher levels
which finds its way onto farm tracks beyond
College Crescent and eventually onto
College Road. The flow then continues
downhill where it causes problems in the
low point of the village. Any development in
the fields above College Road would only
exacerbate the existing problems (151, 255,
273, 869
3.3.3.1 Rights of Way: BR011, have
urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider
use green infrastructure to mitigate (English
Nature).
The trees in the ghyll have significant
amenity value as they are clearly visible in
medium to distant views into the village and
they support wildlife such as bats and owls
which are protected under the Habitats
Directive (2010).(255, 540, 542, 869)

The accompanying plan shows the whole of			
the site put forward for allocation which			
totals some 0.663 Ha. At an average density			
of 30 dph this would yield some 19			
dwellings but it is not clear what CDCs			
recommendation of restricting development			
to the western part of the site would have			
on the scale of development possible (540,			
542).			
Access to the site would result in the loss of			
a 2m high stone wall in the Conservation			
Area. This wall forms an important sense of			
enclosure marking the divide between the			
developed part of the village and the			
agricultural land beyond.(255, 542)			
Noise - There would be a significant increase			
in noise generated by the increases in			
vehicular movements (365).			
If this site was to be developed then houses			
would have to be of a type and design			
appropriate to the site and its surroundings.			
Surely affordable housing, by definition,			
would not be appropriate on the site (412)			
BR012: Land to west of Aire Valley Drive			
Support: support the developing this site,	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	No	Site is not identified as a preferred
particularly the W (sloping) section. You can	Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
get access by the canal and at the top corner	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
of Aire Valley Drive. Alternatively			2017. This site therefore remains
demolishing a unit in Aire Valley Drive could	Site BR012 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Bradley.
give access – given the number of houses	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
possible it would pay a developer to do this.	Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with		
Like site BR007 traffic from development	other Pool of Site options in Bradley, the site is		
here could be encouraged to use Ings Lane	not considered suitable as one of the Preferred		

and reduce pressure on Skipton Rd. There would be less impact visually to village as a whole by developing here (630).	Sites in this settlement as other sites in Bradley perform better when the site assessment process is applied. Residential development of this site would represent a significant extension to the village which may be inappropriate in the context of Bradley's current housing requirements. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
BR013: Land south west of Crag Lane	1		1
Support (630)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Site is not identified as a preferred
Access Crag Lane is a narrow winding hill with no clear view of oncoming traffic from either direction, and no passing places,. In winter the road becomes icy from water runoff from the fields. When the A629 is closed, Crag Lane is used as a diversion. Lack of passing places results in gridlock. The Bradley neighbourhood development plan has already discounted this site. [Objectives 2.3] Access at any point to and from this site will be dangerous (301, 488, 505,645, Bradleys Both PC) Loss of agricultural land (301, 542) Development of this site does nothing to protect and enhance the open countryside and wider landscape character (SO14) (301). This site lies in the Low Bradley	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR013 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Bradley, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement as the site makes a strong contribution to the character of the Conservation Area and other sites in Bradley perform better when the site assessment process is applied. Residential development of this site may be inappropriate in the context of Bradley's current housing requirements. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Bradley

Conservation Area. The loss of this currently undeveloped area and its subsequent development could harm elements which contribute to its significance. (Heritage England) BR014: Land south of Silsden Road Support (630)	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
BR014 has access problems Silsden Road climbs steeply out of the village. It is narrow without passing places, set between high sided banking. Part way up there is a blind double bend. There have been accidents here. It is a road which needs great care to drive along (262, 505, 645) Rights of Way: BR011, BR014 and BR016 all have urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider use green infrastructure to mitigate Agricultural use: A positive score cannot be justified for this when it involves developing	4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR014 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites as the site does not have enough frontage available to create a safe access to NYCC standards and the site provides a strong contribution to the character and appearance of the area. The methodology of reassessing this site together	ies	housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Bradley.
a field currently used for agriculture and when other similar sites (BR013, BR012) are considered to have a negative effect (540,542, 540, 640) Drainage. During the storm events at the end of 2015 the site deposited large volumes of water downward towards the village and this resulted in overtopping of the boundary wall with Silsden Road. Any development of the site would therefore potentially exacerbate the flood risk to properties lower down in the village (262, 505, 542)	with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		

This site lies in the Low Bradley Conservation Area. The loss of this currently undeveloped area and its subsequent development could harm elements which contribute to its significance. (531) BR016: Land to the west of Gilders and Langh	nolme, Skipton Road		
Support: This would seem to accommodate the required number of houses for Bradley and would appear to have the least effect on surrounding properties This site is located in a position which affords direct access to the A629 and the A 6131 at Snaygill. It is convenient for the Primary School, Bus Stop, Village Shop and open fields to the rear. Traffic approaching from Ings Lane can reach the development via Aire Valley Drive or Heath Crescent. Thus not adding to the through Village congestion. Access to the site can be positioned advantageously on a straight section of Skipton Road. The provision of a pedestrian footpath in Skipton Road along the front and side of the site would be essential. (229, 322, 549, 505, 645,561) The build would result in the loss of views which could adversely affect the residential amenity of neighbouring properties. (255,630,674, 629) There would be increased traffic on an	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site BR016 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Settle the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.

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what would be the perimeter of site BR016.		
We live in hope that if building was to		
go ahead, every effort would be made to		
save this from felling (629)		
Site is Grade 3 Agricultural Land (630, 674)		
Houses on this side of Skipton Rd are large		
and on large sites. Development of this site		
would be out of character, size, density		
and would move the building line up the hill		
(630).		
We also feel that properties on site BR016		
once built would not fall into the		
'affordable' category and therefore would		
not align with Craven Council's current		
housing strategy (629).		

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: RATHMELL

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
RA001			
We note this could be viewed as infill however, the loss of Grade 3 or Best & Most Versatile Land outweighs the benefits and the site should be removed. There is a very large and important barn on the roadside and that must not be compromised by unsympathetic development or demolition/modern rebuild. A watching brief on the whole designated area is suggested.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site RA001 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; The site passes all four of the District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Rathmell, the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria under the Sustainability Appraisal, and then when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites.	No	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017.

	It is viewed that this site is indeed of the better infill options available in the SHLAA sites in Rathmell. As the site is relatively large, and given the relatively low housing numbers required in Rathmell, only a portion of the site is likely to be required for housing. The presence of the barn has been noted.		
RA003			
The loss of Grade 3 or Best & Most Versatile Land outweighs the benefits and the site should be removed. On behalf of our client Francmanis Properties we would like to further promote	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. RA003 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability	Yes	Site not identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
a site in Rathmell in relation to the	Analysis and passes all four District Level		appraisar work.
consultation on the Draft Local Plan and	Analyses. It is however not selected as a		
Pool of Sites that are considered suitable for	Preferred Site on this occasion when compared		
development. We set out below a	with other available sites.		
description of the site followed by a			
breakdown of the opportunities and	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
constraints associated with it. We also look	with the actual assessment is set out in		
at the current site assessment and	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.		
how the site is deliverable in the short term.			
Site Description Francmanis Properties own			
approximately 1 ha of	The presence on this site of Grade 3 agricultural		
agricultural land on the north-eastern edge	land has been noted.		
of Rathmell, labelled RA003 within the 'Pool			
of Site Options'. All of the land proposed is	The points raised by Francmanis Properties in		
available for development. The site is	their submission have been noted, and it is		
bounded to the east and west by residential	acknowledged that there is validity and reason in		
development, Hesley Lane to the south and	many of the points raised. For example, we		
open fields to the north. A public footpath	acknowledge the existing access point to the site		
runs in a north/south direction through the	off Hesley Lane, and also that the site is not		

proposed development site and a affected by any statutory designations. We also second footpath is located to the north note the point raised about the requirement (running in an east/west orientation). about the need to try to increase student The eastern portion of the proposed site numbers in Rathmell primary school with new RA003 is currently under consideration by housing in the village. However, given the Craven District Council for the erection for relatively low requirement for housing in three dwellings (ref: 59/2015/15703). This Rathmell under the Local Plan, there are deemed to be more appropriate sites elsewhere in demonstrates the deliverability of the site and the intentions of the client to bring Rathmell to meet the housing requirement at this forward residential time. It is thought that development of this site development on the site as soon as possible. would represent quite a large expansion of The site is not affected by any statutory housing into open countryside compared with designations. There are a number of listed some other available sites, which are deemed to buildings within Rathmell, in particular along represent more appropriate options for infill Main Street to the east. There are no development in Rathmell at this time. reasons why the sensitive development of the site would detract from the special character and interest of these buildings due to the distance of these properties from the proposed development site and the screening they are afforded by intervening properties. There are no site specific ecological designations, and as the site is in agricultural use, there is the potential to enhance the ecological interest of the site through a well-developed landscape strategy. As depicted in the Flood Map below, the site falls within Flood Zone 1 as designated by the Environment Agency and is therefore considered to be at lowest risk of flooding. **Site Opportunities**

There are a number of opportunities		
associated with the site and these are set		
out below: Land Form: The site is		
predominately flat with the land		
rising to the west. It is free from		
contamination, buildings and largely clear of		
trees. Being free from physical		
constraints makes it a clearly developable		
site which can		
contribute to housing supply.		
Designations: There are no site specific land,		
ecological or historic designations. There are		
a number of listed buildings within Rathmell		
although the presence of these would not		
prevent the sites development.		
Location: The site appears as a 'gap' of		
undeveloped land between the main built		
form of the village, along Main		
Street and the cluster of dwellings that		
include Rathmell Primary School to the		
west. It is noted that this 'gap' is not		
planned and has developed through the		
sporadic development of the village. There		
is no planning reason why this gap should		
not be diminished through site sensitive and		
well-designed development. The sites		
development would provide the opportunity		
to deliver housing on land that adjoins the		
village, forming a link		
between the two areas that make up the		
settlement.		
Accessibility: The site benefits from an		
existing access point off Hesley Lane.		

The site is within walking distance of the		
centre of the village. It is a one-minute walk		
away from the War Memorial Bus Stop.		
Rathmell is served by the No. 11 Bus Service,		
which runs between Tosside & Settle and		
Horton		
in Ribblesdale. There are three services a		
day, Monday to Saturday, in both directions.		
As mentioned, Rathmell Church of England		
Primary School		
is to the west of the application site, around		
a two-minute		
walk away. The Primary School is currently		
undersubscribed		
with 30 pupils out of a possible 55 enrolled		
at		
the time of writing. The school therefore is		
operating at		
45% below capacity, compared to the		
national average of		
10.8% below capacity (Source: School		
Capacity 2012,		
Department for Education). The school roll		
could decrease if the population of Rathmell		
continues to age. Providing		
additional housing in the village will help		
support the school and strengthen its links		
with the local community.		
In addition, at a time of paucity of public		
funding, the low school roll could put the		
school's future into jeopardy. This site is		
being proposed by an experienced local		
housing		

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,	reasons why it should not be		

put forward as a 'Preferred Option' in the		
emerging Craven Local Plan.		
Sustainability Appraisal		
Following the council's 'Site Allocation		
Methodology' the site has passed through		
'Stage 6' which recommends		
potential preferred sites. A summary advises		
that: 'The majority of the site is in FRZ1, and		
the site has a low to high risk from surface		
water flooding in some parts of the site. A		
prominent site which would need to respect		
village design patterns. This is Grade 3		
agricultural land. This is quite an open site		
and a significant loss of open countryside		
would occur with full development of this		
site, which may be inappropriate in the		
context of Rathmell's current housing		
requirements.' The subsequent		
Sustainability Appraisal for the site has		
identified a couple of 'Mitigation and		
Recommendations' at site RA003 as follows:		
☐ Code 5b ☐Ground work assessment will be		
required as part of the on-site works to		
investigate areas thought to be		
of archaeological significance. A Council		
recommendation may include sub-division		
of the site to protect these		
specific areas within the site's overall area;		
☐ Code 9 ☐ The site is viewed as being in a		
prominent location, and hence visual		
character with regards to housing density,		
building heights and dwelling design to be		
considered for this sites potential		

development. Prominent		
locations can include sites situated adjacent		
to a key entrance to a town or village, or		
sites on raised ground in		
comparison to surrounding residential and		
employment development.		
It is accepted that the site location is		
prominent and as such development would		
have to follow village design		
patterns. It should be noted that		
prominence does not equate to harm. Many		
of the District's most valued		
buildings may be considered prominent. The		
site is 'open' in nature, however it is		
situated between two areas of residential		
development. The loss of 1ha of countryside		
is not considered significant to the nature of		
the wider area,		
given the great distances between		
settlements within Craven. In light of this,		
the client would be prepared to		
accept an allocation of a smaller part of the site. Such an allocation could include the		
provision of a strategic open		
space to meet the need of the village.		
At site RA003 an appropriate ground work assessment can be commissioned by our		
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client in order to address any		
initial concerns in relation to the potential		
archaeological significance of the site,		
following allocation. As has been established		
in previous representations, there are no		
site specific land, ecology or landscape		

designations, and whilst there are a number		
of Listed Buildings within Rathmell, their		
presence would not		
prevent the development of the site.		
Comparison with Alternative Sites. We note		
that four other sites are being considered as		
housing sites within Rathmell namely:		
RA001 Hollins Croft;		
RA004 Land to south west of Gooselands;		
RA005 Land to		
the north of Fairways, Hesley Lane; and		
RA006 Land to the north of Beautry House,		
Main Street.		
We consider the Francmanis Properties' site		
to have the best location when compared to		
the other four options.		
Sites RA004 and RA005 are considered to be		
'back land' development sites which could		
offer limited contribution		
to housing supply. There would also be		
minimal affordable housing associated with		
such small developments.		
Site RA001 includes what is considered to be		
a barn building within its landholding. The		
surrounding field forms		
the setting of this building and should be		
considered a more prominent open space.		
Development of the		
proposed land would also impact upon a		
number of residential properties that abut		
the site, far more than		
would be impacted through the		
development of the land north of Hesley		

Lane. It is also unlikely that any		
development of RA001 would be able to		
include provision of a footpath linking the		
main village to the school due to		
the presence of a number of residential		
dwellings along the southern flank of Hesley		
Lane. Site RA006 to the southeast of		
Rathmell has an existing		
business on part of the site. The		
development of this land for residential		
dwellings would prejudice against the future		
of this business and its contribution to the		
village. The site		
is also adjacent to the Grade II Listed		
Beautry Farmhouse.		
Any development would have the potential		
to detract from the special character and		
interest of this property by		
virtue of proximity.		
Conclusion: The proposed development site		
comprises agricultural land that will be		
relatively easy to develop and our client		
Francmanis Properties has confirmed that it		
is available in the short term. This is		
emphasised as the client currently has a		
planning application being considered by		
Craven. It benefits from an existing access		
that has the capacity to support residential		
development. It has an excellent		
location within walking distance of the		
village and the services it has to offer.		
Given the above, it is considered that the		
proposed site represents excellent options		

for delivering new, high		
quality housing in Rathmell on a site that		
can be genuinely integrated into the village		
without causing harm to it or its		
surroundings. As a result, the site can be		
considered deliverable and there is no		
reason why it should not be put		
forward as a Preferred Option within the		
emerging Craven Local Plan.		
This site is ideally positioned for the		
development of Rathmell village. It is a very		
convenient location for families with		
children of Primary School age and this		
development would help with its		
sustainability. Mains utility connections are		
within easy reach. There are 6		
metal manhole covers in the field close to		
Hesley Lane giving easy access to the main		
drains. The site does not flood. There have		
been issues with the		
road flooding but this was because of poor		
drainage maintenance on the opposite side		
of the road. This site		
drains well and would easily support		
development.		
Comments have been made stating that any		
development would spoil open views. There		
is actually a new barn to		
the north of the site which dominates views		
from Hesley Lane. There is scope to develop		
the site without significantly affecting the		
views.		
RA004		

Proximity and relation to village indicate that these sites should be viewed as preferable. The Wigglesworth - Settle road which runs through the village is a busy and dangerous road, and school children walking to Rathmell Primary School will be put at risk. Rathmell village could utilise the nucleus of available facilities (the Reading Rooms and Primary School) as a central hub for the community rather than extending the village as a ribbon development along the main road.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. RA003 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. This site has performed well when assessed against site assessment criteria, and when compared to other sites included in the pool of sites. This site is viewed as the best opportunity for largely enclosed, infill development from the site options available in Rathmell. The site is bordered to the north and east by existing housing development, and the site has two existing accesses. The site does not have a frontage onto Main Street. Any proposed development in Rathmell will have at least some residents who will utilise the road referred to in the submission opposite.	No	Site identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
RA005	The control of the city of the Books and the		
Proximity and relation to village indicate that these sites should be viewed as preferable.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site not identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further

	RA003 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed suitable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site does not have a suitable access road at present. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. It is noted that this site is relatively close to the centre of the village. However, the existing track leading to the site from the Main Street would require an upgrade to North Yorkshire County Council standards prior to any development taking place. At present, the access is not to the required standard.		site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
RA006			
Suitable for residential development. Good accesses can be formed and the site is adjacent to existing village development. No requirement for this site due to village housing requirement, would extend the village settlement, site highly visible from the surrounding landscape towards Long Preston, Settle and the Yorkshire Dales	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan of April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. RA003 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in	Yes	Site not identified as a preferred site for housing in the June – July 2017 consultation following further site assessment and sustainability appraisal work.
National Park, A65 and Settle Carlisle Railway area. Given its edge of village position, we would	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.		

suggest an archaeological watching brief on	The possibility of a suitable access being formed	
those parts that have not been built on	for residential development is noted, and how	
before.	the site is adjacent to existing village	
Given its edge of village position, we would	development.	
suggest an archaeological watching brief on		
those parts that have not been built on	The possibility for the site to extend the village	
before.	settlement to the southwest, if all of the site	
	were to be developed for housing, is noted. The	
	potential design of homes would influence	
	visibility of the site from elsewhere.	
	visionity of the site from elsewhere.	
	The request for an archaeological watching brief	
	is noted.	
	is noted.	
	The site has an existing use with horses being	
	kept on the site in a shed at the time of visit in	
	2016. The site is hence thought to be available for	
	residential development in the medium to long	
	term. There are other available sites in Rathmell	
	which are available in the short term and are	
	thought to be more preferable for development	
	for the purposes of this Local Plan. Full	
	development of this site would represent an	
	extension of the village to the southwest along	
	Main Street, which can be avoided by utilising	
	other available sites at this time.	

Site Response Paper by Settlement: CONONLEY

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan (ideas relating to change/site identified or not as a preferred site)
CN006: Station Works, north of Cononley Lar	ne, Cononley.		
Development of this site for quantity proposed in the current proposal represents overdevelopment together with extant permissions (x2). Concerns regarding vehicles and congestion which should be addressed to avoid negative impacts on parking on main road. Land End junction needs consideration. No garage units are proposed to save space and cost. Site has easy access to A629, no need when travelling to Skipton or Keighley to travel through the village. Residents would not have to negotiate railway crossing. Cross Hills Road dangerous for pedestrians as no footway. Cadelisa proposal to build new car park on land not owned by them, question over deliverability of this. New employment space of 15,000 sq. ft. fraction of that currently available, albeit existing is underused as it is not of high quality. Argued by agent that employment space needed to be reduced for viability	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CN006 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. After a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Skipton the site is considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site identified as a preferred housing site with development principles in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

purposes.
Site is brownfield and should therefore be
given priority.
Green fields at rear of site should not be
developed.
Site has been preferred by majority of
village for many years.
Retain the site as the only site for housing or
mixed use in Local Plan.
Potential capacity to be 65 (may be less if
mixed use) but reduce to 50 if committed
site for 15 houses off Meadow Lane is
confirmed.
As per Cononley Neighbourhood Plan,
Council would like to see as the only
preferred site in Local Plan.
Agent representation
Major brownfield site.
Positive pre-application response
from Council.
 Welcome inclusion in pool of sites.
Only brownfield site in village, rare
opportunity.
 Location near to railway station and
short walk from village facilities
adds to sustainability.
 Largest brownfield site in plan area,
in accordance with para 111 of NPPF
- effective use of land by re-using
previously developed land.
Site should only be allocated for
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housing and not employment, with

any employment being treated as			
windfall.			
 Mill building only lends itself to 			
apartments use in terms of market			
housing – potential for significant			
contribution towards housing.			
Recommended 110 dwellings for			
allocation at a density of 50			
dwellings per hectare.			
 Intention to submit planning 			
application for 96 dwellings with			
some employment use.			
CN005, CN014, CN015 (extant permissions)			
and CN006 should be included.			
CN006 will put great strain on existing			
sewerage and other services including			
schools.			
CN009 - Land south east of Crag View, CN011	Land to west of Skipton Road and CN019 - Land a	t junction of Cross Hi	ills Road and railway,:
As there will be oversupply with existing	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Sites CN009, CN011 & CN019 are
permissions and CN006, sites CN009, CN011	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		not identified as preferred housing
and CN019 should not be included (x3).	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		sites in the Pre-Publication Draft
			Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.
	Sites CN009, CN011 & CN019 perform		These sites therefore remain in the
	satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and		pool of sites for Skipton.
	passes all four District Level Analyses, however		
	after a comparison with other Pool of Site		
	options in Cononley, these sites are not		
	considered suitable as Preferred Sites in this		
	settlement. This is due to the allocation of CN006		
	which will cover the housing need for the area		
	and therefore no further sites will need to be		
	allocated for housing within Cononley.		

	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
CN009: Land south east of Crag View	accument.		1
Two previous applications refused and appeal dismissed. The inspector dismissed the appeal on grounds of impacts on the conservation area (x2), ribbon development erode wider countryside setting and openness (x2), clearly visible from surrounding countryside and significant harm to the built and historic environment. Reduced application for 4 houses also refused. Not required as CN006 fulfils need.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CN009 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses, however after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Cononley, the site is not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. This is due to the allocation of CN006 which will cover the housing need for the area and therefore no further sites will need to be allocated for housing within Cononley. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	No	Sites CN009 is not identified as preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Skipton.
	document.		
CN011: Land to west of Skipton Road			
Site is an agricultural field in a conservation area. Prominent location. Not required as CN006 fulfils need.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	No	Sites CN011 is not identified as preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
Would create additional traffic and parking congestion on Skipton Road.	Site CN011 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses, however after a comparison with other Pool of Site options in Cononley, the site is		14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Skipton.

	not considered suitable as one of the Preferred Sites in this settlement. This is due to the allocation of CN006 which will cover the housing need for the area and therefore no further sites will need to be allocated for housing within Cononley. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
CN019: Land at junction of Cross Hills Road a	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		T
Site is opposite CN009 which got refused;	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Sites CN019 is not identified as
same issues here but also flood risk (x2).	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Site in conservation area.	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
Site not in Neighbourhood Plan.			14 th June 2017. This site therefore
Site should be included as suitable, available	Site CN019 performs satisfactorily in the		remains in the pool of sites for
and deliverable.	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		Skipton.
Cononley has good transport links/walkable	Level Analyses, however after a comparison with		
to services and site would make a	other Pool of Site options in Cononley, the site is		
meaningful contribution.	not considered suitable as one of the Preferred		
Site can be developed outside area of flood	Sites in this settlement. This is due to the		
risk.	allocation of CN006 which will cover the housing		
Site can be accessed safely, provide	need for the area and therefore no further sites		
enhanced pedestrian links and footpath.	will need to be allocated for housing within		
Can be developed without harming ecology.	Cononley.		
Site can provide useable area of public open	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
space.	with the actual assessment is set out in		
Comments on SA	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
6.111	document.		
_	document.		
greenfield sites needed within Craven.			
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Heritage ap	praisal has been		
undertaker	as part of planning		
application	(21/2016/16681)		
concludes	ite's development would		
have less th	an significant impact on		
conservatio	•		
 All sites wil 	have an impact on air,		
noise and li	•		
	implications.		

Site Response Paper by Settlement: CARLETON

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan (ideas relating to change/site identified or not as a preferred site)
CA004			
Consider using green infrastructure in order to mitigate any impacts on the PROW. There is an opportunity to link the ancient woodland in the south east to the woodland in the south west. Green infrastructure in proposals CA004, CA005, CA012, CA015 and CA016 could help the area become more permeable to woodland species.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CA004 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed suitable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has a couple of negatives however; it has a double negative in regards to Highways. Highway comments concluded that the site does not include a sufficient frontage to enable an access of acceptable standards to be formed on to the public highway. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Settle.
CA006			
This site meets the tests of deliverability and is suitable for development.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June

	Site CA006 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, and passes all four of the District Level Analyses. However due to the planning permissions granted since 2012, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore further assessment of the site is not required as no sites will be allocated. The site has a couple of negatives but does have two double negatives in regards to Highways and Historic Conservation.		2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Carleton.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
CA012			
Required inclusion of the full land area – not	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
part.	4 th April 2016has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool
	Site CA012 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Carleton.
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is not deemed as sustainable in order to		
	enter the Pool of Sites. Highways comments		
	concluded that the site does not include a		
	sufficient frontage to enable an access of		
	acceptable standards to be formed on to the		
	public highway. The site also provided a strong		
	contribution to the Conservation Area.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		

document.	

Site Response Paper by Settlement: COWLING

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
CW001: Off Wainmans Close, rear of Bannist	er Walk,		
In April 2012, Bannister Wood to the North was designated as Ancient Woodland by Natural England. The pressures that a 92 build development nearby would put on the rich biodiversity of this woodland would be unacceptable. CW001 does bring settlement substantially closer to this woodland. Provision of multifunctional green spaces could help to mitigate any impacts.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CW001 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the four District Level Analyses, however there is uncertainty as to whether there would be a significant effect on the South Pennines SPA & SAC. Due to planning permissions granted since 2012, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore further assessment of the	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Cowling.
The site is outside the built-up area and would have acknowledged access problems - Lane Ends Lane is narrow and already has a collision history and a dangerous junction to	site is not required as no sites will be allocated for housing in Cowling. The methodology of reassessing this site		
the North, while the A6068 at this point has a history of poor driving.	together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June		
Moreover, Lane Ends Lane is bordered to the West by an Important Hedgerow (possessing at least 4 characteristics), lacking any designation to protect it. This land is adjacent to Lane Ends Lane. Development here would extend housing beyond the current limit. The site is close to	2017 document.		

woodland. There are also issues with access onto the main Keighley-Colne Road from			
lane Ends lane.			
Priority Habitat: Proposals not directly on			
priority habitat but upstream of priority			
river habitat, consider impact of water			
quality from any proposal (particularly CW001).			
3.3.8.4 Rights of Way: CW001, has			
urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider			
use green infrastructure to mitigate.			
CW003: East of Dick Lane			
This site is east of Dick Lane. A development of 3 bungalows is currently underway. The development of the site resulted in destruction of ancient hedgerow and was only passed by the planning inspectorate.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CW003 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the four District Level Analyses, however due to planning permissions granted since 2012, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore further assessment of the site is not required as no sites will be allocated for housing in Cowling. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Cowling.

CW004: South of Colne Road, east of Wellbed	ck House		
This site is the preferred location for	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
development within the village. The site is	Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
low grade agricultural land and access is	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
directly on to the main Keighley Road. At			2017. This site therefore remains
2.934 acres the site would allow	Site CW004 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Cowling.
construction of more than the allocation of	Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the		
housing.	four District Level Analyses, however there is		
This is one of the sites whose impact upon	uncertainty as to whether there would be a		
the heritage assets in its vicinity (should it	significant effect on the South Pennines SPA &		
be developed) is currently being evaluated	SAC. Due to planning permissions granted since		
following Historic England's objections to	2012, there are no housing requirements in the		
the last iteration of the Local Plan. This site	area and therefore further assessment of the		
should not be allocated until the results of	site is not required as no sites will be allocated		
that work are finished.	for housing in Cowling.		
The loss of this currently-open area and its			
subsequent development could harm	The methodology of reassessing this site		
elements which contribute to the	together with the actual assessment is set out		
significance of the heritage assets in its	in the Residential Site Selection Process June		
vicinity.	<u>2017</u> document.		
Rights of Way: CW001, CW004, CW005,			
CW006, CW008, CA011 all have urbanisation			
impacts on PRoW. Consider use green			
infrastructure to mitigate.			
CW005: Former sewerage works and adjoining			
This site composes a former sewage works	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
and adjacent land. The area provides an	Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
open semi-wooded amenity. However,	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
limited development close to the main			2017. This site therefore remains
Keighley Road would cause limited impact	Site CW005 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Cowling.
on the area.	Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the		
3.3.8.4 Rights of Way: CW001, CW004,	four District Level Analyses, however there is		
CW005, CW006, CW008, CA011 all have	uncertainty as to whether there would be a		

urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider	significant effect on the South Pennines SPA &		
use green infrastructure to mitigate.	SAC. Due to planning permissions granted since		
Designated sites: The South Pennine Moors	2012, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore further assessment of the		
Phase 2 Special Protection Area (SPA), South			
Pennine Moors Special Area of Conservation	site is not required as no sites will be allocated		
(SAC) and South Pennine Moors SSSI is close	for housing in Cowling.		
to area, increased access could impact on			
these sites. Careful allocation of sites and	The methodology of reassessing this site		
provision of multifunctional green spaces	together with the actual assessment is set out		
could help to mitigate this impact but this	in the <u>Residential Site Selection Process June</u>		
concern will need to be carefully considered	2017 document.		
in the Sustainability Appraisal and Habitats			
Regulations Assessment.			
This site lies within the Cowling			
Conservation Area. This is one of the sites			
whose impact upon the heritage assets in its			
vicinity (should it be developed) is currently			
being evaluated following Historic England's			
objections to the last iteration of the Local			
Plan. This site should not be allocated until			
the results of that work are finished.			
The loss of this currently-open area and its			
subsequent development could harm			
elements which contribute to the			
significance of the heritage assets in its			
vicinity.			
CW006: Between Collinge Road and Cow Lan	e		
This site would suit small scale development	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
of houses in keeping with the surrounding	Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
areas i.e. two storey or bungalow housing.	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
The only issues are access to the site, which			2017. This site therefore remains

would be on to Collinge Road.	Site CW006 performs satisfactorily in the	in the pool of sites for Cowling.
Access	Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the	
 Lingcrag Gardens is a cul-de-sac which is already at full capacity for vehicles and parking has always been an issue. Lingcrag Gardens he always been a safe environment for children and an increase in traffic will make the street more hazardous. Similarly with access from Collinge Road, a popular place for children with a play area makes additional vehicular access a hazard to an already full street 	in Cowling. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	
Rights of Way: CW001, CW004, CW005, CW006, CW008, CA011 all have urbanisation mpacts on PRoW. Consider use green nfrastructure to mitigate		
Land drainage - any building on this land could worsen the already apparent land drainage issues at the rear of the properties on Lingcrag Gardens.		
This is one of the sites whose impact upon the heritage assets in its vicinity (should it be developed) is currently being evaluated following Historic England's objections to the last iteration of the Local Plan. This site should not be allocated until the results of that work are finished.		
The property we have bought has a plot of		

land attached to it that has been put

forward by the previous owners as a potential development site, however the previous owners have sold part of that land to use along with the property (address: Heather Bank, Lingcrag Gardens, Cowling). We write to formally inform you that the site originally submitted (CW006) is no longer available for development, as we have no interest in developing our part of it for housing. CW008: West of Fold Lane, east of Carr Mill			
Whilst this site was ranked second, the Parish Council feels that there are significant issues with how the site would be accessed and increased traffic up Fold Lane, which is unsuitable for increased volumes of traffic. This is one of the sites whose impact upon the heritage assets in its vicinity (should it be developed) is currently being evaluated following Historic England's objections to the last iteration of the Local Plan. This site should not be allocated until the results of that work are finished. Rights of Way CW008 has urbanisation impacts on PRoW. Consider use green infrastructure to mitigate	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site CW008 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, and passes three of the four District Level Analyses, however there is uncertainty as to whether there would be a significant effect on the South Pennines SPA & SAC. Due to planning permissions granted since 2012, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore further assessment of the site is not required as no sites will be allocated for housing in Cowling. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Cowling.

CW011: South of Acre Meadow and Laycock	Fields		
Support for allocation of this site, as it is	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
available, suitable and deliverable as a	Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further		housing site in the Pre-Publication
sustainable housing site. The site is well	site assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
related to existing services and recreational			2017. This site therefore remains
opportunities and has no flood risk or	Site CW011 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Cowling.
known highway safety issues. Issues relating	Sustainability Analysis, and passes two of the		
to the proximity of SPA and SAC to be	four District Level Analyses, however there is		
investigated further.	uncertainty as to whether there would be a		
An extension to site CW011 has been	significant effect on the South Pennines SPA &		
submitted to include the small parcel of land	SAC. Due to planning permissions granted since		
located to the west of site CW011.	2012, there are no housing requirements in the		
The whole of the site now proposed as a	area and therefore further assessment of the		
housing allocation was assessed in the	site is not required as no sites will be allocated		
SHLAA 2013 and classed as a deliverable	for housing in Cowling.		
housing site that passed the Part 1 Checks.			
Part of this site has already received	The methodology of reassessing this site		
consent.	together with the actual assessment is set out		
However, it is felt that further development	in the Residential Site Selection Process June		
of the site would extend the boundary of	2017 document.		
the village beyond the extent of the former			
mill/ garage sites and would blur the green			
boundary around the village.			
Rights of Way: CW011 all have urbanisation			
impacts on PRoW. Consider use green			
infrastructure to mitigate.			

Site Response Paper by Settlement: EMBSAY

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (Yes/No)	Changes made to the plan (ideas relating to change/site identified or not as a preferred site)
EM001			
Review the assessment of this site as it should be included in the Local	The pool of sites identified in the	No	Site is not identified as a
Plan.	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has		preferred housing site in
Mitigation and Recommendation - Factor 2 is required (Flood Risk	been subject to further site		the Pre-Publication Draft
Assessment) and with regard to the Sustainability Appraisal S09 should	assessment and sustainability		Craven Local Plan; 14 th
be PINK (-) and SO8 should be MAROON ().	appraisal.		June 2017. The site
A number of recent planning applications submitted for housing on this			therefore remains in the
site. YDNPA has objected to at least one proposal based on harm to the	Site EM001 performs satisfactorily		pool of sites for Skipton.
Conservation Area, and a designated heritage asset. Agree that there are	in the Sustainability Analysis, the		
parts of the site worthy of designation as open greenspace. Pre-app	site also passes all four District		
advice was given that identified 'the site in conjunction with the	Level Analyses; however the site is		
adjoining field makes an important contribution to the character and	not considered as a Preferred Site		
appearance of the Conservation Area. However, there is scope for	due to no more sites being		
development which maintains an element of openness and respects the	required in Embsay due to the		
distinctive character of the CA.'	amount of previous allocations and		
Part of the site is available, suitable and deliverable as a sustainable	planning permissions since 2012.		
housing site. The whole site was originally included in the Council's			
SHLAA 2012 given site reference EM001. The site was then assessed in	The methodology of reassessing		
the published document 'Craven Local Plan Draft 22/9/14 - Sites	this site together with the actual		
Preferred and Not Preferred for Consultation' as Site Reference EM001:	assessment is set out in		
and assessed as a site not preferred for consultation but one which	the <u>Residential Site Selection</u>		
would have 'potential significant positive impacts' under the Preliminary	<u>Process June 2017</u> document.		
Sustainability Check. It is notable that the document selects site EM016			

as a preferred site for consultation despite the Preliminary Sustainability Check identifying that EM016 (Shire Lane) would have 'potential minor positive impacts'.

An indicative layout is included with this Representation which illustrates just one potential scheme within the western part of the site with an approximate capacity of 9 dwellings. The proposed site is contiguous with the extent of the western field and measures approximately 0.2 hectares. The Representor will make further representations in due course to provide evidence on the deliverability of the site.

Support for Greenspace. Planning permission rejected a number of times for road traffic issues. Greenspace will ensure no increase in housing density on a site that is within the Embsay Conversation area and both adjacent to and visible from the National park

This site is an integral part of the Embsay Conservation Area, which is characterised by the village's internal meadows. There are three key meadow areas fulfilling this characteristic, the others are both sought to be protected by designation as Green Space in the draft Plan and this one should be too. Other heritage impact relates to the site's proximity to the War Memorial. Heritage England has objected to the planning applications for development on this site, two of which have previously been refused by Craven District Council in a rare display of backbone. Highway access to the site is poor and potentially dangerous. No need for housing in Embsay with Eastby other than permitted site at Shires Lane.

The exit from Laurel Croft does not meet highways safety requirements hence development on this site has already been rejected.

The judgement in connection with the Sustainability Appraisal Objectives does not recognise that 3 recent planning applications (ref nos. 26/2014/14631, 26/2014/15324 and 26/2015/16037)) for this site have all been refused on the grounds of unsatisfactory visibility issues at the junction from Laurel Croft into Main Street. The most recent decision is now under appeal to the Planning Inspectorate.

Recent planning decisions have also recognised the importance of this

parcel of land in connection with the heritage asset of Embsay Conservation Area and the close proximity of the Grade 2 Listed War Memorial. The site has historic importance in relation to the early development of the village and its agricultural roots. There are surface drainage issues, which cause the northeast corner of the site to flood and in extreme conditions surface run off flows from the site to the southwest and affects neighbouring properties. The site access also has existing problems of anti-social parking, as recognised in Draft Policy INF4 paragraph c Also, with reference to Mitigation and Recommendation, Factor 2 is required (Flood Risk Assessment) and with regard to the Sustainability Appraisal SO9 should be PINK (-) and SO8 should be MAROON (--) Two applications and one appeal have been refused and dismissed on this site because of the conservation, road access, impact on character and appearance of the local area. Heritage England and the National Park (YDNP) and Highways objected strongly as did CPRE. A second appeal is currently being considered. Stages 2-5: The site is in the Conservation Area. Possible access from the site is difficult as West Lane is a narrow road with a hazardous bend adjacent to the site. The Planning Authority state that EM001 is: Stage 6 (Pass): The majority of the site is in FRZ1 and the surface water risk is low. The site is partly in the Conservation Area. The western portion of the site may be utilised for residential development as it has an existing access (Laurel Croft), but the laneway dividing the site and the eastern portion may be left as open green space due to its strong landscape character. There is a lack of consistency in the approach to passing sites illustrated by EM001 and EM002 This fails to recognise the access problems, infrastructure, proximity to

the village halls and local school (ie properties here would overlook children at play) and the importance (endorsed by the Planning Inspectorate) of the conservation area. The Parish Council have objected to applications on this site illustrating that they view the land as an important part of the character and appearance of the Embsay village and Conservation area. EM002 Support for Greenspace. Unsuitable for development as traffic access is	The pool of sites identified in the	Yes	Site is not identified as a
poor whichever route is taken. Site is within Conservation area and visible from National Park. Part of the site within the Representors ownership is available, suitable and deliverable as a sustainable housing site. The whole site was originally included in the Council's SHLAA 2012 as an available, suitable and deliverable as a sustainable housing site (given site reference EM002). The site was then assessed in the published document 'Craven Local Plan Draft 22/9/14 - Sites Preferred and Not Preferred for Consultation' as Site Reference EM002: and assessed as a site not preferred for consultation but one which would have 'potential significant positive impacts' under the Preliminary Sustainability Check. It is notable that the document selects site EM016 as a preferred site for consultation despite the Preliminary Sustainability Check identifying that EM016 (Shire Lane) would have 'potential minor positive impacts'. The suitability and deliverability of part of Site EM002 for housing development should therefore be re-assessed and considered for inclusion in the Plan. An indicative layout is included with this Representation which illustrates just one potential scheme within the western part of the site with an approximate capacity of 20 dwellings. The proposed site is contiguous with the extent of the western field and measures approximately 0.5 hectares. The Representor will make further	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site EM002 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Embsay.

representations in due course to provide evidence on the deliverability
of the site.
Whilst Para 76 of the NPPF provides for the ability for local communities
to identify 'green areas' of particular importance to them for special
protection, Para 77 goes on to make it clear that the Local Green Space
(LGS) designation "will not be appropriate for most green areas or open
space".
In other words, the NPPF provides for an 'exceptional approach' to the
use of the LGS designation where amongst other criteria the green space
in question is "demonstrably special."
The NPPF therefore makes it clear that the selection of sites as LGS
requires an evidenced based approach to their identification and
selection. The draft Local Plan, however, takes a dangerously unbalanced
and un-evidenced approach to the designation of LGS because:
☐ There is a significant volume of sites illustrated on the draft Proposals
Map as potential LGS designations following only a partial assessment
against four very basic criteria.
☐ In relation to those criteria of Policy ENV10 (a to d) there are no
parameters provided to undertake an objective assessment of the role
and function of the LGS.
☐ The criteria are also unclear; what is meant by local character'
(criterion c) and how is 'reasonably close' 'defined (criterion d).
☐ The Policy itself also fails to define what the essential characteristics of
the LGS should be, other than one "which the local community identifies
as important to them and which should be provided special protection."
In other words, the current version of the Local Plan has selected a
significant volume of potential LGS sites that have been put forward by
either individuals or community groups without completing or publishing
for consultation the detailed evidence base to quantify the exceptional
value of those LGS sites, and without consulting the landowners of those
sites. In effect, the approach has provided a 'NIMBY's' charter/tool' to
stifle the development potential of sites located within settlements
which otherwise might provide opportunities for sustainable growth.

Sites have been included that have no public access or recreational/amenity function.

The Local Plan therefore needs to accurately define what a LGS should be, clearly set out the exceptional circumstances on which a LGS will be identified, and then undertake and publish for consultation the detailed evidence which justifies the identification of each proposed LGS designation.

Part 2 of Policy ENV10 sets out that any development proposals on sites that are identified as LGS will be refused permission unless there are two specific exceptional circumstances (criteria a and b). These two criteria/circumstances are extremely limited and do not reflect the intention/policy of the NPPF. Paragraph 78 of the NPPF states "Local policy for managing development within a Local Green Space should be consistent with policy for Green Belts". The draft Local Plan Policy ENV10 attempts to be significantly more restrictive than the Green Belt policy in the NPPF – in effect creating a 'planning status' as the most restrictive planning policy designation in the English planning system.

The NPPF itself clearly provides for a wider flexibility on the interpretation of 'exceptional circumstances'. The Council's Policy effectively serves to prevent any development of any kind within LGS which does not conform with Paragraph 78 of the NPPF, making the proposed Policy unsound. The Policy therefore needs to be re-written to ensure the approach in ENV10 is consistent with the Government's policy for Green Belts.

The landowner is not supportive of the Local Greenspace designation of this site.

The site is an extensive tract of land comprising approximately 1.5 hectares which is completely disproportionate to the size of the village and cannot therefore be regarded as 'local' in scale.

The site is not publicly accessible.

The site provides no formal recreation function.

The site provides no informal amenity open space function.

The site provides no special ecological habitat

The site is not 'demonstrably special' and the Council has not provided			
any evidence to quantify 'exceptional circumstances' that warrant the			
designation of the site as LGS.			
In addition, part of the site is available, suitable and deliverable as a			
sustainable housing site and its designation as LGS would therefore			
conflict with other objectives of the Local Plan to provide sustainable			
development in sustainable locations.			
We act on behalf of Mr R Eastwood and Mrs H Byford, owners of land			
located to the west side of West Lane in Embsay. The land in question is			
provisionally identified in the consultation draft Local Plan as a proposed			
Local Green Space (LGS) given reference no 6 on the map extract for			
Embsay with Eastby. It has also been referred to by the Council as Site			
Reference EM002 in iterations of its SHLAA and associated Local Plan			
evidence base.			
Please find attached a Representation on behalf of the owners of this			
land, completed on the Council's form, and articulating objections to the			
identification of this land as LGS; and also promoting a small part of it as			
an available, suitable and deliverable housing site.			
The part of the site that is considered available, suitable and deliverable			
housing site is contiguous with the extent of the western field and			
measures approximately 0.5 hectares. The indicative plan below shows			
one iteration of how the site could be laid out to deliver approximately			
20 dwellings. This indicative shows how seven additional parking spaces			
could be included within the housing plan for the use of tenants			
occupying cottages on Pasture Road.			
EM005	-	1	-
Site already rejected for planning. Significant and regular flood risk (as	The pool of sites identified in the	Yes	Site is not identified as a
26th Dec 2015)	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has		preferred housing site in
EM002 (West Lane) and EM005 (Skipton Road) – Both of these sites	been subject to further site		the Pre-Publication Draft
suffer major limitations, which deny the practicable feasibility of	assessment and sustainability		Craven Local Plan; 14 th
development	appraisal.		April 2017, nor does it
			remain in the pool of sites
	Site EM005 does not move past a		for Embsay.

EM006	Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site does not contain at least 0.1 hectares of land that is at the lowest risk of flooding. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Poor access, the site is prone to flood risk (inundated in December 2015 Floods); Noise impact adjacent operational Steam Railway. No need for housing in Embsay with Eastby other than permitted site at Shires Lane. The exit from this site is onto a narrow section of main road and has no visibility to the east and is thus very hazardous. Junction at road from Station to through road is dangerous. Vehicles travelling from Embsay have limited visibility of junction. Cyclists on national cycle route descend hill at speed. The site suffers a major drawback due to the lack of adequate visibility on egress into East Lane. This has been acknowledged as dangerous by NYCC Highways, because of the hidden entrance and exit. If this could be improved (albeit involving possible compulsory purchase powers and not insignificant engineering works), this site would be a prime location for residential development, with no other known adverse factors being evident. In addition, with regard to the Sustainability Appraisal SO9 should be GREY and SO8 should be MAROON () In addition, with regard to the Sustainability Appraisal SO9 should be GREY and SO8 should be MAROON ()	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site EM006 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, the site also passes all four of the District Level Analyses, however due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012 no more housing is needed within Embsay, therefore no sites will be allocated as housing sites. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Embsay.

on EM012 & 010 would have an adverse impact on the setting of the Yorkshire Dales National Park, listed Heritage assets and the existing road network used by numerous cyclists and tourists. The area is much used by cyclists and walkers en route to the historic Bolton Abbey. The road is not suited to increased vehicles. The footpath running through the site is an historic link from Eastby to the Church. for full details as to the unsuitability of this site see CPRE response to application 26/2014/14881 32 houses application withdrawn Parish Council, CPRE and approximately 300 local residents objected to building on this site. We note that the Parish Council of the Embsay with Eastby area recommend the removal of EM 010 and EM 012 Local Green Space The area EM012 (EM010) is we believe the subject of a Local Green **Space Designation** application. This we believe, in view of the quality, setting and location of the landscape in question should be endorsed and supported by CPRE. The level EMO10 and EMO12- Land to the south of Kirk Lane, Eastby and Land between Embsay and Eastby. I feel very strongly that this land and adjacent EMO12 should not be included as potential sites for development in the Craven local plan. 1) It is a beautiful area, next to the Yorkshire Dales National park land. I value its tranquillity and love walking across the footpath near EMO10. Also watching the antics of the cows that often graze in field off the footpath. Even though I have lived in the village 33 years it still give me a lot pleasure. I walk it at least once a week. I wish it was more often, but as I work that is not possible.

These two areas also provide a beautiful back drop to St Mary the Virgin Embsay with Eastby Church, a grade 2 listed building They should be kept as agricultural land and designated as a local green space. 2) Both areas have a great historic significance due to its location opposite Embsay Kirk which was the site of Embsay Priory. This Augustinian Priory was found by Cecile De Romille in 1120. Even though the Priory moved to Bolton (Bolton Priory in about 1154/55) a chapel was kept at Embsay Priory until the dissolution of the monasteries in 1538. The land of EMO10 and EMO12 has evidence of medieval ridge and furrow in the fields and would have been farmed by the priory. The priory had granges (farms) in Embsay and Eastby. EMO12 this area was also part of the ancient village green and is where a 3 day fair with a royal charter was held during the medieval period. The priory received fees from this fair. Also these two areas have not been archaeologically surveyed either by geophysics or excavation, who knows what these techniques might reveal. 3) Environmental diversity; these two areas of land are very rich in fauna and flora. Watching Hares at play in the fields or Lapwings protecting young is a great delight. The hedgerows are a haven for insects, moths and birds. 4) Flooding; these fields provide a soak way for water coming off the moor, covering them with housing and concrete will make the situation worse, with faster run off and more water flooding Embsay Main Street.

a 100 years event.

Embsay was flooded on Boxing Day 2015 including Kirk Lane, church carpark and parts of main street, due to the sheer volume of water coming off the moor. This is not an unusual occurrence and not a one in

I would be grateful if the preferred site EM010, Kirk Lane, Embsay, could

be considered for removal from the Pool of site options with potential for residential or mixed use, for the reasons referred to above in EM12 as well as those outlined regarding Local Green Space referred to in point 1, as its boundaries fall within the boundaries of EM012 and all the above points apply.

3.3.10.3 Priority Habitat: EM006 and EM010 are close to woodland priority habitat but are unlikely to

be on priority habitat - consider retaining/ improving any woodland on these sites.

3.3.10.4 Rights of Way: EM012 and EM010 have urbanisation impacts on PRoW (in order of highest

impact). Consider use green infrastructure to mitigate.

Delete. Reasons: Site is in an exposed landscape setting. Location is unsustainable, being distant from services and public transport access. No need for housing in Embsay with Easby other than permitted site at Shires Lane. Development of the site would contribute to the reduction in separation of villages of Eastby and Embsay.

EM010 (Land to the south of Kirk Lane) – Development of this site would lead to an unwarranted increase of the 'ribbon development' nature currently existing to the north side of Kirk Lane and which prevailed in the inter-and immediate post war periods and is now considered unacceptable under planning principles. There are also potential limitations due to the proximity of a high-pressure gas main. This area has been the subject of a planning application for 32 houses in July 2014 (ref 26/2014/14881) against which there was a wealth of public objection and the application was subsequently withdrawn.

The suggested site adjoins the boundary of the Yorkshire Dales National Park, the designation of which has been made on the basis of the high value of the natural landscape. Immediately adjacent urbanisation would significantly detract from this designation. The site is adjacent to Embsay Kirk – (see earlier comments relating to Open Green Spaces) where there is a strong historic and heritage connection.

The "summary of issues" indicates a medium to high risk of surface

water flooding. This does not apply and Mitigation Factor 2 should be REMOVED, whilst SO12 should be PINK (-) This formed part of a larger site for development under application ref. 26/2014/14881, which the YDNPA objected to (see EM012 below). However, following the refusal/withdrawl? Of this application we thought there may be scope for minor development that would not harm the NP along the Kirk Lane frontage, providing that views are maintained – i.e, a well landscaped cluster rather than a continuous frontage. The "summary of issues" indicates a medium to high risk of surface water flooding. This does not apply and Mitigation Factor 2 should be REMOVED, whilst SO12 should be PINK (-) EM010 and EM012			
These sites should not be excluded from the Local Plan as they both performed well during the summer 2013 consultation. Potential exists to the south of EM012 and the north of EM010. The planning application proposals have been revised and reduced in scale to take account of environmental evaluation and comments received during the 2013 consultation. Full and up to date Sustainability Appraisal, which assesses the policies and sites against a full and clear set of criteria, is required. Discounting of these sites has occurred within this full Sustainability Appraisal. Further sites will need to be identified in a number of the second tier growth settlements and these sites are well placed to make such a contribution. Policy SP11 – Strategy for tier 4A and 4B villages with basic services and bisected villages with basic services We support the inclusion of SHLAA sites EM010 and EM012 within the pool of potential residential development sites. However we agree with the Council's initial conclusion that EM012 is a large site and that it is inappropriate to consider the full development of this land area. We generally agree with the council that there are issues of biodiversity, landscape and green infrastructure to be addressed. The project team	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site EM010 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the site. Site EM012 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Embsay.

commissioned by KCS Development Ltd have examined these issues and other potential impacts in some detail. As a result two discrete net residential development cells have been identified at the southern and northern ends of the EM012 land holding. The southern cell constitutes a logical extension to the settlement form of Embsay and is assessed as having a development capacity of circa 25 dwellings. The northern cell fits within the subsidiary SHLAA site EM010 and is assessed as having a development capacity of circa 15 dwellings. Development of the cell will be in an essentially linear format reflecting the pattern of existing housing to the north of Kirk Lane and in the smaller village of Eastby to the east of the cell.

These sites are deliverable, currently available and in suitable locations relative to the existing settlement pattern of Embsay and Eastby. Pool of Site Options with potential for residential or mixed use and sustainability appraisal:

Based on our detailed work to date, as summarised in paragraph 2.20 above, we support the inclusion of two discrete residential allocations as outlined on the plan at Appendix 1. These proposed allocations represent developments which are deliverable, sustainable and appropriate in scale and have a good fit with the existing settlement form. Detailed assessment has been undertaken of the impacts of this level of development on heritage assets, landscape character and visual amenity.

The Council has assessed the full land coverage of SHLAA site EM012 and EM010 in their Sustainability Assessment. The Council's summary of issues and recommendations for site EM012 states:

"A potential site for residential development, but it is a very large site which may be inappropriate for full development given the relatively low housing requirements for Embsay. Some issues of medium to high risk of surface water flooding areas scattered throughout the site. A listed building is close to the site to the west. A gas pipeline runs through the site. The national border is adjacent."

The Sustainability Appraisal also provides recommends on avoidance,

has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the site.

The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

mitigation and opportunity measures for each site. Sites EM010 and	
EM012 highlight the following recommendations:	
☐ FloodRisk Assessment;	
Consider impact on Conservation Area and Heritage Assets;	
☐ Ground work assessment to investigate archaeological significance;	
and,	
☐ Prominent location—visual character in relation to housing density,	
building heights and dwelling design to be considered.	
KCS Development has continued to engage a team of technical	
consultants including flood risk, landscape, highways, design, heritage	
and archaeological expertise. Further technical work is currently	
underway and we reserve the right to provide future technical updates	
to the Council when appropriate.	
Conclusion	
In summary therefore the development team employed by KCS	
Development Ltd have undertaken a significant amount of technical	
work to refine the development proposals within the wider land holding,	
as defined in SHLAA site EM012. The smaller development cells now put	
forward as residential allocations will make a significant contribution to	
the enhanced housing requirement for this fourth tier settlement. These	
proposals are the result of considering all relevant constraints and	
opportunities and they achieve a planning balance and macro design	
solution which will constitute a positive outcome.	
We welcome the opportunity to comment on this informal consultation	
of the Craven Local Plan Second Draft and look forward to being kept	
informed of future consultation exercises and the publication of further	
evidence base documents and draft SPD's.	
Object to housing designation. Planning application already rejected.	
Large parts of site unsafe for construction due to major gas pipe. Access	
and Egress to site unsafe; road system to and through Embsay and	
Eastby unsafe for increased quantities of vehicles. Significant heritage	
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have achieved Stage 6 (Pass), although you accurately state that 'it is a very large site, which may be inappropriate for full development, given the relatively low housing requirements for Embsay. Some issues of medium to high risk of surface water flooding areas scattered throughout the site. A listed building is close to the site to the west. A gas pipeline runs through the site. The National Park border is adjacent.' I believe the number of 'required' houses in Embsay will be achieved following the successful application (26/2014/15224) for an additional 12 dwellings on the site to the western end of Shires Lane (26/2014/14518) and any recent 'windfall' plots. On the Evening of Christmas day 25.12.15 this year, surface water flooding down Kirk Lane was so severe that it resulted in part of the carriage way lifting and a 2 metre deep 'sink' hole appearing around the man hole cover of the drain, which necessitated temporary road closure and significant repair works by North Yorkshire highways, indicating the flood risk is high now and would only be increased with There are, I believe, 2 listed buildings nearby, further building. • (Church of St Mary the Virgin and Embsay Kirk). Regarding the Sustainability Assessment undertaken SO15. Promote innovative design which enhances the visual character of Craven's towns and villages. EM012 has been judged positive, offering noticeable improvement (light green) Whilst I accept well designed buildings can, in the right place, enhance an area, I feel that any building on such an open, unspoilt, scenic and rural green site could never enhance its visual character. I respectfully request that this is re-assessed to Negative, showing dis-improvement (pink). SO19. Minimise waste production and increase recycling rates in Craven EM012 has been judged positive, offering noticeable improvement (light green) Building of any kind on this site must bring with it increased waste

production, which could, of course be properly and responsibly managed. As recycling rates are based on a percentage value eg per household/person, the rate would stay the same, not be increased. Therefore the impact would be at best neutral here, which should be reflected in the assessment. (0-grey) SO20.Safeguard minerals, resources and other natural material assets and ensure the safe management of hazard risk of former mining activity where new development is proposed. I believe this relates generally to not building on future potential assets and surveys have indicated it could be assessed as light green. I suggest on this basis alone it should be assessed as neutral, but when the fact that a high pressure gas pipeline bisects the site, the safe management of hazard risk should make it significantly negative (maroon). EM012 (Land between Embsay and Eastby) – This is an extensive site, the development of which would materially change the nature of the parish by joining 2 physically separate communities and also significantly change the local landscape. There are also many of the disadvantages stated previously within the comments relating to EM010 above. Additional problems arise with surface water run off from surcharging watercourses in the southern section of the area. The Parish Church of St Mary's, standing adjacent to the western boundary of the site, is a Grade 2 listed building, consecrated in 1853, furthering the heritage value of the neighbouring land. Recommendation Factor 3 should also be applied – biodiversity SO12 should, therefore, be PINK (-) and SO 14 should be MAROON (++). Land at Eastby (EM012) CST owns part of a much larger site EM012 (as identified on the attached plan by the red line). The comments in relation to the site within the document are: "Stage 6 (Pass): A potential site for residential development, but it is a very large site which may be inappropriate for full development given the relatively low housing requirements for Embsay. Some issues of

medium to high risk of surface water flooding areas scattered throughout the site. A listed building is close to the site to the west. A gas pipeline runs through the site. The national park border is adjacent." CST accepts that the full site EM012 as shown would be unsuitable for development. CST requires that the land it owns is not considered in conjunction with a much larger area of land with and is considered separately. Shown hatched on the attached plan is an area of land to the northern part of the site which is considered particularly suitable for residential development. This area of land could accommodate around two new houses and in its depth would replicate houses to the east and their curtilages. CST considers that it is appropriate for the LPA to allocate a development site within Eastby as a distinct but related settlement to Embsay and considers that the northern section of the land it owns provides the opportunity to do this. Recommendation Factor 3 should also be applied – biodiversity SO12 should, therefore, be PINK (-) and SO 14 should be MAROON (++). YDNPA objected to the development of this site in August 2014 (ref. 26/2014/14881) on the grounds of harmful impact on the character of Eastby village, impact on the Conservation Areas of Embsay and Eastby, landscape Impact and Impact on Listed Buildings (Embsay Kirk and St Mary's Church). All these grounds relate to the principle of developing this site. EMO10 and EMO12- Land to the south of Kirk Lane, Eastby and Land between Embsay and Eastby. I feel very strongly that this land and adjacent EMO12 should not be included as potential sites for development in the Craven local plan.

1) It is a beautiful area, next to the Yorkshire Dales National park land. I value its tranquillity and love walking across the footpath near EMO10. Also watching the antics of the cows that often graze in field off the footpath. Even though I have lived in the village 33 years it still give me a lot pleasure. I walk it at least once a week. I wish it was more often, but as I work that is not possible. These two areas also provide a beautiful back drop to St Mary the Virgin Embsay with Eastby Church, a grade 2 listed building They should be kept as agricultural land and designated as a local green space. 2) Both areas have a great historic significance due to its location opposite Embsay Kirk which was the site of Embsay Priory. This Augustinian Priorywas found by Cecile De Romille in 1120. Even though the Priory moved to Bolton (Bolton Priory in about 1154/55) a chapel was kept at Embsay Priory until the dissolution of the monasteries in 1538. The land of EMO10 and EMO12 has evidence of medieval ridge and furrow in the fields and would have been farmed by the priory. The priory had granges (farms) in Embsay and Eastby. EMO12 this area was also part of the ancient village green and is where a 3 day fair with a royal charter was held during the medieval period. The priory received fees from this fair. Also these two areas have not been archaeologically surveyed either by geophysics or excavation, who knows what these techniques might reveal. 3) Environmental diversity; these two areas of land are very rich in fauna and flora. Watching Hares at play in the fields or Lapwings protecting young is a great delight. The hedgerows are a haven for insects, moths and birds. 4) Flooding; these fields provide a soak way for water coming off the moor, covering them with housing and concrete will make the situation

worse, with faster run off and more water flooding Embsay Main Street.
Embsay was flooded on Boxing Day 2015 including Kirk Lane, church
carpark and parts of main street, due to the sheer volume of water
coming off the moor. This is not an unusual occurrence and not a one in
a 100 years event.
M012; Land between Embsay and Eastby; 12.252 ha.
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to the west. A gas
pipeline runs through the site. The national park border is adjacent.
As with the inclusion of EM001, there is a great deal of local opposition
to this i.e. the
Parish Council and local residents. An application to build 32 houses
26/2014/14881 was
refused by the Local Authority in 2014.
Any development on EM012 & 010 would have an adverse impact on the
setting of the
Yorkshire Dales National Park, listed Heritage assets and the existing
road network used by
numerous cyclists and tourists. The area is much used by cyclists and
walkers en route to
the historic Bolton Abbey. The road is not suited to increased vehicles.
The footpath
running through the site is an historic link from Eastby to the Church.
for full details as to the unsuitability of this site see CPRE response to
application
26/2014/14881 32 houses application withdrawn Parish Council, CPRE
and approximately

300 local residents objected to building on this site. We note that the Parish Council of the Embsay with Eastby area recommend the removal of EM 010 and EM 012 Local Green Space The area EM012 (EM010) is we believe the subject of a Local Green **Space Designation** application. This we believe, in view of the quality, setting and location of the landscape in question should be endorsed and supported by CPRE. The level Development on EM012 was objected to by the Yorkshire Dales National Park, The local Parish Council, CPRE and numerous local residents. The site is indicative of traditional ridge and furrows, sits next to the Yorkshire Dales National Park and development on this site would have an adverse impact on Heritage Assets and the two conservation areas of Embsay and also the Eastby conservation area. It should be noted that a high pressure gas pipeline runs through the middle of the site. This large site provides 3b grazing land which should be protected. Any development of this important space will degrade the setting of the local area, the character and landscape of the local area and the setting of the Yorkshire **Dales National** Park. We are informed that the Parish Council and local residents have strongly objected to the inclusion of this site and that some residents, whilst sending their objections to the site relating to the local plan via electronic response to CDC 'were not received' and

therefore have not had their comments included. See also comments following EM10 which apply to both EM12 & EM010. EM010 and EM012 English Heritage, when commenting on application 26/2014/14881 stated: 'Eastby and Embsay are two separate historic rural settlements, each with their own conservation areas. We consider that reducing the gap between these two rural settlements would harm the setting of the Embsay and Eastby conservation areas, eroding the distinction between them and eroding the perception of their having a rural setting. It is our view that the proposal fails to protect the setting of the Embsay and Eastby conservation areas or of the Grade II listed heritage assets on Kirk Lane (Church of St Mary the Virgin and Embsay Kirk) It fails to preserve or enhance the character or appearance of these conservation areas and fails to safeguard elements that make a positive contribution to the setting of these heritage assets". EM012 should be removed from the draft plan. Should be designated as a Local Green Space, it is within 300m of the community it serves and doesn't have existing planning permission. The site failed to pass the test relating to it being considered an extensive tract of land. Seems to be inconsistency here regarding what an extensive tract of land actually is. The field in question, if considered only in relation to Embsay, could be considered to be near its boundary. However, when considering the villages of Embsay with Eastby, the field is in the middle of the unique settlement, has clearly defined edges with houses to all four sides and the size of the area clearly relates to the community that it serves. i.e. Embsay with Eastby, which is a single Parish. The field is bisected by the

pubic footpath which joins Embsay with Eastby .Furthermore when one 'Consider(s) how large the site is in comparison to other fields; groups of fields; areas of land in the vicinity etc? It could certainly not be considered an extensive tract of land compared with surrounding areas and is in fact clearly more local in scale. I can appreciate how a misunderstanding could arise from a desktop assessment alone, but if a person was standing in the south east corner of the site facing northwest, they would see edges on all sides, clearly defined by roads, houses, farm buildings and church or stonewall field boundaries, all within 300meters of the community. If the person then turned through 180 degrees to face south east, their view would be uninterupted over an extensive tract of land towards Ilkley. I contend there is a marked and significant distinction between the two. This open green field sits directly between the conservation areas of Embsay and Eastby and is greatly valued by the residents of both settlements, as well as the wider Craven community and visitors to it, many of whom pass through the green field space when walking through the site from Embsay car park to Eastby and on to Bolton Abbey and the Yorkshire Dales beyond. They appreciate its stunning natural beauty, with views of the Yorkshire Dales National park and Embsay Crag to the north, meandering becks passing through it. This Green Space provides a vital village amenity, with a public footpath crossing it, and is regularly used, proving a recreational opportunity within comfortable walking distance of residents' homes. The site is of proven historic significance. When recently consulted on a subsequently withdrawn planning application, (Application No 26/2014/14881) English Heritage commented that 'Eastby and Embsay are two separate historic rural settlements, each with their own conservation areas. The proposal site consists of open grass fields which visually separate the two small settlements of Eastby and Embsay and which contribute strongly to their rural setting. The

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In addition a recently discovered carved stone gatepost has been			
identified within the site.			
The tranquillity offered by this site will be lost forever, if is not			
designated as a LGS. It provides a quiet space for people to enjoy and			
undisturbed habitats for wildlife from resident and migrating birds to			
hares and deer. The hedgerows and streams contained within the green			
space, provide shelter and habitats for insects and smaller mammals.			
The Parish Council of Embsay with Eastby also support the designation of			
EM12 as a Local Green Space, having submitted their own application. I			
also feel designation as a LGS has the support of the majority of			
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request that this is re-assessed to Negative, showing dis-improvement (pink). SO19. Minimise waste production and increase recycling rates in Craven EM013 has been judged positive, offering noticeable improvement (light green) Building of any kind on this site must bring with it increased waste production, which could, of course be properly and responsibly managed. As recycling rates are based on a percentage value eg per household/person, the rate would stay the same, not be increased. Therefore the impact would be at best neutral here, which should be reflected in the assessment. (0-grey) SO20.Safeguard minerals, resources and other natural material assets and ensure the safe management of hazard risk of former mining activity where new development is proposed. I believe this relates generally to not building on future potential assets and surveys have indicated it could be assessed as light green. I suggest on this basis alone it should be assessed as neutral (grey), as it does not offer any noticeable improvement to the current open green space. Planning permission has been granted for the development of housing on land south of Shires Lane to the extent that the full development of this site will breach the level of housing appropriate to the settlement of Embsay with Eastby for the Plan period as established by the position of Embsay within the draft Local Plan settlement hierarchy. The land subject to planning permission south of Shires Lane should be the only housing site allocated at Embsay for the above reason and for the reasons explained below relating to the unacceptability of the other site options identified in the consultations document. The identification for the housing allocation south of Shires Lane should be amended to include the northern part of that site as Green Space. This Green Space designation should run from the southern boundary of the residential property at the north west corner of the site eastwards, parallel to Shires Lane, to the site's boundary with Embsay Cricket Club. No consideration has been given to the fact that part of the site is at high

risk of flooding.
The site is a deliverable option for development when considered against
the requirements of NPPF
paragraph 47 footnote 11. Footnote 11 states that
"To be considered deliverable, sites should be available now, offer a
suitable location for development now,
and be achievable with a realistic prospect that housing will be delivered
on the site within five years and in
particular that development of the site is viable"
In this regard the site is available for development having been
promoted recently for development
via a planning application (26/2015/15886). The application is further
being promoted via the appeal
process.
The site is suitable for development as it continues a pattern of non-
agricultural uses along Shires Lane,
including the cricket pitch and land to the west of the cricket pitch which
has recently been granted
consent for residential development (applications 26/2014/15224 and
26/2014/14518), as shown on
the consultation plan for the village. As is clear from the consultation
plan the site does not extend as
far south as the consented site to the west of the cricket pitch. It is
bounded to two sides by public
highway and to one side by the cricket pitch. There are existing mature
trees along part of the southern boundary of the site, which can be
reinforced through development. To the south of the site are a
railway line and quarry workings of significant size and the development
of the site is not therefore considered to cause harm to an open
countryside setting of Embsay.
The site is achievable as there are no legal or technical barriers to the
site's development as demonstrated by the determination of a recent
application on the site, which found no such barriers.

The refusal of the application on landscape grounds, which are considered unsubstantiated and not based upon the advice of any qualified landscape professional, is currently being appealed. CST SUPPORTS the allocation of this site in the Craven Local Plan. The site is considered to be better suited to a major scale development than other sites identified in the plan.

CST SUPPORTS the conclusion of Craven District Council, in its assessment of the site, that: "Stage

6 (Pass): Suitable for residential development. It is close to the village centre and it seems to have no significant obstacles to development."

Of the published pool of options this is a site with a low level of material drawbacks to development. It is currently under appeal, against refusal of an application for 39 houses (ref no. 26/2015/15886), on the basis that the development of the site would be a 'disruptive finger' into open countryside. There are also significant surface water problems. S08 should be PINK (--) and SO14 should be PINK (-) Recommendation Factor 2 should also be APPLIED

Building on this site would cause flooding problems at Bow bridge and has already been rejected.

The field on the corner of Shires Lane and Low Lane (EM013) is also important in establishing the character of Embsay as it is entered from the east. It is a most attractive approach which would certainly be compromised by a housing development. The number of cars using the Halton East road, the shortest link to the A59, would significantly increase I fear, and therefore be much more hazardous for walkers, such as myself, and runners, who very much enjoy using it. Kempley Pond is just on the bend, opposite the field in question, and one April morning I counted 16 species of birds in half an hour in that vicinity. Any development would, I am convinced, be highly detrimental to the wildlife of the area.

Outline planning permission rejected by Craven. Significant flood/water

flow issues (as 26th Dec 2015). Unsuitable for housing density as proposed elsewhere in plan as on the edge of current village development. Nearby site has been approved for recommended number of houses within Embsay and Eastby. Support for Greenspace. Site maintains agrarian nature of Embsay on entry from Low Lane. Site is on the edge of village. Greenbottom Beck provides significant opportunity for enhancing environment and wildlife diversity within site and to adjacent fields. Development of this site would result in residential development on both sides of Shires Lane, which would provide a residential feel to the area. Development of this site would prevent access to the adjoining fields across the site.			
Sites: EM013 and EM016 Development of these sites would remove much of the open aspects	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has	No	EM013 and EM016 were
from the village cricket ground and allotments. Support for the Local Plan for Embsay/Eastby as the preferred sites have been sympathetically chosen to provide the least impact in terms of traffic, wildlife and impact on the fabric of the villages.	been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Sites EM013 and EM016 were not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4 th April 2016. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	INO	not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4 th April 2016. These sites therefore remain out of the pool of sites for Embsay.

EM014			
Object to housing or any development. Hazardous road junction precludes anything but existing use. Significant heritage asset within Eastby Hall. Surrounding fields, boundaries etc are pre-15thC in origin, and, in all likelihood, older.	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site EM014 was not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4 th April 2016. The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site was not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4 th April 2016. These sites therefore remain out of the pool of sites for Embsay.
Relatively small site and is considered acceptable, but only within the existing footprint of the current buildings. It should be noted that this site was adversely affected by flooding in 1979 and 1982 due to exceptional storm water runoff from the adjacent land to the north of Barden Road. SO9 should be PINK (-) and Mitigation Recommendation Factor 2 is REQUIRED This would appear to be prominent back land development. It would be particularly visible on the approach from the east, as land levels begin to dip away. This area is also the oldest part of the village with the most character to conserve.	Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site EM015 was not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4th April 2016. The methodology for reassessing this site together	No	Site was not identified as a preferred site to enter the Pool of Sites within the Draft Craven Local Plan 4 th April 2016. These sites therefore remain out of the pool of sites for Embsay.

The site extends into open countryside to the south of Eastby. Development of this land would fail to reflect the established pattern of development of the village, which is linear along either site of the road. Location is unsustainable, being distant from services and public transport access. No need for housing in Embsay with Eastby other than permitted site at Shires Lane EM016	with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.			
This site has been approved with more than the recommended allocation of houses as specified within earlier versions of local plan. The permission for 48 houses consumes the 3 houses per year over the 15 year life of the local plan. Development of an extension to site EM016 would not result in a discordant development and would be seen as a logical infill between the football field and allotment area.	The methodology for reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site was not a preferred s the Pool of Si the Draft Cra Plan 4 th April site therefore of the pool of Embsay.	ite to enter ites within ven Local 2016. This e remains out
Water supply - Local mains reinforcement may be required. Waste water – The increase in foul flows can be accommodated in the sewer network and there are not issues with the receiving waste water treatment works. (Yorkshire Water comment)	Due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012 no more housing is needed within Embsay, therefore no sites will be allocated within Embsay as preferred housing sites.	No		No change required as there are to be no sites allocated for housing within Embsay.
Support the approach that there is no new development proposed in and around Eastby. Eastby is little more than a hamlet and has no services and facilities.	Due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012 no more housing is needed within Embsay, therefore no sites will be allocated within Embsay as preferred housing sites.	No		No change required as there are to be no sites allocated for housing within

			Embsay.
Support the lack of any proposed new development in the existing gap between Embsay and Eastby. They are two distinct settlements with their own identity. Their physical separation is vital to their identities and characters and must be maintained. Any infill between the two villages is strongly opposed as this would destroy the balance of the two distinct villages.	Due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012 no more housing is needed within Embsay, therefore no sites will be allocated within Embsay as preferred housing sites.	No	No change required as there are to be no sites allocated for housing within Embsay.
Support the lack of proposed allocations for new housing on the existing open spaces within Embsay. These areas of land contribute positively to the character and appearance of the Conservation Area and also provide an historical reference to the earlier 'Dales village'. The Local Planning Authority has a statutory duty to have regard to the desirability of maintaining the existing character and appearance. Safe and convenient access to these areas of open space within the village would also be difficult to achieve.	Due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012 no more housing is needed within Embsay, therefore no sites will be allocated within Embsay as preferred housing sites.	No	No change required as there are to be no sites allocated for housing within Embsay.
As there have been continuing delays in producing a Craven Local Plan, to the detriment of the parish, there is a pressing need for the district council to finalise the completion of the Local Plan as quickly as possible.	Comments noted.	No	No changes required to the plan as comments relate to timescales of the delivery of the New Local Plan.

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: KILDWICK AND FARNHILL

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
General Comments:			
Objection to Kildwick and Farnhill being grouped together. The villages are separate and have their own identities and should not be grouped together. Kildwick is a third the size of Farnhill, has its own Parish Council, together with sensitive heritage assets. Kildwick should be treated the same as other small parishes e.g., Bolton Abbey. Kildwick is a small village with approx. 45 houses. The new plan proposes 72 possible houses built over 3 sites, thus increasing Kildwick massively and totally changing its character. Farnhill is a much larger village, which has only been allocated 27 new homes on one development.	There are no preferred housing sites to be allocated in either Kildwick or Farnhill in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, due to a decrease in the overall level of housing need required across the plan area. The proportion of development in Kildwick and Farnhill has been reduced to reflect the adjusted OAN and housing requirement in Craven.	Yes	There are no preferred housing sites to be allocated in either Kildwick or Farnhill in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017.
KL002: Recreation ground south of Priest Bar	nk Road	1	
Site is subject to flooding. It flooded from the overflowing river and canal last winter. It should not have passed to stage 3. PO8 states that the plan must address and mitigate flood risk. Incorrect description of site location This site has access constraints. The following two options are suggested: 1) Through the recreation ground,	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site KL002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate road access, is partly located in flood risk zone 3b	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Kildwick.

however this would reduce the	and the site, as an existing area of open space the		
extent of the recreation ground.	site makes a significant contribution to the		
2) Through private land at Lion Croft	character and appearance of Kildwick		
Yard, which is unacceptable to the	Conservation Area. These are determining		
owners & residents of this privately	impediments to selection of this site.		
owned yard.			
3) Through farmland alongside the	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
River Aire, however this farmland	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
floods.	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
The roads in Kildwick and Farnhill are	document.		
appropriate to the current character of both			
villages and are not suited to an increase in			
volume of traffic. Priest Bank Road is narrow			
and, in part, has no pavements; Kirkgate is			
single track with limited visibility when			
approaching from Kildwick.			
Development of this site would exacerbate			
these existing road capacity issues, including			
resulting an extra traffic burden on the			
medieval stone bridge (SAM) into the			
village. Entry to the village is congested			
daily at the roundabout.			
The historic heritage of Kildwick needs			
conserving, development would damage the			
historic setting of the village Conservation			
Area.			
The aesthetics of Kildwick will be spoiled by			
any new development as it will hide the			
older part of the village from view.			
The amount of development proposed will			
be more new houses than there is in the			
historic village. There is no bus route, no			
shops and the school is at capacity. The			
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proposed development would put strain on
an already struggling infrastructure. This
site should not have passed stage 2 of the
site assessment process.
The conservation area was not shown on
the preferred sites map. This was pointed
out during the Local Plan Surgery in April
2016.
The site has no previous planning history
and is used for farm animals. Planning was
refused for a residential property.
Sustainability Appraisal process:
SO1 should be N (pink) result as building
houses in Kildwick will only increase traffic
on the narrow village roads.
SO3 – Development will not aide equality
and diversity as it will put more strain on the
village amenities and access.
SO4 – should not be a positive result as
building houses in Kildwick will not enhance
access to essential facilities. There are no
shops that will benefit from extra housing
and the school is at capacity.
SO5 – should not be a positive result as
there is no need to address highway safety
at the moment and only if traffic in the
village increased due to additional houses,
would there be any need for these measure.
S06 - should be N (pink) result as building
affordable houses in keeping with the local
character is a contradiction and locating
affordable housing in a village with limited
facilities is not sustainable.

S07 – should be a NN (maroon) result as the		
school is already at maximum capacity.		
S08 – should be a N (Pink) result as there is		
no public transport services in Kildwick. The		
low bridge on Main St between Kildwick and		
Farnhill and canal bridge with a weight		
restriction mean there is no way of		
introducing a bus service in the future. The		
site has access contraints.		
SO9 – should have been a NN (maroon)		
result as the site floods.		
SO10 – should be a negative result as is a		
field for agriculture and wildlife, including		
sheep, cows, horses and swans.		
SO12 - should have been a NN (maroon)		
result as developing this site will impact on		
the character of the conservation area and		
historic village. This site is an important		
greenspace and essential flood plain, viewed		
across the valley and from the A629.		
SO13 – should have been a negative result		
as there are numerous wildlife species		
(including bats) that frequently migrate back		
to this area.		
SO14 - should have been a NN (maroon)		
result as development of this site would		
have a negative effect on local wildlife and		
local landscapes.		
SO15 – should have a N result (Pink) as		
innovative design will have a detrimental		
effect on the character of historic Kildwick.		
SO16 should have been a NN (maroon)		
result as residents are reliant on the car		

which increases carbon emissions and			
maximises impact on climate change.			
Building 30 or more houses will not improve			
air, noise or light pollution.			
SO17 – Due to climate change there is			
already a more regular occurrence of			
flooding, building on this site would increase			
that risk.			
S018 - should have been a NN (maroon)			
result as the Aire Valley Trunk Sewer has			
capacity issues.			
SO19 – should not have been given a			
positive result as more houses will increase			
waste production not minimise it.			
SO20 – should not be a positive result as the			
site floods and forms part of the floodplain.			
KLOO2 should be designated as green space			
rather than KL003.			
KL002 is designated as "Special Landscape			
Area and "Green Wedge" in the 1999			
Craven Local Plan.			
KL003: Adjacent to the Old Smithy, Skipton R	load		
Why has this site been designated as green	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Site is not identified as a preferred
space and ruled out for housing	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
development. It has potential for access	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
from the Main Road and the partially closed			2017. This site therefore remains
Old Skipton Rd. It would have least visible	Site KL003 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Kildwick.
impact on the character of the village.	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
Sustainability Appraisal:	Level Analyses. However, the site is not		
SO8 – assumed access would be over	considered as a Preferred Site because no more		
Kildwick Bridge and off Skipton Road.	sites are required in Kildwick due to the amount		
Skipton Rd is only accessible from the bridge	of previous allocations and planning permissions		
and Main St. Opening the road to the west	since 2012.		

at the A629 would further exacerbate the			
non-local traffic use of the narrow and busy	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
Priest Bank Rd. The bridge suffered minor	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
damage in the recent floods.	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
SO9 – The beck runs down here to the River	document.		
Aire. Development may increase flood risk			
to nearby properties.			
This site is bordered by a very important			
tree screen that protects the village from			
traffic noise and pollution.			
Development of this site would mean traffic]		
crossing the dangerous junction with Main			
Rd to Farnhill where accidents regularly			
occur.			
The historic heritage of Kildwick needs]		
conserving, development wold damage the			
historic setting of the village Conservation			
Area.			
Support for this site as it is not subject to			
flooding and has access from a wide and			
quiet road.			
KL004: Land north west of Priest Bank Road			
Priest Bank Road is narrow and, in part, has	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	No	Site is not identified as a preferred
no pavements. Development of this site	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
would exacerbate these existing road	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
capacity issues.			2017. This site therefore remains
The canal bridge is a constraint to	Site KL004 performs satisfactorily in the		in the pool of sites for Kildwick.
development as it is narrow (only wide	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
enough for 1 car), regularly open, especially	Level Analyses. However, the site is not		
in the summer months, which creates a	considered as a Preferred Site because no more		
serious bottle neck. These issues has an	sites are required in Kildwick due to the amount		
impact on the capacity of this road to serve	of previous allocations and planning permissions		
development on this site (approx. 25	since 2012.		

dwellings)			
There are issues relating to landscape	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
character/green infrastructure, conservation	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
heritage and road capacity issues.	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
Sustainability Appraisal:	document.		
SO8 – should be a minor negative/major			
negative result as canal bridge is a			
constraint to development of site KL004 in			
terms of access to development traffic,			
refuse vehicles etc.			
SO12 & SO14 – should be a minor			
negative/major negative as this site			
positively contributes to the setting of the			
many heritage assets. The remains of a			
Medieval field pattern has been identified			
on this site.			
This is an incredibly important site in the			
very heart of the village containing			
important grazing land and surrounded by			
important listed assets, including the grade I			
St Andrews Church and Grade II* Kildwick			
Hall. Development of this site would			
damage the historic setting of the village			
Conservation Area. As such this is the least			
preferred site.			
The Leeds Liverpool canal runs to the south			
of this site, which is used well used by			
tourists who come to enjoy the unspoilt			
beauty.			
	nk Road; KL003: Adjacent to the Old Smithy, Skipton		
Kildwick is a settlement of less than 200	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes and No	Site KL002 is not identified as a
people (2011 census), whose housing stock	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		preferred housing site in the Pre-
is increasing within the development limit as	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;

identified in the 1999 Craven Local Plan. Development of these sites would double the number of people in the village, which would have a significant negative impact on the character of the village and on existing infrastructure, as well as contributing to higher flood risk.

Development would put additional pressure on existing services (South Craven School, Health Centre) in Crosshills, which will be overwhelmed.

These sites are within 5 mins walk to the bus stop providing services to Keighley and Skipton. The frequency of bus services during the week is good, however the service is less frequent at the weekends and bank holidays. There is no service running through the village. If this existing bus service declines this will increase reliance on the private car.

Site KL002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site presents an inadequate road access, is partly located in flood risk zone 3b and the site, as an existing area of open space the site makes a significant contribution to the character and appearance of Kildwick Conservation Area. These are determining impediments to selection of this site.

Site KL003 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, the site is not considered as a Preferred Site because no more sites are required in Kildwick due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012.

Site KL004 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District Level Analyses. However, the site is not considered as a Preferred Site because no more sites are required in Kildwick due to the amount of previous allocations and planning permissions since 2012.

The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.

14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Kildwick.

Sites KL003 and KL004 are not identified as preferred housing sites in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017. These sites therefore remain in the pool of sites for Kildwick.

Kildwick Grange		
The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site KL005 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement, and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site is judged to be located at an inappropriate distance from the built up area of Kildwick, which is a settlement in the Spatial Strategy. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Kildwick.
The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site FA002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the site. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Farnhill.
	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site KL005 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement, and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site is judged to be located at an inappropriate distance from the built up area of Kildwick, which is a settlement in the Spatial Strategy. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document. The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site FA002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the site. The methodology of reassessing this site together	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site KL005 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement, and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site is judged to be located at an inappropriate distance from the built up area of Kildwick, which is a settlement in the Spatial Strategy. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document. Yes The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site FA002 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, which outnumber the positives for the site. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: GIGGLESWICK

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
SG004 - South of Church Street, east of Tems	s Street		
There are enough spaces offered for housing (2.372 hectares within the village) without using this one. This site lies within the Giggleswick Conservation Area. There needs to be an assessment of what contribution this currently-undeveloped area makes to those elements which contribute to the character or appearance of the Conservation Area and what effect the loss of this site and its subsequent development might have upon the designated area. The loss of this currently-open area and its subsequent development could harm elements which contribute to the significance of the Conservation Area. Impact on conservation area, Glebe Field integral. The field is part of the character of the old village that earned conservation status and is described within the Conservation Area appraisal as 'integral to this more open 'character zone.'	The points raised are noted. Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG004 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; the site does not have an acceptable access. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site SG004 is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.

Forms green link from village to play ground		
and sports field. Used for recreation.		
Traffic safety, busy at school times potential		
hazard for children. Narrow access		
unsuitable. Highways authority previously		
raised objection. Safety of pupils put at risk		
by further development.		
Would harm view of centre from public		
footpath at side of beck.		
Submitted despite overwhelming local		
opposition.		
Important green space.		
Potential impact on ecology.		
Should be reclassified as constrained.		
Reduce rainfall absorbtion. Only one main		
watercourse to take rain out of village.		
Further development would place at risk		
existing as well as new properties.		
Impact on local road and services		
infrastructure.		
Most trips to buy services are by car. Very		
limited services in the village.		
To gain access to the Fellings (field used by		
residents as open space, little amenity space		
in village) access is across Glebe Field. Any		
development on Glebe Field would have		
safety implication for pupils accessing		
Fellings.		

SG004 South of Church Street, east of Tems Street; SG011 - Castleberg Hospital, Raines Road.				
Number of green spaces suggested for	The points raised are noted.	Yes and No	Site SG004 is not identified as a	
development is worrying.			preferred housing site in the Pre-	
Essential for mental and physical health and	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;	
wellbeing for green fields to be retained.	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14th June 2017, nor does it remain	
Some of the sites are prone to flooding.	subject to further site assessment and		in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.	
Building on yet more open spaces would	sustainability appraisal.			
add to strain and increase potential for			Site SG011 is not identified as a	
flooding in the area. Flooding and traffic	Site SG004 does not perform satisfactorily in the		preferred housing site in the Pre-	
issues Glebe field.	Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;	
Castleberg is much used and necessary	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; the		14 th June 2017. This site therefore	
facility. All previous arguments against loss	site does not have an acceptable access.		remains in the pool of sites for	
are valid.			Giggleswick.	
The two sites (SG004 and SG011) are very	Site SG011 performs satisfactorily in the			
close to each other adding to traffic	Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed			
problems.	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites			
	(with mitigation measures and			
	recommendations). However, the amount of			
	growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan			
	means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites			
	under the draft Local Plan.			
	The methodology of reassessing this site together			
	with the actual assessment is set out in			
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017			
	document.			
SG004 - South of Church Street, east of Tems	Street; SG085 - Land to the west of Raines Road; S	G086 - Land to the	east of Raines Road	

Giggleswick can easily fill quota with	The points raised are noted.	Yes and No	Site SG004 is not identified as a
designated sites. If 3 new sites accepted and			preferred housing site in the Pre-
SG083 used for housing, could mean 259	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
houses, leading to increase in population.	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14th June 2017, nor does it remain
	subject to further site assessment and		in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
	sustainability appraisal.		
			Sites SG085 and SG086 are not
	Site SG004 does not perform satisfactorily in the		identified as preferred housing sites
	Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed		in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven
	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; the		Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. These
	site does not have an acceptable access.		sites therefore remain in the pool
	·		of sites for Giggleswick.
	Sites SG085 and SG086 perform satisfactorily in		
	the Sustainability Analysis and pass all four		
	District Level Analyses. The sites are deemed		
No reason why 1b mitigating circumstances	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites.		
on SG083. Not within, adjoining or adjacent	They can potentially be a Preferred Site, but		
and therefore should have dropped out at	Giggleswick is not to be allocated any Preferred		
stage 1.	Sites under the draft Local Plan.		
Suffers from same flooding problems as			
SG084 which was dropped for flooding.	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
SG083 and SG084 should be marked pale	with the actual assessment is set out in		
red on Sustainability Appraisal in relation to	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
access to services. Inconsistencies in SA	document.		
between two sites.			
Sustainability Objectives SO9, SO12, SO13,			
SO15, SO16, SO17 and SO19 and SO20			
dubious in relation to SG083.			
SG006: Site reference number not found in S	HLAA or Pool of Sites		I

Development would be ribbon development and far in excess of the quota. Giggleswick is classed as a 4b tier settlement with minimal development prescribed. Development would be a threat to wildlife, encroach on best and most fertile agricultural land, would likely to cause flooding in the around the site and create increase in traffic and danger at the roundabout along Station Rd.	Site reference number SG006 does not appear in the Council's SHLAA (Strategic Housing Land Availability Assessment) or the Pool of Sites for the draft Local Plan (April-May 2016). It is unclear which site these responses are referring to.	No	
Support, minuses impact on YDNP.	The points raised are noted. Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG010 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites (with mitigation measures and recommendations). However, the amount of growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft Local Plan. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No.	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
	eet; SG062 - Between Morrison House and Raines C		
Both sites should remain as green spaces as	The points raised are noted.	Yes and No	Site SG010 is not identified as a

local visual amenity.	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG010 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites (with mitigation measures and recommendations). However, the amount of growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft Local Plan. Site SG062 does not perform satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; access is considered unacceptable as there is insufficient frontage.		preferred housing site in the Pre- Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Giggleswick. Site SG062 is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre- Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document		
SG011 - Castleberg Hospital, Raines Road			
Castleberg Hospital vital resources and valued amenity for north Craven, fought hard to keep open. Important for ageing population. Help reduce 'bed blocking.'	The points raised are noted. Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	No	Site SG011 is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.

	Site SG011 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites (with mitigation measures and recommendations). However, the amount of growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft Local Plan.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SG014 - Land adjacent to Lord's Close and Sa	indholme Close		
Sports field used heavily during summer and winter months. Convenient for local children to play football in early evenings. Sports pitches act as a natural soakaway. Further development would compromise existing and future properties. Ribble is located only 200m away. Access is a major safety concern. Narrow bridge access to A65.	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG014 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites	No	Site SG014 is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
	(with mitigation measures and recommendations). However, the amount of growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft Local Plan.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		

	document.		
SG083 - Land at the corner of the A65 and Br	ı ackenber Lane		
Impact on tourism. Giggleswick does not have the feel of other surrounding more urban towns and villages. Giggleswick attractive, relaxing and well positioned. Building would influence over decision where to stay. Strange choice for industrial/residential for gateway to one of prettiest villages in Yorkshire. Environment Agency identify site as being at high risk of flooding from surface water. Development no matter what mitigation would increase run off, and thus flood risk on properties further down Swaw Beck. Residents properties have flooded recently. Until drainage issues resolved any further development would increase issues of flood risk. Would be the start of more building on River Ribble flood plain. Brackenber Lane underwater for first time floods December 2015. Unspoilt approach along A65 would be spoilt. Similar light industrial development at Ingleton, compromises aesthetic appeal and gives poor first impression. Industry would reduce appeal. Two of the three peaks visible along Raines Road. Dangerous junction, fatality in last five years. Would lead to more traffic turning at junction. Would open way for infilling whole	The points raised are noted. Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SG083 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites (with mitigation measures and recommendations). However, the amount of growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft Local Plan. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site SG083 is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.

	 	
area between Raines Road and A65. All HGV		
traffic would need to go down Raines Road.		
SG083 would impact on setting of Settle and		
Giggleswick and spoil open countryside. Site		
is very significant for breeding and nesting		
of Curlews. UK PAP priority.		
SG083 is a dark sky area. Objective SO16		
(light pollution) on Sustainability Appraisal		
should be marked negative.		
SG083 would require car use for access to		
Settle.		
Giggleswick not an area of unemployment.		
Unclear why there is a need for new		
industry.		
Development of the site for light industrial		
would kill the golden goose (tourism). The		
area is a gem.		
If site included most likely use a hotel or		
retail both of which could impact local		
business.		
Site located well outside existing built up		
area causing large increase in car journeys.		
Craven Landscape Appraisal 2002 – states		
importance of conserving undeveloped		
nature of floodplain landscape. Consider		
opportunities for provision of riverside		
walks to increase enjoyment of flood plain		
landscape.		
There are empty industrial buildings in		
Settle, no more currently needed. If needed		
over time other less high profile sites more		
suitable.		
Loss of grade 3 agricultural land.		

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rackenber Lane; SG064 - Land south of Runley Brid	ge Farm and west o	f B6480; SG067 - Land to south east
The points raised are noted.	Yes and No	Site SG083 is not identified as a
		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14 th June 2017. This site therefore
subject to further site assessment and		remains in the pool of sites for
sustainability appraisal.		Giggleswick.
	The points raised are noted. Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and

If housing was permitted on these sites	Site SG083 performs satisfactorily in the		Sites SG064 and SG067 are not
would not be further from the town than in	Sustainability Analysis. The site is deemed		identified as preferred housing sites
other towns including Skipton.	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites		in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven
- '	(with mitigation measures and		Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor do
	recommendations). However, the amount of		they remain in the pool of sites for
	growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan		Giggleswick.
	means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites		
	under the draft Local Plan.		
	Sites SG064 and SG067 do not perform to an		
	adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis,		
	and are not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites as they is located a considerable		
	distance from the town centre and ease of access		
	to services and facilities is limited.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SG085 - Land to the west of Raines Road; SG	083 - Land at the corner of the A65 and Brackenber	Lane; SG008 - Lan	d east of Bankwell Road.
Risk of surface water flooding	The points raised are noted.	Yes and No	Site SG008 is not identified as a
Increased risk of flooding locally.			preferred housing site in the Pre-
Industrial units at odds with landscape.	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
Impact on residents and tourists enjoyment.	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14th June 2017, nor does it remain
Impact on flora and fauna.	subject to further site assessment and		in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
Increase in pollution.	sustainability appraisal.		
Increase in traffic.			Sites SG083 and SG085 are not
Encroaches on best and most versatile	Site SG008 does not perform satisfactorily in the		identified as preferred housing sites
agricultural land.	Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed		in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven
Threat to curlew population.	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; the		Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. These
Station Road traffic too speedy. Traffic	site does not have an acceptable access.		sites therefore remain in the pool
appears around the bend without reducing			of sites for Giggleswick.

speed. No pedestrian refuge on Station	Site SG083 and SG085 perform satisfactorily in	
Road.	the Sustainability Analysis. These sites are	
	deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of	
	Sites (with mitigation measures and	
	recommendations). However, the amount of	
	growth directed towards Giggleswick in the plan	
	means that it is not allocated any Preferred Sites	
	under the draft Local Plan.	
	The methodology of reassessing this site together	
	with the actual assessment is set out in	
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	
	document.	

Object, application refused after local	The points raised are noted.	No	Site SG085 is not identified as a
objections.	The points raised are noted.	NO	preferred housing site in the Pre-
Recently refused, on the grounds of the site	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
relating more to open countryside then to	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14 th June 2017. This site therefore
the built up area. Would form a visual	subject to further site assessment and		remains in the pool of sites for
incursion into the countryside and introduce	sustainability appraisal.		Giggleswick.
an unsatisfactory linear built form of	Sustainability appraisai.		Giggieswick.
development along two prominent road	Site SG085 performs satisfactorily in the		
frontages to the detriment of the character	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
and appearance of the landscape and	Level Analyses. The site is deemed sustainable in		
countryside setting to the village.	order to enter the Pool of Sites. It can potentially		
Development of the site against NPPF para	be a Preferred Site, but Giggleswick is not to be		
17 (recognising the intrinsic character of the	allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft		
countryside) and 56 (making places better	Local Plan.		
for people).			
Site inappropriate for all the same reasons	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
that apply to SG086.	with the actual assessment is set out in		
In excess of designated quota.	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
Encroaches on to best and most versatile	document.		
agricultural land.			
The site could be sub divided to overcome			
archaeological constraints. Ground work			
assessment can be undertaken.			
Visual mitigation could include high quality			
design.			
Site is available now and can be delivered in			
the immediate short term.			
Would spoil the unity of the settlement.			

Would be in excess of quota for Giggleswick.	The points raised are noted.	No	Site SG086 is not identified as a
Ribbon development.	The points raised are notear		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Encroaches on best and most versatile	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
agricultural land.	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14 th June 2017. This site therefore
Threat to wildlife and in particular Curlews.	subject to further site assessment and		remains in the pool of sites for
Development likely to cause flooding.	sustainability appraisal.		Giggleswick.
Increase in traffic and danger to cyclists at	oustaines, appliaisain		0.88.00.110.11
the roundabout of Station Road.	Site SG086 performs satisfactorily in the		
	Sustainability Analysis and passes all four District		
	Level Analyses. The site is deemed sustainable in		
	order to enter the Pool of Sites. It can potentially		
	be a Preferred Site, but Giggleswick is not to be		
	allocated any Preferred Sites under the draft		
	Local Plan.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SG088 - Land to the south of Station Road			•
Surface water flood risk.	The points raised are noted.	No	Site SG088 is not identified as a
Increase in severe flooding further down			preferred housing site in the Pre-
Ribble valley.	Notwithstanding this, the pool of sites identified		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan;
Blot on the landscape.	in the Draft Local Plan; 4th April 2016 has been		14th June 2017, nor does it remain
Drop in spontaneous visitors to the area.	subject to further site assessment and		in the pool of sites for Giggleswick.
Noise pollution.	sustainability appraisal.		
Increase in traffic.			
Harm to biodiversity – Curlews.	Site SG088 does not perform satisfactorily in the		
	Sustainability Analysis. The site is not deemed		
	sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites; the		
	site has large areas of Flood Zone 3 in evidence.		

The methodology of reassessing this site together	
with the actual assessment is set out in	
the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017	
document.	

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: HELLIFIELD

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
HE001			
The site is next to a playing area. Southern end is playing field. Traffic would increase the potential for accidents. Station Road is part owned by the residents. Access is frequently difficult due to traffic from railway and housing and parking on either side of the road. Further development would be harmful to the amenity of the residents. The northern end falls into the Settle-Carlisle conservation area and the site is on the border of the Yorkshire Dales National Park. Site is within 500 metres of recorded Great Crested Newts and is a known area for badger foraging. Development would impact adversely on the setting of Hellifield Railway Station (grade II listed). Further development would exacerbate existing drainage problem. The site contains very old trees (horse chestnut, sycamore, ash etc.) and a natural habitat for wildlife.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE001 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. There is an inadequate access to the site. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. Residential development can make a very good contribution to improving the appearance of this prominent site near to the rail station. There is a small part of the site to the north within the Settle-Carlisle Railway Conservation Area. Station Road servicing the site is currently a private road, and a change to public ownership would be necessary. The quality of this service road would also need to be improved.	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is not in the pool of sites for Hellifield.

HE004			
The site has been identified by the	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan,	No	Site not identified as a preferred
Environment Agency as being almost	April 2016, has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
entirely Flood Zone 3.	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017.
			It is in the pool of sites for
	Site HE004 does perform to an adequate		Hellifield.
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the		
	Pool of Sites - if only part of it would be utilised		
	due to significant areas of flood risk.		
	The site is not required as there are no sites to be		
	listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing		
	numbers have been met.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in		
	the <u>Residential Site Selection Process June 2017.</u>		
	The EA have designated areas throughout the		
	size in FRZ2 and FRZ3, but sufficient land (greater		
	than 0.1 ha) is available in total, and a small		
	residential development area may be		
	accommodated. There is certainly attractive		
	amenity area to create open green space on parts		
	of the site affected by flood risk.		
HE005	1		
This site would be classed as brownfield and	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan,	No	Site not identified as a preferred
infill. No reason to exclude this site.	April 2016, has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017.
			It is not in the pool of sites for
	HE005 does not perform to an adequate standard		Hellifield.

HE006	in the Sustainability Appraisal, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site does not contain at least 0.1 hectares of land in FRZ1. The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. We recognise that this site would be classed as brownfield and infill.		
No reason to exclude this site. Extant planning available. 100% brownfield site.	There appears to be no site HE006.	No	There appears to be no site HE006.
HE007			
100% greenfield and agricultural land. Cannot be viewed as in fill. Adjacent to oldest part of village. Hellifield House, Rook Cottage and St Aidan's Church are grade II listed buildings. Negative impact on heritage. Planning permission granted for houses on the Hellifield House site and further development would be unacceptable. There is no vehicular or pedestrian access to the site and no apparent way to provide them.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE007 does perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met.	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is in the pool of sites for Hellifield.

HEOOO	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. The majority of the size is in FLRZ1, and there is a low to medium risk of surface water flooding in some parts on the site. The site can offer residential development close to the town centre and its services. Approved planning applications in the north and northeast (42/2009/10088, 42/2011/11691 & 42/2015/16308) have slightly reduced the original site area.		
Within 500m of a SSSI. Open countryside. 100% agricultural fields. Provides agricultural setting for traditional farm buildings at Beck House. Provides a green buffer between industrial premises of Townson Tractors and residential areas. This and other developments would make significant inroads into the belt separating Hellifield from Long Preston. Overseen from the Yorkshire Dales National Park. Access via unadopted road, which is used by heavy agricultural vehicles and equipment. Its junction with A65 is poor and unsafe. Flood risk. Land under numerous ownerships. Subject of a refused application, an appeal and concurrent new application. 30-40 objections lodged against the most recent application.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE009 does perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. The site has already a good access road in place. The majority of the site is in FRZ1 and there is a low risk of surface water flooding within the site.	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is in the pool of sites for Hellifield.

HE011			
Access onto the A65 hazardous. Trees on the site. Multi ownership of the land. 100% agricultural greenfield. However, the impact on the village itself would be less than other proposed sites.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE011 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. Any potential access from this site would likely create quite hazardous conditions as the road adjacent to the site meets the A65 and Thornview Road at an often busy junction, which is already poorly respected by many motorists as witnessed on a site visit.	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is not in the pool of sites for Hellifield.
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This tiny site would only be the access for Site HE004. Would not be required if HE004 is rejected.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE012 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites.	Yes	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is not in the pool of sites for Hellifield.

HE013	The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. The site is below 0.1 hectares in size and is not capable of accommodating at least 5 dwellings.		
Open countryside. The site would dramatically alter the entrance to the village and impact adversely on the heritage asset [St. Aidan's Church, grade II listed], which forms the first building one sees on arrival in the village. The site provides significant overcapacity and should be considered for removal or reduction. The A65 down a steep hill into the village is notoriously dangerous. The adverse Airton Road junction multiplies the hazard. Any proposed access point for the site would need to be examined for safety.	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan, April 2016, has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site HE013 does perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site is not required as there are no sites to be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, as housing numbers have been met. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017. Sub-division of this site would be necessary to accommodate residential development, with a setback of the development from the church to the western site boundary. The site is on a	No	Site not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan, June 2017. It is in the pool of sites for Hellifield.

	prominent location adjacent to the A65		
	approaching the town from the east.		
HE001, HE007, HE009, HE013	The pool of sites identified in the draft local plan,	No	HE001: Site not identified as a
Object. The Parish Council questions the	April 2016, has been subject to further site		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Local Planning Authority's (LPA) housing	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan,
supply formula, compared to the			June 2017. It is not in the pool of
overcapacity proposed in the suggested	Sites HE001, HE007, HE009 and HE013 have been		sites for Hellifield.
sites for housing.	discussed in the paragraphs above.		
			HE007: Site not identified as a
The LPA propose a housing supply for	We take into consideration the comments raised.		preferred housing site in the Pre-
Hellifield of 2 units per annum, over the 15	The sites are not required as there are no sites to		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan,
year plan period, thus 30 units in total.	be listed as Preferred Sites in Hellifield, because		June 2017. It is in the pool of sites
However, the sites proposed would provide	housing numbers have been met under the Local		for Hellifield.
for a housing supply overcapacity: HE001,	Plan requirements.		
HE007, HE009 and HE013 contain a			HE009: Site not identified as a
proposed total of 189 units to meet a supply	The methodology of reassessing this site together		preferred housing site in the Pre-
requirement of 30.	with the actual assessment is set out in		Publication Draft Craven Local Plan,
	the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		June 2017. It is in the pool of sites
This represents a very substantial			for Hellifield.
overcapacity.			
			HE013: Site not identified as a
Hellifield has seen housing units in the			preferred housing site in the Pre-
village increase by over 56% in a 15 year			Publication Draft Craven Local Plan,
period. This has had a dramatic impact on			June 2017. It is in the pool of sites
every aspect of village life and time is still			for Hellifield.
needed for this greatly increased new			
population to be properly integrated into			
the village. The Parish Council argue that			
Hellifield has already had more than its "fair			
share" of housing supply in Craven, this			
represents a material consideration when			
determining housing provision in the future.			

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he impact of this vastly increased housing	
supply has resulted in serious parking	
pressure at the railway station, increased	
traffic flows through the village – especially	
at peak travelling times, including traffic	
exiting and entering the new estate. There is	
no argument to justify further housing	
overcapacity within the village, or at its	
open countryside borders.	

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: SUTTON

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan (ideas relating to change/site identified or not as a preferred site)
SCO40: Land south of Sutton Lane			
Comment made in response to planning application number 66/2016/16745: development of the site would destroy Sutton's individuality by removing the natural gap between Eastburn and Sutton. This is a prominent sloping site, which if developed would have a damaging effect on the character of Sutton. There has been enough housing development recently in Sutton. Sutton Lane is over used, has poor street lighting and has no pavement causing danger to pedestrians. Additional traffic from development of this site would compound an already dangerous lane. The increase traffic, which would result from this development, could threaten the 66 bus service, which already has difficulty getting through the village. Such problems have already resulted in rerouting of the service away from Cononley. SCO40 site is shown as being 3.486 ha in area, however the current application 66/2016/16745 only relates to 0.55ha of the	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC040 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has a couple of negatives, with one major negative relating to the gap between Sutton and Eastburn. Developing this piece of land would constitute large scale development beyond the settlement boundary which would be harmful to the landscape character of the area and its approach to Sutton. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.

site with the rest being left as green
wedge/green field due to the steep
topography of the site. If SC040 is identified
as a preferred site the smaller area of
0.55ha should only be allocated.
Is unclear why SC040 should have been put
forward as a potential site given Sutton
Parish Council's comments. It appears to
have been based on the Craven Local Plan
Community Engagement events in summer
2013 where 34 comments were made in
relation to this site; 4 favourable, 1 adverse
and 29 made no comments in favour or
against. If we had known that a few
comments would be viewed as "support"
we would most certainly have objected to
the site. The 2014, 2015 and 2016 planning
applications proposing residential
development on this site have attracted
significant numbers of objections and it is
hoped that these would carry more weight
than the support provided on post it notes
at the 2014 Local Plan consultation events.
The only people preferring this site are land
owners and potential developers, not the
people of Sutton.
Saved Local Plan policy ENV1 applies to this
site. Inclusion of the site in the Local Plan
does nothing to protect the
character/quality of the open countryside,
doesn't benefit the rural economy, would
devastate landscape character, isn't needed
for agricultural/forestry and cannot be
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classed as "small scale". If allocated for housing it would be same size as the Silent Night and Greenroyd Mill brownfield developments. The community are absolutely against development of this site for housing. This site should have not passed stage 2 of the site assessment given the surface water flood risk that exists (evidenced during the Boxing day 2015 floods), the proximity of the site to existing heritage assets and site topography. Stage 3 talks about the sites setting and ground conditions and stage 5 talks about research and recording on any previous comments on the suitability of the site that may have been made during previous consultations, which have clearly not been considered otherwise the site	
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In stages 2-5 of the sustainability appraisal	
this site (together with others) has 4 out of	
the 6 existing constraints. Why is it still	
being considered as a preferred site?	
When assessed against sustainability	
objectives SO1 – SO20 the site has a	
negative result in terms of SO10, SO11,	
SO12, SO14 & SO16.	
Whilst site lies outside Flood Risk areas the	
steep topography of the site will exacerbate	
existing run off problems. Properties on	
Garden Place (opposite) and Ravenstone	
Gardens have experienced flooding in the	
past. This greenfield site is essential for	

absorption of run off from the hill sides. Development of SC040 would impact on wildlife, including bats, endangered hedgehogs, badgers, kestrels, owls and herons. Development of it would not meet aims of NPPF relating o protecting and enhancing valued landscapes and minimising impacts on biodiversity and providing net gains where possible. SC040 was included in the "Special Landscape Area" (1999 adopted Craven Local Plan). Whilst this designation no longer exists, the site is special to those that live and visit the area and the wildlife that inhabit it. Residential development on the site would have a negative impact on the character and appearance of the local landscape by eroding the existing gap between Sutton and Eastburn and allowing the two villages and counties to merge. CDCs Landscape Appraisal (Oct 2002) identifies this area of open countryside as type 10 "Pasture with Wooded Gills and Woodland", which should be conserved/reinforced, NOT destroyed. The 1986 and 2016 appeal decisions gave the steep topography and harm to landscape character resulting from development in the reasons for the appeal decisions. NPPF is clear that to achieve sustainable development, the economic, social and environmental roles of the planning system
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are mutually dependant. Paragraph 7 emphasises the need to protect and enhance the natural and built environment, para 17 includes the need to take account of the different roles and character of different areas and para 61 states that decisions should address the connections between people and places and the integration of new development into the natural and built environment. Building on the rising slopes of green fields does nothing to integrate development with the natural environment, The opposing gable ends of Wilson and Harker Street serve as a "gateway" to the village and the orientation of Dixon Street provides views into this part of the village and of the countryside beyond it. Development of this site would alter this existing pleasing relationship between the edge of the village and countryside beyond. Identification of the following existing infrastructure constraints: South Craven School and two primary Sutton schools are at capacity. Health centre is over committed and Airedale Hospital is over run. CDC Sustainability Appraisal 2013 states that "demand on healthcare is set to increase due to a growing population and an increasing elderly population". • The Aire valley trunk sewer is

overstretched (as identified in			
Sutton Parish Council's 2012 Parish			
Plan. Yorkshire Water comments			
relating to the recent planning			
application – "the local public sewer			
network does not have capacity to			
accept any surface water".			
 There have not been improvements 			
made to the road network over the			
last 15 years. They are generally			
narrow and unsuited to the increase			
traffic burden. Reference to 2009			
CDC report that refers to no more			
development being undertaken in			
Sutton unless infrastructure			
improvements were made. Section			
4 of the NPPF promotes sustainable			
transport choices and reducing			
travel by car. Development of			
SC040 would not promote reduction			
in travel by car; it would increase it			
commuting by car to West			
Yorkshire.			
Development should be focused on the			
brownfield sites of Leeds and Bradford and			
leave green fields alone. This site should be			
preserved for future generations to enjoy			
and not destroyed.			
Sutton does not need executive style homes			
that local people cannot afford to buy.			
SC043: West of Holme Lane and north of Holi	ne Beck		
Based on the availability of detailed work to	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
date in relation to the previous 2013 appeal	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication

we support the inclusion of residential	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
allocation on this site as it would be	assessificite and sustainability appliaisal.		2017, nor does it remain in the pool
	Cita CCOA2 dans not northwest to an adaption		of sites for Sutton.
deliverable, sustainable and appropriate in	Site SC043 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Sutton.
scale to the existing settlement form.	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
Whilst dismissing the appeal, the Inspector	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
did refer to the proposed development not	the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negative		
affecting the setting of the Conservation	which outweigh the positives for the site,		
Area, subject to appropriate conditions	including floor risk and the existence of green		
would not adversely affect highway or	wedge designation.		
pedestrian safety nor would it have an			
adverse effect in terms of flood risk,	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
drainage and sewerage. The Council's	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
Sustainability Assessment recommended	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
that the site is included in the pool of sites	document.		
with the extent of development restricted			
by flood risk and the need to retain trees on			
the river bank. The Sustainability Appraisal			
identifies mitigation measures relating to			
flood risk, landscape/biodiversity impact,			
ground work assessment and design.			
Support for this site as it would be natural			
infilling between existing residential areas.			
SC044: West and north of Hazel Grove Road,	south of Holme Beck		
Support for allocation of this site as it would	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
be natural infill between the existing	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		housing site in the Pre-Publication
residential area.	assessment and sustainability appraisal.		Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June
			2017, nor does it remain in the pool
	Site SC044 does not perform to an adequate		of sites for Sutton.
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous		
	negatives which outnumber the positives for the		
	site, including the fact that the site would erode		

SC048: Gott Hill Farm, east of Ellers Rd	the green wedge separating Sutton from Glusburn & Crosshills. This site has therefore been recommended for green wedge designation. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Development of this site would lead to excessive traffic volumes on surrounding roads. NYCC Highways have also raised issues about access to this site. Development would be contrary to SA objectives SO8 AND SO14. Development would result in loss of privacy to existing surrounding residents, a greater risk of flooding and negative impact on biodiversity.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC048 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass all four of the District Level Analyses, as there is uncertainty as to whether there would be a significant effect on the South Pennines SPA & SAC. However, due to planning permissions granted since in 2012 in Sutton, there are no housing requirements in the area, therefore no sites will be allocated for housing in Sutton. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Sutton.
SC040, SC043 & SC044			
Although these sites are relevantly small individually, cumulatively they may lead to a significant loss of best and most versatile agricultural land.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Sites SC040, SC043 and SC044 are not identified as preferred housing sites in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017,

It is important to leave some green spaces	Site SC040 does not perform to an adequate		nor does it remain in the pool of
between buildings so that Sutton retains its	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		sites for Sutton.
rural atmosphere. SC044 is used daily by	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
local people walking through the village.	the Pool of Sites. Proposed development here		
Planning permission has already been	would compromise the gap between Sutton and		
refused on SC043 so it should be included in	Eastburn and would constitute large scale		
the Local Plan. It is a vital space needed to	development beyond the settlement boundary		
retain the rural feel.	which would be harmful to the landscape		
	character of the area and the approach to Sutton.		
	Site SC043 does not perform to an adequate		
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous		
	negatives, including flood risk and the existence		
	of green wedge designation, which outnumber		
	the positives for the site.		
	Site SC044 does not perform to an adequate		
	standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the		
	site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter		
	the Pool of Sites. The site would erode the green		
	wedge separating Sutton from Glusburn &		
	Crosshills. The site is recommended for green		
	wedge designation.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
	document.		
SC047, SC044, SC043, SC045 and SC080			
Rights of way: SC047, SC044, SC043, SC0045	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes and No	Sites SC047 and SC080 are not
and SC080 all have urbanisation impacts on	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site		identified as preferred housing sites

PROW (roughly in order of highest impact). Consider use of green infrastructure to mitigate. (NYCC)

assessment and sustainability appraisal.

Site SC047 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass all three of the District Level Analyses. There is uncertainty as to whether there would be a significant effect on the South Pennines SPA & SAC. Furthermore, due to planning permissions granted since 2012 in Sutton there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore no sites will be allocated for housing in Sutton.

Site SC044 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site would erode the green wedge separating Sutton from Glusburn & Crosshills. This site is recommended for green wedge designation.

Site SC043 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has numerous negatives, including flood risk and the existence of the green wedge designation, which outnumber the positives for the site.

Site SC045 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has the majority of its area under Flood Zone Risk 2 and 3, which is a

in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017. The sites therefore remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.

Sites SC044, SC043, SC045 are not identified as preferred housing sites in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.

	determining impediment to selection.		
	Site SC080 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis, however it does not pass all four District Level Analysis. The site is not likely to deliver affordable housing. Due to planning permissions granted since 2012 in Sutton in Craven, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore no sites will be allocated for housing in Sutton.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
SC025: Land and premises, south of Bri			
Support for allocation of this site	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC025 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site is an active employment use and should remain as such until informed otherwise by site owners.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.
SC030: Works and land at Low Fold, Me	anor Way		
Support for allocation of this site	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool

SC047: The Acres	Site SC030 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis. The site has planning permission. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		of sites for Sutton.
The Acres is single track lane, which cannot be widened due to ownership constraints. As such access to the fields above the existing houses cannot be achieved. We therefore ask that site SCO47 is removed from the pool pf sites.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC047 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass all four of the District Level Analyses. There is uncertainty as to whether there would be a significant effect on the South Pennines SPA & SAC. However due to planning permissions granted since 2012 in Sutton, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore no sites will be allocated for housing. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Sutton.
SC048: Gott Hill Farm, east of Ellers Road			
Greenroyd Drive/Harper Grove is already congested with traffic and the new development will only increase congestion. Ellers already used as a "rat-run". Will	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in

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exacerbate traffic problems further in the	Site SC048 performs satisfactorily in the	the	e pool of sites for Sutton.
village. Highways have raised concerns	Sustainability Analysis; however it does not pass		
about access to this site. This is against	all four of the District Level Analyses. There is		
sustainability objectives SO8.	uncertainty as to whether there would be a		
Removal of local green space would destroy	significant effect on the South Pennines SPA &		
important green space, views and important	SAC. However, due to the planning permissions		
ecological habitat for wildlife. A previous	granted since 2012 in Sutton, there are no		
planning application (66/2015/15358) was	housing requirements in the area and therefore		
rejected on these grounds last year. Building	no sites will be allocated for housing.		
here contrary to SO14.			
The village has only limited resources.(e.g.	The methodology of reassessing this site together		
schools and medical services). The proposed	with the actual assessment is set out in the		
new development will only add increased	Residential Site Selection Process June 2017		
pressure on these resources.	document.		
The site is within 2km of an SPA. It has trees			
present along south and south west of site.			
Pressure on the Local Biodiversity site of			
Ancient Woodland in Sutton Clough should			
not be overlooked.			
Ellers floods and has run-off water issues.			
The sewerage system is at full capacity.			
SUDS not suitable to site geography.			
SC048 also has greater road capacity issues			
because there is potential for a higher			
number of dwellings on the land.			
Development should be confined			
to the western part of the site to avoid			
intrusion into open countryside. An			
unacceptably large site on rising land, visible			
from the Aire Valley (and even further			
afield to the North-East?). Its 70 houses,			
facing North, could be enhanced by			
planting.			

SC075: Salt Pie Farm			
Development should only be allowed if the Ravenstone Gardens access is improved into a proper metalled road. Sutton Lane and Main Street are not equipped to deal with extra traffic, which could threaten the 66 bus service which already has difficulty getting through the village. This site should be identified as having road capacity/access	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC075 does not perform to an adequate standard in the Sustainability Analysis, and the site is not deemed sustainable in order to enter the Pool of Sites. The site has a number of	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.
issues. Development should not be permitted on this greenfield site with agricultural vale, as there are brownfield sites available (Yeadon House site) Site falls outside the existing development limit for Sutton and development would expand the village towards Eastburn. The landowner has made previous unsuccessful planning applications on the site, which establishes that building on this site would not result in a sustainable form of development.	neutrals but it also has one major double negative. The site is landlocked as there are no links to the adopted highway. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Issues relating to drainage and flooding. Concentrating over the fields will make this situation worse. Support for allocation of this site.			
Support for allocation of this site.	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan;	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred
Support for allocation of this site.	4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC076 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement, the site has an overall site size	res	housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.

SC080: Rear of Bay Horse Pub	of 0.1 hectares, and/or cannot accommodate five or more dwellings. Therefore the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
Comment of "No objection" provided for this site. Access - Ellers Road already used as a "Rat Run". Road capacity issues identified Sewerage system is at full capacity	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC080 performs satisfactorily in the Sustainability Analysis; however the site does not pass all four Macro Level Analysis. The site is not likely to deliver affordable housing, however due planning permissions granted since 2012 in Sutton in Craven, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore there will be no sites allocated for housing in Sutton. The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.	No	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017. This site therefore remains in the pool of sites for Sutton.
SC084:			
The Yeadon House site is available for development, which would be preferable to development of a greenfield site. It has been excluded based on flood risk, however the site is not in proximity to the beck. Is the issue drains that are at capacity?	The pool of sites identified in the Draft Local Plan; 4 th April 2016 has been subject to further site assessment and sustainability appraisal. Site SC084 does not move past a Level 1 acknowledgement as the site contains less than	Yes	Site is not identified as a preferred housing site in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, nor does it remain in the pool of sites for Sutton.

	0.1hectares in Flood Risk Zone 1 and is therefore not suitable to undergo Sustainability Analysis.		
	The methodology of reassessing this site together with the actual assessment is set out in the Residential Site Selection Process June 2017 document.		
General Issues			
Concerns about the ability of local communities to access local services, including schools, hospitals, GP surgery and public transport. Increased housing means more demand for supermarkets leading to local independent shops loosing trade and risk closing.	There are no preferred housing sites to be allocated in Sutton in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017, due to planning permissions granted since 2012 in Sutton in Craven, there are no housing requirements in the area and therefore there will be no sites allocated for housing.	Yes	There are no preferred housing sites to be allocated in Sutton in the Pre-Publication Draft Craven Local Plan; 14 th June 2017.

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Site Response Paper by Settlement: Langcliffe

Main issues from consultation	Response	Change required to the local plan (yes/no)	Changes made to the plan
LA004			
This site is a suitable site in Settle which should be considered as an allocation. Housing Requirement – Draft policy SP4 identifies that Settle will meet 10.5% of the districts' minimum annual housing requirement per annum that equates to 27 dwellings per annum. Centres such as Settle have an important role in meeting the District's wider housing needs and this site require allocation in order to deliver housing early within the plan period. Site allocations methodology – The submission sets out an assessment (prepared by the agent) of the site against the four criteria set out in stage 1 of the Council's Site Allocations Methodology. This assessment concludes that the site meets all four criteria included in stage 1. Suitability of the site – The site is available now with no ownership constraints which would create a barrier to early delivery of the site within the plan period. The site performs positively against criteria set out in stage 2 of the Site Allocations Methodology. The site is approx. 750m for the centre of Settle,	Site LA004 is located within Langcliffe Parish. Langcliffe is not a settlement included in the draft settlement hierarchy as set out at table 6 on page 44 and draft policy SP4: Spatial Strategy and Housing Growth of the Pre Publication Draft Local Plan June 2017. As such the draft Local Plan does not proposed any housing allocations within Langcliffe parish.	No	Site does not move past Level 1 acknowledgement, and the site is not suitable to undergo a Sustainability Analysis as the site is in a settlement not designated in the Spatial Strategy.

which would promote sustainable travel patterns		
by new residents accessing day to day services		
without the need to travel, supporting the viability		
of Settle town centre.		
Sowarth Field employment area is easily accessed		
by pedestrians from the site.		
Alternative Site Area – the Council may wish to		
consider the allocation of the southern part of the		
site as an alternative to allocation of the entire		
site.		
Consideration of Sustainability Objectives:		
Agricultural Land – Site is currently used for		
agricultural purposes and is identified as Grade 4		
agricultural land. The loss of existing grazing land		
is regrettable; the opportunity to deliver much		
needed housing in a sustainable location		
outweighs the loss of this grazing land.		
Conservation on the Historic Environment – No		
listed buildings on the site. Site is located adjacent		
to the Settle-Carlisle Conservation Area. Careful		
siting and design of development will ensure that		
any impact on the CA will be reduced. Key view of		
Barrel Sykes (Grade II) will be considered and if		
necessary incorporated into the overall scheme		
design. The site will continue the historic linear		
growth pattern of the town adjacent to the railway		
line while maintaining a close relationship of		
housing to the town centre. The site would not		
introduce any new built development within this		
area which would further detract from the		
importance of the Settle-Carlisle Railway CA.		
Visual Impact & Amenity – Site slopes gently		
towards bank of railway line to the east. Through		

careful design, views from Langcliffe Rd towards		
the YDNP can be retained and protected.		
Residential development would not introduce any		
newly urbanising element within the area given		
the adjacent Watershed Mill and existing		
residential development to the south. Site is		
adjacent to existing residential development		
located off Barrel Sykes. The access road into		
existing housing development provides an existing		
buffer between the site and existing properties,		
providing satisfactory standard of residential		
amenity for existing residents.		
Biodiversity – any future application will provide		
full details of existing habitats and the sites		
potential to provide a net gain in biodiversity.		
Air Quality & Noise – Site is not located within an		
Air Quality Management Area. Future Transport		
Assessment and Air Quality Assessment can fully		
assess any impact. The noise impact of the site in		
relation to the adjacent railway line will need to be		
considered. This can be adequately mitigated		
against following any recommendations within a		
Noise Assessment.		