

<b>Stirling Local Development Plan: Proposed Plan Representation Form</b>	
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Please fill in the paragraph number, policy number, site reference, action programme reference or the environmental report reference that your representation relates to.	
<b>Paragraph Number:</b>	<b>Policy number: Stirling Settlement Plan and City Framework</b>
<b>Site reference:</b>	
<b>Action Programme reference:</b>	
<b>Environmental Report reference:</b>	
<p><b>Representation</b> (maximum of 2000 words)</p> <p>The incorporation of elements of the proposed Stirling City Development Framework (CDF) within the local development plan's vision, proposals and spatial strategy is encouraging. In principle, we are supportive of the creation of enabling infrastructure and regeneration that would stimulate economic development and allow Stirling to fulfil its role as one of the key drivers of Scotland's economy and as an important hub for culture and tourism as defined in NPF3.</p> <p>We encourage the alignment of City Deal proposals with development proposals in Local Development Plans. Where proposals could have significant environmental consequences on natural and built heritage assets it is important to ensure they are considered through appropriate planning and strategic environmental assessment processes to prevent unnecessary delay or barriers and to engage stakeholders on the practicalities and potential challenges to their delivery.</p>	

**Modifications you wish to see made to the Plan** (maximum of 500 words)

Modification

References to the City Development Framework (CDF) should be retained in the LDP where appropriate and links made to the LDP action programme to ensure the CDF and LDP develop synergies and fully align going forward.

**Signature: J Tennant**

**Date: 23 September 2016**