

Missing Policy – Vision and Objectives

Respondent number	Comment	Officer response
ANON-KSAR-NKDW-5	<p>There does not seem to be an area for general comments in this consultation:-</p> <p>Littleton and Harestock Parish Council make our comments in good faith and trust that they will be considered in that way so that together we can safeguard and enhance the quality of our parish and the wider city given the many challenges that we face in the coming years.</p>	<p>Noted</p>
BHLF-KSAR-N8TT-Y	<p>Omissions: continuing studies. In several places (paragraph 10.19 for example) reference is made to ongoing studies that may result in further changes prior to the submission version of the Plan Surely some indication ought to have been provided at this stage as to whether these changes were likely or not to be substantive? On the one hand there would seem little point now in spending time and effort scrutinising the plan if it is likely to be changed: on the other hand the plan would be shown to have limited robustness if these studies did result in significant changes.</p> <p>Omissions: policies to manage development and change in existing urban areas. The document advises that the submitted plan will promote a pattern of social, economic and environmental development and change to achieve the vision for the District. If that is so it would benefit if it showed the main land uses in urban areas: what are the limits of town centres, where are community uses (education, health etc.) and what policies would be applied to managed their development as they react to changing pressures and demands. There are a wealth of policies covering conservation the landscape and other ‘environmental’ matters but few for the suburban areas where most people live and go about their daily business.</p>	<p>The purpose of the regulation 18 consultation is to inform the production of the Plan before it is finalised and submitted to the Secretary of State for Examination. This is a legal obligation as is considered beneficial in ensuring the Plan is appropriate.</p> <p>The final Plan will have a Policies Map showing which Local Plan Policies apply to each area.</p>