

## EXAMINATION STEETON with EASTBURN and SILSDEN NDP

### QUESTIONS

#### I LOOK FOR ANSWERS FROM THE PARTY HIGHLIGHTED AT THE END OF THE QUESTION

1. On page 34 of the Plan there is reference to the existing settlement boundary shown on the Policies Map. I could not see a boundary marked on the Policies Map. Can I presume that the boundary is the green belt boundary? - CBMDC

2. Policy SWES4 Protecting Non-Designated Heritage Assets - I need to see evidence relating to the merits of the listed non-designated heritage assets in order to understand the justification for their inclusion in the policy.

Historic England has published an advice document about Local Lists (Good Practice Guide for Local Heritage Lists) This document sets out that it is essential to have selection criteria which define the scope of the list. – PARISH COUNCILS

see link: <https://historicengland.org.uk/imagesbooks/publications/localheritage-listing-advice-note-7/>.

3. Policy SWES7 Green and Blue Infrastructure - Criterion a) refers generally to the need to improve access the network of green and blue infrastructure. This element of the policy does not meaningfully expand on existing Strategic Core Policy 6 (SC6): Green Infrastructure, which seeks generally to enhance the resilience and connection of green networks and establishes that local plans should seek to identify these networks. **Is it possible for the parishes to identify the existing green and blue networks which are the subject of this policy?** This could be done in a diagrammatic scale sufficient to identify the broad network and the potential for connectivity to it.- PARISH COUNCILS

4. Policy SWES12 Steeton with Eastburn Local Centre and Local Shops- There is a contradiction in the policy text and paragraph 6.41 regarding the existence of a boundary for the Local Centre. I note both of the settlements are classed as a Local Centres in the Core Strategy yet I cannot discern a boundary for either of them on any relevant plan including the RUDP Proposals Map. Please could the CBMDC clarify whether there is a boundary for either of the centres, if so where are they ? Could the Parish Councils clarify if the intention of this policy is to have a boundary for the centre and if not how the policy may operate? CBMDC and PARISH COUNCILS.

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