

Chilbolton Neighbourhood Plan

Regulation 16 Consultation Response Form

Please return your completed response form to Test Valley Borough Council via either:

- E-mail: Neighbourhoodplanning@testvalley.gov.uk **or**
- Post: Planning Policy, Beech Hurst, Weyhill Road, Andover, SP10 3AJ.

The consultation ends at Noon on Friday 21 February 2020.

Please review the Data Protection section, and sign and date at the end of this response form.

Guidance Note:

This response form has two parts:

Part A – Contact Details and Future Notification

Please provide your personal contact details. If an agent is appointed to represent you, then they would need to provide their full contact details in addition to your Title, Name and Organisation (if applicable). This information is required to enable the Independent Examiner to contact you for further information if required during the examination of the Neighbourhood Plan.

Consultees can request to be notified once Test Valley Borough Council has decided to ‘make’ the Chilbolton Neighbourhood Plan, following the Independent Examination and referendum. This decision is the final statutory stage in adopting a Neighbourhood Plan. Please indicate whether or not you wish to be notified.

Part B – Your representation(s)

If you are responding using this form, please use a separate Part B form for each different part of the Plan that you respond to (for example, one form per document or per policy).

Please use the table to set out which document and which part of that document your comments relate to. If your comment is on a specific element please set this out in the table. Your comments should then be written in the box – please state if you have included any attachments as part of your comments.

Part A – Contact Details and Future Notification

Contact Details

	1. Personal Details (or Client Details if applicable)**	2. Agent's Details (if applicable)
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*Please note: these sections must be completed.

**If an agent is appointed, please provide the client's Title, Name and Organisation.

Future Notification

Do you wish to be notified of Test Valley Borough Council's decision to 'make' the Chilbolton Neighbourhood Plan? (please tick):

Yes:

No:

Part B – Representation

Please use a separate Part B form for each document/paragraph/policy that you are making representations about.

To which document does this representation relate?

(please **tick only one document per Response Form** and indicate the section / policy number / paragraph number to which your comments relate to)

Consultation Document	Tick	Section/ Policy/ Paragraph
Chilbolton Neighbourhood Plan	✓	EN6 Utilities and Infrastructure
Basic Conditions Statement		
Consultation Statement		
Designated Area Map		

Please write your comments in this box: *(Continue on next page and attach an additional page at the back of your response if required)*

Southern Water is the statutory water and wastewater undertaker for Chilbolton and as such has a statutory duty to serve new development within the parish.

Although there are no current plans, over the life of the Neighbourhood Plan, it may be that we will need to provide new or improved infrastructure either to serve new development and/or to meet stricter environmental standards. It is therefore important to have policy provision in the Neighbourhood Plan which seeks to ensure that the necessary infrastructure is in place to meet these requirements.

Policy EN6 refers to renewable energy, but does not provide support the general provision of new or improved utilities infrastructure, such as water or wastewater. The NPPF (2019) paragraph 28 establishes that communities should set out detailed policies for specific areas including *'the provision of infrastructure and community facilities at a local level'*. Also, National Planning Practice Guidance states that *'Adequate water and wastewater infrastructure is needed to support sustainable development'*.

Although the Parish Council is not the planning authority in relation to utilities development proposals, support for essential infrastructure is required at all levels of the planning system.

Proposed amendment

To ensure consistency with the NPPF and facilitate sustainable development, we the following addition to Policy EN6:

New and improved utility infrastructure will be encouraged and supported in order to meet the identified needs of the community subject to other policies in the plan

Data Protection

Data Protection: The comments you submit will be used to inform the Neighbourhood Plan process and will be held for the lifetime of the Neighbourhood Plan. Please note that your comments will **not** be treated as confidential and will be made available for public inspection. However, contact details will not be made public and will not be passed to external parties, apart from the Examiner, without permission. For further information on how we use your personal data please visit <http://www.testvalley.gov.uk/gdpr>

Please tick the box to confirm you are happy for your comments to be used in this way

SignedCMayall..... Date17/02/20.....

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If you require any assistance in completing this form or require further information, please contact the Neighbourhood Planning team.