

Consultation questions

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Tell us what you think of the council's draft Estates Local Plan

1) Having read and considered the council's draft Estates Local Plan and supporting documents please indicate your preference at this stage for regeneration.

See Notes on following Page.

Please tick **one** of the following options:

Option 1: Demolish and redevelop the entire Estate

Redeveloping the whole estate would mean demolishing and replacing the existing buildings to provide well-designed energy efficient new homes and general improvement to the neighbourhood, including connections to the surrounding areas.

Option 2: Partial redevelopment

Retain some buildings and redevelop the majority of the estate to provide a number of benefits, such as well-designed energy

efficient new homes but with fewer benefits to the neighbourhood.

Option 3: Invest in existing properties to bring them to minimum modern standards

Refurbish all Circle Housing Merton Priory and leasehold properties to ensure they meet current minimum housing standards and have reasonable kitchens, bathrooms, windows, wiring and insulation. All leaseholders would have to share the costs of this work. This would not include changes to the outside areas.



2) To what extent do you agree or disagree with the following aspects of the council’s draft Estates Local Plan? Please select one of the following ratings for each topic area:

Draft Estates Local Plan	Ratings				
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Townscape - How your neighbourhood looks and feels		✓			
Street Network - Where the streets will go		✓			
Movement and access – How people will move around		✓			
Land use – What uses can go in the new neighbourhood		/			
Open space – How much and what sort of open space will there be		/			
Environmental protection - How design will help to achieve a sustainable e.g. reduce flooding, encourage wildlife and provide energy efficient homes		/			
Landscape – How open space, trees and planting should be provided		/			
Building heights – How high buildings should be			/		



3) Please tell us if you have any other comments about the council's draft Estates Local Plan?

(Please include details of the page number(s) and paragraph number(s) of the council's draft plan to which your comments relate. Please continue on a separate sheet and attach to this form clearly indicating the question you are writing about.)

- ① I have concerns about a road route between Woodstock way & TAMWORTH LANE. When the Estate was first built there was a route between the roads but it soon became a short cut, avoiding the level crossing & roundabout area. This caused severe congestion. To Add to the issue, the Clay the road soon became a race track in the late evenings for time-trials. In fact a Start/Stop line was painted on the road. This is the reason why there is a gate halfway around the Estate. Don't make the same mistake AGAIN.
- ② GRACIES: Listen to you residents, Most have at least one car, many have two or more. If garages are withdrawn, the roads will be filled with parked cars. Visit the Estate in the evening and see how many there are. Not during the day.
- ③ CHMP have withdrawn the 3rd Liaison team, at this point in the project the residents need them more than ever, this should be re-installed.
- ④ CHMP are enforcing a 11 year residency deal we accept a house in Exchange. Tenant who rent and then buy are only limited to 5 years - this is very unfair.
- ⑤ With this project taking approx 10 years to complete, I feel that living in a building site would be difficult. CHMP must ensure that roads are kept clear of Mud and debris during the period.

Tell us what you think about the council's consultation

4) How did you hear about this consultation?

Please select one or more.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Email | <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Letter | <input type="checkbox"/> Other
(please specify) _____ |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Website | _____ |

5) How well did you understand the council's draft Estates Local Plan?

Please select one

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Very well | <input type="checkbox"/> Not very well |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reasonably well | <input type="checkbox"/> Not at all |

6) Do you have any other comments about the council's consultation process that you would like considered?

I feel that one-to-one interviews or group interviews should have been taken from a residents perspective I've only seen council representatives once at any meetings.