Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	Other Comments
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively	Unsound
prepared?	Chound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the	No
Duty to Cooperate?	
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the	RECLASSIFIED
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to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to	
comply with the duty to	
co-operate. Please be	
as precise as possible.	
Redacted modification - Please set out the	RECLASSIFIED
modification(s) you	
consider necessary to	
make this section of the plan legally compliant	
and sound, in respect	
of any legal compliance or soundness matters	
you have identified	
above.	
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	Stakeholder Submission
Туре	Web
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	
	Our Vision

Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to	has been a substantial difference in dwellings in numerical terms, therefore both plans cannot be treated the same. Therefore, until proven otherwise, the plan must be considered illegal and not put to Government.
co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	impact of Brexit and Covid-19. Housing need must be re-assessed using the latest (2018) ONS population predictions and take into account the effect of Covid on work patterns.
	There has been very poor public consultation and, particularly in Bury, a lack of accessible information and little spent by councils in generating awareness.
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Family Name	Richardson
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Person ID	1287172
Title	Our Strategic Objectives
Туре	Web
Our strategic objectives - Considering the information provided for our strategic objectives, please tick which of these objectives your written comment refers to:	 Create neighbourhoods of choice Ensure a thriving and productive economy in the districts involved Maximise the potential arising from our national and international assets Reduce inequalities and improve prosperity Promote the sustainable movement of people, goods and information Ensure that districts involved are more resilient and carbon neutral
	8. Improve the quality of our natural environment and access to green spaces9. Ensure access to physical and social infrastructure

Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	NA
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	NA
Soundness - Effective?	NA
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	spaces was vital to help the country come through the worst time in a generation. Green spaces and natural elements boost people's mental health at a time where a crisis is looming.
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Family Name	Richardson
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Person ID	1287172
Title	Our Spatial Strategy
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not	GMCA made the decision to move an ill-prepared plan forward to the publication stage of the Town and Country planning Act even though significant amendments were made to the plan since the last round of consultation. This means the plan has changed in a major way and thus

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to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	requires going back to proper consultation for those residents directly affected to comment further.
Redacted modification - Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this section of the plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above.	As above, the PfA needs to go back to the residents of Greater Manchester for the proper consultation.
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Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 1 Core Growth Area
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 2 City Centre
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No

Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 3 The Quays
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 4 Port Salford
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 5 Inner Areas
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No

Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 6 Northern Areas
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 7 North East Growth Corridor
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 8 Wigan Bolton Growth Corridor
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound

Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 9 Southern Areas
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 10 Manchester Airport
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 11 New Carrington
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound

Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 12 Main Town Centres
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 13 Strategic Green Infrastructure
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-Strat 14 A Sustainable and Integrated Transport Network

Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively	Unsound
prepared?	Linearrad
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-S 4 Resilience
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-S 5 Flood Risk and Water Environment
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine

Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-S 6 Clean Air
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-H 1 Scale Distribution and Phasing of New Housing Development
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-H 2 Affordability of New Housing
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No

Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-H 3 Type Size and Design of New Housing
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-H 4 Density of New Housing
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 1 Valuing Important Landscapes
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No

Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 2 Green Infrastructure Network
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 5 Uplands
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 6 Urban Green Space
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound

Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 8 Standards for Greener Places
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 9 A Net Enhancement of Biodiversity and Geodiversity
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 10 Green Belt
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound

Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-G 11 Safeguarded Land
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
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Person ID	1287172
Title	JPA 1.1 Heywood / Pilsworth (Northern Gateway)
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JPA 1.2: Simister and Bowlee (Northern Gateway)
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Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	Bury Council have failed to comply with their Statement of Community Involvement Statement of Community Involvement at all stages of the creation of the plan. There was no notification to residents of the initial call for sites and the amount spent on making residents aware of the plan is disproportionately small (□ 100 as per the response to a Freedom of Information request) in comparison to the effect it will have upon them. There has been a deliberate campaign of misinformation and misleading statements to promote and sell the Plan to residents, rather than a presentation of the facts. There has been an over reliance on residents finding things out for themselves on social media and websites and thus a failure to engage with various groups due to over reliance on the use of social media and technology.
Family Name	Richardson
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Title	JPA 7: Elton Reservoir Area
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	by the Canal and Rivers trust. These measures may be suitable for providing

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	will contribute to creating urban sprawl contrary to compliance with National Policy NPPF paragraph 134 parts a,c and e.
Redacted modification - Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this section of the plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above.	I consider the removal of JPA 7 allocation Elton Reservoir from the plan to be a necessary modification.
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Person ID	1287172
Title	JPA 8: Seedfield
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JPA 9: Walshaw
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not	There has been no evidence of the existence of exceptional circumstances to justify the alteration of the greenbelt boundaries to allow building on the Walshaw allocation as is required by the NPPF, para 140. Housing need is not an exceptional circumstance to justify the release of greenbelt.

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is unsound or fails to	
comply with the duty to	
co-operate. Please be	
as precise as possible.	

Government guidance states that housing need is not a target but merely a starting point and figures can be mitigated upwards or downwards according to local circumstances, eg lack of brownfield, economic shock (Brexit, Covid-19).

To prove that exceptional circumstances to justify alteration to greenbelt boundaries exist, the NPPF requires evidence that all other reasonable options to meet identified need have been considered (NPPF para 141). This must include maximising use of brownfield and underutilised sites and maximising density.

The Housing Need Assessment was carried out by Arc4, who were supposed to carry out a non-biased survey of housing need. However, they have a partnership with Greater Manchester Housing Partnership, an organisation of housing associations, including Six Town Housing in Bury. The assessment was therefore not impartial.

The site selection process for Bury has been especially opaque. Little information has been given about why other more apparently suitable sites were rejected, or what alternatives were considered. Bury Council admitted in a Freedom of Information response that site selection was decided at a series of informal meetings with no list of attendees or minutes available. This site choice cannot be justified as the most appropriate when no reasonable alternatives appear to have been examined. Alternative options were ruled out too early or were not considered despite other areas having direct motorway access or being situated nearer to employment sites.

In addition, the Walshaw site performs poorly against site selection criteria and strongly against greenbelt assessment criteria. Therefore the inclusion of the Walshaw site cannot be justified:

The Walshaw site only met one of the criteria for site selection, namely the most general and vague criteria, Criteria 7, land that would deliver significant local benefits by addressing a major local problem (Site Allocation Topic Paper JPA 9 Walshaw pg 8, para 5.4). The only major local problem identified in Walshaw is the extra traffic that will be created by the proposed 1250 new houses. Without the houses, there is not a major problem and the infrastructure proposed would not be needed. This is essentially a cyclical argument and not a specific justification for the inclusion of the site.

The proposed new road link will not ease traffic and will potentially create further congestion. As per the Transport Locality Assessments GMSF 2020, the map at page B9, figure 3 shows that the road will start from a mini roundabout on a narrow residential road, cross a busy main road, enter onto Lowercroft Road at Dow Lane where the road is steep and very narrow (barely wide enough for two cars to pass safely). The road will be sending traffic to all of the same pinch points this side of the Irwell. It will exacerbate congestion on local roads, which are already highly congested. No account has been taken of the additional traffic which will be produced at the Andrews housing development site just down the road from the Walshaw allocation.

Redacted modification - Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this section of the plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above.	
Family Name	Richardson

Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-D1 Infrastructure Implementation
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No
Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	Due to the size of the greenbelt sites allocated within the plan it is highly unlikely that the infrastructure can be provided in good time to bring these sites forward within the plan period. This would make the plan undeliverable within the plan period hence making it unsound.
Redacted modification - Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this section of the plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above.	Smaller sites should be considered that would come forward faster like brownfield sites that already have substantial infrastructure provided close by.
Family Name	Richardson
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Person ID	1287172
Title	JP-D2 Developer Contributions
Туре	Web
Soundness - Positively prepared?	Unsound
Soundness - Justified?	Unsound
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound
Compliance - Legally compliant?	No

Compliance - In accordance with the Duty to Cooperate?	No
Redacted reasons - Please give us details of why you consider the consultation point not to be legally compliant, is unsound or fails to comply with the duty to co-operate. Please be as precise as possible.	It is very well documented that once a site is approved for development it can be reviewed at a later date with a viability assessment. Local councils have very little control after a site has been approved for houses and it is common practice for a developer to change the number of homes on the site, density, type and number that are classed as affordable. In some extreme cases a developer can state inflated development costs and no section 106 payments will come forward.
Redacted modification - Please set out the modification(s) you consider necessary to make this section of the plan legally compliant and sound, in respect of any legal compliance or soundness matters you have identified above.	Local council authorities need to enter into more housing partnership projects and develop the land they own instead of selling it and losing control. Salford Council has now created it's own housing building company that will deliver affordable homes on land they own and other councils should follow suit.
Family Name	Richardson
Given Name	Janine
Person ID	1287172
Title	Bury - Green Belt Additions
Туре	Web
GBA Bury - Tick which Green Belt addition/s within this District your response relates to - then respond to the questions below	Bury GBA03 Pigs Lea Brook 1 Bury GBA04 North of Nuttall Park Bury GBA05 Pigs Lea Brook 2 Bury GBA06 Hollins Brook Bury GBA07 Off New Road, Radcliffe Bury GBA08 Hollins Brow Bury GBA09 Hollybank Street, Radcliffe Bury GBA10 Crow Lumb Wood Bury GBA10 Crow Lumb Wood Bury GBA11 Nuttall West, Ramsbottom Bury GBA12 Woolfold, Bury Bury GBA13 Nuttall East, Ramsbottom Bury GBA14 Chesham, Bury Bury GBA15 Broad Hey Wood North Bury GBA16 Lower Hinds
Soundness - Positively	Unsound
prepared?	
Soundness - Justified?	
Soundness - Consistent with national policy?	Unsound
Soundness - Effective?	Unsound

No
No
A lot of the new greenbelt additions are currently not viable for building. This is simply an exercise to take away the protection of greenbelt from useable open greenspaces and apply them elsewhere in the borough to give the impression that the overall net greenbelt percentage loss is less.
Leave the greenbelt boundaries unchanged and present the true loss of greenbelt land in any further proposals. Stop destroying our countryside.
Richardson
Janine
1287172
Supporting Evidence
Web
There are no details of how Duty to Cooperate will be achieved. Following their withdrawal Stockport will effectively become a neighbouring borough. However, it is not acceptable to limit neighbouring boroughs to Stockport since each of the authorities in the plan is also neighbouring to other authorities outside of the plan e.g. Bury is neighbours with Rossendale, Bolton neighbours Blackburn with Darwen, Wigan neighbours St Helens and Trafford neighbours Cheshire area. The plan uses 2014 data to predict housing need and ignores the potential impact of Brexit and Covid-19. Housing need must be re-assessed using the latest (2018) ONS population predictions and take into account the effect of Covid on work patterns.