

Response ID ANON-M2Q4-48KN-9

Submitted to Oxford Local Plan 2045 Submission Draft (Regulation 19) Consultation
Submitted on 2026-02-01 14:52:49

Contact Information

1 Name

Name:
DR HILARY WALKER

2 Email Address

Email:
[REDACTED]

3 Postal Address

postal address:

[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]

4 Postcode

postcode:

[REDACTED]

5 Organisation Name (if applicable)

Organisation:
n/a

6 In what capacity are you responding to this consultation?

Individual/Member of the public

7 If you are commenting on behalf of someone else, please state their name here. If you are representing more than one person or group we suggest making a separate submission for each.

acting as agent?:

Data Protection Notice and Notification Options

8 Are you happy for the first line of your address and postcode to be published with your response(s)?

I do NOT want my address and postcode to be published with my response.

9 Do you wish to be notified when:

the Council submits the Oxford Local Plan 2045 to the Government?, the Inspector's report is published?, the Oxford Local Plan 2045 is adopted?

10 If your representation is seeking a modification to the plan, do you consider it necessary to participate in examination hearing session(s)? Please note: while this will provide an initial indication of your wish to participate in hearing session(s), you may be asked at a later point to confirm your request to participate.

No

11 If you wish to participate in the hearing session(s), please tell us why you consider this to be necessary. Please note: the Inspector will determine the most appropriate procedure to adopt to hear those who have indicated that they wish to participate in hearing session(s). You may be asked to confirm your wish to participate when the Inspector has identified the matters and issues for examination.

reason to attend hearings:

Chapter 2: A Healthy Inclusive City to live in (whole chapter)

89 Do you wish to comment on any other part(s) of Chapter 2? Please state the relevant section or paragraph reference(s):

references for further comment chap 1:

I do not see any reference to Oxford as a City of Sanctuary. How do you intend to incorporate this commitment into your plan?

90 Do you consider that the parts of chapter 2 mentioned above are sound?

No

91 If you do NOT consider the parts of chapter 2 mentioned above to be sound, please select your reasons why from the choices below. Please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the soundness of the policy please also use this box to set out your comments.

policy is NOT positively prepared

c2 comments:

see above

92 Do you consider the parts of chapter 2 mentioned above are legally compliant? If you do NOT consider them to be legally compliant, please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the legal compliance of the chapter please also use this box to set out your comments.

Not Answered

c3 legal compliance comments:

93 Please set out, as precisely as possible, what change(s) you consider necessary to make the stated part(s) of the chapter legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above. You will need to say why the suggested change will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text.

suggested changes to make chapter 2 sound:

All the measures in the plan need to be evaluated against the intention to make Oxford a City of Sanctuary.

Policy G6: Protecting Oxford's biodiversity including the ecological network

139 Do you consider that policy G6 is sound?

No

140 If you do NOT consider policy G6 to be sound, please select your reasons why from the choices below. Please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the soundness of the policy please also use this box to set out your comments.

policy is NOT justified

g6 comments:

You need to take Iffley Fields OUT of the plan.

141 Do you consider that policy G6 is legally compliant? If you do NOT consider policy G6 to be legally compliant, please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the legal compliance of the policy please also use this box to set out your comments.

Not Answered

g6 legal compliance comments:

142 Please set out, as precisely as possible, what change(s) you consider necessary to make the policy legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above. You will need to say why the suggested change will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text.

suggested changes to make g6 sound:

Policy SPS8: Land at Meadow Lane

355 Do you consider that Policy SPS8 is sound?

No

356 If you do NOT consider policy SPS8 to be sound, please select your reasons why from the choices below. Please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the soundness of the policy please also use this box to set out your comments.

policy is NOT justified

sps8 comments:

The biodiversity of this site and the value of the environment of the village as a whole need to be protected not built on. You have been given plenty of evidence as to how people from outside Iffley love the tranquility of the village and walk there often. Please do not ruin this.

357 Do you consider that Policy SPS8 is legally compliant? If you do NOT consider policy SPS8 to be legally compliant, please give precise details for your reasons in the box below - if you wish to support the legal compliance of the policy please also use this box to set out your comments

Not Answered

sps8 legal compliance comments:

358 Please set out, as precisely as possible, what change(s) you consider necessary to make the policy legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above. You will need to say why the suggested change will make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text.

suggested changes to make sps8 sound: