# Site Consultations (Local Plan/UCS + Non

## 2288 Addiewell West

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### Addiewell

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EAd3	1	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Po	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Busine	ess	Consult Up	date	09-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/G	Free Brownfiel	d Conclusion	Date	09-Jul-14	
	bly for West Lothian.	This site has b	Local Plan and contributes towar been partially developed as an ext )			

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Addiewell Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy

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Proposed Use

#### WLC Economic Property Development

06-Jun-12 Work has commenced on this site, which is safeguarded for the expansion of the existing bonded warehouse site. This site should continue to be allocated in the LDP.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (potentially culverted in parts) which flows along the south west boundary. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site appears prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Addiewell - Existing facilities : West Calder Medical Practice and Stoneyburn Health Centre

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

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#### WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Nov-11 No known issues.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are small watercourses through and adjacent to site close to the Longhill Burn a tributary of the West Calder Burn, to within about 80m at its closest point. A 6m stand off would be required from the site to the watercourse.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being two unroofed buildings associated with the nearby East White Sykes farmstead, which was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. These structures do not appear on modern OS maps of the area, though they were shown on earlier editions of the 1:10,000 landplan, indicating that they survived until the late 20th century. Their original date of construction, however, is unclear. 'White Syke' was shown on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747- 55, with the place-name apparently relating to two distinct settlements. This would suggest that occupation on the site may extend back to the period before the widespread agricultural improvements of the late 18th and early 19th centuries. Modern OS maps indicate that bonded warehouses have already been erected on the northern half of this plot, though the buildings shown on the 1st edition were located in the southern section, which does not yet appear to have been affected by modern development. This would suggest that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The site is within the inner, middle and outer consultatation zone for HSE referenced site H3789 The North British Distillery Company Ltd.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto A71. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There are multiple watercourses that run through this site. Information provided from the council states a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. Development may be constrained on this site due to flood risk.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# 465 Loganlea Crescent

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAd4	/		Audit 2	26/6		
EOI no				Cor	sult Position	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Cons	trained		Cor	sult Update	02-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural	Land No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.1
Conclusions	I	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Con	clusion Date	02-Apr-14	
The site is allocated f	or developmen	t in the Wes	st Lothian L	ocal Plan and contributes	s towards the e	stablished housing	

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site contributes towards the council's emerging Regeneration Strategy which seeks to address a number of key outcomes of reducing inequality, improving health and well-being, increasing employment opportunities, improving education and skills and carrying out environmental improvements. This is particularly applicable to communities located in the west of West Lothian by providing a different housing mix through allocating sites for private sector investment and assist in achieving more balanced communities.

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Proposed Use

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Wet Ground. Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 update -Parts of this site appear susceptible to flooding from the adjacent watercourse. A Flood Risk Assessment would be required to determine the extent of the land capable of being developed. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### SNH

15-Mar-13 This site lies adjacent to the Skolie Burn SSSI which is designated for geological and biological interests. The southern section of the SSSI has already had encroachment from development. New properties should observe an appropriate standoff from the SSSI boundary in order to address any issues.

East boundary of site is contiguous with boundary of Skolie Burn SSSI which is designated for geological and biological features. Allocation of the site in itself is not likely to have adverse effect on the SSSI provided that appropriate controls are in place at construction stage, a matter that we could advise on at the appropriate point. There is a history in the south part of the site of fly-tipping, which while we recognise the limitations of control, we believe could be addressed through robust boundaries between development and the designated site. Again, we would be happy to advise further when proposals for

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No archaeological sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which appears to have been largely undeveloped since at least the mid 19th century. Comparison with the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that the site was at that time open fields. Given that the plot is a largely flat area of ground overlooking two sources of water, there is some potential that it may have been utilised during the several thousand years of human occupation before the production of accurate maps, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The Skolie Burn is within 20m of the east of the site and the Breich Water is within 150m of the site to its north. There are no restoration opportunities. There are no other surface water drainage constraints.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No issues - housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that there is wet ground and a flood risk assessment is required. We support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Skolie Burn which flows along the western boundary of the site. Record of nearby flooding in 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. A small part of the site allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from both the

#### **Scottish Water**

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Addiewell - Existing facilities : West Calder Medical Practice and Stoneyburn Health Centre

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Local Equipped Area for Play (LEAP) required with facility for informal ball games (striker goals).

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#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access onto Loganlea Place. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 2274 Ross Court Minor

Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	02-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Category	Auditable				Consult Upda	ate	02-Apr-14	
EOI no					Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAd6	/		Audit	26/7(2)			

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site has planning approval.

The site contributes towards the council's emerging Regeneration Strategy which seeks to address a number of key outcomes of reducing inequality, improving health and well-being, increasing employment opportunities, improving education and skills and carrying out environmental improvements. This is particularly applicable to communities located in the west of West Lothian by providing a different housing mix through allocating sites for private sector investment and assist in achieving more balanced communities.

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**Proposed Use** 

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Wet Ground. Flood Risk Assessment required, although it is noted that the site is largely completed.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Addiewell - Existing facilities : West Calder Medical Practice and Stoneyburn Health Centre

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

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#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 This site is largely complete, no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on the site.

# 1351 Meadowhead Crescent North

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAd7	1	Audit	26/8		
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/C	Gree Green	nfield	Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
ConclusionsBrown/GreeGreenfieldConclusion Date25-Nov-13The site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan. The site contributes towards the council's emerging Regeneration Strategy which seeks to address a number of key outcomes of reducing inequality, improvin health and well-being, increasing employment opportunities, improving education and skills and carrying out environmental improvements. This is particularly applicable to communities located in the west of West Lothian by providing a different housing mix through allocating sites for private sector investment and assist in achieving more						

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#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Mar-13 no comment - Housing site.

#### SNH

15-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a buffer strip required for this site with a minimum width of 6m but there would be no opportunities for any restoration and there are no water drainage constraints. There are no surface water Drainage Constraints for this site.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located between Church Street and Meadowhead Crescent, though comparison with available historical mapping does show that its northern boundary includes a section of the abandoned Addiewell Branch Line. This railway was depicted on the 1st edition, indicating that it was already in place by the mid 19th century. While the line to the north of Church Street is shown as having been in a cutting, it is unclear whether the section that falls within the development plot was also constructed in this way. It appears probable that construction of the railway will have removed any deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present in this section of the plot, though the remaining portion does not appear to have been as substantially affected. This section of the plot was shown as having been under tree cover on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. While the action of tree roots will have had some effect on

the survival of sub-surface deposits, it remains possible that evidence for pre-modern occupation may still survive below

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses that flow through the site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. Record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

16-Jun-11 There is a former railway line on the boundary of this site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is likley to be required for

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Much of this site is at risk of flooding. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply able for development.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Loganlea Crescent/Place. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements at Loganlea Park.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

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The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 3266 Birkdale Park

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ΙΑ	RM 7	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Dismissed	
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.3
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	Date		
	Eastertoun Primary/	Armadale Acad	lemy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy			
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#### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 WOSAS has commented previously on an application for a 34ha residential development in the area to the east of this site (planning ref 0147/P/09), recommending that a programme of archaeological evaluation trenching should be conducted in advance of development, in order to determine whether any significant archaeological material survived below ground level. This plot is substantially smaller than the area proposed for development under 0147/P/09, suggesting that it would have a proportionally lower potential to contain material of this type, though as with that application, map regression work suggests that the majority of it has not been substantially affected by previous ground disturbance. Although a bing of mining waste material was shown on the 3rd edition immediately to the north, this does not appear to have extended into the plot itself, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains "as is " (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

There is significant pressure on the GP practice in Armadale as a consequence of significant population growth due to recent development and the existing GP building has limited capacity to enable a reconfiguration of current facilities. The community services are housed in Armadale Clinic next door to the current practice and the facilities here are no longer fit for purpose.

There needs to be a clear understanding of future projected growth in order to identify the best solution for the GP Practice and community services.

New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

SNH

15-Mar-13

The site has varied nature conservation, landscape and recreation interests. In some instances these interests can be protected and in some instances these interests can be enhanced.

There were no European Protected Species present on site when previous surveys took place. However a EPS may now be present in the vicinity of the site and a new survey should be conducted if the site is to be progressed for development. In the event that signs of EPSwithin the site or within 30m of the site boundary, a development licence from SNH may be required.

Full details on all protected species should be included in a planning application or ES as well as details on any emergency mitigation measures which may be necessary.

At present the site is mainly improved grassland, with two areas of raised bog. SNH welcomes the proposal not to develop these areas. However, it is noted that the western boundary of the development appears to abut the edge of the western area of raised bog and SNH advise that further site investigation is carried out to ensure that this development will not affect the hydrology of this bog.

SNH considers that well-managed and maintained, multi-functional green networks are essential for the creation of successful, sustainable new settlements.

SNH recommend that a green infrastructure (GI) strategy be developed.

To ensure that the development is properly integrated into the wider area, sufficient advance planting should be put in place throughout the development site and should not be restricted only to 'active' phases.

Trees and small woodlands scattered throughout the site which should be incorporated into an appropriate landscape framework

A management and long term maintenance plan for the landscape framework of the site including existing and proposed trees, hedgerows and hedgerow trees and all openspace planned within the development would be required.

There are no Rights of Way (RoW) within the site, however RoW LW191 runs in a north-south direction beside the Armadale Stadium, which is opposite to the Colinshiel development. SNH therefore recommend that pedestrian circulation routes include provisions to link into this RoW and other informal paths in the community woodland beside the A801.

A detailed method statement for SUDS developed in consultation with West Lothian Council, SNH, SEPA and BAA should be provided.

#### **Coal Authority**

14-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment.

#### Scottish Water

In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In 12-Mar-13 terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 There is a SUDS system to the north west of the site and therefore a Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. There are ignificant development planned in Armadale - Scottish Water will advise on Sewage Treatment Work capacity adequate for all these developments

#### WLC Environmental Health

24-May-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. spoil from collieries and fire clay brick works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Further discussion required regarding this site as it is CDA.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 1212 Station Road

## Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref		1		Audit	1/34		
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						
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Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

02-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment - residential site.

#### SNH

15-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Planning consent has been granted on this site and a draft Remediation Strategy accepted, that is conditional on method statements being approved by the council as Planning Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

There is significant pressure on the GP practice in Armadale as a consequence of significant population growth due to recent development and the existing GP building has limited capacity to enable a reconfiguration of current facilities. The community services are housed in Armadale Clinic next door to the current practice and the facilities here are no longer fit for purpose.

There needs to be a clear understanding of future projected growth in order to identify the best solution for the GP Practice and community services.

New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No comment.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Detailed Comments-no comment

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

19-Jul-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 1843 Craigengall Farm

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref		1		Audit	1/37		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						

Westfield Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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Proposed Use

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

11-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **WLC Education**

11-Jul-14 Comments made at the time of the planning application.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

There is significant pressure on the GP practice in Armadale as a consequence of significant population growth due to recent development and the existing GP building has limited capacity to enable a reconfiguration of current facilities. The community services are housed in Armadale Clinic next door to the current practice and the facilities here are no longer fit for purpose.

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New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Remote site, west of Westfield, north of Armadale. Nearest trunk road junctions are J4 of the M9 and J4 of the M8.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Balmore Water Treatment Works (WTW). There are possible network issues within the area and this development would require additional network investigation.

Waste: There is no public sewer network within this sites vicinity (1000m). It is presumed that the developer would be utilising a private wastewater treatment system. Therefore, early engagement with SEPA to discuss the specific requirements and approval of any private systems is essential.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. agriculture. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of the prospective development area, this being Craigengall Farm itself. According to the Torphichen Rental, this settlement is on record from at least 1426, when in appeared as 'Cragyngall'. While this would certainly appear to suggest the possibility for physical remains relating to earlier phases of occupation to be present, it is possible that this material may have been affected to some extent by construction of later buildings and agricultural operations. In addition to Craigengall itself, a number of other features have been recorded in the landscape surrounding the plot, including the remains of a high status late medieval building at Muckraw, around 300m to the northeast. This structure is legally-protected as a scheduled monument, and as a result, consideration should be given to the effect of any development proposal on its setting. An inscribed stone has also been recorded from just to the north-west of the proposed development area, and while details of this feature are scarce, its presence could also serve to suggest the potential for earlier occupation in the vicinity. Given the scale of the prospective plot and the fact that it does not appear to have been substantially affected by development during the modern period, it is likely that we would advise that any application would require a programme of archaeological evaluation. Given the proximity of the plot to a scheduled monument, it is also possible that we would advise refusal of an application should the change to the setting of the monument, be too great.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. Rural location, no safe pedestrian route, road access onto minor roads, probable upgrade required. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 There are already recent individual house developments at this site each with mound soakaways (3 CAR registrations). There is a PS sewage pollution pressure on this non-baseline Water Body at Craigrigg Cottages and we would expect no additional sewage discharge to this small burn. And we would have reservations about a large number of mound soakaways. There is potentially an opportunity for developer contribution to a first time sewerage connection which could pick up Craigrigg Cottages. Craigrigg was put forward to Scottish Water last year as a first time sewerage site buit probably won't go ahead - but perhaps would with developer constributions?

Development of this site won't deteriorate a baseline Waterbody but may be local water quality impact. Waste water drainage from the site could exacerbate an existing point source sewage pressure or create a new pressure. Standard SUDs are sufficient to prevent deterioration of status. There are no opportunities for restoration within the site however a buffer strip is required. There are current pressures, at point source, on water body that could be excacerbated or addressed by proposed allocation on the water body within the site.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal

Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### Scottish Enterprise

10-Feb-14 No comments

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain required to upgrade nearby Ferrier Crescent Park and footpath links to the park.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

24-Feb-14 A small part of this site is potentially subject to fluvial flooding. There is also the potential that development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. A Flood Risk Assessment would be required to assess the areas to avoid development adjacent to the Watercourse, any bridges or culverts would need to be taken into consideration.

# 1227 50 East Main Street

LP Ref / UCS Ref	1/35	1		Audit	1/35		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrair	ned			Consult Upo	late	21-May-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brow	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	21-May-14
This site benefits from	n planning permiss	sion and	is on a brov	wnfield site within	n the settlement	envelo	pe, therefore it is to
remain within the LDF	as an allocation.						

Eastertoun Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### SNH

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### WOSAS

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

21-May-14 no comment - Housing site.

#### **WLC Transportation**

21-May-14 No specific issues, development should take place in accordance with the approved planning permission.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

21-May-14 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Education**

21-May-14 Education support - site is a continuation of an existing allocation.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 No specific comments or requirements.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

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#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 No significant issues.

Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 No obvious issues, desk top analysis should be carried out as a precaution however.

#### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

19-Jul-12 There is no water feature within along site boundary.No Buffer strip required. There are no opportunities for restoration. There are no surface water drainage constraints. Information on capacity of receiving sewage works-Armadale.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

14-Jun-12 Comments-no comments

# 3288 Mayfield

## Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU1/ARM8 /		Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	
	Armadale Primary/	Armadale Acade	emy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy		
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22-Jul-14

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 3295 Bathville Cross

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### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU32	/		Audit		
EOI no				Consult P	osition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult U	pdate	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown	/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusio	n Date	22-Jul-14
This is a brownfield site	e that is part of the	Cound	cil's 1000 Ho	ouses Programme.		
	Armadale	Primary/.	Armadale Acade	emy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academ	у	
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#### Scottish Water

27-May-13 In terms of waste water the site is served by the Armadale works where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Balmore plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site.

#### WOSAS

30-May-13 This plot was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, though the general street - plan had been established by this point, and a row of terraced houses named Bathville Row was already present on the southern frontage of Upper Bathville, to the west of Station Road. The plot remained unoccupied on the 2nd edition map of around 1890, but by the 3rd edition, terraced structures were depicted on both the Lower Bathville and Station Road frontages. Modern maps indicate that these were subsequently removed at some point during the second half of the 20th century, and modern flat - blocks erected. Given that the site has been affected by two phases of construction during the modern period, the potential for buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation to survive appears low, and as a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be required in relation to this plot.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. brick works, spoil heaps, mining shafts and railway sidings have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

#### **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

17-Jun-13 There is a record of surface water flooding nearby in 2004 and 2006. No further information provided. The potential development of allocation would not increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There is however no rerquirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site.

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#### WLC Transportation

17-Feb-14 Town location, use existing access onto Station Road. See also MIR and Transportation Background Paper for further details.

#### WLC Waste Management

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site and there are also no restoration

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning Gain required for Local park provision for Mayfield or eg Woodpark Local Park with extact requirements to be

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Redevelopment of small existing Council stock – nominal net change anticipated.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### Drove Road 3121

## Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU34 /		Audit	EOI-013	39	
EOI no	EOI-0139			Consult Pos	sition	Alternative
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upo	date	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	22-Jul-14
East part of site is par	rt of Council's 1000 Hous	es Programr	ne.			
	Eastertoun Primar	y/Armadale Acad	lemy, St Anthonys/St I	Kentigerns Academy		
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#### WLC Economic Property Development

17-Jan-14 No comments.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### Transport Scotland

17-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

> Sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

17-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment requires to be submitted for this site. Flooding issues in housing scheme to the south, wouldn't expect flood risk problems. Suggest retention of trees, some ground water issues.

> This site appears to be susceptible to both pluvial and fluvial flood risk which will compromise the development potential of the site. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent of land capable of being developed without compromise to the functional flood plain associated with the Barbauchlaw Burn. The developer may also be required to provide a sacrificial area and associated drainage infrastructure to alleviate flood risk to social housing in Drove Road.

#### SNH

17-Jan-14 No records. Base green infrastructure on existing footpath running along north of site and links to woodland.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

The nearest water body of any significance beyond that is the Logie Water. There is a buffer strip required on 6m-12m from 17-Jan-14 the site to the watercourse required. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### SEPA - Flooding

17-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment for this site and development which assesses the flood risk from the Barbauchlaw Burn and the Colin Burn which will increase flood risk potential within and outwith the site and . There has beeen surface water flooding of nearby property in August 2008. Part of the site is at medium to high risk from fluvial flooding of a 1 in 200 year event. Consideration should be given to any culverted structures nearby/within the site. Development will increase flood risk potential to the site and out with the site.

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#### **Scottish Water**

17-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. A 450mm sewer crosses the bottom of the proposed site and the WWTW is in close proximity to the site.

#### Scottish Enterprise

17-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

17-Jan-14 Existing facility: Armadale Group Practice

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Historic Scotland**

17-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

#### **Coal Authority**

17-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

17-Jan-14 Armadale Colliery Pit No 19 on the western part of the site; sewage works on the eastern part of the site; old quarry on the northern part of the site. Site Investigation will be required.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

17-Jan-14 Residential allocation 0139 (Drove Road, Armadale) encroaches on the consultation zone of Scotland Gas Networks Plc's Armadale Holder Station (HSE Ref: H1644), and could encroach on the consultation zone associated with a MAHP operated by National Grid Gas Plc.

#### WLC Transportation

17-Jan-14 Access onto Drove Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

17-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

17-Jan-14 Residentia Space Stra

Residential development can be supported provided the open spaces are provided & designed in accordance with the Open Space Strategy e.g. Accessibility & quality standards. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any negative

#### WOSAS

17-Jan-14 No sites have been recorded from within this triangular-shaped plot. A mill was shown on Roy's Military Surveyof Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, in the loop of the Barbauchlaw Burn. There is somesuggestion on Roy map that the mill building may have been located towards the eastern edge of this loop, while the building shown on the 1st edition and later OS maps are perhaps located more towards its western end. This could suggest that there may have been at least two phases of mill on the site, though caution may be necessary when using Roy to identify the precise location of buildings. The appearance of a mill in the vicinity on Roy does demonstrate that this use was present on the site from at least the mid 18th century, while a date-stone marked 'PB 1651' identified by the West Lothian Archaeology Group may suggest that this can be pushed back another century. Mills tend to be fairly stable and long-lived features in the landscape, as their sites are determined by ease of access to sources of power, meaning that once a good site has been identified, it tends to remain in use even when individual structures are rebuilt over time. This could mean that the earliest milling on site could pre-date the 1651 date stone. The area was shown as largely undeveloped on the 1st edition, though stepping stones and a weir were depicted on the burn. This situation remained largely unchanged on the 2nd edition, but by the 3rd edition a mine and pumping station was depicted close to the western boundary of the site. A sewage works, operated by Armadale Town Council, was also shown on the 3rd edition, at the eastern end of the site. Other than this, the site appears to have remained as largely undeveloped ground for at least the last 150 years, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity.

# 444 Heatherfield West Armadale CDA

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAm10	1		Audit	1/28		
EOI no					Consult Posi	tion	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possib	le			Consult Upda	ate	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bı	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	
	Easter	toun Primary/	Armadale Acad	emy, St Anthonys/St Kent	tigerns Academy		
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#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12

The coal authority requests that WLC identifies whether past coal mining activity has taken place using GIS data provided by the coal authority. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation to developments. The coal authority emphasises that former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development; The coal authority would therefore not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from allocation on the basis of former mining

# 1644 Hardhill ©

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAm12(b)/COU14 /		Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Completed	
Category	Auditable		Consult Upo	date	15-Apr-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion I	Date		
	Armadale Primary/A	Armadale Acad	emy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy			
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed Use			

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Likely Flood Risk Assessment required - Record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Existing access off North Street or proposed Colinshiel access road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. Record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# 2173 Nelson Park

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAm12c/COU14 /		Audit	1/29C			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.3
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13	
The site contributes to forward by 2017.	wards the council's next p	hase of the	e council house build	programme	and is	anticipated to come	1

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

02-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

Proposed Use

#### SNH

15-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. Record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### WOSAS

31-May-12 The reference 'Ham12(c)' does not appear among those listed in polygon attribute table of the supplied shapefile. The grid reference centres on a polygon identified as 'Ham12a'. This extends southwards from Bathgate Road to the rear of the houses on St Paul's Drive, and includes a number of houses in the northern half of Mallace Avenue. The section of this plot occupied by recently-constructed houses on Mallace Avenue is unlikely to raise an archaeological issue, particularly as these are likely to remain in place. The northern section of the site, immediately adjacent to Bathgate Road, shows evidence of having been affected by previous industrial activity. The 2nd edition map shows evidence of what appears to be dumping or tipping in this area, as does the 3rd edition. This appears likely to be associated with the line of a mineral railway, which is shown on both of these maps running roughly SW – NE across part of the plot. While it is apparent that much of the polygon-area is of low archaeological potential, either because it is under modern development or has been affected by industrial activity in the 19th and early 20th centuries, the majority of the recreation ground itself appears to have remained relatively undisturbed, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of activity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site. Likely Flood Risk Assessment required.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Acess from north Street or via the proposed Colinshiel access road. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comment.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 278 Stonerigg Depot

### Armadale

List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed	l Use		
	Armadale Prir	mary/Armadale Acad	lemy, St Anthonys/St Kei	ntigerns Academy		
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agrie	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	15-Apr-13
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Completed
LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAm7	1	Audit	1/20		

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

16-Jun-11 This site contains former waterworks filtering beds. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is likely to be required for this

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 This site was identified as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century, but by the time of the 2nd edition of c. 1895, much of it was occupied by a water works, owned by Linlithgow County Council. It is apparent that construction of this works required a fair amount of earth-moving, as various embankments were shown on the 2nd edition, something that was extended by the 3rd edition, where buildings and filter beds associated with the works extended across virtually all of the plot. Given the amount of previous disturbance identifiable on this site from cartographic sources, it is unlikely that its development would raise a significant archaeological issue.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 DSite appears to have been constructed already. SEPA would have highlighted a potential culverted watercourse adjacent to the site (north west corner). Also, we would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There are no water resilient measures required.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### Scottish Water

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12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

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#### SNH

15-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required for this site due to agricultural run off. SEPA FLOOD RISK MAPS 2013 UPDATE - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

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#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 495 Muirfield (North Street)

### Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HAm8	1	Audit	1/25		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quali	ty Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion [	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is an existing	allocation within the	West L	othian Local Plan.			
	Eastertoun H	rimary/Ar	madale Academy, St Anthony	ys/St Kentigerns Academy		
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Dr	anacad Uca		

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Site susceptible to flooding. Flood Risk Assessment required.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

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#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

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#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. However, the site lies adjacent to a former gasworks site, mining, quarrying and unknown filled ground.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via North Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **141** Ferrier Crescent

# Armadale

LP Ref / UCS Ref	NH 1/38	/		Audit	1/38		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

### **NHS - Lothian**

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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping does not show potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines, colliery's and steel works have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain required to upgrade nearby Ferrier Crescent Park and footpath links to the park.

#### Transport Scotland

18-Feb-14 Small site within Armadale. Nearest trunk road junctions are J4 of the M9 and J4 of the M8.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 We provided comments in 2009 in response to a previous consultation on the prospective development of this plot. At that time, we advised that the site had already undergone a degree of previous disturbance associated with the creation of the current areas of hardstanding and the erection of what appear to be garages. Comparison with available historical maps suggests that the western section of the site was clipped by a mineral railway in use from the later 19th century. However, the small scale of the proposed development area and the fact that it has been previously disturbed by modern construction meant that we advised that we would not consider archaeological work to be necessary. I would reiterate this

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

24-Feb-14 Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There was a report of surface water flooding in July 2007 adjacent to the site. SEPA recommend that the Flood Prevention Officer comment on this allocation as part of the site shows possible risk of flooding from surface water and there is an account of surface water flooding on the adjacent road. They may have further information on flooding and management of surface water in the area.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 Standard SUDs are sufficient to prevent deterioration of status of the site. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities within the boundary of the site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.
 The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However,

Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Balmore Water Treatment Works (WTW). Previous studies within the area have highlighted some network issues therefore further investigations may be required.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Armadale Wastewater Treatment Works (WWTW). Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity, at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria mentioned earlier in this letter.

It is an essential requirement however that fully separate drainage systems are incorporated as part of the on site drainage

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval.Town location, direct links to footway and road network. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 191 Colinshiel (CS) CDA

# Armadale CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	CS /	1	Audit	CS				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Upd	ate	22-Jul-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	22-Jul-14		
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core								
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West								

Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period and a planning application for permission in principle is under consideration for a residential development (ref 0451/P/09).

The site also contains housing site HAm10 (70 units), the remainder of the site is alloacted for 200 units.

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### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Various portions of this site contain former mining land (spoil heaps, mineral railways, etc). A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required for this site.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 A wetland area within this site is being considered as a Local Biodiversity Site (LBS). It is suggested that an appropriate stand-off from the boundary is observed and that this area is considered as a main contributor to the green network. Appropriate opportunities for access through the LBS should also be considered as part of the proposals for the

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment - mixed use largely residential development site.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been identified from within the boundaries of this CDA, this being the former site of Armadale Pit No.3, and there is further evidence for former extractive industry present to the north. Comparison with available historical maps and current aerial photographs indicates that some sections of the plot have been affected by industrial activity of this type, predominantly in the form of various shafts, tips and pits depicted on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. While these operations mean that there are likely to be areas of the site where survival of material relating to earlier phases of activity is unlikely, substantial sections of the plot do not appear to have been affected in this way, meaning that they would retain some potential to produce buried deposits. We have provided comments in relation to applications for a number of proposed developments within the CDA. In most instances, we have recommended a need for archaeological evaluation trenching in advance, in order to assess the potential for buried features to survive, though the need for this would be largely dependent on whether the specific area

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 SEPA previously commented on an application on this site and objected due to a lack of information regarding culverts. Additional correspondence from the applicant removed these areas from the application and so SEPA removed objections. As this allocation is for the whole Masterplan area SEPA have confirmed their comments are still applicable and they require additional information on the culverts as highlighted in previous responses. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for the site but no water resilient measures are required.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There are small watercourses flow through site and along the north eastern boundary of site - these should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

13-Nov-13 SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a number of hollows deemed susceptible to flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

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- management of existing trees and woodlands;
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CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

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- woodland planting adjacent to A801, to north and east of mixed use allocation at Colinshiel and on the edge of the allocations at Standhill; and

- management plan for Colinshiel Wood.

# **Historic Scotland**

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### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be determined by master plan, North Street and A89 access. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 4 of the M8.

# 1280 Lower Bathville Brickworks CDA North

Armadale CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	LB/COU13	/		Audit	LT			
EOI no					Consult Posit	ion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upda	ite	03-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion Da	ate	03-Apr-14	
The Strategic Develop	ment Plan (SDP	) for Edin	burgh and S	South East Scotland	d supports dev	velopm	ent within the core	
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West								
Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission								

in principle has been granted ref 0191/p/09 for a 23Ha residential development on the site.

The site is brownfield in part. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

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### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 This designated mixed use area is near existing housing but the southern end is also near the rail line and rail station with associated noise issues.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

CDA / LB - An European Protected Species have been found within the quarry at this site. A licence was issued by Scottish Government to permit disturbance and destruction of habitat to Achadonn Properties Ltd in 2009. If the site is developed, the status of the work that was licensed and the current status of the EPS population in this area must be established prior to the grant of planning permission.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 This large CDA, located to the north of the reinstated Airdrie – Bathgate railway line, has been substantially affected by industrial development over the 19th and 20th centuries. A number of sites have been recorded from within its boundaries, including the Etna and Atlas Brickworks, the United Fireclay Works and the Unicol Tile Works. It is possible to trace the development of industrial activity in this area through subsequent Ordnance Survey map editions, which show the expansion of the various complexes. While the remains of these operations may themselves be of interest from an industrial perspective, their scale means that they are likely to have removed any buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present in these sections of the site. In particular, the large-scale quarrying of fireclay evidenced on various OS maps is likely to have entirely removed any earlier material that may have been present. The southern end of the site appears to have been less heavily affected by previous industrial activity, and so may retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material. Some previous fieldwork has been conducted in this section, associated with the re-opening of Armadale Station and the creation of new access and parking, but there remain areas that have not been assessed in this way.

### **Coal Authority**

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The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 This site contains a former brickworks and various other industrial land uses. Initial site investigations record areas of significant contamination. Further site investigation and a full remediation strategy will be required for this site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Small watercourse flows through North of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. There is no requirement for any buffer strip however.

#### Scottish Water

20-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

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#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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# 2684 Lower Bathville Brickworks CDA South

Armadale CDA

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	LB/COU13 /		Audit	LT		
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# 130 Tarrareoch CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	LT/COU13	1	Audit	LT				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	ate	03-Apr-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Age	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1	
Conclusions	Brow	vn/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion D	Date	03-Apr-14		
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#### WOSAS 31-May-12

This large CDA, located to the north of the reinstated Airdrie – Bathgate railway line, has been substantially affected by industrial development over the 19th and 20th centuries. A number of sites have been recorded from within its boundaries, including the Etna and Atlas Brickworks, the United Fireclay Works and the Unicol Tile Works. It is possible to trace the development of industrial activity in this area through subsequent Ordnance Survey map editions, which show the expansion of the various complexes. While the remains of these operations may themselves be of interest from an industrial perspective, their scale means that they are likely to have removed any buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present in these sections of the site. In particular, the large-scale quarrying of fireclay evidenced on various OS maps is likely to have entirely removed any earlier material that may have been present. The southern end of the site appears to have been less heavily affected by previous industrial activity, and so may retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material. Some previous fieldwork has been conducted in this section, associated with the re-opening of Armadale Station and the creation of new access and parking, but there remain areas that have not been assessed in this way.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 This designated mixed use area is near existing housing but the southern end is also near the rail line and rail station with associated noise issues.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a number of hollows deemed susceptible to flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# SNH

18-Jul-13 No issues identified.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

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#### **Scottish Water**

20-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Small watercourse flows through North of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. There is no requirememnt for any buffer strip however.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site contains a former brickworks and various other industrial land uses. Initial site investigations record areas of significant contamination. Further site investigation and a full remediation strategy will be required for this site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 SEPA previously commented on this site and agreed to not object but require re-consultation at the design stage. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Water resilient measures are not required however.Record of flooding in 2004, and 2006 near to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 4 of the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via A801 and Station Road, to be determined by master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services 23-Apr-13

CDA requirements in WLLP:

- woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council.

CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

-enhancement of open space area between Avondale Drive and Upper Bathville and formation of community woodland on western edge of Armadale;

- woodland planting adjacent to A801, to north and east of mixed use allocation at Colinshiel and on the edge of the allocations at Standhill; and

- management plan for Colinshiel Wood.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1281 Netherhouse (CDA)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	NH	1		Audit	NH-R1A	VR1B			
EOI no					<b>Consult Position</b>		Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	03-Apr-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	03-Apr-14		
The Strategic Develop	The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core								
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West									
Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Detailed consents									

have also been granted and construction is underway on site.

The site has planning permission and construction has commenced. Contains housing sites R1A and R1B.

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

### WLC Environmental Health

15-Aug-13 Potential from railway noise from the site.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

02-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS** - Lothian

17-Oct-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Armadale - Existing facility : Armadale Group Practice

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New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. colliery and quarrying. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. brick and tile works and railway land, have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-May-13 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission via Station Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 1282 Standhill North (SN) CDA

# Armadale CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	SN /		Audit S	N				
EOI no			Cons	sult Position	Preferred			
Category	Auditable-Local Plan		Cons	sult Update	25-Nov-13			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural L	and No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conc	lusion Date	25-Nov-13			
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core								
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West								

development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

Eastertoun Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

Proposed Use

### WLC Waste Management

List of Consultations and Dates

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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New development in Armadale might give rise to a need for new or additional facilities to cope with CDA development. This could link to requirements at Blackridge.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. Water resilient measures required-

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Small watercourses flow through site and these should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. There is no requirement for any buffer strip.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 We require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a very small hollow that is susceptible to flooding. This could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this CDA, though it is located close to a large area of rig and furrow cultivation visible from Barbauchlaw Glen on Ordnance Survey aerial photographs. It is also located on the opposite side of the glen to the traditional site of Ogilface Castle. Comparison with the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition maps suggest that the area has remained largely unaffected by development over the 19th and 20th centuries, though an old shaft and kiln were depicted on the 1st edition in the area between the CDA and the glen. As the area does not appear to have been affected by substantial ground disturbance associated with modern development, it would retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity. We have provided comments on one previous application for the erection of housing on this site, and advised that a programme of archaeological evaluation trenching should take place in advance of this, to assess this

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 4 of the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via new roundabout onto the A89. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

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- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council.

CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

-enhancement of open space area between Avondale Drive and Upper Bathville and formation of community woodland on western edge of Armadale;

- woodland planting adjacent to A801, to north and east of mixed use allocation at Colinshiel and on the edge of the allocations at Standhill; and

- management plan for Colinshiel Wood.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1283 Standhill South (SS) CDA

# Armadale CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	SS /		Audit SS					
EOI no			Consult	Position	Preferred			
Category	Auditable-Local Plan		Consult	Update	25-Nov-13			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusio	on Date	25-Nov-13			
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core								
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West								

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Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 We require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flows through the site. Based on the OS Map there is a potential culvert through the site. We would require investigation into the culverts. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A very small part of this site close to the A89 is deemed at risk from pluvial flooding. The site also has some road drains in it but not placed such that they would significantly impact on the development potential of the site. The

### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **Coal Authority**

15-Feb-12 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SEPA - Flooding

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### **WLC Waste Management**

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are small watercourse flows along NW boundary of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration.

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No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this CDA. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the southern end of the plot is likely to have been substantially affected by mining during the later 19th and 20th centuries. The 2nd edition OS map shows this section of the plot as having been occupied by pits, tips and tramways associated with Armadale Colliery. These features were also shown on the 3rd edition. Extractive operations of this type are likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present in this section of the plot, though the ground to the west of Armadale Academy and south of the A89 does not appear to have been affected by industrial activity of this type, and so may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. We have provided comments on one previous application for the erection of housing on this site, and advised that a programme of archaeological evaluation trenching should take place in advance of this, to assess this potential.

# NHS - Lothian

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# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 The former Armadale Colliery is situated in southern part of the site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required for this site.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

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# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via new roundabout onto the A89. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# 1284 Trees Farm

Armadale CDA

The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core								
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Cor	nclusion Date		03-Apr-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural	Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan		Co	onsult Update		03-Apr-14		
EOI no			Co	onsult Position	า	Preferred		
LP Ref / UCS Ref	TF /		Audit	TF				

development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission in principle has been granted for for a mixed use development, including residential, commercial, retail, school and leisure facilities together with associated infrastructure and open space provision under reference 1044-p-08. Detailed consents have also been granted and construction is underway on site.

The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period and planning permission in principle has been granted.

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment and a flood risk assessment is required. We previously commented on this application and agreed to not object but require re-consultation at the design stage. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a number of hollows deemed susceptible to flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply. SEPA Flood risk map 2013 Update - Several parts of this site appear at risk of pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and

# NHS - Lothian

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# **SEPA - Flooding**

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Small watercourse flows through W of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. Development should eble private sewerage system at ASDA supermarket to connect to foul sewer

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 This site includes former open cast and shallow mineworkings with former spoil heaps, railway sidings and mineshafts on site. A Phase I Contaminated Land Report submitted as part of 1044/P/08 and further Phase II works will be required alongside any detailed planning applications submitted for development of this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12

The site is part of a designated mixed use area on the northern boundary adjacent to rail line and station with associated noise issues. The southern boundary borders a designated employment area and there may be possible noise issues.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 A number of sites have been identified from within this CDA, including a former miners' row, a standing stone, and an area of rig and furrow cultivation. Various other features have also been identified, associated either with the former industrial or agricultural usage of the area. In part, the relative abundance of features recorded from within this CDA is likely to be due to the fact that it has been subject to a previous cultural heritage assessment conducted by CFA Archaeology Ltd as part of the Armadale Masterplan. This involved an assessment of written and cartographic sources relating to the wider Masterplan area, to attempt to identify any elements of the historic environment recorded in this material. While this provides a reasonable picture of the archaeological baseline, however, it remains possible that material relating to phases of occupation relating to the

several thousand years of human occupation before detailed mapping may be present. As a result, there is some potential that buried deposits relating to early phases of occupation may survive in those areas of the CDA that have not been affected

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the ARMADALE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

- woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council.

CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

-enhancement of open space area between Avondale Drive and Upper Bathville and formation of community woodland on western edge of Armadale;

- woodland planting adjacent to A801, to north and east of mixed use allocation at Colinshiel and on the edge of the allocations at Standhill; and

- management plan for Colinshiel Wood.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 4 of the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Station Road and proposed new link road as per master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **129** Former Woodthorpe Garden Centre

Bathgate	
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LP Ref / UCS Ref		1		Audit	2/106				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13		
The site has planning approval.									
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Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

05-Mar-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### SNH

No comments made.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **Historic Scotland**

25-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

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# 1728 Meadow Public Park

# Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ B	ATH 2	Audit				
EOI no			Consult Po	sition	Dismissed		
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Conclusion Date			
Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy							

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# Proposed Use

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This plot is shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and also appears as open ground on current editions. However, aerial photographs indicate that the surface of the area has been covered with red blaes, possibly for use as sports pitches for the adjacent school. It is unclear from available information whether this material was simply spread on top of the previous ground surface, or whether its deposition was preceded by other forms of ground disturbance (the removal of topsoil, for example, or works to improve drainage). If the material was simply spread on the previous ground surface, the plot may retain some potential to produce material relating to previous phases of occupation, but this potential does not appear to be particularly high, suggesting that the site is unlikely to raise a major

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 It is not envisaged that any form of development would be acceptable on this site and it is suggested that there would likely be strong local resistance.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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### **WLC Transportation**

12-Apr-13 See Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR).

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site, flooding issues to be determined. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA recommend removal of this site from the local plan as the site is at medmium to high risk of fluvial flooding to the site The site is entirely within the 1:200 year flood extent and based on nearby studies undertaken to support development, the flood extent appears reasonable here. Site is greenfield and therefore we would not support landraising on site. In addition, the National Pluvial Map indicates that the area is potentially vulnerable to pluvial flooding. If it is pursued it would require a Flood Risk Assessment due to the proximity of the Bathgate burn. There are nearby flood risk assessments for development sites indicate that the Flood Map extent is reasonable. There is potential that this xdevelopment could lead to flood risk to

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no buffer strip required and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Object as this site is used as a showground.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. flour mill, railways, iron foundry, cemetery, shovel works, gas works and a slaughterhouse have operated within the vicinity of the site.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

# 1873 Charles Crescent

LP Ref / UCS Ref		1		Audit	2/108			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	22-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Bi	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	22-Jul-14	
Within settlement boundary and a brownfield site. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of								
brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in								
accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East								
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Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

Proposed Use

#### SNH

No comments made.

### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1654 Creamery Garage

LP Ref / UCS Ref	2/109	/		Audit	2/109			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Update		22-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	22-Jul-14	
This site is a brownfield site within the settlement boundary that benefits from planning permission, therefore it is proposed to continue this allocation into the LDP.								

Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

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### **WLC Education**

21-May-14 Site lies within the catchment schools at the top of the report on this site. The planning permission required phasing of development over two years and developer contributions.

# SNH

21-May-14 No specific comments.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as the site is allocated as a housing site

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific requirements.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 No specific comments.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **WLC Environmental Health**

21-May-14 No issues identified.

### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 The developer will be required to undertake site invetsigation works prior to work commencing on site.

#### **Scottish Water**

21-May-14 Therre may be water and waste water netowrk issues that the developer is required to contact Scottish Water about.

#### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

# WLC Economic Property Development

21-May-14 No comments, housing site.

# WLC Economic Property Development21-May-14No comments, housing site.

# WLC Transportation

21-May-14 Standard comments regarding road and footpath construction.

# WOSAS

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

# 1832 Bloomfield Place

LP Ref / UCS Ref	BP1	1		Audit	2/110			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable			Consult Update			03-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	03-Apr-14	
The site has planning approval fo 18 flats, work has yet to commence on site. Application was granted 20.12.12 under reference 0249/FUL/08.								

Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### SNH

No comments made.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas. The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, listers contained experimentation of potential for any setting of a potential conservation and experimentations of any setting of a setti

Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Enhancement of local play park provision required, however, check extant planning permission for any requirements.

# WLC Education

06-Nov-13 Objection to application as both Balbardie Primary and St Kentigerns academy are over capacity.

#### **SEPA - General**

06-Nov-13 No objection - SUDS required

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# WLC Contaminated Land

09-Oct-13 possible SI required.

# **Scottish Water**

No known issues

# 2340 Bathgate Community Education Centre

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU23	1	1	Audit				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Enquiries Possible				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prir	ne Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Broy	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to								
limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.								

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme and is anticipated to come forward by 2017.

Proposed Use

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

### **WLC Waste Management**

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **Scottish Water**

27-May-13 In terms of waste water the site is served by the Bathgate plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by Pateshill where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate

# WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries may have operated within the vicinity of the site.

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On the 1st edition map, a building annotated as a school was depicted to the rear of the southern section of this plot, in the ground to the south of the present Community Centre building. The structure shown on the 1st edition appears likely to have been removed before the end of the 19th century, as while a school was still depicted on this section of the plot on the 2nd edition map of c. 1890, this was both larger and on a different footprint to the building represented on the earlier map. The 2nd edition also showed a small structure on the northern section of the plot, in the area now occupied by the surfaced yard in front of the Community Centre. These structures were also shown on the 3rd edition map. Modern maps show the southern

section of the site as unoccupied, suggesting that there may be some potential for material associated with the former school buildings to survive, though this is likely to be of limited archaeological significance. The northern section of the plot is largely occupied by the modern Community Centre building, and it is likely that this will have largely removed any deposits relating to earlier phases of activity that may have been present in this portion of the site.

More generally, I would also note that there is a record of a chapel and associated well having been present somewhere in the vicinity of this plot. The OS Object Name Book recorded that this had been erected at around the time of the Reformation, though it had been removed by the mid 19th century. The 1st edition placed a symbol annotated 'Chapel (Site Of)' at a point around 110m SSE of the plot, though it is uncertain how accurately this represented the actual position of the former

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Marjoribanks Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Enhancement of local play park provision required.

## **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### SEPA - Flooding

17-Jun-13 Based on local topography and historic records, SEPA state that consideration should be given to surface runoff issues to ensure adequate mitigation is implemented. There is also a requirement to introduce water resilient measures to the site. There has previously been records of surface water flooding recorded in Bathgate close to the Bathgate Burn. The potential development of this site would not increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Based on local topography and historic records consideration should be given to surface runoff issues to ensure adequate mitigation is implemented.

## 1808 Wester Inch Phase 3

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU26	1		Audit	2/66(19	)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is allocated f land supply for West		ent in the Wes	t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and co	ntributes towar	ds to est	tablished housing

The site has planning approval.

Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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## WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment - residential site.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Previously master planned site. Nearest trunk road junctions are J3A and J4 of the M8.

There may be a cumulative issue relating to this site, HBg22and HBg30 that would have an impact on J4 of the M8.

## WLC Transportation

17-Feb-14 Town location, access off Inchwood Avenue cul-de-sac. See also MIR and Transportation Background Paper for further

## **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. There are no current network issues in this area but due to the size on the development additional investigation may be required.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Bathgate WWTW. However, a drainage impact assessment may be required to assess the impact of development on the local network. It is an essential requirement that a fully separate drainage system is used .

### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### WOSAS 31-Jul-14

this area was shown as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. A railway line forming the western boundary of the block was already in place by the mid 19th century, and the line of the Boghead Burn was also shown as passing through the centre of the plot on all the maps available to me. This looks suspiciously straight, and it seems likely that it was probably canalised or utilised as part of the system of agricultural drainage at some point between the 1st and 2nd editions (c. 1860-1890). The 2nd edition showed Boghead Colliery in the area to the north, but this doesn't seem to have extended into compartment 2/66(19). On the 3rd edition, dumps of waste material associated with the colliery had expanded to the south, but again, this doesn't appear to have extended into the block under consideration for housing. Indeed, as far as I can ascertain from available cartographic sources, it appears to have remained as farmland throughout the course of the 20th century.

In general terms,WOSAS ould suggest that the block would retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. WOSAS are aware, however, that there has already been extensive development in the area to the south-east of compartment 2/66(19), and that as part of this, a new roundabout and distributor road has been created that runs across the block from the Whitburn Road. This appears to have removed a section of the former railway line, and will have also resulted in a reasonable amount of disturbance within the block itself. There is not up-to-date information on the extent of the undisturbed ground remaining within compartment 2/66(19), so as a default position, WOSAS would still consider that evaluation trenching is likely to be required in advance of development, in order to assess whether or not significant sub-surface archaeological deposits are present; it is possible, however, that we would revise this recommendation when an application has been submitted for development of the plot, as at that point, we would have the

## **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain requirement to enhance local park provision in either Wester Inch or Kirkton Park.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Economic Property Development

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### Easter Inch 2280

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBg2	1		Audit			
EOI no				Consult Po	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and	d Business		Consult Up	date	04-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
				, .			
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	04-Apr-14	

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns List of Consultations and Dates Current Status **Proposed Use** 

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 04-Apr-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 There are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties (depending on the intended use).

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-12 No known issues, although within Industrial Estate and adjacent to former garage so Phase I Contaminated Land report likely to be required.

#### **Scottish Water**

In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. 12-Mar-13 In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (potentially culverted in parts) which flows along the south west boundary. SEPA Flood Risk Maps 2013 Update - This site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Only some of the original site allocation remains undeveloped, this will continue to be allocated in the LDP and the remaining site will revert to just being within the employment area boundary.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (potentially culverted in parts) which flows along the south west boundary.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Harburn Road and existing access off roundabout. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

One site has been recorded from within the plot, this being the former farmstead of South Inch, which was shown as roofed on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. South Inch Farm is not annotated on Roy's map of 1747-55, though a prominant mound shown to the north-west of Easter Inch Moss may have provided an attractive location for its later construction. Fieldboundaries shown to the south of the farm on the 1st edition map may preserve the course of the old road shown skirting the Moss on Roy. Certainly, the road linking Blackburn and Wester Inch on the 1st edition is considerably straighter than that depicted on the earlier map, and bypasses South Inch Farm on its western side, suggesting that it had been superseded. South Inch farm has been largely removed by groundworks undertaken in preparation of the site for use as an industrial estate, though two parallel field walls shown leading into the farm yard from the north on the 1st edition survived at 04/10/05. The site of the farm building itself appears to lie under an area of ground that had been graded down for the construction of a road hammer-head. While it is apparent that access roads have been constructed elsewhere across the plot, the extent to which the remaining ground has been disturbed is unclear. If the remaining plots remain relatively undisturbed, there may be some potential for it to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation. If, conversely, laying out the proposed industrial estate was preceded by substantial scarping, then this potential may be fairly low.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Comments-High level of SUDS since low dilution. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### Inch Wood South 2279

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBg3	1		Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and B	usiness		Consult Up	date	04-Apr-14	
Blanning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Vee	Class Description	3.2
Planning Officer				Frime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	Class Description	3.2
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion		04-Apr-14	3.2

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. This site has been partially developed with business units.

Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **WLC Waste Management**

No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009. 12-Jul-12

#### **Coal Authority**

The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. 26-Feb-13 If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Possible removal of site from process as the site has been built out. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site appears prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

16-Sep-12 There are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties to the west (depending on the intended use).

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Comments-High level of SUDS since low dilution. Open drainage system with conveyance swales

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site could be deleted as an allocation as this site has been largely developed/is under construction. It should however remain within the employment area boundary.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off A71 off existing roundabout. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. The area was subject to archaeological evaluation trenching, conducted by AOC Archaeology Group in 2011. No archaeological material was encountered. A drained pond occupied the SW corner of the site. There was evidence of modern agricultural improvement in the form of occasional ceramic field drains. As a result of this, further archaeological work would not be required in relation to the development of this plot.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

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## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBg7	1		Audit	EOI-05	53	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment	and Business			Consult Up	date	04-Apr-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Partial		Conclusion	Date	04-Apr-14
The site is allocated for	or developme	ent in the Wes	st Lothian L	ocal Plan and co	ntributes towar	ds to es	tablished
employment land sup	oly for West	Lothian.					

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. This site has been partially developed.

 Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

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## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Rehabilitation Scheme granted and implemented as part of 2004 and 2007 planning permissions.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are small watercourses running through the site and a pond also plus large suds ponds south of the site. There would be the requirement for a 6m buffer strip from any development to the watercourses and pond. It is understood that end of pipe SUDS ponds are present here.SUDS are required as per guidance (High level of SUDS since low dilution). Open drainage system with conveyance swales required.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 Only some of the original site allocation remains undeveloped, this will continue to be allocated in the LDP and the remaining site will revert to just being within the employment area boundary.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. Sewer extensions will be required.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required on site development allocation that remains. Potential for significant issues. Existing flood pumping station also gets flooded. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This site appears prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. SEPA highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". The pootential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The site is however not at

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within this plot, this being the site of two small buildings annotated as 'Strand', which appeared on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map. This was described in the OS Object Name Book of 1856 as 'a small house or cottage with a vegetable garden and portion of land attached, occupied by Alexander Shanks and property of Mr Johnston, Bathgate'. This structure does not appear on modern OS maps of the area, though these do show that the field boundaries were present until fairly recently. Current aerial photos, however, suggest that the site of the building may have recently been destroyed by ground disturbance on the eastern side of Strand Drive, though this is uncertain. Indeed, there is evidence of fairly substantial recent development over much of the plot, in addition to previous disturbance resulting from mining. There are some sections of the site that appear to remain relatively undisturbed, and these may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation, though further map analysis would be required to clarify this.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects on the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. Existing access onto A801 and/or new access onto A7066. various options linked to J4M8. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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## 3035 Site at J4 M8 Storage and Distribution Park Potti

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBg7 /		Audit EOI-00	)53		
EOI no	EOI-0053		Consult Po	osition	Preferred	
Category	Expression of Interest		Consult Up	odate	02-Apr-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Mixed	Conclusion	Date	02-Apr-14	

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

16-Sep-12 Distribution bays should not face north (as next door) and consider should be afforded to the potential for noise affecting adjacent housing across road.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Only some of the original site allocation remains undeveloped, this will continue to be allocated in the LDP and the remaining site will revert to just being within the employment area boundary. There is also support for the continuation of this employment allocation in particular class 6 uses. If more class 4 (business), class 7 (ancillary hotel) and retail (class 1) are propopsed and area restricted in area, then parts of then some small parts of this site could be given over to these uses.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. Sewer extensions will be required.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

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## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Rehabilitation Scheme granted and implemented as part of 2004 and 2007 planning permissions.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

Bathgate

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. Existing access onto A801 and/or new access onto A7066. various options linked to J4M8. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Environmental Health

13-Aug-13 No issues.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within this plot, this being the site of two small buildings annotated as 'Strand', which appeared on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map. This was described in the OS Object Name Book of 1856 as 'a small house or cottage with a vegetable garden and portion of land attached, occupied by Alexander Shanks and property of Mr Johnston, Bathgate'. This structure does not appear on modern OS maps of the area, though these do show that the field boundaries were present until fairly recently. Current aerial photos, however, suggest that the site of the building may have recently been destroyed by ground disturbance on the eastern side of Strand Drive, though this is uncertain. Indeed, there is evidence of fairly substantial recent development over much of the plot, in addition to previous disturbance resulting from mining. There are some sections of the site that appear to remain relatively undisturbed, and these may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation, though further map analysis would be required to clarify this.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This site appears prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of run-off criteria would

## Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects on the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are small watercourses running through the site and a pond also plus large suds ponds outh of the site. There would be the requirement for a 6m buffer strip from any development to the watercourses and pond. It is understood that end of pipe SUDS ponds are present here. SUDS are required as per guidance (High level of SUDS since low dilution). Open drainage system with conveyance swales required.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. SEPA highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". The pootential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The site is however not at

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## 2281 Starlaw Farm

Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBg8	1	Audit		
EOI no				Consult Position	Preferred

Category	Employment and Business Cons			date	22-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion Date		22-Jul-14	
The site is allocated for	or development in the Wes	st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes towar	ds to est	tablished	
employment land sup	ply for West Lothian.					

This site will be sub-divided in to parcels 8a, 8b and 8c. Site EBg8c will continue as an allocation to reflect the recent developments and consents for the existing business development on this site. Parcels 8a and 8b are proposed to be de-allocated, given their rural location within the countryside belt, unstable ground condition issues and the challenges of accessing these sites.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The east part of this site (8c) contributes towards this.

Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy
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## WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 There are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties (depending on the intended use).

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Part of site developed as Glen Turner distillery extension. Remaining site likely to revert countryside belt or another land designation as site is within the countryside.

## **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## SEPA - Water Environment

14-Jun-12 Comments-High level of SUDS since low dilution. Open drainage system with conveyance swales

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Part of this site has been built out. If part of site remaining is to be taken forward a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) and Drainage Assessment (DA) would be required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects on the M8.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## WOSAS

27-Mar-13 No sites have been recorded from within either of these plots, though a possible standing stone was reported by Stuart Eydmann, formerly Conservation Officer for West Lothian Council, at or near a point just to the north of the NE corner of the western plot. If confirmed, this would suggest that there is an enhanced potential for buried deposits relating to prehistoric occupation to be present in the vicinity. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that mining formerly took place in the surrounding landscape, with tips of waste material and old shafts being depicted on the 2nd and 3rd editions, but this does not appear to have extended into either of the areas proposed for development. As they do not appear to have been disturbed by modern development, these plots would therefore retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Two separate sites allocated the same ID reference. For both sites SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Bog Burn tributary which flows to the south of the site. The potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere if there is no appropriate mitigation. A small part of the allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Each site could be problematic to access. There is an option to use existing access onto the A705. A new link would be required to the roundabout on the A705 (for the western allocation). See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## 1208 36 - 46 North Bridge Street

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg20	1		Audit	2/104			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site has planning	approval.							

Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. Much of the area is occupied by modern housing on Meadowbank Avenue and Meadowbank Crescent. It is unlikely that material relating to earlier phases of occupation will survive in areas under recently-erected housing, due to the extensive earth-moving associated with modern construction. Small sections at the northern and eastern margins of the plot do not appear to have been affected in this way, and these may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Site may already have been constructed. If additional buildings are proposed then we would require a A Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Bathgate Water which flows along the western boundary and small watercourses which flow through the site. The area shown to be undeveloped on the OS Map would likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk should further development be proposed. There are no water resilient measures required also.Record of flooding in 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. The site if developed could lead to potential flooding out with the site. Part of the allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map). There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Sep-12 The site is located adjacent to the Regal, an entertainment venue which may give rise to possible noise issues.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### SNH

No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

20-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No issues - site is proposed for housing.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Site has already been developed, no comments. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site, a public park, is at a considerable risk of flooding and it is not thought feasible to develop this site at all.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comment.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Coal Authority**

09-Jul-13 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

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## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## 468 Standhill

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	Hbg22	1		Audit	2/66(7)			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	22-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	22-Jul-14	
This site lies within th	e settlement	boundary of E	Bathgate in	the adopted Wes	t Lothian Local	Plan 20	009 and is alloacted	
for housing developm	ient.	-	-	-				

St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy, Simpson Primary/Bathgate Academy

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### SNH

No comments made.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access roundabout onto A7066. Also see Wester Inch master plan. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

This compartment appears to fall within an area already covered by an extant planning consent, and indeed it appears likely that construction may already have commenced as we provided comments in 2007 in response to a reserved matters application for construction of 257 houses and 51 flats on areas X, Y, Z and AA. If the compartment is covered by an existing consent that was granted without an archaeological condition, it is unlikely to be feasible for us to request work on subsequent detailed applications. I would note that the place-name 'Standhill' does not appear in this area on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, suggesting that both the current Standhill Farm and the buildings of Easter Standhill, which was shown on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, are likely to be of post-improvement date.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

Site lies within the inner and outer consultation zones for the SGN Armadale / Bathgate E36 pipeline. The site also lies within the consultation zone for the HSE ref H2068 facility Johnston Oils Ltd.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site. There is no requirement for any Drainage Assessment.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Adjacent to and in addition COU26.

There may be a cumulative issue relating to this site,COU26 andHBg30 that would have an impact on J4 of the M8.

## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfill and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

# 1097 Area Remaining - Westerinch (Balance to 2025)

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg22	/		Audit	2/66				
EOI no					<b>Consult Position</b>		Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield	wnfield Conclusion Date					
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#### Coal Authority

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comment - Housing Site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

#### SNH

No comments made.

#### NHS - Lothian

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Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

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## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site. There is no requirement for any Drainage Assessment for

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

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#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Adjacent to and in addition COU26.

There may be a cumulative issue relating to this site,COU26 andHBg30 that would have an impact on J4 of the M8.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This compartment appears to fall within an area already covered by an extant planning consent, and indeed it appears likely that construction may already have commenced as we provided comments in 2007 in response to a reserved matters application for construction of 257 houses and 51 flats on areas X, Y, Z and AA. If the compartment is covered by an existing consent that was granted without an archaeological condition, it is unlikely to be feasible for us to request work on subsequent detailed applications. I would note that the place-name 'Standhill' does not appear in this area on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, suggesting that both the current Standhill Farm and the buildings of Easter Standhill, which was shown on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, are likely to be of post-improvement date.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfill and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain requirement to enhance local park provision in Wester Inch.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per approved Wester Inch master plan. New roundabout access onto A7066 See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

### WLC Economic Property Development

10-Feb-14 No comments.

## 446 Napier Avenue

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg24	1		Audit	2/69			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upc	late	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	22-Jan-14	
The site has planning	approval.							
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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 History of flooding from this site. Possible actions required by developer both on and off site. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Hillside run off also to a culverted system.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water manis extensions may be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Sewer extension may be required.

## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. mining and landfilling have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14 No sites have been recorded from within this compartment, located between Napier Avenue and Academy Place. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on all pre-WWII Ordnance Survey map editions available in our system, which could suggest that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier deposits. However, current aerial photographs do also suggest that much of the plot may comprise sloping ground, which would perhaps reduce the possibility of its having been utilised for past occupation.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. There are no known network issues but further investigation may be required to assess the impact of the network infrastructure to support development.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Bathgate WWTW. However, a drainage impact assessment may be required to assess the impact of development on the local network as there are known issues downstream. It is an essential requirement that that a fully separate drainage system is used

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is a requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site, given what the council comments are on this site.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small site. Nearest trunk road junction is J3A of the M8.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain required for local aprks enhancement and improved access to them.

## 3145 Land at Napier Avenue

#### LP Ref / UCS Ref HBg24 Audit EOI-0163 EOI no EOI-0163 **Consult Position** Preferred Category Expression of Interest **Consult Update** 03-Apr-14 **Planning Officer** Prime Quality Agricultural Land No **Class Description** Conclusions **Brown/Gree** Greenfield **Conclusion Date** 03-Apr-14 The site has planning approval under reference 0614/FUL/08, granted for 10 houses on 28.08.13 Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

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Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 NO COMMENTS minded to grant decision made subject to legal agreement. 20 units possible as goes to Boghall Primary

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **Scottish Water**

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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 History of flooding from this site. Possible actions required by developer both on and off site. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Hillside run off also to a culverted system.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

12-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

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## Bathgate

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WOSAS

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### Transport Scotland

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### WLC NETS and Land Services

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### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. mining and landfilling have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site, given what the council state in their response.

# 315 32 Hopetoun Street

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg26	1	Audit	2/36			
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Const	rained		Consult Upda	ate	22-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	B	rown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion D	ate	22-Jul-14	
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of							
brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in							
accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East							

Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

Proposed Use

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 The plot lies within the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of Bathgate. This would suggest that ground disturbance associated with the development of the plot would have the potential to identify significant archaeological material associated with the early occupation of the town.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. Information on capacity of receiving sewage works at Bathgate may be required.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Hopetoun Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## Scottish Enterprise 13-Mar-12 No specie

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### 12-14 Gideon Street 316

Bathg	ate
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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg28	1	Audit	2/40				
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained		Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Age	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13		
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of								
brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in								
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Proposed Use

### Coal Authority

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Feb-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Gideon Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## **Historic Scotland**

17-Jul-13 No comments

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain for enhancement of Balbardie Park of Peace and improved access.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small site in Bathgate of little consequence to the trunk road network.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This plot does not appear to be shown on WLLP Map 4, while the grid reference provided centres on an area to the north of the junction between Main Street, Hill Crescent and Gideon Street that falls within the polygon for HBg43b. The street address suggests a position towards the southern end of Gideon Street, and as a result, I am uncertain of the precise boundaries of the area proposed for development. However, Gideon Street as a whole does lie within the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of Bathgate, and as a result, it is likely that we would recommend that some form of archaeological work would be required in relation to its development. The nature and extent of this work would, however, likely depend on the precise details of the development proposed.

# 314 Easton Road (Former Sibcas Site)

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg29	/		Audit	2/98 (A)			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Update		late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	onclusions Brown/Gree Brownfield			Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13		
The site has planning	approval.							

Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, though map regression work shows evidence for previous industrial use over much of the area. The plot was depicted as largely undeveloped farmland on the 1st edition map of the mid 19th century, with the exception of the curving line of a railway running across the centre of the site. This feature was also represented on the 2nd edition, with the addition of a mineral railway branch line that exited the plot at its SW corner. By the 3rd edition, a line of terraced houses was depicted on the southern boundary of the plot, running along the Easton Road frontage, while a large industrial structure was shown to the north of the railway, close to the eastern boundary of the site. Modern maps indicate that the railway has been dismantled, and the semi-circular area defined by the railway, mineral railway and Easton Road is occupied by the buildings, car-parks and storage areas of the Sibcas works. There is some potential that evidence for the terraced houses shown on the Easton Road frontage on the 3rd edition may survive in the grassed area between the Sibcas fence and Easton Road. The large industrial complex shown on the 3rd edition has also been removed, though the area does not appear to have been affected by subsequent redevelopment. There are also some sections of the site that do not appear to have been affected by modern development, meaning that they may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No comments to make.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 Records suggest the presence of water voles near the watercourse at the west boundary of this site. A consultation response from SNH to planning application 0311/FUL/12 indicates what measures should be considered.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Bathgate Water which flows along the eastern and northern boundary of the site. The river is culverted in places. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. The Bathgate Water runs along the eastern and northern boundaries of the site. There is also a record of flooding in 2001 and 2003 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.A small part of this allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Bathgate Water (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site. There is a culvert at eastern end of site with structural issues. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a number of hollows deemed susceptible to flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Likely to be land contamination issues due to previous industrial land use. High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Small watercourse flows along Eastern boundary of site also- this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises the former SIBCAS site and the site of a foundry. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation was carried out as part of previous planning application. Further Site Investigation and Remediation may be required.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 498 Little Boghead 6 : Phase 1 & Phase 2

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg30	1		Audit	2/7E						
EOI no					Consult Posit	ion	Preferred				
Category	Auditable				Consult Upda	te	22-Jul-14				
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1			
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion Da	ite	22-Jul-14				
limit the amount of gre	The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.										

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme. Part of the site has planning permission for 82 houses and 68 flats, that was granted on 9 July 2012 and work has begun on site.

Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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Proposed Use

HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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## **WLC Waste Management**

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site is located within the settlement boundary and there is no objection to development. However, aerial photos of the area show a well established informal footpath network plus some field boundary features which should be retained to form the basis of a multi-functional green network at and through this site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment and a Flood Risk Assessment is required. There is a history of nearby flooding from obstructed culvert. Also, there is a possible risk from adjacent bodies of water in nature park. The report states that action is likely to be required by the developer on and off site. SEPA have commented on this site peviously and part (approximately half) is developable. SEPA are unlikely to support further development towards the small watercourse without additional asessments and improvement of the current situation. There are no water resilient measures required on this site. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Small watercourse flows through North of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration. There is no buffer strip required.

## Bathgate

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to Whiteside Industrial Estate and a former gravel pit to the north-east. A Phase I Contaminated Land Report will be required for this site.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The southern boundary of the site is adjacent to an industrial estate and there is a potential for noise issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Impact Assessment required and Flood risk assessment required. History of nearby flooding from obstructed culvert. Action likely to be required by developer on and off site. Possible risk from adjacent bodies of water in nature park. Further details in planning brief on site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 update - Much of the northern half of this site is deemed to be at risk of pluvial flooding. There is also a history of some limited fluvial flooding associated with obstruction of a culverted watercourse. A Flood Risk Assessment will be required to demonstrate the extent of the risk and identify how development could successfully be integrated. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 We were contacted in 2009 in relation to the proposed development of the southern section of this site, amounting to approximately half of the total area defined in the current proposal. We advised that comparison with available historical maps suggested that this section had not been affected by previous development, and should therefore be subject to evaluation trenching to determine whether buried deposits survived. Trenching was conducted by AOC Ltd on behalf of the applicant in Sptember 2010, which reportedly found nothing of archaeological interest on the site. As such, further archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary on the southern section of this plot. The northern half, extending to Robertson Avenue, was not evaluated at that time, and so may retain some potential to produce buried deposits. Aerial photographs however indicate that this section is more 'scrubby' than the area to the south, and it may be that it has been affected by extractive operations such as those mapped in the surrounding landscape. Further desk-based research may be necessary

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Play facilities required as per planning brief and planning guidelines for this site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

Reasonable site size. Nearest trunk road junction is J4 of the M8.

There may be a cumulative issue relating to this site, COU26 and HBg30 that would have an impact on J4 of the M8.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Factory Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **109** Whiteside Industrial Estate

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg37	1		Audit	2/73		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval an	d construction	has comm	enced.			
	Windy	knowe Primary/Arr	nadale Academ	y, St Marys (Bathgate	)/St Kentigerns Acade	emy	

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Site largely completed, was commented on at time of application

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 This site has been largely developed, no comments are therefore made.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This plot was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. However, current OS maps indicate that it is now almost entirely occupied by modern housing, including a number of blocks on Whiteside Court that are of apparently recent construction. It appears unlikely that these would be proposed for demolition, but in any event, the amount of ground disturbance required with their erection means that there is unlikely to be much potential for buried material associated with earlier phases of occupation to survive.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site has been largely developed, no comments are therefore made.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. railway lines. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. gravel pits and colliery's have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is

### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 There is an existing planning permission on thsi site, requierments for open space provision require to be adhered to.

# 1505 Area O - Standhill Westerinch ©

# Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39 /	Audit	2/66(11)	
EOI no			Consult Position	n Completed
Category	Auditable		Consult Update	03-Apr-14
Planning Officer		Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No Class Description
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion Date	03-Apr-14
The site has planning a	approval and constructior	has commenced and the	site is completed.	
	St Columbas/St Ke	entigerns Academy, Simpson Primar	y/Bathgate Academy	
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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required and flood alleviation scheme that has been developed needs taken account of and protected. SUDs needs careful consideration.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **Coal Authority**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfilling and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Flood Risk Assessment required and flood alleviation scheme that has been developed needs taken account of and protected. SUDs needs careful consideration.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

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#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

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## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

# 1642 Area R - Standhill Wester Inch

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(14	)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval an	d construction	has comm	enced.			
	St M	Marys (Bathgate)/St	Kentigerns Ac	ademy, Simpson Prin	nary/Bathgate Academ	ıy	
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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

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## **Coal Authority**

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### WLC Waste Management

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

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## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

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## Bathgate

#### **WLC Transportation**

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

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#### Scottish Enterprise

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#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfilling and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

# 1652 Area X + Y + Z + AA - Standhill Westerinch

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(16	5)	
EOI no					Consult Po	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Up	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
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	St N	/larys (Bathgate)/St	Kentigerns Ac	ademy, Simpson Prima	ry/Bathgate Acaden	пу	
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NHS - Lothian							

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Coal Authority**

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

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## Bathgate

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No issues.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

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## **SEPA - Water Environment**

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## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

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# 1653 Area S - Westerinch

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39 /		Audit	2/66(15)	)	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval and construction	on has comm	enced.			
	St Marys (Bathgate)	St Kentigerns Ac	ademy, Simpson Prima	ry/Bathgate Academy	у	
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## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Coal Authority**

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#### WLC Transportation

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#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfilling and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

# 1742 Area Q - Standhill Westerinch ©

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(13)	)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	03-Apr-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	03-Apr-14
The site has planning	approval and	d construction	has been o	completed.			
	St N	larys (Bathgate)/St	Kentigerns Aca	ademy, Simpson Prim	ary/Bathgate Academ	у	
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#### NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood risk assessment required and flood alleviation scheme that has been developed needs taken account of and protected. SUDs needs careful consideration.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

> Site lies within the inner and outer consultation zones for the SGN Armadale / Bathgate E36 pipeline. The site also lies within the consultation zone for the HSE ref H2068 facility Johnston Oils Ltd.

## Bathgate

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Flood Risk Assessment required and flood alleviation scheme that has been developed needs taken account of and protected. SUDs needs careful consideration. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Flood Risk Assessment required and flood alleviation scheme that has been developed needs taken account of and protected. SUDs needs careful consideration.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. mining, landfilling and railway lines. The vicinity exhibits similar potentially contaminative industries including factory works.

# 1949 Area T - Wester Inch

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(15	5)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Up	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval an	d construction	has comm	enced.			
	St N	/arys (Bathgate)/St	Kentigerns Ac	ademy, Simpson Prima	ary/Bathgate Academ	пу	
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# SNH

No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details. Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

# 1997 Areas U & V and W1 Wester Inch

# Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(17)	)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval.						
	Windy	knowe Primary/Art	madale Academ	y, St Marys (Bathgat	e)/St Kentigerns Acad	emy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Sta	atus		Propos	sed Use		

## SNH

No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

# 2355 Area W (2) - Royal Gardens - WesterInch

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg39	1		Audit	2/66(18)	)	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval.						
	St N	Aarys (Bathgate)/St	Kentigerns Aca	ademy, Simpson Prim	ary/Bathgate Academ	у	
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## SNH

No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval and master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

# 1068 Pentland Avenue

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg41	1		Audit	2/78		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Co	onstrained			Consult Upo	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval.						
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Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Wet ground. Drainage Impact Assessment required and Flood Risk assessment required on this site. There is the opportunity to dispose of surface water via swale to east. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that there is wet ground and a Drainage Impact Assessment and a Flood Risk Assessment are required. There is opportunity to dispose of surface water via swale to the east. We are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. Water resilient measures will be required on this site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 This site includes previously developed land and there is also a former quarry present on site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the polygon located between Pentland Avenue and Charles Crescent. Comparison with historic maps shows the presence of a whinstone quarry in the eastern section of the site, and it is likely that the excavation of this feature will have removed any material relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present. Modern maps and aerial photographs indicate the presence of tarmac surfaces within the plot, suggesting that it was utilised in some way during the 20th century, and it is apparent that there has been a fair amount of previous disturbance on the site. As a result, it is unlikely that the development of this plot would raise a significant archaeological issue.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requierment for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comment.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1249 Main Street 2 sites

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg43a&b /		Audit	2/85		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	Class Description
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Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion E		22-Jul-14

HBg43b is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East

Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### Proposed Use

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. There are no water resilient measures required. There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot is located within the historic core of Bathgate, this being the earliest section of the town to be occupied. Comparison with Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55 shows that in the mid 18th century, the town comprised a single street, laid out along the line of the current Main Street. This road ran approximately as far as the junction with what is now Gideon Street, with settlement present to the west of this, though Roy also depicted settlement on the northern side of Main Street, opposite the junction. This would suggest that the plot is likely to have some potential to produce material associated with the early occupation and development of the town. By the time of the 1st edition map of the mid 19th

century, much of the plot was occupied by buildings annotated as 'Brown's Square', these being present in the area to the rear of the Main Street Frontage, and by structures fronting onto North Street, which at that time curved round to run into Main

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage impact assessment required

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Site 43a - access as per planning approval. Site 43b - access via main Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 143 Jarvey Street

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg45	/	Audit	2/100					
EOI no				Consult Position	on	Preferred			
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained		Consult Updat	e	25-Nov-13			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion Dat	te	25-Nov-13			
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East									
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Balbardie Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### NHS - Lothian

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Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. gasworks, cemetery, slaughterhouse, mining and quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain for enhancement of Balbardie Park of Peace and improved access.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Jarvey Street. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment for this site. A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 We have commented on two previous applications for development on this site, 1044/FUL/06, for the erection of 66 flats, and 0755/FUL/07, for the erection of 54 flats. In both cases, we advised that a condition should be attached to any consent that the Council was minded to issue, requiring completion of a programme of archaeological work in advance of development. This was because the plot lies within the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of Bathgate. It is likely that our response to any future application for the development of this plot would remain the same.

# 1169 Windyknowe / Glasgow Road A

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg47a and	1	Audit	2/105 (A	A)		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable			Consult Upo	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion [	Date	25-Nov-13	
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#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive) 03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BATHGATE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood risk assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a low area at risk of pluvial flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is east of site occupied by the former "Rendezvous" Public House and parking. There is also a former filling station off eastern boundary. A Phase I Contamianted Land report will be required.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

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## Bathgate

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No comments to make.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the plot between Windyknowes Primary School and Glasgow Road. Comparison with available historical maps suggests that it has been open farmland since at least the mid 19th century, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Based on the OS Map there is a potential culvert through the site. SEPA would require investigation into the culverts. SEPA would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". A Flood Risk Assessment is required. There are no water resilient measures required. Record of flooding in 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is potential this aloocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Contribution to play facilities at Windyknowe.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Glasgow Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 150 Edgar Allen Works

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref HBg48	/		Audit 2/10	1 (A)				
EOI no			Consult	Position	Preferred			
Category Auditable			Consult	Update	03-Apr-14			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	l No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions	<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield	Conclus	ion Date	03-Apr-14			
The site has planning approval and work has commenced on site. Planning permission was granted for 63 houses and								

107 flats under reference 0748/MSC/12 on 20.0.13 as part of the original consent relating to planning permission

Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14

No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

**Proposed Use** 

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This plot was shown as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, with the exception of the line of a drain. On the 2nd edition, a mineral railway was depicted running along the eastern boundary of the plot, while much of the central area was occupied by a football ground – a small structure associated with this was also depicted. Both the football ground and building had been removed by the time of the 3rd edition, however, and on post-WWII OS mapping, the ground was shown as forming part of Bathgate Bog. Annotation on modern OS maps, however, indicates that the majority of the site has subsequently been used for some form of dumping. The nature of this is unclear from information available to me, but it is likely to have substantially reduced the potential for physical remains relating to earlier phases of occupation to be encountered during development of the plot.

## **WLC Waste Management**

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Possible planning gain enhancement for nearby parks.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### 2744 Edgar Allen Works II

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg48	1	Audit	2/101 (E	3)			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Upd	late	03-Apr-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	03-Apr-14		
The site has planning approval and work has commenced on site. Planning permission was granted for 63 houses and								

107 flats under reference 0748/MSC/12 on 20.0.13 as part of the original consent relating to planning permission

Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 03-Apr-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

Proposed Use

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood risk assessment required.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Land associated with the Former Edgar Allen foundry works, primarily used for the storage of foundry wastes, including slag, ore, processing residues and construction materials.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Possible planning gain enhancement for nearby parks.

### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This plot was shown as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, with the exception of the line of a drain. On the 2nd edition, a mineral railway was depicted running along the eastern boundary of the plot, while much of the central area was occupied by a football ground – a small structure associated with this was also depicted. Both the football ground and building had been removed by the time of the 3rd edition, however, and on post-WWII OS mapping, the ground was shown as forming part of Bathgate Bog. Annotation on modern OS maps, however, indicates that the majority of the site has subsequently been used for some form of dumping. The nature of this is unclear from information available to me, but it is likely to have substantially reduced the potential for physical remains relating to earlier phases of occupation to be encountered during development of the plot.

## SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced

#### SEPA - Water Environment

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities for this site.

# 153 Kaim Park Hotel Grounds

## Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg51	1		Audit	2/94			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	03-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	03-Apr-14	
The site has planning approval for 24 flats that was granted on appeal under application reference 0015/FUL/13.								
		Boghall Primary/B	athgate Acaden	ny, St Columbas/St K	entigerns Academy			

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Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. This site has drainage and porosity issues. constraint but development of site is not unsurmountable.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14 We provided comments in relation to a previous application for construction of 16 flats on the western section of this plot (planning application 0745/05), and advised that this appeared unlikely to raise a substantive archaeological issue. Although plot HBg51 is slightly larger than the area that would have been affected by this earlier proposal, it is likely that our response to a future application for construction on the site would remain the same.

## **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Balmore South WTW. Further network investigations may be required once more details are known depending on where the developer proposes to connect to the network.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Bathgate WWTW. This site has been approved for connection based on a fully separate

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway maintenance land, clay bricks and tile works, unknown filled ground, railway lines and factory works have operated within the

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Very small site adjacent to A89. Nearest trunk road junction is J3A of the M8.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. There is no requirement for a Drainage Assessment and there are no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# 2124 Garden Cottage - Boghead Estate

# Bathgate

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBg54	/		Audit	2/96				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	03-Apr-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	03-Apr-14		
The site has planning approval and work has commenced on site.									
Windyknowe Primary/Armadale Academy, St Marys (Bathgate)/St Kentigerns Academy									

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

03-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

#### SNH

No comments made.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 This site has been concluded.

## **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Very small site to the east side of Bathgate. Nearest junction is J3 of the M8 (and possibly J3A for Edinburgh)

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

24-Feb-14 Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. A Flood Risk Assessment would be required to assess the areas to avoid development adjacent to the Watercourse, any bridges or culverts would need to be taken into consideration

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 There is a unnamed tributary of Bog Burn c lose to the site. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities within the site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas. The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However,

Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Balmore WTW. Further network investigations may be required once more details are known depending on where the developer proposes to connect to the network.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Bathgate WWTW. A foul only connection for 10 units with surface water discharging to water course could be accommodated, if this cannot be achieved a drainage impact assessment would be required.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. brick and fireclay works, shafts and railway lines. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries and colliery's have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Feb-14 No comments.

## WOSAS 24-Feb-14

One small building with two associated yards was shown as occupying this plot on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. By the time of the 2nd edition, two additional structures had been added, and the area immediately to the north was shown as being occupied by a dump of waste material, presumably derived from the nearby Boghead Brick and Fireclay Works. This dumped material may have slightly impinged onto the northern boundary of plot NBg54, a situation that remained unchanged on the 3rd edition map. Although most of the plot does not appear to have been directly affected by this dumping, however, it is of a reasonably small scale and appears to be largely occupied by trees, suggesting a limited potential for significant archaeological material to be present.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

# 3267 West Main Street

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ B	BLA 3	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Po	osition	Preferred	
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult U	odate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Partial	Conclusior	Date	25-Nov-13	
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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site could contribute towards this and is considered an appropriate location for employment uses.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

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## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, and also on the 2nd edition of around 1890. By the 3rd edition, however, a row of semi-detached and terraced houses were depicted, running along the northern boundary of the site. These were presumably constructed in the period between around 1890 and 1913. The remainder of the site appears to have remained undeveloped ground, suggesting that it could retain the potential to produce buried material associated with earlier phases of occupation. In addition, material associated with the structures shown on the 3rd edition may survive along the northern boundary of the plot, though the recent date of these buildings suggests that they are likely to be of reasonably

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 The physical relationship of this site with neighbouring Mosshall (Class 5) general industrial, suggests that business /commercial uses would be more appropriate than residential.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

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Blackburn

#### **WLC Waste Management**

09-Jul-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the risk from the Latch Burn which flows along the southern perimeter of the site. There are no water resilient measures recommended for this site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed. This records the site was utilised for a factory or engineering works, a potentially significant source of contamination. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. cotton mill, collieries and railway lines have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 There is potential for noise from commercial premises on the eastern boundary of the site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto West Main Street and/or unclassified road to the west. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 Flood Risk Assessment is required as there is a watercourse south of the site (Latch Burn) (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 A 6m buffer would be required from any development to the Latch Burn to the south. Development of the site also allows for potential restoration opportunities for the watercourse. The nearest other watercourse of any significance to the site is the River Almond which lies north and east of the site and is 130m from the site at its nearest point. Scottish Water will advise regarding Sewage Treatment Works capacity.

#### Blackburn Health Centre 3268

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ E	BLA 7	Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upc	late	04-Apr-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agrie	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion [	Date	04-Apr-14
The site is considered	d appropriate to provide fo	r an exnansi	on of the retail of	fer in the town	togethe	r with other town

The site is considered appropriate to provide for an expansion of the retail offer in the town together with other town centre uses given its proximity to the town centre.

In 2014 an application has been submitted on this site by the council under reference 0218/FUL/14 for Erection of partnership centre including council offices, health centre, dental surgery, library, sports hall and community hall with associated car parking and landscaping.

Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

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HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, and on modern maps it is shown as being almost wholly occupied by the modern health centre building and its associated car park. Construction of these elements is likely to have largely removed any earlier deposits that may have been present, and as a result, the development of this site is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains "as is " (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site is likely to be required for the new Partnership centre or for related parking. Alternatively, local centre uses would be appropriate.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

09-Jul-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. a quarry have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Ash Grove. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### Scottish Water

30-Apr-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BLACKBURN Waste Water Treatment Works, there is sufficient

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. Scottish Water will advise regarding Sewage Treatment Work Capacity.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There were nearby surface water/water ponding issues recorded in 2008 and 2009. No further details provided.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 1187 Site A: Former ATC Building

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ В	LA 31	Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	late	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	22-Jul-14
The site is brownfield.	The council's strategy is to	o give priori <sup>.</sup>	ty to the developme	ent of brownf	field site	s, the aim being to
limit the amount of gree	enfield land released for c	levelopment	. This strategy is ir	accordance	e with So	cottish Government
policy and the Strategie	c Development Plan for E	dinburgh an	d South East Scotl	and.		

Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

Current Status

## WLC Waste Management

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12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 On the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, this plot was shown as being largely undeveloped farmland, with a shelter belt depicted running roughly north-south across its centre. On current maps, it is shown as being largely occupied by the adult training centre building, though aerial photographs suggest that this has subsequently been demolished. The construction and subsequent demolition of this building, together with associated parking etc, suggests that there is a limited potential for buried material to survive within this plot, and as a result, its redevelopment is unlikely to raise a particular archaeological

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 Residential development is considered appropriate.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 Sewage Treatment capacity will be confirmed by Scottosh water.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 Nearby surface water/water ponding issues recorded in 2008 and 2009. No further details provided. There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. sawmill, quarry and railway lines have operated within

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No significant flood risk issues associated with this site and there are sewerage surging issues also. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Almondvale Gardens as per approved planning brief. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Riddochill 2282

## Blackburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EBb1	/		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment	and Business			Consult Up	date	02-Apr-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	02-Apr-14
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.							

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

> Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy **Proposed Use**

#### **Current Status** List of Consultations and Dates

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 04-Apr-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### WLC Economic Property Development

This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. 15-Jun-12

#### WLC Waste Management

No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009. 12-Jul-12

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Former Riddochhill Colliery. Known contamination issues currently being dealt with through planning consent.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment REQUIRED - COMPLEX ISSUES ON SITE OF MINESHAFT, MINEWATER AND FLOODING FROM MOSS , SIMILAR ISSUES TO FLOODING TO ST, KENTIGERNS ACADEMY TO THE SOUTH, ALSO NEED TO AVOID FLOODING TO ST.KENTS IN SOUTH. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This site appears potentially prone to pluvial flooding though the blaes material may well not allow surface water to accumulate. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 High level of SUDS since low dilution. Open drainage system with conveyance swales. Site on the watershed - may drain N to River Avon or S to River Almond. Former industrial site - land contamination

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working or is could be affected by present mine working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment for this site. There are small watercourses adjacent to the site. There is also a potential culverted watercourse through the site. This should be investigated. SEPA highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". The majority of the site is likely to be developable however.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via existing. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being the former Riddochhill Colliery, which commenced in production in 1890 and was closed in 1968. This colliery was depicted on the 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, as well as maps from post-WWII. This allows some indication of the extent of the plot likely to have been disturbed by these operations. It is apparent that apart from a small section in its NW corner, the majority of the plot has been affected by mining and dumping of waste material, and that as a result, the potential for deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation to be

# 2278 Inchmuir Road

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## Blackburn

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EOI no			Consult Position	on	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Update	е	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer		Prime Quality	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion Dat	e	22-Jul-14
The site is allocated fo employment land supp	r development in the Wes ly for West Lothian.	st Lothian Local Plan and	contributes towards	to es	tablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this requirement.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

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## **Coal Authority**

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26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 The location of the site is such that there are likely to be noise considerations for nearby residential/hotel (depending on the intended use).

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Former Riddochhill Colliery. Known contamination issues currently being dealt with through planning consent.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. There has been no development on this allocation.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non-residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this plot. Comparison with available historical mapping suggests that it has been largely unaffected by development during the modern period, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity, though further work may be necessary to clarify the extent to which it has been affected by the substantial developments present in the surrounding areas.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

19-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Inchmuir Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is a potential culverted watercourse through the site. This should be investigated. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". A Flood Risk Assessment is required for the site and development of this site could increase the risk of flood risk out with the site. There are no water resilient measures required.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

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## Blackburn

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EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment a	nd Business			Consult Upo	late	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	22-Jul-14
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.							

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this requirement.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

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### Proposed Use

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site should be deleted as an allocation as this site has been completed, but should however remain within the employment area boundary at Whitehill Industrial Estate.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Contaminated Land

21-Mar-13 Former Riddochhill Colliery. Known contamination issues currently being dealt with through planning consent.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA Updated Flood Risk Maps 2013 - This site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

#### **Scottish Water**

20-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are no water resileint measures required either.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Inchmuir Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the south of Inchmuir Road. Comparison with available historical maps suggests that it has been largely unaffected by previous development; on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, it was shown as open ground, with a shelter belt running east to west across its centre. However, current aerial photographs suggest that the area may now have been substantially disturbed by a demolition contractor's yard, meaning that there is likely to be a low potential for material relating to earlier phases to survive.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **1794** Former Garage Site - 11 East Main Street

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EM1	/		Audit	3/41		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	22-Jul-14
This site is a brownfield site within the settlement boundary that benefits from planning permission, therefore it is proposed to continue this allocation into the LDP.							

Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

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## Scottish Enterprise

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Transportation

21-May-14 Occupation of flats not permitted until lay by is constructed on the site

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

21-May-14 Specific conditions required to protect residential amenity in terms of noise and odour.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific requirements.

## WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 A contaminated land report has been submitted and remediation agreed with the councils contaminated land officer. A condition has been attached to ensure a validation report is submitted prior to occupation of any residential properties.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding,

should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Education**

21-May-14 Catchment schools as per report at top of page. Developer contribution requirements also.

Education Services take the view that

windfall sites can only be supported if there is reasonable expected capacity within schools to accommodate the windfall development plus development which is already committed and development sites which are allocated in adopted or emerging development plans.

As it stands looking at the capacity and the housing market as it is Education would not object to this housing development coming forward provided contributions were made.

Education Contribution

Education Services advise that this site will require to contribute to the following should it gain consent; Bathgate Academy

To support the development strategy of the Edinburgh and Lothians Structure Plan 2015 (E&LSP) and the West Lothian Local Plan (WLLP)(as adopted 13 January 2009), the Education Executive approved an extension to Bathgate Academy on the 16 June 2008. Contributions of £2,437 per residential unit are being requested from all developers with applications within Bathgate's catchment area. This contribution to be indexed to the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index 2nd quarter of 2008. Given the indicative application description this would give a contribution of £17,059. RC Secondary

£1,983 per residential unit. This is in line with para 12.17 policy IMP2 of the WLLP and the issuance of the SPG "Developer contributions to the provision of a new denominational secondary" PP&R Committee May 2005 which was subsequently updated on 29th of June 2010 by Council Executive. Given the indicative application description this would give a contribution prior to indexation of £13,881. This payment to be index to the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index with the 1st quarter of 2010 forming the base date.

It should be noted that officers have prepared an updated SPG on developer contributions for denominational secondary school infrastructure. This is currently a draft and consultation is underway. Applicants will be required to contribute in accordance with the SPG which is in force at the time that the application is determined. The contribution rate applicable in this case could therefore be different from the rate quoted above.

## WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

## **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

06-Nov-13 The development has the potential to create odour nuisance during operation. Various conditions must be attached to the panning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

### WLC NETS and Land Services

06-Nov-13 No issues.

### **WLC Education**

06-Nov-13 Contributions for education are not needed as the flats in this development are one bedroom so are exempt from these

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-Aug-13 No known issues.

## WLC Transportation

06-Nov-13 no objection to this application but would recommend that the following conditions are applied: The hot food takeaway units shall not be opened until the layby has been constructed and approved by the council. A road opening permit will be required.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

06-Nov-13 Remediation agreed for development. Condition must be attached to the planning permission to ensure that the remediation is carried out on the site.

# 1250 West Main Street (West)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb10	1	Audit	3/32 - 35	56204	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Greenfiel	d	Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is allocated for	or development in the	West Lothian	Local Plan and con	tributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site has an approved planning brief.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy	, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy
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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this small plot, located between West Main Street and Riddochhill Crescent. On the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, terraced structures were shown running along the Main Street frontage, while a pump was also shown. These structures no longer appear on modern OS maps of the area, and it is apparent that a the plot has been subject to a degree of landscaping. It is possible that some element of the terraced structures present in the mid 19th century may survive below ground level adjacent to the Main Street frontage.

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is a record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. The council requires the submission of a Drainage Assessment for this site and SEPA would agree with this. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on the site. The allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the River Almond that is approximately 50m to the south

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage impact assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Open Space and Play Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto West Main Street as per approved planning brief. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 1251 West Main Street (East)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb11	1		Audit	3/33 - 38	56634	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Cor	nstrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is allocated for	or developme	nt in the Wes	t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cor	ntributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site has an approved planning brief.

	Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy	, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy
5	Current Status	Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage impact assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 A public house was shown on the 1st edition map, located at the eastern end of this plot, while a well was shown in the NW corner. These structures also appeared on the 2nd edition, though the building was annotated as a Post Office at that time. As with site HBb10, the area has undergone a degree of landscaping. It is possible that some element of the structures present in the mid 19th century may survive below ground level.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is a record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. The council requires the submission of a Drainage Assessment for this site and SEPA would agree with this. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on the site. The allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the River Almond that is approximately 50m to the south

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Open Space and Play Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access onto West Main Street as per approved planning brief. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 1252 Beechwood Road

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb16	1	Audit	3/10 - 3	56639	
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upo	date	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	<b>Free</b> Brownfie	ld	Conclusion I	Date	22-Jul-14
The site is brownfield.	The council's strateg	y is to give pi	iority to the develo	pment of brown	field site	s the aim being to
limit the amount of are	onfield land released	for dovelopp	ont This stratogy	ic in accordance	with Sc	pottich Covernment

limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period. It has an approved Planning Brief.

Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage impact assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A significant part of this site is deemed at risk of flooding. It might be possible to overcome this risk through engineering to prevent he accumulation of surface water. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is a record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. The council requires the submission of a Drainage Assessment for this site and SEPA would agree with this. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on the site. The allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the River Almond that is approximately 50m to the south

#### WOSAS 31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from this plot, located between 239 and 269 Beechwood Road. Comparison with available historical maps suggests that the site was largely undeveloped prior to the 20th century, but it is apparent from current maps and aerial photographs that it was formerly occupied by a block of housing, presumably similar to that present on either side of it. Given that it has previously been affected by modern development, the proposed construction of housing on this site is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

## SEPA - Water Environment

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Beechwood Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1255 Ladeside Avenue (West & East)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb17	1		Audit	3/39			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	04-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	04-Apr-14	
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to								
limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government								
policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.								

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site has an approved planning brief. The site has been partially developed (western portion of the site)

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and 0

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## Blackburn

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This site has been completed, no comments made.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site has been completed, no comments were made by SEPA.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site has been completed, no comments were made by SEPA.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access onto Ladeside Avenue as per approved planning brief. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-13 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying, unknown filled ground and factory works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1234 Bathgate Road

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb18	1	Audit	3/36		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Upd	late	22-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gi	ree Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	22-Jul-14
The site is brownfield.	The council's strategy	/ is to give prio	rity to the developr	ment of brownf	field site	s, the aim being to

limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site has planning approval.

Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

**Proposed Use** 

## **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 This site was previously developed, possibly for Blackburn Central Kitchens. A Phase I Contaminated Land Report is likely to be required.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. The area was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st edition map of the mid 19th century, though by the 2nd edition a large house and two outhouses were shown. The house remained on the 3rd edition. None of these structures appear on modern maps of the area, on which the plot is shown as being occupied by a garage and various associated structures. The proposed development of this site is unlikely to raise a significant

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. There is a record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on the site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 2195 Ash Grove East

## Blackburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb19	/	Audit	3/40		
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	Class Description
Planning Officer Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Greenfield	Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land Conclusion D		Class Description 25-Nov-13

five years effective housing land supply.

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

Proposed Use

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a requirement for a 6m wide buffer from the site to a small pond at the site boundary. There are no restoration

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. Consideration should be given to the small pond adjacent to the site. There is record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A very small area of this site at the road junction is at risk from pluvial flooding. Otherwise, the usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. On the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, the western end was depicted as being under tree cover, while the eastern end was undeveloped. Current aerial photographs indicate the presence of an area of hardstanding at the eastern end of the plot, and a tarmac footpath running across it. Given this, and the limited scale of the plot, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be necessary in relation to its development.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Ashgrove. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Open Space and Play Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1695 Daisyhill Road

## Blackburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb2	/		Audit	3/2(2)			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained			Consult Upd	late	04-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	I	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	04-Apr-14	
The site has planning approval and has been largely developed.								
Murrayfield Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy								

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Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. If the sites, has been developed, which it is considered to be, it can be

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site is alloacted for housing - no comments.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, the site has been completed.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, the site has been completed.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval from Willowdean. Footpath link required to primary school See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 447 Redhouse (West)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb5/COU30	1	Audit	3/26 - E0	OI-0095		
EOI no	EOI-0095			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	ate	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.2
Conclusions	Brown	/Gree (	Greenfield	Conclusion D	ate	22-Jan-14	
			Lothian Local Plan and con Ploper has confirmed intent				)

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#### **WLC Education**

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04-Apr-14 Education support - site is a continuation of an existing allocation.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There was a Contaminated Land Site Investigation carried out as part of planning application.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. Should be a Flood Risk Assessment submitted we would recommend it assesses the flood risk from the River Almond, which lies within 50m to the southern boundary of this site at its nearest point. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to this site. There is a record of flooding in 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. This site is also potentially at medium to high risk of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

# WOSAS

31-May-12 The prospective development area is located immediately to the north of the site of the Hopefield corn and flour mill, which was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map and is likely to occupy the same site as Blackburn Mill, depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. Mills tend to be fairly stable and longlived elements in the landscape, and as such, it is possible that there could have been a mill on this site for several centuries before the date of the Roy map. While the mill itself and its associated lade, as mapped on the 1st edition, do not appear to have been located within the area proposed for development, it is possible that related structures may have extended into the plot, or that earlier phases of the mill may have been present in the area. In addition, the majority of the site does not appear to have been affected by modern development, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with early

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site shows a low area deemed susceptible to flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### SNH

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There is a surface water sewer running along the eastern edge of the site, this will need to be taken into consideration when planning the site layout.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

<sup>18-</sup>Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Play area required.

# 629 Riddochill Road

# Blackburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBb6	1	Audit	3/27 - 38	56615	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is allocated for	or development in the \	Nest Lothian L	ocal Plan and con	tributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Blackburn Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy
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#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

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04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackburn, Seafield & East Whitburn - Existing facility : Ashgrove Group Practice

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond which is immediately to the west of the site. Site is likely heavily constrained due to flood risk. There are no water resilient measures required to this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required and a Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update -Part of this site appears to be at risk from fluvial flooding. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a buffer strip from this site to the nearby watercourse (River Almond) immediately to the west of the site) and there is also Morphological pressure 140267 - bank issues

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, though it is located around 50m to the north of the former site of the Blackburn Cotton Mill. The mill lead providing power to this mill formerly ran along the eastern boundary of the plot, with a sluice shown close to the SE corner of the site. It appears likely that the lade may have been largely removed by construction of Riddochhill Road, though it is possible that elements of it could survive along the western side of the road.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 Open Space and Play Provision is required to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Riddochhill Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 627 Blackridge Farm (Ailsa Gardens) ©

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr4	1	Audit	31/9		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	late	10-Dec-12
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree		Conclusion D	Date	
	Black	kridge Primary/Armadale	Academy, St Anthonys/St K	entigerns Academy		
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NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

20-Mar-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, site appears to have been developed.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. This site appears to have been

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# SEPA - Flooding 15-Feb-12 There

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water resilient measures required. This site appears to have been completed.

# 466 Harthill Road

# Blackridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr5/COU15	1	Audit	31/5 (A)			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Green	nfield	Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site has planning	approval.						

Blackridge Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirejment for any buffer strip. The Barbauchlaw Burn watercourse flows on the northern boundary of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Barbauchlaw Burn which flows through the site. Commented on small part of site and did not object but recommended conditions. We require additional information for the whole site. There are no water reislient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in 1997, 2004 and 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.Allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Barbauchlaw Burn that flow east to west through the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is located near existing housing. However, the southern end of the site borders the railway line with possible associated noise issues.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

02-May-12 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. quarrying and mill. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines and a colliery, have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BLACKRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. It appears that there is waste water pipe work already in place on this site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 The Flood Prevention Officer requires a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Barbauchlaw Burn which flows through the site. Commented on small part of site and did not object but recommended conditions. We require additional information for the whole site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - Part of this site is at risk from fluvial flooding caused by out of bank flows in the watercourse but has been partially built our respecting this phenomenon. There is also a small hollow where surface water accumulates. It though that this can be mitigated through engineering design. For the part of the site that has not been developed the usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 Much of this plot is under modern housing on Leishman Court and Allison Gardens. There is little potential for archaeological material to survive in areas that have been affected by the construction of modern housing. There are some areas, to the south of Allison Gardens and the west of Harthill Road, that do not appear to have been affected by development in the modern period, and so may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comment.

#### **Transport Scotland**

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It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

# 1939 Westcraigs Road

# Blackridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr5b /	Audit 31/12			
EOI no		Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained	Consult Upo	late	04-Apr-14	
Planning Officer		Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Conclusion I	Date	04-Apr-14	
The site is allocated for	or development in the West	Lothian Local Plan and contributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing	
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land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site has planning approval and is largely built out.

Blackridge Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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**Proposed Use** 

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 The Flood Prevention Officer requires a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Barbauchlaw Burn which flows through the site. Commented on small part of site and did not object but recommended conditions and requires additional information for the whole site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirejment for any buffer strip. The Barbauchlaw Burn watercourse flows on the northern boundary of site - this should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1166 Blackridge Farm (East) ©

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr6	1		Audit	31/5(B) -	EOI-0 <sup>2</sup>	191
EOI no	EOI-0191				Consult Posi	tion	Completed
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Upda	ate	
Planning Officer			Р	rime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ree Gree	enfield		Conclusion D	ate	
	Blackridge Prir	nary/Armad	lale Academy	, St Anthonys/St Ken	tigerns Academy		
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#### WLC Economic Property Development

19-Mar-13 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

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Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This siet appears to have been completed, no comments are therefore made.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures. This site appears to have been completed.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# Blackridge

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. This site appears to have been

# 1256 Craiginn Terrace West, Blackridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr8	1	Audit	31/13		
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree (	Greenfield	Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13
			Lothian Local Plan and c loper has confirmed inte			

Blackridge Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy
Current Status
Proposed Use

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive) 04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

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No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. An environmentally sustainable engineering solution to the flooding issue to be agreed in consultation with SEPA, before planning permission is granted. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Barbauchlaw Burn which flows west - east through the site. SEPA are unlikely to support development on functional floodplain at this site hence site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. Record of flooding in 1997, 2004 and 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of this allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Barbauchlaw Burn (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to a fomer colliery site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required before any development can proceed.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BLACKRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. It appears that there is waste water pipe work already in place on this site.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# Blackridge

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is located near existing housing. However, the southern end of the site borders the railway line with possible associated noise issues.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 Although this plot encompasses a sizeable area of Greenfield that does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, I am aware that there have been a number of previous planning applications for the erection of housing

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment Required for this site. An environmentally sustainable engineering solution to the flooding issue to be agreed in consultation with SEPA, before planning permission is granted. Drainage Impact Assessment and Water Impact Assessment carried out. Results conclude that the first two phases can proceed prior to upgrade of Waste Water treatment works. Phase 3 may need further upgrade. SEPA Flood Risk Update 2013 - There is a significant risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the watercourse and potential backing up upstream of structures in the watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 High level of SUDS required since low dilution. Barbauchlaw Burn flows through site - approx 3m wide. Buffer strip 6-12m required. Burn should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 There is an opportunity to rationalise facilities along the land bordering the watercourse.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Two possible access points - A89 or Westcraigs Road/Harthill Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1024 Woodhill Road, Blackridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBr9	1		Audit	31/11			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.2
Conclusions	I	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing								

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Blackridge Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy
Current Status
Proposed Use

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

List of Consultations and Dates

04-Apr-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of the small plot to the NE of Woodhill Road. Comparison with available historical maps suggests that it has not been substantially affected by modern development, meaning that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation. It is annotated as a playing field on modern maps of the area, though it is unclear whether creation of this feature required substantial earth-moving, terracing or scarping, all of which could have an effect on the potential for archaeological material to survive.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BLACKRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. It appears that there is waste water pipe work already in place on this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Blackridge - Existing facility : Blackridge Health Centre

The existing health centre was refurbished 3-4 years ago but would benefit from further upgrading works. It does, however,

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to nearby Blackridge Park.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Woodhill Drive. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1621 Breich Inn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	21/6	1	Audit	21/6		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agrie	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/(	Gree Brownfie	ld	Conclusion D	Date	11-Jul-14
This site is brownfield in the countryside, the				lential develop	ment. E	Despite being a site

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### NHS - Lothian

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

#### 21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific requirements.

### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site has a valid planning permission for housing on the site.

#### WLC Education

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments, response was given at the time of the planning application.

### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

21-May-14 No comments, site is allocated for housing.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

#### **WLC Education**

21-May-14 Education support - site is a continuation of an existing allocation, required contributions.

# SNH

21-May-14 No comments

# WOSAS

21-May-14 No specific comments.

# WLC Transportation

21-May-14 No issues.

# 461 Rashiehill Crescent Breich

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBc3	1	Audit	21/4 - 35	5936		
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	09-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.1
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	09-Jul-14	
The site is allocated for	or development in the	West Lothian L	ocal Plan and contril	outes toward	s the es	stablished housing	
land supply for West L	othian. The site owne	er/developer ha	s confirmed intentior	to bring the	site for	ward within the LDP	)

Proposed Use

plan period. The site has an approved planning brief.

Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities also.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There is a section of foul sewer running through the west of the site.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. Although it falls within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) for an area of rig and furrow cultivation visible on aerial photographs, this predominantly survives to the north of the A71. Given the small scale of this plot, its development is unlikely to raise a substantive archaeological issue.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures on this site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Rashiehill Crescent. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 169 Woodmuir Road (West)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBc5	1		Audit	21/3			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upc	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.								
Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy								

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This is a plotted site that has been largely completed, so no comments.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This is a plotted site that has been largely completed, so no comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This is a plotted site that has been largely completed, so no comments.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

British Airports Authority (BAA) 12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1339 Woodmuir Road East (South of Breich)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBc6	1		Audit	21/5			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constra	ained			Consult Update		25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.2
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.								
Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy								
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status			Propos	ed Use			

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The Woodmuir Burn traverses the southern boundary of the site. A buffer strip of 12m would be required between the development and the watercourse. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. We did not object subject to conditions when previously consulted. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site. SEPA did not object subject to conditions when previously consulted. Part of the allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Woodmuir Burn (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

Breich

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No archaeological sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which appears to have been largely undeveloped since at least the mid 19th century. Comparison with the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that the site was at that time open fields. Given that the plot is a largely flat area of ground overlooking a ready source of water, there is some potential that it may have been utilised during the several thousand years of human occupation before the production of accurate maps, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this sitea sthe Woodmuir Burn traverses the southern boundary of the site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - There is a significant risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to nearby park.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Woodmuir Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 3325 Woodmuir Community Hall

LP Ref / UCS Ref	MUB1	1	Audit					
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred			
Category	Urban Capacity Site		Consult Upo	Consult Update				
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions Brown/Gree			Conclusion Date 09-Jul-14					
This site is a brownfield site within the settlement envelope that has an approved planning brief for mixed uses. It is								
therefore intended that this allocation be carried forward into the LDP								

Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

21-May-14 No specific issues identified.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

21-May-14 redevelopment of this brownfield site is supported for mixed use.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### NHS - Lothian

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

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#### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 Desk top study required as site is brownfield.

#### WLC Education

21-May-14 The council has identified a series of additional contributions which developers of new sites are now required to provide. These fund infrastructure for additional housing as identified for particular settlements and school catchment areas. In so far as this particular site is concerned, contributions would be assessed as part of the planning application process based upon the proposed usage and dwelling numbers

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WOSAS

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 Specific requirements will require to be confirmed at the time of any application and will depend on the use proposed.

#### SEPA - Flooding

21-May-14 No specific concerns.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific requirements.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific concerns

#### WLC Transportation

21-May-14 A single access on to Woodmuir Road, re-using the existing layout, will be required. The width of the access should be a minimum of 5.5m and the form of the junction will be dependent upon proposed usage and build choices and can be agreed in consultation with the Transportation Manager.

As a general guideline for family housing, car parking should be provided at the following rates:

- general housing with up to 3 bedrooms 1 residents off-street space plus 50% communal spaces
- general housing 4 bedrooms or more, 2 residents spaces plus 50% communal spaces.
- garages will not be taken into consideration when assessing the level of parking.

Alternative uses: parking standards would need to be agreed with the Transportation Manager.

#### SNH

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### Scottish Enterprise

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1611 Former Woodmuir Primary

LP Ref / UCS Ref	MUB2	1		Audit				
EOI no					Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Urban Capacity Site				Consult Update			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown	n/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	09-Jul-14	
This site is a bronwfield site within the settlement envelope that has an approved planning brief for mixed uses. It is therefore intended that this allocation be carried forward into the LDP.								

Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 No specific comments.

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#### SNH

21-May-14 No specific comments.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

21-May-14 redevelopment of this brownfield site is supported for mixed use.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 Specific requirements will require to be confirmed at the time of any application and will depend on the use proposed.

## WLC Environmental Health

21-May-14 No specific issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific comments or requirements.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 Desk top study required as site is brownfield.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **WLC Education**

21-May-14 The council has identified a series of additional contributions which developers of new sites are now required to provide. These fund infrastructure for additional housing as identified for particular settlements and school catchment areas. In so far as this particular site is concerned, contributions would be assessed as part of the planning application process based upon the proposed usage and dwelling numbers

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No specific concerns.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific concerns.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific requirements.

#### WLC Transportation

21-May-14 The width of the access should be a minimum of 5.5m and the form of the junction will be dependent upon proposed usage and build choices and can be agreed in consultation with the Transportation Manager.

As a general guideline for family housing, car parking should be provided at the following rates: general housing with up to 3 bedrooms – 1 residents off-street space plus 50% communal spaces general housing 4 bedrooms or more, 2 residents spaces plus 50% communal spaces. garages will not be taken into consideration when assessing the level of parking. Alternative uses: parking standards would need to be agreed with the Transportation Manager.

#### SNH

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### SEPA - Flooding

21-May-14 No specific comments.

#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### AudIhill Cottages 3289

Bridgend

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU3	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Poss	ible			Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	I	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is brownfield	within the settl	lement enve	lope. The c	ouncil's strategy	is to give priori	ity to the	development of
brownfield sites the air	m being to limi	it the amour	nt of greenfie	eld land release	d for developme	ent. This	strategy is in
accordance with Scott	ish Governme	ent policy and	d the Strate	gic Developmer	nt Plan for Edinb	burgh an	d South East
Scotland.							

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme and is anticipated to come

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## **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There are no water resilient measures required for this site and there are also no restoration opportunites.

## SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

## **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

## WLC Economic Property Development

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### Scottish Enterprise

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 31-Jan-14 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bridgend - Existing facilities : Linlithgow Health Centre and Strathbrock Partnership Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

There is capacity at Strathbrock if the Winchburgh Partnership Centre is implemented.

#### **Scottish Water**

27-May-13 In terms of waste water the site is served by the Bridgend plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Balmore plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site.

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

17-Jun-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary of the site and potentially culverted through the site. The applicant should be minded that Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' states that "Buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active.". There is the potential that development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere, unless there was appropriate mitigation introduced.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing access road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This small plot is located at the eastern end of a row of late 19th century terraced cottages. The ground was shown as being undeveloped in the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, but by the time of the 2nd edition, the cottages were in place, indicating a date of construction between c. 1860 and c. 1890. Although the majority of the plot appears to have remained unaffected by the construction of these buildings, a block of these cottages was shown on the 2nd edition at its north-western corner. These buildings have been removed, and their footprint is now occupied by a mixture of surfaced turning area and scrubby grass. While it is possible that elements of these structures may survive below ground level, their relatively recent date of construction and the fact that similar examples survive further along the row suggests that this is unlikely to raise a particular

## **WLC Waste Management**

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

## WOSAS

30-May-13 This plot was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition OS map, but by the 2nd edition of c. 1890, two rows of houses had been erected on the area immediately to the west. These formed part of a larger development annotated as Bridgend Rows, which included four other lines of houses in the area to the north. These structures, erected in the second half of the

19th century, were also shown on the 3rd edition map. Although the majority of the buildings that formed part of the Bridgend Rows have been removed, the two lines of houses on either side of Auldhill Cottages Road remain, with the exception of the one at the eastern end of the northern row. The plot would encompass the site of this structure, and it is possible that elements

## WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works and mining shafts have operated within the

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small, remote site, east of Linlithgow. Nearest trunk road junctions are J2 (west facing) and J3 (east facing) of the M9 and the planned Winchburgh junction on the M9.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 T

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Enhance provision required to local park in Bridgend.

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## Bridgend

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Up	date	02-Apr-14
Planning Officer		P	rime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	02-Apr-14
The site is allocated for employment land supp	•	st Lothian Loca	al Plan and contributes towar	ds to est	ablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site has been rehabilitated and contirbutes to the land supply.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

There is capacity at Strathbrock if the Winchburgh Partnership Centre is implemented.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BRIDGEND waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is

#### WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 The development of this site could potentially give rise to noise issues for nearby residential properties.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The nearest water body to the site is the Haugh Burn, that runs along the southern boundary of the site. There would be a minimum 6m wide buffer strip required from any development to the watercourse. There is also the possibility of some restoration to a meandering watercourse.

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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - Part of this site is potentially at risk from fluvial flooding as a result of out of bank flows in the adjacent watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent of the site that is potentially able to be developed. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Former shale bing, Contaminated land site investigation will be required.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

19-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### SEPA - Flooding

25-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Haugh Burn which flows along the southern boundary and any small watercourses which may impact the site. Part of the site is at risk of flooding from the watercourse at medmium to high risk of flooding in terms of a 1 in 200 risk. There is the potential that the site, if developed, could lead to a risk of flooding outwith the site.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 Two sites have been recorded from within this plot, both related to the former Bridgend shale-oil works. One records the former presence of the oil works, while the other relates to the bing of waste material that occupies the whole of the area proposed for development. The substantial ground disturbance associated with the works and bing is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of operation that may have been present, though it is worth noting that bings represent the most visible monuments to the former shale oil industry, which represents an important element in the recent history of West Lothian, and indeed some bings have been legally-protected as scheduled monuments, recognizing them as being of National importance. While the Bridgend bing is not currently scheduled, the remains present on the site may therefore be of

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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## WLC Transportation 27-Nov-13 Existing a

27-Nov-13 Existing access onto B9080 should be retained. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

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## Bridgend

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EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		<b>Conclusion D</b>	ate	25-Nov-13
The site owner has a	dvised that there are no	plans to mark	et the site. As such t	he site cann	ot cont	ribute to the required
five years effective h	ousing land supply.					

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### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11This site is adjacent to former clay pit, quarry, shale mine, and associated infrastructure. A Phase I Contaminated Land<br/>Report will be required to be submitted and agreed before development can proceed on this site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. The site is in close proximity to Bridgend Sewage Treatment Works.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BRIDGEND waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the plot to the north and west of Woodside House, though comparison with the 1st edition OS map indicates that much of the boundary of the site follows the line of a mill lade, while a mill dam and sluice were depicted immediately to the north. Although these features appear to lie outside the area proposed for development, it remains possible that they could be impacted by ground disturbance close to the boundary of the plot. Other that this, map regression suggests that the area has been unaffected by development over the last 150 years, suggesting that it may still retain the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the Haugh Burn which flows past the west and north of the site and is 18m from the site at its nearest point. Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of the site allocation ispotentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the Haugh Burn

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### **NHS - Lothian**

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

There is capacity at Strathbrock if the Winchburgh Partnership Centre is implemented.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Auldhill Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1257 Willowdean South

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBd2	1	Audit	22/4		
EOI no				Consult Posit	ion	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Con	strained		Consult Upda	te	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion Da	ite	09-Jul-14
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development or brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East					strategy is in	
accordance with Scott	ish Governme	ent policy and	the Strategic Developmen	t Plan for Edinbu	irgh an	d South East
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### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Floodn Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 Comparison with available historical maps indicates that much of this plot was formerly part of the Bridgend Shale-Oil Works. The area was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition, but by the time of the 2nd edition, it was depicted as being occupied by a number of buildings and section of mineral railway line. None of these structures are shown on modern OS maps, though the area retains the 'scrubby' look of former industrial land, suggesting that elements of the former shale

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site was part of the former Linlithgow Oil Refinery. Contamination is likely to be present. A Full Phase I and II Site Investigation will be required to be submitted and agreed before any development can proceed on this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the BRIDGEND waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bridgend - Existing facilities : Linlithgow Health Centre and Strathbrock Partnership Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

There is capacity at Strathbrock if the Winchburgh Partnership Centre is implemented.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 no comment - Housing site.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details. Access as per planning approval from Willowdean. Footpath link required to primary school.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to nearby park.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### 3269 East Main Street Grampian Factory

LP Ref / UCS Ref / BRO 9 Audit	
EOI noPJ008Consult PositionF	Preferred
Category         Expression of Interest         Consult Update	
Planning Officer Prime Quality Agricultural Land No Class De	scription
ConclusionsBrown/GreeBrownfieldConclusion Date	
Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy	
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## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This plot appears to be located too far to the east to fall within the boundaries of the settlement of Broxburn as depicted on Roy's Military Survey of the mid 18th century. It was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century, and also appeared as undeveloped on the 2nd and 3rd editions, though these maps did depict the gradual expansion of the village towards its western boundaries. Current maps indicate that it is now almost wholly occupied by various buildings of a large meat-production facility. While this may be of interest in terms of the social and industrial development of the town, the modern date of construction means that it is unlikely to raise a particular archaeological issue.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment, except that the site should not be considered for the development of a supermarket.

#### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains "as is " (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 Flooding to the site occurs from the watercourse to the east. Historic issue also of culverts through the site backing up and causing flooding. The site itself also floods to the A89 to the south of the site, given its elevated nature. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

## **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### SEPA - Flooding

27-Feb-13 Broxburn has a well documented history of flooding. Burnside which is downstream of the site was flooded in 2008. There is also a record of surface water flooding in 1999 adjacent to the site. There is a Flood Prevention Scheme partially built in Broxburn but does not cover this site. SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Liggat Syke which flows along the eastern boundary. The Flood Risk Assessment should consider any nearby culverts.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 A 6m buffer would be required from any development on the site to the Liggat Syke Burn on the east side of the site. Scottish Water will advise regrading Sewage Treatment Work capacity. There would be opportunities for restoration of the watercourse through development of this site. The nearest water body of any significance, other than the Liggat Syke Burn, is the Brox Burn that lies within 170m to the south of the site.

## WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Further discussion required requirements depend on the future use of the site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) 09-Jul-13 under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

This particular site is already zoned for employment and is to be the subject to a regeneration strategy. At this point it is assumed that the change in trip generation is not likely to be significant from the previous and zoned use. This can, however, be reviewed if circumstances change.

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed. This records the site was utilised for a factory or engineering works, a potentially significant source of contamination. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works, smithy and a slaughterhouse have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 Potential mitigation required in respect of road traffc noise from the A89 to the south.

# 3125 Kirkhill North

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU24 /		Audit	EOI-014	43		
EOI no	EOI-0143			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upo	date	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	22-Jan-14	
The site contributes to	owards the council's next	nhace of the	ouncil house hu	ild programm	ai hne e	anticipated to come	

forward by 2017. This development will also represent a natural extension to the north side of Uphall.

Kirkhill Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

Proposed Use

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#### WLC Waste Management

22-Jan-14 The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of CRC sites we might

## **Historic Scotland**

22-Jan-14 The scheduled monument Newbigging Craig, settlement 350m SSW of (SM6201) is located within this site. This monument is a settlement, comprised of at least three roundhouses and aerial photographs show also at least two linear features, possibly field boundaries associated with this settlement. The settlement probably dates to sometime in the 1st millennium bc or 1st millennium ad. The monument is located on rising ground with limited views north due to topography. It lies on a gently sloping south-facing hillside commanding extensive views to the S and SE. The site is located to take advantage of the southern facing slopes and this is a key aspect of the site. Views eastwards are limited and compromised by the presence of shale bings near Greendykes and a power line which crosses the field. Development of this site has the potential to disrupt the key views and topographical relationship with the landscape, particularly to the south of the monument. Adverse impacts could potentially be mitigated through the use of a site specific development brief.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access options via Fivestanks Place, Douglas Wynd and Craigseaton/Whinrig. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **Coal Authority**

22-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

22-Jan-14

The site appears to encompass all of EOI-0087. The major issue associated with this area is likely to be its proximity to the scheduled prehistoric settlement and field system at Carledubs, the potential for work to affect associated deposits outside the legally-defined boundary, and the likely impact of any proposal on the setting of the monument.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

22-Jan-14 o specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS - Lothian**

22-Jan-14 Existing facility: Strathbrock Partnership Centre

There is capacity at Strathbrock if the Winchburgh Partnership Centre is implemented.

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations

#### Scottish Enterprise

22-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### **Scottish Water**

22-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water mains extensions may be required.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. Sewer extensions may be required.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

22-Jan-14 SEPA require the submission of a Flood Risk Assesment and Drainage Assessment for this site. There have been surface water issues recorded in allocation in 2003 and nearby in 2007. There is a formal flood defence present in Broxburn but this is not relevant to this allocation. Development of this site will lead to flood risk out the site

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

22-Jan-14 There is no water body of significance near this site. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities,

## SNH

22-Jan-14 No records. Existing field boundaries could form a base for green infrastructure.

## **Transport Scotland**

22-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Contaminated Land

22-Jan-14 Old shale mine situated in the north east corner of the site. Site Investigation of this area likely to be required.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

22-Jan-14 No comments.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 Residential development can be supported provided the open spaces are provided & designed in accordance with the Open Space Strategy e.g. Accessibility & quality standards. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any negative

#### WLC Environmental Health

22-Jan-14 Potential Air Quality impact on AQMA

#### WLC Transportation

22-Jan-14 Access options via Fivestanks Place, Douglas Wynd and Craigseaton/Whinrig. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WLC Property

22-Jan-14 No comments, site being promoted for housing.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

22-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment will be required in this instance as this area of Broxburn has been susceptible to high levels of surface water run-off that led to the installation of the drainage scheme along the north and south boundaries and across the site several years ago. Various issues relating to surface water run-off are associated with this site and the adjacent land and all these issues will require to be addressed as part of an assessment.

The developer will be expected to carry out a full Flood Risk Assessment to assess the risk of flooding from all sources, including pluvial flooding, and bring forward measures, as required, to safeguard the development and other areas that may be affected as a result of the development as an integral part of the development planning process. The Flood Risk Assessment should be carried out in accordance with SEPA Technical Flood Risk Guidance.

A Drainage Assessment is also required.

There are also mining issues causing problems of water quality and flooding in Uphall generally. A study for the north end of Uphall is being considered. This site includes swales, picking up drainage ditches north/south through the site but careful consideration of SUDs/flooding is required.

This site is a serious concern. It is very steep. There is a history of flooding across the site and as a result of runoff from it. There is flood mitigation measures already on the site but these depend on frail infrastructure to drain effectively. Development will change the time of concentration and may increase the risk of flooding to development off site at a lower level. The cumulative impact of additional development in Broxburn is a significant concern and risk. A flood protection scheme has been constructed in some susceptible parts of the town though not all. The design standard of the scheme will be undermined by continued development in what is already an over-developed catchment. A very high-spec SUDS system would be required if development of this were to be forced through.

# 650 Old Broxburn Primary School - Sheltered Housing

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LP Ref / UC	S Ref (	COU31	/ BRO 3	Audit		
EOI no					<b>Consult Position</b>	Preferred
Category	A	Auditable			Consult Update	25-Nov-13
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NHS - Loth	ian					
19-Mar-13				GPs work independently t		
				ock. The focus in recent y Further dialogue with the N		
	have been ide	entified.		-		
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	Winchburgh,	Newbridge - Existir	ng facility : Strathbrock	Partnership Centre		
<b>SNH</b> 14-Jun-13	No comments	S.				
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20-Feb-13				he partial demolition of two		
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				ar archaeological issue. T		
				d on the 1st edition Ordna as depicted on Roy's Milit		
	period 1747-5	55. The buildings o	of the former school do a	appear on the 2nd edition antial construction, and thi	OS map, indicating a d	ate of construction in
	material relati	ing to earlier phase	s of occupation to survi	ive. As a result, the poten		
	a direct impac	ct on archaeologica	I material is likely to be	reasonably limited.		

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. There is a 150mm foul sewer through the site. This will need to be taken into consideration when developing the site.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site has already been identified in the council's housing programme for redevelopment.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content with the principle of redevelopment of this site on the basis that proposals will be taken forward in accordance with existing consents (0583/FUL/12 AND 0582/LBC/12). Please contact us for further comments if there are alternative proposals

## WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway land and an oil and paraffin works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No significant flood risk issues assocaited with this site. There is a culvert north of the school grounds on the site there are however no issues (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Vehicular access to the site to accord with the existing planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## **WLC Waste Management**

27-May-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys or 15m in height, whichever is higher, and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no water body near the site and there are no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. Scottish Water will advise on the capacity of the relevant Sewage Treatment Works.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Liggat Syke culvert which is shown to flow beneath/near to the site. The applicant should be minded that Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' states that "Buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active." Broxburn has a well documented history of flooding, with extensive flooding in 2008. There is also a record of surface water issues/water ponding in 2003 and 2007 near to the site. There is a Flood Prevention Scheme partially built in Broxburn but does not cover the allocation site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### East Mains 3241

Broxburn
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LP Ref / UCS Ref	EM	1		Audit				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment	and Business			Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13	
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The site is also brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

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## Proposed Use

## NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

## Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. This employment allocation should be carrioed forward into the Local Development Plan.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jul-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 There is a former refuse tip on part of this site. Some Site Investigation work has already taken place although further work will be required. Condition would be attached to Sainsbury's consent, if granted (check, has been refused/withdrawn).

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

There is a water feature also close to the south western boundary in the form of a pond. A minimum 6m wide buffer strip is 14-Jun-12 required between any development and the pond. There are no restoration opportunities.

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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 A large number of sites have been recorded from within this small triangle of land, which forms part of the Inventory designed landscape associated with Newliston House. This is because the CDA, along with the WW Housing CDA to the north-west, were subject to a detailed archaeological survey, conducted by Addyman Archaeology Ltd in relation to the preparation of a previous development proposal. This identified that the designed landscape had been laid out by William Adam in the 18th century. Despite this, however, development of this site appears unlikely to raise a major archaeological issue due to the previously-degraded nature of the remains present on the site. As the CDA is separated from the main area of the designed landscape by the existing railway embankment, it appears unlikely that development of the plot would significantly affect the

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment and a drainage impact assessment are required. We support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Broxburn and the small watercourse to the west of the site. Partially completed Broxburn Flood Prevention Scheme built upstream but not thought to extend this far downstream. There was upstream flooding through Broxburn in 2008. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. A small part of the site is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map). The Brox Burn is within 45m of the southern boundary of the site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 AS per SEPA comments, require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Broxburn and the small watercourse to the west of the site. Partially completed Broxburn Flood Prevention Scheme built upstream but not thought to extend this far downstream. There was upstream flooding through Broxburn in 2008. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. A small part of the site is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map). The Brox Burn is within 45m of the southern boundary of the site.

SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Large areas of this site appear at risk of pluvial flooding. There is some doubt as to whether this can be entirely overcome. A flood risk assessment will be required to assess the risk of flooding and determine the extent of the site capable of being developed without compromise. The usual attenuation and treatment of

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height (or if residential 3 houses) and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access from the A89 required as part of the Core Development Area Masterplan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It should also be noted that Transport Scotland responded on the recent Sainsbury's planning application and that no specific trunk road issues were highlighted.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses as part of a Core Development Area and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in the LDP.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 2331 Youngs Road South

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## Broxburn

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EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and E	Business		Consult Up	date	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	22-Jan-14	
The site is allocated for employment land sup			st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds the e	stablished	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## SNH

I P Ref / UCS Ref

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues. Within Industrial Estate. Phase 1 Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

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#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. It is understood that work has commenced on site for Broxburn Bottlers.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No comments, site has been completed.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

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03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Use existing access from Youngs Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 Potential noise issue from nearby commercial operations if the site is developed for housing. The site is also close to an Air Quality Managemement Area and therefore potentially succeptible to air quality issues from associated traffic.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the south of Youngs Road. The area was shown as being largely undeveloped on the 1st edition, with only a field boundary depicted running across it. This feature did not appear on the 2nd or 3rd edition maps. Although these maps showed substantial evidence for dumping in the area to the west, associated with the Albyn Oil Works, this does not appear to have extended into the area proposed for development. However, modern aerial photographs indicate that the area has already been subject to extensive site preparation works, which are likely to have largely removed any material relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary in relation to this plot.

# 2336 Youngs Road South

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Completed	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Up	date	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	22-Jan-14	
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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## **NHS - Lothian**

I P Ref / UCS Ref

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed and can be removed as an allocation in the LDP, but should be retained as a site within the employment area boundary of East Mains Industrial Estate.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, site has been developed.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. There is a partially completed Broxburn Flood Prevention Scheme downstream but not thought to extend this far upstream. There was extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures requiring to be

## WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works and quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 No comments, employment site.

#### **Scottish Water**

22-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

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EOI no				Consult Po	sition	Completed	
Category	Employment and B	usiness		Consult Up	date	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brow	vn/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	22-Jan-14	
The site is allocated for employment land supp				ocal Plan and contributes towar en developed.	ds to est	tablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed and can be removed as an allocation in the LDP, but should be retained as a site within the employment area boundary of East Mains Industrial Estate.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

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19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, site has been developed.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in the LDP. It is understood that this site has been completed.

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. There is a partially completed Broxburn Flood Prevention Scheme downstream but not thought to extend this far upstream. There was extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures requiring to be

## SEPA - Water Environment

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

### **WLC Contaminated Land**

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works and quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for

# 2332 Clifton View

## Broxburn

Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	22-Jan-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	date	22-Jan-14	
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
LP Ref / UCS Ref	EUB5 /		Audit			

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. It is also part of the Enterprise Area that was designated by Scottish Government in 2013.

**Proposed Use** 

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#### **NHS** - Lothian

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, site has been developed.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site has been partially developed at the time of writing. The remainder of the site to be developed should be retained as an allocation in the LDP and also remain within the wider employment area boundary of East Mains Industrial Estate.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Water resilient measures are required for this site. Consideration should be given to the potential flood risk from the Union Canal and the incorporation of flood mitigation measures.Extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Union Canal flows adjacent to the north western boundary of the development site and SEPA would recommend contact is made with Scottish Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding. There is a formal Flood Prevention Scheme present in Broxburn

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## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Exitsing access available from Clifton View. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for

#### **Scottish Water**

22-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 No comments, employment site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are no requirements for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

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I P Ref / UCS Ref

## Broxburn

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	date	11-Dec-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	11-Dec-13	
The site is allocated for employment land supp	•	est Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds the e	stablished	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been partially developed at the time of writing. The remainder of the site to be developed should be retained as an allocation in the LDP and also remain within the wider employment area boundary of East Mains Industrial Estate.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## **Coal Authority**

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#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are no requirements for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WLC Transportation

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#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Water resilient measures are required for this site. Consideration should be given to the potential flood risk from the Union Canal and the incorporation of flood mitigation measures.Extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Union Canal flows adjacent to the north western boundary of the development site and SEPA would recommend contact is made with Scottish Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding. There is a formal Flood Prevention Scheme present in Broxburn

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works and quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# 2334 Youngs Road North

## Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EUB7	1	Audit		
EOI no				Consult Position	Preferred

Category	Employment and Business		Consult Update		22-Jan-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion D	Date	22-Jan-14		
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established							

employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. It is also part of the Enterprise Area that was designated by Scottish Government in 2013.

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has still to be started and should be continued as an allocation in the LDP and also remain within the employment area boundary within East Mains Industrial Estate.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This site has been partially developed. No apparent issues.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. factory works and railway lines. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. gas works and quarrying, have been recorded within the vicinity of the site.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Options to utilise existing access points from Clifton View and/or Youngs Road North. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in the LDP. It is understood that this site has been completed.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are also no restoration opportunities.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no Water Resileint measures required also.

# 2138 Uphall Station Infant School

# Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv130	/		Audit	4/55				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	07-Jul-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	07-Jul-14		
This site has been built	This site has been built out and completed								
St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy									
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Sta	itus		Propos	sed Use				

**Coal Authority** 

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Impact Assessment required. Possible culvert through the site.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site has been developed for houses, no comments are therefore made.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site has been developed for houses, no comments are therefore made.

# 329 Albyn-Greendykes Road H4/6 (Part of Albyn AL)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB12	1	Audit	4/37			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constr	ained		Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13	
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East							
Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy							

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Check Proposed Use Check

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. Consideration should be given to the potential flood risk from the Union Canal and the incorporation of flood mitigation measures. Water resilient measures would also be required on this site.Extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Union Canal flows next to development site to the south and SEPA would recommend contact is made with British Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of

#### WLC Contaminated Land

06-Jun-11 This site includes a former shale tip and gasworks. There has been some limited Site Investigation already carried out. Further work will be required however.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is part of a designated mixed use site in CDA. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# Broxburn

The LP reference provided, HUB12, is not included in attribute table for supplied GIS shapefile, and no polygon is defined at grid reference. HUB12 is shown on Map 4, where it appears to form part of the AL CDA with HUB15. It is not possible from Map 4 to determine the extents of HUB12 and HUB15, and as a result, both will be discussed in relation to the general issues raised by CDA AL. The first thing to note is that CDA AL directly abuts two legally-protected scheduled monuments, the Union Canal to the south, and the Greendykes Shale Bing to the NE. Although the boundaries of CDA AL do not appear to impinge into the legallyprotected areas associated with these monuments, both National and Local policies relating to the treatment of scheduled monuments in the planning process indicate that they should as far as possible be preserved in situ and within an appropriate setting. As a result, any proposal for development in these plots would need to consider the potential effect on the setting of the scheduled monuments. In addition to the scheduled shale bing to the NE, a tip of waste material is also present inside the CDA. Located at the SW corner of the plot, this appears likely to lie within HUB12. Although not itself scheduled, this tip would represent a related element of the former industrial landscape associated with the Greendykes bing. A further unscheduled bing is located to the NE of the Albyn Industrial Estate, to the SE of the scheduled bing; this would also represent an important element in the setting of the scheduled monument. Comparison with the 2nd edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that these bings were associated with the Albyn Shale Mine, the main buildings of which were shown on the section of the plot now occupied by the industrial estate, though structures such as tips, ponds and tramways were also shown in the area to the west of the scheduled bing. It is apparent that much of the CDA has been affected by substantial industrial activity in the later 19th and 20th centuries. This in itself may be of interest from an industrial or social history perspective, though it is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of activity that may have existed in these sections of the site. There is an area of ground to the rear of Albyn Cottages that does not appear to have been subject to extensive modern development, and there may be some potential for buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity to survive in this area. Similarly, the area to the north of the existing industrial estate may have the potential to reveal material

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 12m buffer from any development to the Union Canal, that traverses the southern boundary of

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There is a 150mm combined sewer running along the western edge of the site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 To be determined by masterplan.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Vehicular access should be off Greendykes Road and linked the Core Development Area development ad the proposed new link road. See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 312 Holmes North Site B

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB13	1		Audit	4/22		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constra	ained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	icultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to							
limit the amount of gre	enfield land rele	eased for c	levelopmen	t. This strategy i	s in accordance	with So	cottish Government

Proposed Use

policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Kirkhill Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the north of the Brox Burn. Comparison with the 1st edition map indicates that the area has been undeveloped Greenfield since at least the mid 19th century; it was shown as open fields on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition maps, and appears as such on modern OS maps and current aerial photographs. As it does not appear to have been disturbed by previous modern development, the plot retains the potential to produce buried deposits associated with previous phases of occupation.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. There is a 12" and a 6" water main running through the site. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There is a 300mm combined sewer running through the site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - There is a significant risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Brox Burn. Site is likely constrained due to flood risk. Water resilient measures are also required for this site. There is a formal Flood Prevention Scheme (FPS) present in Broxburn but not relevant to allocation. Broxburn experienced widespread flooding in 2008. The council commissioned Halcrow to undertake a study along the Brox Burn. There is a FPS proposed for Broxburn but completion date is unknown. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The majority of this allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Brox Burn that traverses the south of the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map)

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a buffer strip required of between 6m to 12m from any development on the site to the Brox Burn watercourse that traverses the south of the site. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the locality.

 WLC Transportation

 27-Nov-13
 Existing access for vehicles from Holmes Farm and Holmes Road to be utilised. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# 273 Albyn (AL) CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB15	1	Audit	4/39		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constr	ained		Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bi	rown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is brownfield.	The council's s	trategy is t	o give priority to the develo	opment of brownf	field site	es the aim being to
limit the amount of gre	enfield land rel	eased for c	levelopment. This strategy	is in accordance	with So	cottish Government
policy and the Strateg	ic Development	t Plan for E	dinburgh and South East S	Scotland.		

Proposed Use

Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 The site has the basis of a good green network/open space which should be built into the masterplan/detailed design. Ponds on the site and the general distribution of Great Crested Newts in the wider area suggest that this species should be considered at pre-application stage. Water voles are also present on the Union Canal but any issues should be capable of being addressed by observing an appropriate standoff from the canalside.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. Consideration should be given to the potential flood risk from the Union Canal and the incorporation of flood mitigation measures. Water resilient measures are also required for this site. Extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Union Canal flows next to development site and SEPA would recommend contact is made with Scottish Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is part of a designated mixed use site in CDA. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA). There are also potential noise issues where the site borders the Albyn Industrial Estate.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment Required.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This is the site of the former Albyn Oil Refinery. A limited Site Investigation has already shown contamination to be an issue. Further work will be required.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 The LP reference provided, HUB15, is not included in attribute table for supplied GIS shapefile, and no polygon is defined at grid reference. HUB15 is shown on Map 4, where it appears to form part of the AL CDA with HUB12. It is not possible from Map 4 to determine the extents of HUB12 and HUB15, and as a result, both will be discussed in relation to the general issues raised by CDA AL. The first thing to note is that CDA AL directly abuts two legally-protected scheduled monuments, the Union Canal to the south, and the Greendykes Shale Bing to the NE. Although the boundaries of CDA AL do not appear to impinge into the legallyprotected areas associated with these monuments, both National and Local policies relating to the treatment of scheduled monuments in the planning process indicate that they should as far as possible be preserved in situ and within an appropriate setting. As a result, any proposal for development in these plots would need to consider the potential effect on the setting of the scheduled monuments. In addition to the scheduled shale bing to the NE, a tip of waste material is also present inside the CDA. Located at the SW corner of the plot, this appears likely to lie within HUB12. Although not itself scheduled, this tip would represent a related element of the former industrial landscape associated with the Greendykes bing. A further unscheduled bing is located to the NE of the Albyn Industrial Estate, to the SE of the scheduled bing; this would also represent an important element in the setting of the scheduled monument. Comparison with the 2nd edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that these bings were associated with the Albyn Shale Mine, the main buildings of which were shown on the

> section of the plot now occupied by the industrial estate, though structures such as tips, ponds and tramways were also shown in the area to the west of the scheduled bing. It is apparent that much of the CDA has been affected by substantial industrial activity in the later 19th and 20th centuries. This in itself may be of interest from an industrial or social history perspective, though it is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of activity that may have existed in these sections of the site. There is an area of ground to the rear of Albyn Cottages that does not appear to have been subject to extensive modern development, and there may be some potential for buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity to survive in this area. Similarly, the area to the north of the existing industrial estate may have the potential to reveal material associated with the former mine complex.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a buffer strip of 12m from the Union Canal to the south of the site. There are no restoration

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Vehicular access should be off Greendykes Road and linked the Core Development Area development ad the proposed new link road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 To be determined by masterplan.

# 260 Bridge Place

#### LP Ref / UCS Ref HUB16 / BRO 4 Audit EOI no **Consult Position** Preferred Category **Enquiries Possible** 25-Nov-13 **Consult Update Planning Officer** Prime Quality Agricultural Land No **Class Description** Conclusions Brown/Gree Brownfield **Conclusion Date** 25-Nov-13 The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East

Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy ent Status Proposed Use

Current Status

#### WOSAS

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20-Feb-13 This plot also appears to be located outside the historic core of Broxburn, though the 1st edition does indicate that there had been some development on the site prior to the mid 19th century. A pump was shown within the plot on the 1st edition map close to its western boundary, while a building was shown at the southern end of the site. This structure was also shown on the 2nd edition, by which time buildings were also shown on the northern frontage, and this was replicated on the 3rd edition, on which further small structures were shown in the centre of the plot. These structures appear to have been wholly removed during the 20th century, however, as current maps indcate that the majority of the area is now occupied by modern buildings or tarmac surfaces. While there may be some potential for material associated with the structure shown on the 1st edition to survive below ground level, this is unlikely to be of sufficient significance to warrant archaeological work.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 T

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, this site has been completed.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 The site is located near an Air Quality Management Area and there is the potential for air quality issues from associated

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Upgrade to Bridge Place required to provide access to public road network. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been completed.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been completed.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 188 Candleworks (CW) CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB17/CW	/	Audit	4/40		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is brownfield.	The council's strategy	is to give prior	ity to the develo	pment of brown	field site	s the aim being to
limit the amount of are	onfield land released for	or developmen	t This strateovi	is in accordance	with So	cottish Government

limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The site has planning permission in part for a supermarket.

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### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. A 150mm foul sewer crosses the site to the east.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Mar-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site as well as buffer strips to the Union Canal that traverses the southern boundary of the site.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

12-Mar-13 The location of the site is such that there is potential for a noise impact from nearby industrial premises. There is also potential for a detrimenatl impact on air quality levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The coal authority requests that WLC identifies whether past coal mining activity has taken place using GIS data provided by the coal authority. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation to developments. The coal authority emphasises that former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development; The coal authority would therefore not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from allocation on the basis of former mining

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required given that the site bounds the Union Canal to the south of the site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There would be a requirement for a buffer strip of 12m between the site and the Union Canal to the south of the site. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Broxburn Candle works has been subject to site investigation reporting. The site forms part of the larger Albyn oil works encompassing shale mines, shale pits, railway sidings and quarries.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### 242 Hillview

# Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB18 /		Audit	EOI-008	35	
EOI no	EOI-0085			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upd	late	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	
	Broxburn Prima	ry/Broxburn Acad	lemy, St Nicholas/St M	argarets Academy		
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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Mining issues causing problems of water quality and flooding in Uphall generally. A study for the north end of Uphall is being considered. This site swales, picking up drainage ditches north/south throughout the site, but careful consideration of SUDS/floods is required.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made

#### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. A 150mm foul sewer crosses the site to the east.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

12-Mar-13 The location of the site is such that there is potential for a noise impact from nearby industrial premises. There is also potential for a detrimenatl impact on air quality levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

22-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 3 storeys or 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping permission.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required. There are surface water issues recorded in this area in 2003. Consideration should be given to surface runoff issues to ensure adequate mitigation is implemented.

#### SEPA - Water Environment

07-May-13 There is no water body close to the site of any significance. No buffer strip is required and there are no restoration

#### WLC Transportation

22-Jan-14 New access required on Hillview Avenue. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 Planning gain equivalent to play provision of 400m2 would be required. Landscaping should be sensitive and appropriate for the location. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any negative environmental impact.

#### WLC Waste Management

22-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

# WOSAS

22-Jan-14 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this site. The site was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition maps, though by the 3rd edition, the tip of waste material associated with the former Stewartfield Shale Mine was beginning to impinge on the northern fringes of the site. However, this does not appear to have extended across the majority

# 244 Holmes North (Site A)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB20	1	Audit	4/38A			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Pl	an		Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13	
			t Lothian Local Plan and c veloper has confirmed inte				C

The site has an approved planning brief.

Kirkhill Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 A buffer strip would be required between any development and the Brox Burn of 6-12m. There are no restoration opportunities.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The site lies adjacent to existing housing. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There are no known contamination issues related to this site. However records show an old mine shaft is potentially present on this site.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 This site has been partially completed. The remainder of the site would require to be subject to a Flood Risk Assessment. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - There is a significant risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 The council have requested a Flood Risk Assessment for a site immediately adjacent to this one. Therefore, SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Brox Burn. Site is likely constrained due to flood risk.Broxburn experienced widespread flooding in 2008. The council commissioned Halcrow to undertake a study along the Brox Burn. There is a Flood Prevention Scheme proposed for Broxburn but completion date is unknown. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.The majority of this allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of flooding from the Brox Burn that traverses the southern boundary of the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. Modern maps indicate that the northern half of the plot is occupied by a large modern building, construction of which is likely to have had a detrimental effect on the potential for buried deposits to survive in this area of the site. The southern half of the plot appears to remain as undeveloped Greenfield, suggesting that it retains the potential to produce buried sub-surface deposits relating to previous phases of occupation.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There is a 300mm combined sewer running through the site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 Vehicular access to the site should be as per the approved planning brief produced by the council. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Stewartfield 241

# Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB21	/ BRO 6	Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	Free Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is brownfield within the settlement envelope. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East						
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Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy **Proposed Use** 

**Current Status** 

#### WLC Waste Management

List of Consultations and Dates

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC Economic Property Development

Housing Site - no comments. 15-Jun-12

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### Coal Authority

The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. 26-Feb-13 If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 The development of this site is unlikely to raise a major archaeological issue. It is largely occupied by modern tarmac surfaces or buildings. No features have been recorded from within its boundary, and comparison with available historical maps suggests it was largely undeveloped before this. On the 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, a large bing of waste material associated with the Stewartfield Shale Mine was shown immediately to the north-east, and a portion of this material appears to remain in the area to the north of the playing fields. This screens the potential development site from the line of the Forth and Clyde canal, which is a scheduled monument, but in any event, the development of this plot would be unlikely to result in a significant change to the setting of the monument

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Access via Church Street using existing access. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 The site is located near an Air Quality Management Area and there is the potential for air quality issues from associated

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, it is understood that this site has been completed.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed. This records the site was utilised for storage of spoil from an adjacent shale mine works. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. shale mine works, gas works, quarries and oil works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, it is understood that this site has been completed.

### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-May-13 No comments, this site has been completed.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1259 Bridge Place (West)

# Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB28	1		Audit	4/48		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constra	ained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bro	own/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is currently in use as a car park and is to be retained for this use.							
	Brox	hurn Primary/	Broxburn Acad	emy, St Nicholas/St N	Aargarets Academy		

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# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been identified from within this small plot. The area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition map of the mid 19th century, though by the time of the 2nd edition, rows of terraced houses had been constructed immediately to the west, though these did not extend into the plot itself. These houses were also shown on the 3rd edition, but have subsequently been removed and replaced with modern flatblocks. Modern aerial photographs indicate that the plot proposed for development is currently occupied by an area of car-parking, construction of which is likely to have had an effect on the survival of sub-surface deposits, and this, coupled with the small scale of the plot, means that its development is unlikely to

#### WLC Waste Management

20-Mar-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12The site lies adjacent to existing housing. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate<br/>vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. Consideration should be given to the potential flood risk from the Union Canal and the incorporation of flood mitigation measures. Water resilient measures are also required for this site. There is a formal Flood Prevention Scheme present in Broxburn but it is not relevant to this allocation. There was extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. The Union Canal flows near to development site and we would recommend contact is made with British Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. There are several sections of waste water pipe work running through the site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - There is a significant risk of pluvial flooding affecting part of this site along its street frontage. It is doubtful that engineering of the land can alleviate this risk but it might be possible to raise the solum of the building and use appropriate design and construction techniques to ensure that the properties are not at risk. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off Bridge Place. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 1001 Holmes North (Site C)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB29	1	Audit	4/49		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agrie	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Brownf	ield	Conclusion E	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has two units plan area.	remaining to be built	and as such	n no longer contributes	s towards the I	nousing	land supply for the

Kirkhill Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

Proposed Use

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# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12The site lies adjacent to existing housing. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate<br/>vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. Based on Halcrow report the site is outwith the 1:200 year flood extent. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. There is a formal flood prevenation scheme present in Broxburn but it is not relevant to this allocation. Broxburn experienced widespread flooding in 2008. The council commissioned Halcrow to undertake a study along the Brox Burn. There is a Flood Prevention Scheme proposed for Broxburn but completion date is unknown. Part of the allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the Brox Burn,

No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the north of Holmes Road. The area was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, with the exception of the walls of a rectangular enclosure or small field associated with Holmes Farm, which lay to the north. Holmes appears to have developed in the later 18th or early 19th centuries, as it was not depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. Apart from the small field, the plot was also shown as undeveloped on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, and this also appears to be the case on modern maps of the area. There is some suggestion from aerial photographs that the ground within the plot is at a higher level than that surrounding it, suggesting that material may have been deposited on it from elsewhere. The source of this possible deposition is not known, and it is uncertain whether any raising of the ground level was preceded by the removal of topsoil. If it could be demonstrated that the plot had been affected by substantial previous disturbance, this would reduce the potential for

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - There is a significant risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent to which the site is capable of being developed without compromise to the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via Holmes Farm Lane/Holmes Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **2163** Johnston Avenue East ©

# Broxburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HUB34	/		Audit	4/52		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Historical Corr	nplete			Consult Upd	late	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	
	Uphall Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy						
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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment is required for this site, but is understood that the site has been

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been completed.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been completed.

# 1275 Greendykes Road East (GE) CDA

**Broxburn CDA** 

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GE /		Audit	GE			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13	
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core							
development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West							

Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site is also brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

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# Proposed Use

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - this is a mixed use largely residential development site.

### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12The site lies adjacent to existing housing. However, the traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate<br/>vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This is the site of the former South Greendykes Shale Mine. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required and agreed for this site before any development can proceed.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

The GE CDA directly abuts a egally-protected scheduled monument, the Greendykes Shale Bing, located immediately to the east. Although the boundaries of CDA GE do not appear to impinge into the legally-protected areas associated with the bing, both National and Local policies relating to the treatment of scheduled monuments in the planning process indicate that they should as far as possible be preserved in situ and within an appropriate setting. As a result, any proposal for development in this plot would need to consider the potential effect on the setting of the scheduled monument. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the majority of the CDA appears to have been unaffected by industrial operations associated with the operation of the Albyn Oil Works, though a mineral railway was shown running across the plot on the 2nd and 3rd OS

editions, while an area of tipping was also shown at its eastern end, directly adjacent to the scheduled bing. This activity may itself be of interest from an industrial or social history perspective, particularly given its association with a Nationallyimportant

monument, but it is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of activity that may have existed in these sections of the site. Other than the line of the mineral railway, the area of ground to the west of the tip does not appear to have been subject to extensive modern development, meaning that there may be some potential for buried deposits relating to

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a buffer strip to a width of 6m from the pond on the site. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 The site is located on an east/west ridge which runs north of the Strathbrock valley from Bathgate Hills behind Uphall and down to Broxburn to the Greendykes/Albyn bing. This gives the site high visibility from some areas to the south and a higher quality design of development here is required.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water and sewer extensions will be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

-woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;

- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;

CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

- Contribution to improvements at Stewartfield Park; and
- Woodland planting to north of mixed use sites at Pyothall Road, Greendykes Road West and Greendykes Road East as extension of Broxburn Community woodland.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access off Greendykes Road and links to Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for mixed uses as part of a a Core Development Area and therefore there are no specific issues that Scottish Enterprise wish to comment on.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1274 Greendykes Industrial Estate (GI) CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GI	1	Audit	GI		
EOI no				Consult Posit	ion	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ite	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Brownfield		Conclusion Da	ate	25-Nov-13
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.						

The site is also brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St M	argarets Academy
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Proposed Use

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There is a 100m distance between the site and the Union Canal to the south of the site.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Extensive flooding in nearby Broxburn in 2008. Union Canal flows next to development site and we would recommend contact is made with British Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot is located in reasonably close proximity to two scheduled monuments, the Union Canal and Greendykes Shale Bing. Although not directly adjacent to either, it may be necessary to consider the impact of any development proposal on the setting of these monuments, in line with National policy relating to the treatment of scheduled sites in the planning process. In terms of the potential direct archaeological issues associated with this plot, comparison with available historical maps indicates that this area was largely undeveloped in the mid 19th century. By the time of the 3rd edition OS map, however, the majority of the plot was occupied by elements of the Broxburn Oil Works. These have subsequently been removed, and the various structures of the current industrial estate erected. As the majority of the plot has been affected by at least two phases of fairly intensive development, the potential for buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity to survive appears low.

# **Broxburn CDA**

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Contamination likely to be present on this site from the former Candleworks Site and Industrial Estate. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted and agreed before any development can proceed on this site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - this is a mixed use largely residential development that is a CDA site that should be rolled forward into the

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There could be co-location issues with SEPA regulated sites due to close proximity to waste transfer station.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off new link road for the Core Development Area and linked to the approved planning brief for Candleworks, See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

- -woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;
- CDA requirements specific to Armadale:
- Contribution to improvements at Stewartfield Park; and
- Woodland planting to north of mixed use sites at Pyothall Road, Greendykes Road West and Greendykes Road East as extension of Broxburn Community woodland.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for mixed uses as part of a a Core Development Area and therefore there are no specific issues that Scottish Enterprise wish to comment on.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1276 Greendykes Road West (GW)(Balance Site to

# **Broxburn CDA**

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GW	1	Audit	GW			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13	
The Strategic Develop	ment Plan (SDP) for	Edinburgh and	South East Scotland	d supports de	velopm	nent within the core	
development areas. Th	he site is within an ide	ntified core de	evelopment area, is a	llocated for d	evelop	ment in the West	
Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.							

The site is also brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

	Broxburn P	rimary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy
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SNH

18-Mar-13 The site is located on an east/west ridge which runs north of the Strathbrock valley from Bathgate Hills behind Uphall and down to Broxburn to the Greendykes/Albyn bing. This gives the site high visibility from some areas to the south and a higher quality design of development here is required.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. There is also a history of surface water running off this site and inundating Greendykes Road. Drains leave the south-0east corner of the site and pass beneath Greendykes Road connecting with a pipe which discharges to the canal. The usual attenuation and treatment of

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. There are no water resilient measures required.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - this is a mixed use largely residential development that is a CDA site that should be rolled forward into the

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is largely greenfield, although there is evidence to suggest that old shafts and quarries may be present in places on the site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is likely to be required to be submitted and agreed before dveelopment can proceed on thsi site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water and sewer extensions will be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

This plot is located in reasonably close proximity to the scheduled Greendykes Shale Bing. Although not directly adjacent to the bing, it may be necessary to consider the impact of any development proposal on the setting of this monument, in line with National policy relating to the treatment of scheduled sites in the planning process. In terms of the potential direct archaeological issues associated with this plot, comparison with available historical maps indicates that this area was largely

undeveloped in the mid 19th century, though an unroofed and ruinous building was depicted on the 1st edition at the northern boundary. By the 2nd edition, there was some evidence for small-scale industrial activity, as an old shaft was shown towards the centre of the plot. On the 3rd edition, there is further evidence for mining, in the form of a mineral railway that enters the plot from the south and runs to a small tip. Modern maps show further evidence, in the form of a series of small quarries present in the middle of the plot. However, the majority of the area does not appear to have been affected by large-scale

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a buffer strip of a minimum of 6m width required to any watercourse. Any co-location issues with SEPA regulated sites and there is close proximity to waste transfer station

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality Management Area (AQMA).

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access off Greendykes Road and linked to Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for mixed uses as part of a a Core Development Area and therefore there are no specific issues that Scottish Enterprise wish to comment on.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

- -woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;
- CDA requirements specific to Armadale:
- Contribution to improvements at Stewartfield Park; and
- Woodland planting to north of mixed use sites at Pyothall Road, Greendykes Road West and Greendykes Road East as extension of Broxburn Community woodland.

# 1278 West Wood (WW) CDA

## **Broxburn CDA**

LP Ref / UCS Ref	WW	1		Audit	WW			
EOI no				Co	nsult Position		Preferred	
Category	Auditable			Co	nsult Update		25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural	Land Ye	es Class	Description	3.1
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Con	clusion Date		25-Nov-13	
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development areas. The site is within an identified core development area.

Broxburn Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

Proposed Use

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 A buffer strip is required of 12m to the Union Canal which lies at the northern boundary of the site. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourses. Water resilient measures are not required on this site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water and sewer extensions will be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity. This CDA is located immediately adjacent to the Union Canal, which is legally-protected as a scheduled monument. Although the canal itself does not appear to lie within the CDA, and so is unlikely to be directly affected by the proposed development of the plot, , it may be necessary to consider the impact of any development proposal on the setting of this monument, in line with National policy relating to the treatment of scheduled sites in the planning process. A large number of sites have been recorded from within the CDA, many of them having been identified during the course of a desk-based assessment and historic environment impact assessment conducted by Addyman Archaeology in relation to a previous proposal for the development of the plot. This identified that the CDA forms part of an 18th century designed landscape, laid out by William Adam. The assessment identified surviving elements of the designed landscape, such as the Belvedere and West Wood Plantation, as well as associated shelter belts, and concluded that the potential for the plot to contain further archaeological evidence relating to the designed landscape below ground level was reasonably high. The potential to recover evidence for medieval farming activity is similarly high as the site is situated closely to or possibly even within the ground of two medieval estates, Newliston and Niddry.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 The key concern is that the Union Canal should be well integrated into access provision. Furthermore, West Wood and Belvedere Plantation are important natural features which should be retained and incorporated into any development as part of multi-functional green network/open space. A consultation response from SNH on the masterplan associated with planning application 0311/FUL/12 indicates what particular measures should be considered.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 We require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site bounds the north and east of East Mains Industrial Estate and may be be affected by noise issues. The traffic associated with additional new housing may exacerbate vehicle pollution levels in the nearby Broxburn Air Quality

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 A Contaminated Land Site Investigation has been carried out as part of the planning application submitted for this site.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Site linked to Core Development Area Master Plan and access of A89 through EM employment allocation. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13

CDA requirements in WLLP:

- -woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;

CDA requirements specific to Armadale:

- Contribution to improvements at Stewartfield Park; and

- Woodland planting to north of mixed use sites at Pyothall Road, Greendykes Road West and Greendykes Road East as extension of Broxburn Community woodland.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 1 of the M9.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

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## **Calderwood CDA**

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	AD/COU37	' /		Audit	AD			
EOI no					Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	2
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13	
The site has planning a	approval.							
		East Calder Prima	ary/West Calde	r High, St Pauls/St Marga	rets Academy			
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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outlinehas been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment - mixed use lead largely residential development site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Development should take place in accordance with the extant planning permission. See Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WOSAS

05-Feb-13 See response to application 0524/P/09 which confirms that the development will not have any affect on the setting of any nationally important sites but a programme of archaeological works would be required for the site

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 The outline planning permission ref 0524/P/09 contains open space, play areas and local neighbourhood park, detailed requirements for which are set out in conditions 9, 10 and 11 and in the legal agreement. The provision proposed is

#### **Scottish Water**

In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient 30-Apr-13 capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No significant issues.

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No potentially noisy commercial uses should be located near residential properties.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12

Support the SUDS strategy for this site as submitted with planning application 0524/P/09 and accept that there is no flood risk.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. quarrying and unknown filled ground recorded. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines and guarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

# 2116 Calderwood CDA

## **Calderwood CDA**

LP Ref / UCS Ref	AD/COU37	· /		Audit	AD		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Partial		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						
		East Calder Prima	ary/West Cald	er High, St Pauls/St Ma	rgarets Academy		

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Proposed Use

### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment - mixed use largely residential development site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### NHS - Lothian

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13Issues that remain relevant to this site have been raised in SNHs response to the Development Framework, dated 03<br/>September 2010. The framework was submitted in support of planning application refs 0524/P/09 & 0749/FUL/10.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outlinehas been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No significant issues.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Support the SUDS strategy for this site as submitted with planning application 0524/P/09 and accept that there is no flood risk.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WOSAS

05-Feb-13 See response to application 0524/P/09.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 The outline planning permission ref 0524/P/09 contains open space, play areas and local neighbourhood park, detailed requirements for which are set out in conditions 9, 10 and 11 and in the legal agreement. The provision proposed is

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No potentially noisy commercial uses should be located near residential properties.

#### **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. quarrying and unknown filled ground recorded. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

# **1288** Raw Holdings West CDA (Balance to 500)

**Calderwood CDA** 

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	RW /		Audit RV	V			
EOI no			Const	ult Position	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Local Plan		Consu	ult Update	25-Nov-13		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural La	nd Yes	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclu	usion Date	25-Nov-13		
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owners/developers have confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the							

LDP plan period.

The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core development areas. The site is within an identified core development area, is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

East Calder Primary/West Calder	High, St Pauls/St	Margarets Academy
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## Proposed Use

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There are former mine workings, limestone quarries, railway lines, brick works, kilns present across this site. Both Phase I and II Contaminated Land Site Investigations will be required to be submitted and agreed before development can proceed

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 We require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outlinehas been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being Raw Farm itself, the main house of which is a category C(S) listed building. Comparison with the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century shows the presence of a threshing machine at the farm during this period, and also that a number of old quarries were present in the area surrounding it. The 1:2500 1st edition map also showed the presence of buildings associated with the Raw Camps mine in the area to the NE of the farm, with an associated mineral railway running out of the plot to the east, while the Camps Branch of the North British Railway line ran across the centre of the site. A large area of dumping was also shown in the area to the west of the farm, and in the area to the north of what is now Raw Holdings. These features were also shown on the 2nd edition, but do not appear on modern OS maps. While there are areas of the site that have therefore been affected by substantial industrial activity during the 19th and 20th centuries of a type and level that is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of occupation, the majority of the CDA appears to be relatively undisturbed Greenfield. These sections of the plot would retain the potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier occupation. We have provided comments in relation to a number of previous applications for the development of part or all of this plot, and have advised of the need for evaluation trenching to assess this potential for survival.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-Mav-13 No potentially noisy commercial uses should be located near residential properties.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services 23-Apr-13

CDA requirements in WLLP:

- -woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;
- CDA requirements specific to East Calder:
- native woodland planting adjacent to A71 and to improve screening
- of Camps Industrial Estate;
- contribution towards improvements at Almondell and Calderwood Country Park;
- extension of Mansefield Park.

#### **Historic Scotland**

Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, 31-May-12 Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Various access options to be agreed by the master plan and planning permission. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Floood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outlinehas been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA. Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2007and 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is requierment for a 6m buffer strip to watercourses within the site but there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Raw Holdings West CDA (Phase 1)** 2237

## Calderwood CDA

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	RW -	/		Audit	RW		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	Yes	Class Description
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval.						
		East Calder Prim	ary/West Calde	r High, St Pauls/St Marg	garets Academy		
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### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is requierment for a 6m buffer strip to watercourses within the site but there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SEPA - Flooding

SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows 15-Feb-12 through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outlinehas been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No potentially noisy commercial uses should be located near residential properties.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

> East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 We require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. As no clear outline has been provided these comments should be treated as general. Any other flood risk concerns should be addressed in the FRA.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There are former mine workings, limestone quarries, railway lines, brick works, kilns present across this site. Both Phase I and II Contaminated Land Site Investigations will be required to be submitted and agreed before development can proceed

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per extant planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

16-Jul-13 CDA requirements in WLLP:

-woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;

- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council;

CDA requirements specific to East Calder:

- native woodland planting adjacent to A71 and to improve screening
- of Camps Industrial Estate;
- contribution towards improvements at Almondell and Calderwood Country Park;
- extension of Mansefield Park.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being Raw Farm itself, the main house of which is a category C(S) listed building. Comparison with the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century shows the presence of a threshing machine at the farm during this period, and also that a number of old quarries were present in the area surrounding it. The 1:2500 1st edition map also showed the presence of buildings associated with the Raw Camps mine in the area to the NE of the farm, with an associated mineral railway running out of the plot to the east, while the Camps Branch of the North British Railway line ran across the centre of the site. A large area of dumping was also shown in the area to the west of the farm, and in the area to the north of what is now Raw Holdings. These features were also shown on the 2nd edition, but do not appear on modern OS maps. While there are areas of the site that have therefore been affected by substantial industrial activity during the 19th and 20th centuries of a type and level that is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier phases of occupation, the majority of the CDA appears to be relatively undisturbed Greenfield. These sections of the plot would retain the potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier occupation. We have provided comments in relation to a number of previous applications for the development of part or all of this plot, and have advised of the need for evaluation trenching to assess this potential for survival.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 261 Bangour South East Field count as part of

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBn1	1	Audit	5/5(a)			
EOI no				Consult Posit	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Partial		Conclusion Da	ate	25-Nov-13	
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.							

Dechmont Infant Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m buffer strip between any development and the Dechmont Burn to south, Brox Burn to north. There are no restoration opportunities.

Proposed Use

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. We support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Brox Burn and tributaries as well as any small watercourses on site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. Site may be constained due to flood risk. Same comments as HBn1(exp) and HBn1. There is a record of flooding in 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of this site allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the Brox Burn (that runs to the east and north of the site) and the small watercourse (Dechmont Burn within the site) that runs through the south of

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site has good existing green infrastructure and an informal path network which could be retained as basis of these features for development. Badgers are recorded within the site and should be considered at an early stage of design and application process. Previous involvement at this site has highlighted the presence of Japanese knotweed, which again

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 There is a possibility of traffic noise issues where this site bounds the A89 to south.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted for this site given its previous use.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

Dechmont

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 There are two potential issues associated with the redevelopment of this large plot. Perhaps the most obvious relates to the various buildings of Bangour Village Hospital itself, the majority of which are category A-listed. Any proposal for demolition or change of use would therefore require that Historic Scotland be consulted in advance. In addition to this, a number of other sites have been recorded from the area, including: Site of Bangour House. Already demolished by the date of the first edition map in 1856 where it is not depicted other than as a "site of", but depicted on Roy's map (1745-60) and Adair's map (1660-1718). The earliest date of Bangour House is not known. It is clear from Roy's map that it had policy or pleasure grounds around it, and traces of these may also survive at a sub-surface level. A sub-rectangular cropmark identified from aerial photographs in 1947. The feature is not visible on any subsequent aerial photographs. Nature and date unknown. In addition to these, the grounds of the hospital include large areas that do not appear to have been affected by ground disturbance associated with modern development, meaning that much of the site retains the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. There is also considerable risk identified from fluvial out of bank flows in the watercourse. A Flood Risk Assessment will be required to demonstrate the extent of any risk and to determine the extent to which development can be successfully integrated with the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects with employment land allocations and other housing land proposals.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play provision to comply with NPFA 6 acre standard (latest version) as a minimum NEAP and several LEAP's required.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Principle access to the site is from the existing access from the A89 at the southern end of the site. May be opportunities to link into existing local roads network in Dechmont at Goodall Place and Burnside. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 276 Bangour Village Hospital (Expansion)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HBn1(Exp)	/	Audit	5/5(b)		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Nov-13
The site is allocated for land supply for West Lo plan period.						
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Dechmont Infant Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy
Current Status
Proposed Use

#### WLC Environmental Health

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19-Jun-12 There is a possibility of traffic noise issues where this site bounds the A89 to south.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m buffer strip between any development and the Dechmont Burn to south, Brox Burn to north. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. We support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Brox Burn and tributaries as well as any small watercourses on site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. Site may be constained due to flood risk. Same comments as HBn1(exp) and HBn1. There is a record of flooding in 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of this site allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluivial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the Brox Burn (that runs to the east and north of the site) and the small watercourse (Dechmont Burn within the site) that runs through the south of

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted for this site given its previous use.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. There is also considerable risk identified from fluvial out of bank flows in the watercourse. A Flood Risk Assessment will be required to demonstrate the extent of any risk and to determine the extent to which development can be successfully integrated with the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would

## Dechmont

There are two potential issues associated with the redevelopment of this large plot. Perhaps the most obvious relates to the various buildings of Bangour Village Hospital itself, the majority of which are category A-listed. Any proposal for demolition or change of use would therefore require that Historic Scotland be consulted in advance. In addition to this, a number of other sites have been recorded from the area, including: Site of Bangour House. Already demolished by the date of the first edition map in 1856 where it is not depicted other than as a site of, but depicted on Roy's map (1745-60) and Adair's map (1660-1718). The earliest date of Bangour House is not known. It is clear from Roy's map that it had policy or pleasure grounds around it, and traces of these may also survive at a sub-surface level. A sub-rectangular cropmark identified from aerial photographs in 1947. The feature is not visible on any subsequent aerial photographs. Nature and date unknown. In addition to these, the grounds of the hospital include large areas that do not appear to have been affected by ground disturbance associated with modern development, meaning that much of the site retains the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site has good existing green infrastructure and an informal path network which could be retained as basis of these features for development. Protected species are recorded within the site and should be considered at an early stage of design and application process. Previous involvement at this site has highlighted the presence of Japanese knotweed, which again should be considered at early stage.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access from site from A89. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects with employment land allocations and other housing land proposals.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play provision to comply with NPFA 6 acre standard (latest version) as a minimum Neighbourhood Equipped Area of Play and several Local Equipped Areas of Play (LEAP) required.

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## Dechmont

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HDm1	/		Audit	5/2		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Auditable-Const	rained			Consult Upd	late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						
Dechmont Infant Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy							

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 This site is largely completed, with only one or two plots left, so no comments to make. SEPA 2013 Flood Risk Map Update -This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot appears to be almost entirely occupied by recentlyconstructed buildings fronting onto Badger Wood. As the majority of this plot will have been disturbed during construction of these houses, development of this plot is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m wide buffer strip between the site and the watercourse at the southern end of the site and there are no restoration opportunities.

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#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary of the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach of the small watercourse. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures required for this site. It is noted that the site is however largeky completed. Record of flooding in 2001 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per extant planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

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#### 1541 East Calder Community Education Centre

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ EC	A 1	Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Dismissed
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Upo	date	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	
	East Calder Primary	/West Calder	High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy		
	O		Duan and Llan		

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Current Status

Proposed Use

### WLC Waste Management

12-Dec-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

> East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This potential development plot is located on the fringe of the historic settlement area associated with East Calder. This has been defined on the basis of the section of Main Street running NE from the remains of St Cuthbert's Church, which is on record from 1641, when East Calder was disjoined from Mid and West Calder parishes. Although the historic settlement area runs NE from the church, however, Roy's Military Survey of Scotland suggests that the whole area may not have been occupied during the mid 18th century, though it is difficult to be certain, as the edge of one of the map-leaves runs through the village. The site was certainly developed by the mid 19th century, however, with the 1st edition showing structures on the street frontage and a large school building occupying the central area of the plot. This structure still appears on modern OS maps, though current aerial photographs suggest that it may have been demolished, as the site now appears to be covered by an informal red blaes car-park. There may be some potential for material associated with earlier phases of development to survive below ground level, though it is acknowledged that this is likely to have been compromised by the demolition and landscaping work that has taken place recently. It is likely that we may ask for a limited programme of archaeological work in relation to the development of this site.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 This site is likely to be required for the new Partnership centre.

#### **Coal Authority**

The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. 26-Feb-13 If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is a culverted watercourse near/beneath the site. The applicant should be minded that Planning Advice Note 69 Planning and Building Standards advice on flooding, which states that "Buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active" The National Pluvial Map indicates that the area is potentially vulnerable to pluvial flooding and hence consideration should be given to a detailed drainage impact assessment. There is also requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site. Water resilient measures are also recommended.

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 Flood Risk Assessment is required. There is a history of flooding locally from palyiong fields to housing to the east of the site. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines, lime kilns and saw mills have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restofration opportunities for this site. Scottish Water will advise on Sewage Treatment Work Capacity.

#### Camps East Employment Core Development Area 2337

LP Ref / UCS Ref	CE	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment	Core Developme	nt Area		Consult Upd	ate	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	25-Nov-13
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core							
development areas. Th	ne site is with	hin an identifie	ed core dev	elopment area, is all	ocated for c	levelopi	ment in the West

Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

**Current Status** List of Consultations and Dates

#### SNH

No comments made. 18-Mar-13

#### NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

> East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of this site presents a potential source of noise nuisance for nearby residents (but will ultimately depend on the

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. Still support however for the longer term allocation of the extension of the existing estate provided that only class 4 uses only are permitted close to

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues. The site is adjacent to the existing Camps Industrial Estate so a Phase I Contaminated Land report is likely to be required.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

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#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the CAMPS waste water treatment works (WWTW) where

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Possible requirement for Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Impact Assessment. We require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the Gogar Burn which flows along the southern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Considerable areas of this site are at risk of flooding from both fluvial flooding and pluvial flooding and have a history of doing so. Development may well not be feasible. As a minimum, a Flood Risk Assessment would be required to determine the extent of the site capable of being developed without compromise. The usual attenuation and

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states a possible requirement for Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Gogar Burn which flows along the southern boundary. The majority of site is likely to be developable however.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Structural planting required around and within site, for buffer with residential properties and as site is on the settlement edge. A minimum 6m buffer would be required to the watercourse. The Gogar Burn to the south of the site follows the site boundary at its nearest point.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# Coal Authority

Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. Although comparison with available historical maps indicates that the area immediately to the north of the plot was disturbed by extensive quarrying during the 19th and 20th centuries, a process that is likely to have removed any buried material associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, the plot itself does not appear to have been affected by large-scale industrial activity of this type. It appears as relatively undisturbed ground on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, with the exception of some field boundaries and rail lines, one running along its northern boundary, the other running roughly N-S through the plot to the east of Burnhouse Farm. This situation appears to have remained as relatively undisturbed Greenfield. This would suggest that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation, a potential that is enhanced

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via approved masterplan via B7015 and B7031 possible new link road between these two roads through the site. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 195 Langton Gardens

## East Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEc3	1		Audit	6/12		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Auditable			Consult Update		late	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						
	East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy						

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Proposed Use

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. The culvert at the northwest corner of the site might potentially offer an outlet for the disposal of surface water from the developed site. The developer will need to determine whether any water leads into the ditch and deal with the findings accordingly. It is understood however that this site has been completed.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site has been completed, no comments.

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site has been completed, no comments.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 1070 Millbank Depot

## East Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEC4/COU29 /		Audit	6/16				
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Consult Upo	25-Nov-13				
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion Date		25-Nov-13		
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the sim being to								

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The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme.

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site lies adjacent to existing houses. The only issue is the proximity to the nearby sewage facility and the possibility of it being adversely affected by odours/insect.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. River Almond to north of site, small watercourse runs through site. SEPA support this requirement for a FRA. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There is no requirement for any water resilient measures on this site.Record of flooding in 2004, 2007, and 2008 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere if developed and

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been identified from within the boundaries of this plot, which was depicted as largely undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. On this map, the western and northern margins of the site were shown as being under tree cover, a situation replicated on the 2nd and 3rd editions. Post-WWII OS maps indicate that much of the site was formerly occupied by a large industrial structure, and although current maps indicate that this has been removed, the majority of the site remains occupied by hard surfacing. Given the level of previous disturbance identifiable on the site, the development of this plot is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site is deemed to be at risk from out of bank flows in the watercourse. A Flood Risk Assessment will be required to demonstrate the extent of any risk and to determine the extent to which development can be successfully integrated with the risk that has been identified. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 River Almond to north of site and a small watercourse runs north-south through site. It should be noted that close proximity to sewage works could create potential odour issues. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This is the site of a former depot. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted and agreed before development can proceed on this site. If there is any indication of contamination a remediation statement must also be provided by the developer and the required works carried out as part of the development of the site.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 There is no objection in principle to this site being carried forward to the new LDP as it has previously been developed. It is however important that the location of the site relative to the AGLV boundary and its proximity to the largely undeveloped corridor of the River Almond are taken account of and should be used to justify and secure a higher quality of design than

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Transportation**

Access as per planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to nearby facilities at Queens Terrace.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12

Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1881 Camps Cottages

## East Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEc5	1		Audit	6/15		
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	25-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	25-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval.						

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# Proposed Use

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Both a Drainage Impact Assessment Required and Flood Risk Assessment required for this site. It is noted that part of the site has been built out.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 No comments.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. quarrying and unknown fill ground recorded. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA would support the council requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site. It is noted that part of the site has been developed already.

### WOSAS

08-May-13 No comments

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# 177 Broompark Farm

## East Calder

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEc6	/		Audit	6/17			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Update			25-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	2
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion Date		25-Nov-13	
The site has planning	approval.							
		East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy						

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Both a Drainage Impact Assessment and Flood Risk Assessment are required for this site.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

On WLLP Map 5, HEc6 is shown on the western edge of the map of potential development sites in East Calder, Kirknewton and Wilkieston – indeed, it appears to extend beyond the boundary of the area shown on this map, and as a result, I am uncertain of its full extent. We have, however, provided comments in response to an application for outline planning permission for a 2.33ha residential development at Broompark Farm (planning application 0173/P/05), and as a result, I would reiterate the comments made in relation to this. The Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1853 records that a considerable number of human bones were found when making improvements on the western side of Broompark Farmhouse during the first half of the 19th century. An entry in the Gentleman's Magazine from 1844 recorded that a great number of cists, made of stone slabs taken from the river, were found a few feet below the surface of the ground when clearing away earth from an old barnyard on Broompark farm. When the cover-stones were removed, the skeletons were found to be well-preserved, but no other relics were found. There would appear to be a clear potential for additional significant archaeological material to be present, and as a result, it is probable that we would advise that a programme of archaeological work would be required in relation to any development proposed in this area.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

22-Jan-14 No comments.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA would agree with the council on the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site. The Linhouse Water is some 150m to the west of the site and the River Almond is some 200m north of the site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

07-Aug-13 No comments, issues dealt with at time of planning application.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 322 Calderhall Terrace

# East Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEC7 /		Audit	6/13		
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upo	date	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	09-Jul-14
There are education ca	apacity constraints with	in the area wh	nich prevent deve	lopment of this	s site. Ac	ccess to the site is

problematic. There are infrastructure issues affecting this site.

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

Proposed Use

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the west of Calderhall Terrace. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, which would suggest that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation, though this may depend on the amount of earth-moving that took place during construction of the adjacent housing. It appears likely that the area may have been affected to some extent during construction in the surrounding area, which could serve to reduce this potential.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Record of flooding in 2004, 2007, and 2008 adjacent to the site. Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required.No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be developed on this site.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Use existing access. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1814 North East (Whitrigg)

# East Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EEW2	/	Audit			
EOI no	PJ001			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Busine	SS		Consult Upo	date	15-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfie	ld	Conclusion I	Date	15-Nov-13
The site has planning a	approval and construct	ction has cor	nmenced.			
	Whitdale Primary/	Whitburn Acade	ny, St Josephs (Whitburn)/S	St Kentigerns Acade	my	
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WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Contaminated Land**

30-Jun-11 Site has planning consent. Site of former Whitrigg Fireclay Mine. Phase 1 Contaminated Land Report was submitted with the planning application but further works will be required.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Whitburn - Existing facilities : Whitburn Health Centre and Ashgrove Group Practice, Blackburn

The existing health centre in Whitburn is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

Discussions are ongoing regarding the development of a new Partnership Centre for Blackburn. Seafield also feeds into Blackburn Health Centre and discussions are ongoing in terms of building in some additional capacity to accommodate this

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a small watercourse that runs along the southern boundary of the site. There is the requirement for a 6m buffer strip between any development on the site and the watercourse and there would also be restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. The site should remain within the employment area boundary.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 The site has planning approval and construction has commenced. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA would support this. SEPA previously commented on this proposal and did not object as happy with the proposal. Should the proposal change SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. By the time of the 3rd edition, a mineral railway was shown running along the southern boundary of EEW2. OS maps from the 1950s indicate that at this time, EEW2 was occupied by a complex of industrial structures associated with the Whitrigg Fireclay Mine. There would appear to be a low potential for material associated with earlier phases of activity to survive within EEW2, due to the extensive disturbance resulting from this

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 2286 South West

# East Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EEW3	/		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment and E	Business			Consult Upd	late	15-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	15-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval and co	nstruction	has comm	enced.			
	Whitdale Pr	imary/Whitbu	urn Academy, S	t Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Ko	entigerns Acade	emy	

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is a small watercourse that drains through the site and there would be the requirement for a minimum 6m buffer stripm between any development and the watercourse and there would also be opportunities for restoration. There are also ponds out with the site to the northwest.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Sites have planning consent. Site investigation carried out as part of application. Suitable for use proposed.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. It is understood that consent has been granted on part of the site. If developed the allocation should either be reduced in size or removed.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. By the time of the 3rd edition, a mineral railway was shown running across EEW3. OS maps from the 1950s indicate that at this time, EEW3 was largely covered by buildings, dumps and tram-lines associated with Whitrigg Colliery. There would appear to be a low potential for material associated with earlier phases of activity to survive within EEW3, due to the extensive disturbance resulting from this industrial activity.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA previously commented on this proposal and did not object as one man-made drain was to be infilled and the site was for haulage vehicles. Should the proposal change SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment.Potential development of the allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are also ponds outwith the site to the northwest.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1071 Redmill Park

# East Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HEW6 7603/1 /		Audit	25/13		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	ate	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	
	Whitdale Primary/Whit	burn Academy,	St Josephs (Whitburn)/	St Kentigerns Acader	ny	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Propose	ed Use		

#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The coal authority requests that WLC identifies whether past coal mining activity has taken place using GIS data provided by the coal authority. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation to developments. The coal authority emphasises that former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development; The coal authority would therefore not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from allocation on the basis of former mining

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 Near industrial site - potential noise issues

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

19-Jul-12 Water body name-Latch Burn/Is the area water feature within along site boundary-Yes/Buffer strip required and width-Yes -6m/Opportunities for restoration-Latch Burn is straightened - sympathetic treatment recommended/Surface water drainage constraints-n/Information on capacity of receiving sewage works-Private system/-/-

## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Detailed Comments-

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 no comment

# 455 Land at Cemetery Road

# Fauldhouse

# LP Ref / UCS Ref / Audit EOI no Consult Position Dismissed

			Consult i os	SILIOII	Disimisseu
Category	Auditable		Consult Up	date	02-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	Date	02-Jul-14
This site has been rem	noved from the process as	s it has outl	ine planning permission granted	l for less	than 5 units, in this
case three units.					

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Possible removal from process as site may have been completed. No comments made relative to flood risk.

# NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, site is not allocated for development in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

 

 British Airports Authority (BAA)

 12-Jul-13
 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and

 supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, site is not allocated for development in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# 3250 Eldrick Garage

LP Ret / UCS Ret	/ FAU 11	Audit				
EOI no		Consult Po	sition	Preferred		
Category E	Enquiries Possible	Consult U	odate	02-Jul-14		
Planning Officer		Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree Brownfie	d Conclusion	Date	02-Jul-14		
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.						

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The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope and existing residential areas and presents a logical next phase of residential development. The site would also benefit from being redeveloped as it is brownfield in nature.

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn	Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
rrent Status	Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues, developer contributions for approved School SPG as required.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This small plot was shown as undeveloped and partially under tree cover on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map. While a row of terraced houses were shown on this map in the area immediately to the north-east, these do not appear to have extended into the area proposed for development. These structures also appeared on the 2nd edition, on which the plot itself was again shown as unoccupied, albeit that it had by that time been cleared of trees. By the 3rd edition, virtually all of the plot was shown as being occupied by a sizeable structure, possibly industrial in nature, though this has subsequently been removed, as it appears as open ground on current OS maps and aerial photographs. Given the level of disturbance on the site during the 20th century, its redevelopment appears unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

# **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Mar-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary. There are upstream/ downstream culverts which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. Development to the site may be constrained due to flood risk. Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009. In July 2007 surface water runoff was reported to have flooded garden ground in Fallas Place and properties were flooded in Main Street. Development of this site could lead to a flood risk out with the site. There are no water

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site is considered appropriate for the development of house plots.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Main Street. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 The Main Street is susceptible to flooding, but no impediment to development and a Flood Risk Assessment is required for the site. A new culvert through the site may possibly be required. (The site has also been subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. iron mines, railway lines and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 There is a potential for odour/ventilation equipment noise from the nearby takeaway.

# SNH

09-Jul-13 No comment.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 A 6m wide buffer would be required from any development to the watercourse adjacent to the site. There would also be restoration opportunities to this watercourse. The nearest other watercourse of any significance is the Breich Water that lies some 860m south of the site. Scottish Water will advise re Sewage Treatment Work capacity.

# 3270 Eldrick Avenue

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ FAL	J4 Audit				
EOI no			Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Upda	ate	02-Jul-14	
Planning Officer		Prime Qua	ity Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree E	Brownfield	Conclusion D	ate	02-Jul-14	
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.						

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope and existing residential areas and presents a logical next phase of residential development. The site is also an intrusive brownfield site that would benefit from being developed.

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Aca	demy, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Current Status	Proposed Use

# WLC Education

List of Consultations and Dates

No issues, developer contributions required in accordnace with apprived SPG as appropriate. 02-Nov-13

### Coal Authority

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, though the 1st edition OS map does indicate the presence of a well on the site during the mid 19th century. This appears likely to have been associated with a building shown to the west of the plot. The well itself is unlikely to be of major archaeological significance, although it is the type of feature that may survive (albeit infilled) below later developments. The plot remained undeveloped on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, but is now shown as being occupied by a bowling green. The development of this site appears unlikely to raise major archaeological issues, though as noted above, it is possible that elements of the well shown on the 1st edition may survive.

# NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 While not objecting to the principle of residential development, there are concerns regarding the suitability of the access and a feeling that there may well be local resistance to such a proposition.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

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## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. iron mines, railway lines, quarries and gas works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the north-east boundary. There is a downstream culvert which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. Development to the site may be constrained due to flood risk. There are no water resilient measures recommended. There have been surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009. In July 2007 surface water runoff was reported to have flooded garden ground in Fallas Place and properties were flooded in Main Street. There is a small watercourse on the north eastern boundary. Development of this site could lead to a flood risk out with the site.There are no

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 A 6m wide buffer would be required from any development to the watercourse adjacent to the site. There would also be restoration opportunities to this watercourse. The nearest other watercourse of any significance is the Breich Water that lies some 780m south of the site. Scottish Water will advise re Sewage Treatment Work capacity.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to improve the quality of local open space.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 There is a watercourse to the north of the site and a screen to the watercourse also. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site, however this should not be an impediment to the majority of the site being developable. Combined sewer system through the site and also a hsitory of surcharging from the sewer. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Main Street. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 2577 Eastfield Recreation Ground 001107

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU27	/ FAU 1	2	Audit	7/40		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Upd	ate	15-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Gre	enfield		Conclusion D	ate	15-Nov-13
The site contributes to	wards the council's ne	ext phase	of the	council house	build programme	<b>.</b>	

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

	Falla Hill Primary/V	Vhitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# WLC Education

02-Jul-13 No issues

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 This site has already been identified in the council's housing programme for redevelopment.

### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This plot was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. While these maps show substantial evidence for mineral extraction and associated industrial processes in the surrounding landscape, there is no cartographic evidence to suggest that this impinged into the plot itself. More recent maps indicate that it was subsequently used as a football pitch. It is unclear from available information how much ground disturbance would have been required to create this pitch - if it was fairly limited, there may be some potential for buried deposits associated with earlier phases of

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# SNH

Site is surrounded on three sides by planting of varying degrees of density and age. This provides some degree of screening 14-Jun-13 to the road and other properties and should be retained as far as possible. SNH has no records of protected species from

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Improved open space quality is sought at Eastfield Park to off-set the reduction in park area. The following is sought to extend the recreational offering of the park as a 'community park':

Provision of other types of recreational activities such as a circular walk around the park, on- site play facility, trim trail or other fitness facility, basket ball hoop/hard corner area.

- Replace the wooden fencing along Eastfield Road with a metal fence to allow visibility into the site to improve natural surveillance

- to change the emphasis from purely a sports facility to a community park, and thereby increase usage appropriate facilities required would be improved planting near entrance/s for sense of arrival, welcome park signage, car park re-surfacing and

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### SEPA - Flooding

17-Jun-13 SEPA previously commented on this allocation and requested a Flood Risk Assessment but allocation has been reduced in size since then so no requirement. The development would also not increase the risk of flooding elsewhere if the site were developed. There is also no requirement for water resilient measures to be introduced either.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There are no restoration opportunites within or adjacent to the site and there is no requirement for a buffer strip to be introduced. Standard SUDs sufficient to prevent deterioration of status of the water and any waste water drainage from the site could exacerbate an existing point source sewage pressure or create a new pressure if the site is developed.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to accord with approved planning brief. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### WLC Waste Management

27-May-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic environment. Historic Scotland are content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment.

## WLC Environmental Health

13-Aug-13 No issues.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. This should however not be an impediment to development. There is also a drain to the north and east of the site. (The site has also been subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial

# 452 Park View (West)

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh10	/	Audit 7/2	26	
EOI no			Cons	ult Position	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Cons	ult Update	15-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural La	and No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/0	Gree Greenfi	ld Concl	usion Date	15-Nov-13
The site is allocated for a	development in the	e West Lothia	n Local Plan and contributes	towards to es	tablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

 Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

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# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a buffer strip of 6m from the watercourse on the western boundary of the site. There are no restoration

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Both a Drainage Impact Assessment and Flood Risk Assessment are required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - A very small area of this site is at risk from fluvial / pluvial flooding. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within HFh16, which is located to the west of the football field north of Park View. The area was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition maps, and this situation appears to remain unchanged. Current aerial photos indicate that the adjacent ground to the north and west are under forestry plantation, and there is some suggestion that the plot itself may have been ploughed for tree planting, as linear parallel bands of differential vegetation growth are visible. Deep forestry ploughing would tend to reduce the potential for buried deposits to survive within the plot.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 The location of the site adjacent to playing fields and on the boundary of the settlement and adjacent commercial forestry means that quality design will be essential in order to achieve good integration. It is suggested that developers should be encouraged to link open space/green network within the site to adjacent woodland and parks.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flow along the north and west boundaries. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach.Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2004, 2007, 2008 near to the site. There is a record of flooding in 2007 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to this site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the locality.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing road at Park View to the south. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### Shotts Road North (B Site) 448

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh11 DO7661/1 /		Audit	7/25 - 35	6215		
EOI no				Consult Pos	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	15-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Partial		Conclusion D	ate	15-Nov-13	

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is partially brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

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# **Proposed Use**

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Mar-14 Council historical mapping does not show potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site (other than agricultural, and domestic properties which historically occupied the site). Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines, quarries, areas of spoil and a colliery are recorded within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use. Due to the close proximity of the former industrial activities, such as the colliery, the council is likely to request WLC Contaminated Land Planning Condition 1 - Land Contamination Site Investigation, Risk Assessment and Remediation, be carried out.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# SNH

While generally supportive of sites which extend existing settlements, it is observed that this allocation extends Fauldhouse 18-Mar-13 west of the existing settlement and appears to have less relationship to the existing village than other allocations.

# Fauldhouse

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## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site. Information provided from the council states that there is a history of problems with surface water runoff from this site. Water resilient measures are required for this site.Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site. There has been a history of problems with surface water run off from this site. SEPA Flood Risk map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located between Shotts Road and the railway line. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. By the 4th edition, however, two rows of terraced houses were depicted on the Shotts Road frontage, one of which was within the area proposed for development. Although these houses were shown on the 4th edition, their date of construction is likely to be slightly earlier than this. These houses are not shown on modern maps of the area, though it is possible that elements associated with them will survive below ground level. Current aerial photographs indicate that this section of the site is largely under tree cover, and it is unclear the extent to which pre-planting ploughing will have removed belowground material.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is located at the west end of the village adjacent to railway and railway station and there is the potential for noise

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to Caledonian Road facilities and on-site works to improve

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access required onto B7010. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 454 Croftfoot Farm

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh14	1	Audit	7/29			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	02-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	02-Jul-14	
The site is an existing	allocation within the V	Vest Lothian Lo	ocal Plan. However, ir	nfrastructure	e to sup	port development of	f
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the site is not available. Specifically, there are difficulties in securing satisfactory vehicular access to the site. As a consequence, development should not be supported. Other more acceptable sites are proposed to be brought forward to support development requirements.

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
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# **WLC Environmental Health**

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19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary of the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advie Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are no water resilient measures required on this site either. Potential development of allocation

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the west of Croftfoot Drive. Comparison with the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that the area was in part occupied by various sections of mineral railway and old tram road embankments. These had all been removed prior to the 2nd edition map of around 1895. The course of the Wilsontown, Morningside and Coltness railway line was also shown on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition maps, running across the southern boundary of the plot, and the route of this nowdismantled railway is still shown on modern OS maps of the area. While the 1st edition does indicate that parts of the site were affected by development prior to the mid 19th century, the extent to which this has disturbed the remainder of the site is uncertain.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a watercourse along the eastern boundary of the site. A 6m buffer is required between the watercourse and any development. There are no restoration opportunities.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 This site comprises former mining and railway land. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted and agreed before development can proceed on this site.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes a large low area where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that this could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to provide green space adjacent to the core path.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Existing access onto Sheephousehill B7015. |I is understood there may be leagle difficulties in accessing the site.See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

Scottish Enterprise13-Mar-12No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1102 Croftfoot Drive & Sheephousehill Road

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh15	/		Audit	7/30				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agrice	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.									
Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy									

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# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required. Difficulty also of potentially creating run off and flooding from the site to the railway line south of the site. This site has been partially developed.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site has been partially developed. It is noted the council would require a Flood Risk Assessment for this site

#### WOSAS 24-Feb-14

This plot was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. The most recent OS maps available in our office suggest that housing may have been constructed along its northern boundary fairly recently, however, along a street identified as Breich Water Place. I am uncertain how much of compartment HFh15 was covered by the consent granted for this development, but it appears likely that it may have encompassed the whole plot. If it is the case that consent was granted previously without an archaeological condition, it is unlikely that it would be possible for us to require archaeological work in relation to the development of whatever portion remains as undisturbed ground.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, this site has been partially developed. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# 630 Harthill Road ©

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh16	/		Audit	7/32			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	02-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	02-Jul-14	
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced and is nearing completion and is likely to be removed therefore as an allocation from the LDP process.								

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues, site largely completed.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No comments, this site has been largely completed as a single plotted development.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries e.g. iron mine, quarrying and railway lines, have operated within the immediate vicinity of the site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been largely completed as a plotted development.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been largely completed as a plotted development.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 2196 Lanrigg Road (2)

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh18	/	Audit 7/37			
EOI no			Consult Po	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Consult Up	odate	02-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/(	Gree Greenfield	Conclusion	Date	02-Jul-14	
			Local Plan and contributes towa as confirmed intention to bring th			5

Planning permission in principle was granted on this site in March 2013.

	Falla Hill Primary	/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
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# WLC Education

plan period.

02-Nov-13 No issues.

# **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to former mining land. A Phase I Contaminated Land Assessment is likely to be required in the first instance to be submitted and agreed before any development can proceed on this site.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. It was depicted as being largely undeveloped on the 1st edition OS map, with the exception of a track running across the northern end of the site. This feature was also shown on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps. Current maps indicate that the area remains open ground that does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried material related to earlier

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m wide buffer strip to the watercourse that flows through the site and there is a requirement for a 6m wide buffer strip from any development to that watercourse. There are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required and Drainage Impact Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that caution should be exercised regarding the presense of a culvert and a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 The existing informal path network through site should be retained and linked to the disused railway line to the east and the wider path network.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access through HFh7 onto Langrigg Road and B7010. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 2128 Sheephousehill North

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh19 /		Audit	7/38	
EOI no			C	onsult Position	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained		C	onsult Update	02-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultur	al Land No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	C	onclusion Date	02-Jul-14
The site is allocated for	or development in the We	est Lothian L	ocal Plan and contribut	tes towards the e	established housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period. A previous application submitted in 2007 was withdrawn in 2009 for residential development on the site.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

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# **WLC Education**

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02-Nov-13 No issues, relevant developer contributions would be required for the site.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the north of houses fronting onto Sheephousehill Road. Comparison with the 1st edition indicates that the NE lobe of the site was already occupied by a small bing of waste material by the mid 19th century, presumably deposited there by way of the mineral railway line shown running across the centre of the site. The bing also appeared on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, and indeed is shown on current maps as well, but the mineral railway had been removed prior to the 2nd edition. Although much of the area appears to have been affected by former industrial activity, there are portions of the site that appear on the basis of available map evidence to have been less affected, and these may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises former mining land. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation has been carried out as part of the previous planning application submitted for this site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 SEPA would equire a buffer strip of 6m between any development the watercourse. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site that has been partially developed. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013

 A very small area of this site is at risk from pluvial flooding. It is thought that this could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA previously requested a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flow through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active".Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are multiple watercourses throughout the site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the adjacent park.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access and visibility issues. Possible access via private access to east but problematic. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 516 Croftfoot Farm phase 2 ©

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	Hfh2	1		Audit	7/18				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	22-Jan-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	Class Description		
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	22-Jan-14		
The site has planning	The site has planning approval and construction has been completed.								
Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy									
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# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### 2129 Lanrigg Road (3)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh20	/		Audit	7/39			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Const	rained			Consult Upc	late	15-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	15-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP								

plan period.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

Fal	lla Hill Primary/Whitburn .	Academy, St John	the Baptist/St 1	Kentigerns Academy
Current St	atus		Proposed	d Use

List of Consultations and Dates **Current Status** 

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 While recognising that there is some existing development on this site, the proposed allocation appears to cross over a boundary, particularly as the nearest allocations at HFh7 and HFh18 are separated from this site by an area of open ground. Existing woodland within this separating open space adds to a feeling of having left Fauldhouse and development within this site may as a consequence have greater landscape and visual impacts than might otherwise be expected for an allocation of

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being the Eastfield Engine Pit, which was identified in the Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1855 as 'a very large pit, out of which is taken ironstone. It is worked by two engines, one of 90 horse power for withdrawing the water and one of 18 horse power for withdrawing the mineral and refuse. The depth of the shaft is 80 fathoms and thickness of seam 11 inches'. The pit was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, which indicates that the buildings associated with the pit were largely located just outside the plot, though a shaft and weighting machine were shown close to its northern boundary. Parts of a mineral railway and two large tips of waste material were shown within the plot, however. These features also appeared on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, though the pit buildings had been removed at some point between the 1st and 2nd editions. The bings of waste material shown on the pre-WWII OS maps appear to have been removed, but it is likely that large-scale industrial operations will have removed any deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is the requirement for a 6m buffer between any dveelopment on the site and watercourses. There are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Impact Assessment Required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - A very small area of this site is at risk from fluvial / pluvial flooding. It is thought that the site could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. SEPA agree and require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses which flow through the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site.Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are multiple watercourses running throughout the

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises a former colliery. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted to accompany any planning application.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto the B7010. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

British Airports Authority (BAA) 09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 453 Lanrigg Road (1)

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh7	1		Audit	7/28				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.									
Falla Hill Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy									
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Sta	atus		Propo	sed Use				

WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues, site benefits from extant planning permission.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any restoration. A buffer strip would be required of a minimum distance of 6m.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - A very small area of this site is at risk from fluvial / pluvial flooding. It is thought that the site could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows adjacent to the site. Consideration should be given to any culverts along this reach. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There are no water resilient measures required on the site.Record of flooding in Fauldhouse in 2001, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.Potential development of allocation could

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 The existing informal path network through site should be retained and linked to the disused railway line to the east and the wider path network.

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### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the FAULDHOUSE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to former mining land. A Phase I Contaminated Land Assessment is likely to be required in the first instance to be submitted and agreed before any development can proceed on this site.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, a large section of which is occupied by recently constructed housing on Eastwood Park. The area was shown as largely undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition maps, with the exception of a track running SW-NE across the centre and a field boundary running across the southern end. The area appears to have remained largely undeveloped until the construction of Eastwood Park, suggesting that the remaining portion may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

# 449 Meadow Crescent

# Fauldhouse

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HFh8	/	Audit	7/24		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Mar-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	ee Mixed		Conclusion D	ate	25-Mar-14
The site is allocated for	or development in the W	Vest Lothian I	Local Plan and contri	butes toward	ls to es	tablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The site is the subject of a current planning application for housing.

	Falla Hill Primary	Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
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# **WLC Education**

02-Aug-11 Conclusion

The proposed development is a windfall siten (ie it is a site which is not identified through the forward planning process). In light of the difficult economic circumstances instruction has been given to allow for development of small windfall sites where there is no immediate constraints. This is a position that may change in the future should education constraints increase.

Education and Cultural Services therefore have no objection to this planning application coming forward provided contributions are made. These contributions are targeted at relieving existing or forecast school capacity constraints and represents a proportionate contribution for the size of development suggested.

#### **Education Contribution**

Education and Cultural Services advise that this site will require to contribute to the following should it gain consent;

#### Whitburn Academy

To support the development strategy of the Edinburgh and Lothians Structure Plan 2015 (E&LSP) and the West Lothian Local Plan (WLLP)(as adopted 13 January 2009), the Education Executive approved an extension to Whitburn Academy on the 16 June 2008. Contributions of £1,721 per residential unit are being requested from all developers with applications within Whitburn's catchment area. Given the indicative application description this would give a contribution of £1,721. This payment to be index linked to the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index with the 1st quarter of 2010 forming the base date.

#### **RC Secondary**

£1,983 per residential unit. This is in line with para 12.17 policy IMP2 of the WLLP and the issuance of the SPG "Developer contributions to the provision of a new denominational secondary" PP&R Committee May 2005 which was subsequently updated on 29th of June 2010 by Council Executive. Given the indicative application description this would give a contribution prior to indexation of £1,983. This payment to be index to the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index with the 1st quarter of 2010 forming the base date.

Interested parties are advised that contribution payments are normally formalised via section 69 or section 75 agreements agreed in conjunction with the planning application process.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Assessment required for this site.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Fauldhouse & Longridge - Existing facility : Fauldhouse Partnership Centre

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

22-Jan-14 No comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Meadow Crescent. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# WOSAS

24-Feb-14 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the south and east of Meadow Crescent. It was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, though by the 2nd edition, a railway siding was shown on its southern boundary. This was also present on the 3rd edition, which in addition depicted a large building (presumably associated with railway operations) within the plot itself. This structure appears to have survived into the later 20th century, being depicted on OS maps even after the railway siding had been dismantled, but is no longer shown on current maps, indicating that it has been demolished. Other than this, the majority of the plot appears to have remained largely unaffected by previous development, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material. However, its limited size suggests that this potential may not be particularly high, and as a result, it is likely that this plot could be

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# 1921 Station Road South (Extension)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HKn10	/	Audit	9/14 EO	I-0090				
EOI no	EOI-0090			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred			
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	26-Mar-14			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1		
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	ee Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	26-Mar-14			
The site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing									
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land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period. Given the sloping nature of the site and proximity of electricity pylons, the extent of this allocation could be

St Pauls/St Margarets Academy, Kirknewton/Balerno Community High

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#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive) 09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

Proposed Use

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. SEPA require a Drainage Impact Assessment for this site. Record of flooding in Kirknewton in 2001 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Impact Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

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# **Kirknewton**

#### WOSAS 31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from within the triangular plot to the south of Station Mews. The area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and this situation appears to have remained unaltered throughout the 20th century, as modern maps and aerial photographs also show the ground as open farmland. As the ground does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, there is some potential for it to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Kirknewton - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 While it is understood that the allocation of this site is intended as an extension of the existing development to the south of Station Road it does not, unfortunately, fit well with the overall pattern of development in Kirknewton which focuses on areas to the north and east.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two in two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping permission.

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access through Station Mews onto B7031. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to Kirknewton Park and also to secure safe pedestrian access.

#### **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 Education support - site is a continuation of an existing allocation. Potential school extension to site may be required that may require part of the site to take the school extension.

# 521 Braekirk Gardens ©

# Kirknewton

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HKn2	1		Audit	9/2				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Up	date	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site has planning	approval ar	nd construction	has comm	nenced.					
St Pauls/St Margarets Academy, Kirknewton/Balerno Community High									

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#### WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Kirknewton - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site, possible flood risk to site, also constraint of running surface run off to the railway line to the north. Most of this site has however already been developed.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

22-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two in two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping permission.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site is largely developed. The comments of the councils Flood Prevention Officer should be noted. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site is largely developed. The comments of the councils Flood Prevention Officer should be noted.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### WLC Contaminated Land

22-Jun-11 Ho issues or concerns.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### 239 Land Adjacent to Braekirk Avenue

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HKn7	1	Audit	9/11						
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred				
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Up	date	15-Nov-13				
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1			
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	15-Nov-13				
The site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.										
St Pauls/St Margarets Academy, Kirknewton/Balerno Community High										
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#### WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The site lies adjacent to existing housing and the northern boundary is defined by a railway line. There is therefore the potential for noise issues and this may require the construction of an appropriate barrier or other attenuation measures.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of the plot lying between Roosevelt Road and the railway line. The area was depicted as undeveloped farmland on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and this situation appears to have remained unaltered throughout the 20th century, as modern maps and aerial photographs also show the ground as open farmland. As the ground does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, there is some potential for it to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation. We have provided comments on two previous outline applications for the erection of housing on this site, in both cases advising that a programme of archaeological evaluation should be undertaken to assess whether material of this type is present.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **Scottish Water**

In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient 12-Mar-13 capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID Kirknewton

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA 2013 Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - A very small area of this site is at risk from pluvial flooding. It is thought that the site could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating in this area. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Kirknewton - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in Kirknewton in 2001 and 2009 adjacent to the site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto C class road to the west of the site. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the former MOD site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-13 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1341 Camps Junction (East)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HKn8(1)	1		Audit	9/12(2)			
EOI no					Consult Pos	tion	De-allocate	
Category	Auditable-Constra	ined			Consult Upd	ate	15-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Bro	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	15-Nov-13	
The site is an existing	allocation within	the West	Lothian Lo	cal Plan and contri	ibutes towards	s the es	tablished housing	

Ine site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period. However, given the small scale nature of this site and that less than 5 units would be developed on the site and that the site is within the settlement envelope where there infill residential development may be acceptable, the site is recommended to be de-allocated.

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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No education issues, developer contributions will be required however.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Both a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site.. Record of flooding in Kirknewton in 2001 and 2009 adjacent to the site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site lies adjacent to existing housing and the northern boundary is defined by a railway line. There is therefore the potential for noise issues and this may require the construction of an appropriate barrier or other attenuation measures.

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Record of flooding in Kirknewton in 2001 and 2009 adjacent to the site. SEPA agree with the council that a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment be provided for this site. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is no requirement for any water resilient

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip for this site. There are also no restoration opportunities.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# **Coal Authority**

- 26-Feb-13
  - The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the triangle of land between Main Street and the railway line. The ground was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and this situation appears to have remained unaltered throughout the 20th century, as modern maps and aerial photographs also show the ground as open farmland. As the ground does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, there is some potential for it to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation, though given the relatively limited size of the plot, the likelihood of material of this type being disturbed during construction work may not be particularly high.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Transport Scotland**

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

WLC Transportation 27-Nov-13 Access ont Access onto Main Street not preferred. Use access onto Humbie Smallholdings. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 1003 Mill Road East

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU7 /		Audit	EOI-013	31	
EOI no	EOI-0131			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest		Consult Update			15-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	15-Nov-13
Although priority is to	be given to developmen	nt of brownfiel	d land, there is no	t enough brow	nfield la	ind to meet

requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance as the proposal is infill development within the settlement envelope and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

The site may contribute towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme.

Constraints regarding sewers and pipes through the site require to be properly investigated.

Linlithgow Bridge Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

Proposed Use

# **SEPA - Flooding**

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23-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Mains Burn. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. The development site may be heavily constrained due to flood risk. There is a formal scheme present upstream of development site. Designed to a 1:200 year event. It is unclear what protection (if any) is provided to the downstream allocation site. There has been flooding along the Mains Burn recorded in 1998 and surface water issues recorded nearby in 2007. Development of this site will increase flood

# **Scottish Enterprise**

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

### WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 Former sewage works filter beds situated to the north of the site. Site Investigation likely to be required.

#### **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 The River Avon is some 220m west of the site. A 6m buffer will be required to the Mains Burn which straddles the eastern boundary. There are also no restoration opportunities.

# **Historic Scotland**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

23-Jan-14 xisting facility: Linlithgow Health Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built. The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site. Unclear whether GPs would want to expand their practices even if new facility built.

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access from Mill Road where visibility issues can be overcome. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### WOSAS

23-Jan-14 The whole of this site lies within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) area, in this instance associated with a report of human bones, a rough stone 'axehead' and stone slabs which suggested a short cist, which were seen by a passer-by during the operations of a mechanical digger at Linlithgow Bridge in 1956. Workmen stated that other such remains had been found in the same field during the operations. The precise location of the potential burial(s) is unknown, though it is worth noting that a short cist with its capstone in situ was found during levelling work associated with construction of an industrial unit at Mill Road Industrial estate in 1998. This would suggest a strong potential that further cists may be present in the currently-undeveloped land that forms this plot. If development were proposed in this area, we would advise that a programme of archaeological work should be undertaken in relation to this, in order to ensure that any further burials that

# **WLC Waste Management**

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WLC Transportation

23-Jan-14 Access from Mill Road where visibility issues can be overcome. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **WLC Education**

23-Jan-14 Education support provided MUGA is provided and removal of hall storage area. Possible need for work at St Joseph's

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Jan-14 Residential development can be supported provided the open spaces are provided & designed in accordance with the Open Space Strategy e.g. accessibility & quality standards. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any negative

### **Scottish Water**

23-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water main extensions will be required.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Sewer extensions will be required.

#### SNH

23-Jan-14 No records.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 No apparent issues, but development requires to be set back from the burn. Some concern to the south of the site. A Flood Risk Assessment is required.

Extensive areas of this site is susceptible to fluvial flooding associated with the Mill Burn. Such is the extent of flooding and the need to protect the functional flood plain from development that there is only a relatively small area of the site considered appropriate for development.

#### WLC Environmental Health

23-Jan-14 Potential road traffic noise from M9 at north boundary.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

23-Jan-14 No comments.

### **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2325 Boghall East

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELI2 /		Audit EOI-00	EOI-0015/EOI-0020		
EOI no	EOI-0015/EOI-0020		Consult Po	sition	De-allocate	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Up	date	03-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	Conclusion Date		
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Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance as the site provides a natural infill between the existing residential areas and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

Development of the site is supported through the development strategy of the approved Strategic Development Plan.

Appropriate flood risk mitigation and off site drainage to Linlithgow Loch would be required. Residential use can only be supported on this site compared to retail, given there is residential development to the west, south and east of the site.

	Springfield Primary	/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy
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### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 Education support for residential use on the site; no catchment change involved.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Linlithgow, Linlithgow Bridge, Bridgend, Philpstoun & Threemiletown - Existing facility : Linlithgow Health Centre

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# Linlithgow

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Support continues for this allocation, but there is concern that the site could be lost to other uses for retail and residential use as they are higher value uses. This would reduce developable land for employment use within Linlithgow if the present adopted Local Plan designation is lost to these uses.

#### WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties (depending

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Site would also need treatment as site drains ultimately into Linlithgow Loch. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site is within the catchment for Linlithgow Loch. Development within this catchment presents difficulties. This site is within the catchment of Linlithgow Loch. Development of the site has the potential to impact negatively on Linlithgow Loch, a body of water which is deteriorating from what was a mesotrophic loch to one that is currently eutrophic trending towards hyper-eutrophic. There are seasonal impacts on public heath and public use of the loch associated with extensive and long-lasting toxic algal blooms and the low oxygen conditions that this creates impacts on the ability of the loch to support fish. There have been a number of fish kills. In summer 2013, much of the fish population was under significant visible stress and a large number of fish were killed. If surface runoff were to be directed to the public sewer it would potentially increase the risk of flooding to properties in the High Street as the capacity of the combined sewer through the town leading to Linlithgow Bridge Wastewater Treatment Works is heavily constrained. The lack of capacity in the sewer also results in frequent spillage of waste and surface water into the loch through the combined sewer overflow (CSO) at the Vennel, worsening the outlook for the loch. The loch is a heritage asset owned by Scottish Ministers and cared for by Historic Scotland. It supports an important SSSI which is also in a deteriorating condition due to eutrophication. The council as Planning Authority as well as other stakeholders together have a responsibility to improve the outlook for the loch and must intervene to ensure that potential negative impacts presented by development within the catchment are avoided or appropriately mitigated. The context is described in the Draft Linlithgow Loch Catchment management Plan which is shortly due to be finalised. The implications of development of this site are potentially serious. The additional volume of wastewater generated by the proposed development also presents a serious risk assuming that it

is to be directed to Linlithgow Bridge Wastewater Treatment Works via the combined sewer. Already there are a number of spills associated with additional volumes would be unacceptable.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Anecdotal evidence suggests site was was used for agricultural animal burial. Investigation of this issue will be required.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment and Drianage Assessment of this site, given WLC Flood Prevention Officers comments. The development of the site would also not increase the potential of other land out with the site if it were

# WOSAS

31-May-12 The proposed development relates to a large area of currently open farmland to the east of Linlithgow. A number of significant archaeological features have been identified from within this area, and from ground immediately adjacent to it. Perhaps the most significant is the tradition that Edward I and the English army camped on the Burgh Muir of Linlithgow on the night before the Battle of Falkirk in July 1298. The identification of this site relates to the Burgh Muir as a whole, rather than to a specific point within it, though given the estimated size of Edward's forces, any encampment would have covered a substantial area, meaning that it may have encompassed the area proposed for development. The most likely evidence for this encampment would be in the form of cooking pits or scatters of artefacts lost or left by the soldiers, though it would not be uncommon for the King's quarters to be in a separate enclosure, possibly defined by temporary earthworks or palisade, evidence for which may be identifiable in the archaeological record. With reference to this, it is interesting to note that a nearby farm is called Kingsfield. Also present in the vicinity is a reference to a possible witch-burning site, represented on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, with the legend 'Supposed Place where Witches were Burnt (17th Century)'. The Ordnance Survey Object Name Book entry associated with this annotation records that 'Witches were burned on Linlithgow Burgh Muir, and in the accounts of the burgh there are items entered for faggots and tar barrels for this purpose early in the 17th century'. However, it also notes that the spot where witches were burnt was not well known, even during the mid 19th century, and that only one man could be found at that time who could give any information on this tradition. The identification of the witchburning site presumably rests on this person, meaning that the location must be treated with a degree of caution. It is also recorded that a quantity of Roman coins from the Burgh Muir were found during ploughing in 1781. Although the Old Statistical Account of 1795 states that around 300 coins were found in an earthen urn that was broken by the plough, Smellie listed only 13 as having been presented to the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland. Beyond noting that these coins were found on the Burgh Muir, no accurate location for them has been identified, but their recovery does indicate an increased potential for buried material to be present. In addition to these specific sites, I would also note that the ground does not appear to have been substantially disturbed by development during the modern period, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation. In relation to this, I would note the survival of cropmarks in nearby fields, and also the recovery of a Bronze Age axe-head found during a metaldetecting rally in the summer of 2011.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this alloocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

> In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M9 and potential in-combination effects with housing developments at the east end of Linlithgow.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 2330 Mill Road Industrial Estate

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELI4a	/		Audit					
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Employment and	Business			Consult Upc	late	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Bro	own/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site has planning	approval and co	nstruction	has comm	enced.					
Linlithgow Bridge Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy									

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. It is understood that consent has been granted on part of the site for various developments. If developed the allocation should either be reduced

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 The site ultimately drains into Linlithgow Loch so high level of SUDS required for both ELI4 sites. There are no restoration opportunities and no requirement for any buffer strip.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 This site has been largely developed. A Flood Risk Assessment was previously requested for both parts of site ELi4. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Part of this site is potentially at risk from fluvial flooding as a result of out of bank flows in the adjacent watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent of the site that is potentially able to be developed. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site as is also required by the council.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

Although no sites have been recorded from within the two polygons that make up this plot, it is worth noting that a short cist with an in situ capstone was discovered by building contractors during leveling works prior to construction of an industrial unit at Mill Road Industrial Estate in 1998. The cist lay below c 1.1m of subsoil which had been removed prior to its discovery. The cist was orientated roughly N-S and measured 1.44 x 0.94m. It was constructed of five edge-set slabs, up to 1.48m long by 0.68m wide and 0.14m thick. No markings were observed on any of the slabs. The cist contained at least five inhumations and possibly one cremation. The remains comprised five children and one adult, none of which were fully articulated. It is suggested that the bodies may have been disturbed in prehistory in order to receive successive or episodic burials. While this may have represented an isolated burial, it would not be unexpected to find similar examples resent in the vicinity. In relation to the two polygons, the northern plot is occupied by recently-constructed industrial units. The erection of these structures was preceded by a programme of archaeological evaluation, undertaken by CFA Archaeology Ltd in 2005. This did not identify any in situ archaeological deposits, and as a result of this, plus the disturbance resulting from construction of these buildings, it is unlikely that further archaeological work would be required in relation to the northern plot. The southern plot dees not appear to have been affected by modern development, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits, and this would need to be addressed in any proposal for construction on the site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1774 Mill Road Industrial Estate West

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELI4b	/		Audit				
EOI no				Consult Po	sition	Preferred		
Category	Employment and	Business		Consult Up	date	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site has planning	approval and co	onstruction	has comm	enced.				
Linlithgow Bridge Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy								

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09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. It is understood that consent has been granted on part of the site for various developments. If developed the allocation should either be reduced

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. It is also the case that there are Scottish Water sewer pipes running through this site.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A large part of this site has been developed. A Flood Risk Assessment was previously requested for both part of site ELI4. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Part of this site is potentially at risk from fluvial flooding as a result of out of bank flows in the adjacent watercourse. A flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent of the site that is potentially able to be developed. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

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#### **SEPA - Flooding**

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#### **Transport Scotland**

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The site ultimately drains into Linlithgow Loch so high level of SUDS required for both ELI4 sites. There are no restoration opportunities and no requirement for any buffer strip.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# 1309 Mill Road Business Units

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELI7	/		Audit					
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed		
Category	Employment and	Business			Consult Upd	ate	03-Jul-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	03-Jul-14		
The construction of this employment site has been completed. It will therefore not be accried forward as an allocation in									
the LDP, but will likely remain within an employment area boundary									

Linlithgow Bridge Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 REMOVE AS SITE HAS BEEN COMPLETED?

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed and should be removed as an allocation but should remain within the employment area

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA do not require any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There is also no requirement for any water resilient measures.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# 2329 SUN Expansion Site

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELI8	1		Audit	EOI-001	4			
EOI no	EOI-0014				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Employment a	and Business			Consult Upc	late	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1	
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established									

employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. See also EOI submission 0014.

Low Port Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy **Proposed Use** 

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# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site drains into Linlithgow Loch so high level of SUDS required. Open drainage system with conveyance swales required. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and thyere are no restoration opportunities.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# WLC Environmental Health

16-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Part of site formerly occupied by Springfield Chemical Works. Site Investigation of this area will be required.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This site is within the catchment for Linlithgow Loch. Development within this catchment presents difficulties. This site is within the catchment of Linlithgow Loch. Development of the site has the potential to impact negatively on Linlithgow Loch, a body of water which is deteriorating from what was a mesotrophic loch to one that is currently eutrophic trending towards hyper-eutrophic. There are seasonal impacts on public heath and public use of the loch associated with extensive and long-lasting toxic algal blooms and the low oxygen conditions that this creates impacts on the ability of the loch to support fish. There have been a number of fish kills. In summer 2013, much of the fish population was under significant visible stress and a large number of fish were killed. If surface runoff were to be directed to the public sewer it would potentially increase the risk of flooding to properties in the High Street as the capacity of the combined sewer through the town leading to Linlithgow Bridge Wastewater Treatment Works is heavily constrained. The lack of capacity in the sewer also results in frequent spillage of waste and surface water into the loch through the combined sewer overflow (CSO) at the Vennel, worsening the outlook for the loch. The loch is a heritage asset owned by Scottish Ministers and cared for by Historic Scotland. It supports an important SSSI which is also in a deteriorating condition due to eutrophication. The council as Planning Authority as well as other stakeholders together have a responsibility to improve the outlook for the loch and must intervene to ensure that potential negative impacts presented by development within the catchment are avoided or appropriately mitigated. The context is described in the Draft Linlithgow Loch Catchment management Plan which is shortly due to be finalised. The implications of development of this site are potentially serious.

The additional volume of wastewater generated by the proposed development also presents a serious risk assuming that it is to be directed to Linlithgow Bridge Wastewater Treatment Works via the combined sewer. Already there are a number of spills from a combined sewer overflow into the loch which contributes to impaired water quality. An increase in the number of spills associated with additional volumes would be unacceptable.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Access to the site is restrictive unless other developments help facilitate a better access. However single user allocation, should continue to be allocated provided that the site owners still require it to do so, although it is noted that the owners are seeking to remove the single user status, which would not be a significant issue. Access to the site is restrictive unless other developments help facilitate a better access.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. There is a small pond and spring on-site. Consideration should be given to these potential sources of flooding.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

<sup>30-</sup>Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Surface water run off issues and water quality issues as land would largely drain into Linlithgow Loch.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M9 and potential in-combination effects with housing developments at the east end of Linlithgow.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 The proposed development relates to a large area of currently open farmland to the east of Linlithgow. A number of significant

archaeological features have been identified from within this area, and from ground immediately adjacent to it. Perhaps the most significant is the tradition that Statistical Account of 1795 states that around 300 coins were found in an earthen urn that was broken by the plough. Smellie listed only 13 as having been presented to the Society of Antiguaries of Scotland. Beyond noting that these coins were found on the Burgh Muir, no accurate location for them has been identified, but their recovery does indicate an increased potential for buried material to be present. In addition to these specific sites, I would also note that the ground does not appear to have been substantially disturbed by development during the modern period, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation. In relation to this, I would note the survival of cropmarks in nearby fields, and also the recovery of a Bronze Age axe-head found during a metaldetecting rally in the summer of 2011. Edward I and the English army camped on the Burgh Muir of Linlithgow on the night before the Battle of Falkirk in July 1298. The identification of this site relates to the Burgh Muir as a whole, rather than to a specific point within it, though given the estimated size of Edward's forces, any encampment would have covered a substantial area, meaning that it may have encompassed the area proposed for development. The most likely evidence for this encampment would be in the form of cooking pits or scatters of artefacts lost or left by the soldiers, though it would not be uncommon for the King's quarters to be in a separate enclosure, possibly defined by temporary earthworks or palisade, evidence for which may be identifiable in the archaeological record. With reference to this, it is interesting to note that a nearby farm is called Kingsfield. Present within the plot itself is the former site of the Springfield Chemical Works, which was depicted in the SW corner of the plot on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps. It is also recorded that a quantity of Roman coins from the Burgh Muir were found during ploughing in 1781. Although the Old Statistical Account of 1795 states that around 300 coins were found in an earthen urn that was broken by the plough, Smellie listed only 13 as having been presented to the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland.

Beyond noting that these coins were found on the Burgh Muir, no accurate location for them has been identified, but their recovery does indicate an increased potential for buried material to be present. In addition to these specific sites, I would also note that the ground does not appear to have been substantially disturbed by development during the modern period, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation. In relation to this, I

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Access via existing access from Blackness Road to the Oracle plant. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 978 Beechwood Park ©

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLI19	1		Audit	10/81				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed		
Category	Historical Con	nplete			Consult Upd	ate			
Planning Officer	Jenny Sheerir	ı		Prime Quality Ag	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion Date					
Low Port Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy									
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Stat	us		Proposed Use					

#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This site has been largely developed, no comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Linlithgow, Linlithgow Bridge, Bridgend, Philpstoun & Threemiletown - Existing facility : Linlithgow Health Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, this site is largely completed.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, this site is largely completed.

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# Scottish Enterprise 13-Mar-12 No specie

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1261 The Vennel

# Linlithgow

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLI26	1		Audit	10/82				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Cor	strained			Consult Upo	date	26-Mar-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	26-Mar-14		
Development of this site is problematic both in ownership terms and physically and is also in a prominent location									
within the Linlithgow Palace and High Street conservation area.									

It is also considered that whilst rehabilitation of a brownfield site is supported, the site is exposed may result in significant visual intrusion in the conservation area.

The site has been withdrawn by the council's Property Services section.

Linlithgow Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

Current Status

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

03-Nov-13 No objections, provided that appropriate developer contributions are made.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is close to the site of the former town gasworks, which is within vicinity of site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will therefore be required to accompany any planning application submitted for this site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA do not have enough information to satisfy ourselves that the area is outwith the 1:200 year flood extent for the Linlithgow Loch. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. There is a formal flood prevention scheme present in Linlithgow but it is not relevant to this site. Record of nearby flooding in 2001, 2007, and 2008. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Linlithgow, Linlithgow Bridge, Bridgend, Philpstoun & Threemiletown - Existing facility : Linlithgow Health Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site is at risk from pluvial flooding exacerbated by constraints in the capacity of the combined sewer. Measures will be necessary to evaluate the extent of risk and to identify how development can take place without compromise to the fabric of the building during periods of severe weather.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot is located within the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the core of the medieval burgh of Linlithgow. Although located outside the legally-protected scheduled area associated with Linlithgow Palace and Loch, it lies between the High Street and the loch, in what is likely to have been one of the earliest areas of the town to have been developed. While it is apparent that the plot and its immediate surroundings have been subject to extensive redevelopment during the 20th century, it nevertheless retains a high potential to produce significant deposits relating to the early development of the town and the lives of its inhabitants. It is likely that a programme of archaeological work would be

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto High Street. See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

24-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1162 High Street Bus Station - Sheltered Housing

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLI27	1	Audit	10/79 or	10/87		
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Upda	ate	15-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	15-Nov-13	
The site has planning a	pproval and constru	uction has comm	nenced.				
Low Port Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy							
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed U	Use			

## WLC Education

03-Jan-13 No comments, site is to be developed for retirement homes.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Linlithgow, Linlithgow Bridge, Bridgend, Philpstoun & Threemiletown - Existing facility : Linlithgow Health Centre

The existing health centre in Linlithgow is in poor condition and has no scope to be physically extended. If there was to be more demand/larger population, a new facility would have to be developed but it is unclear whether the existing GP practices would want to expand even if a new facility is built.

The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to this site. There is a Formal Flood Prevention Scheme present in Linlithgow but not relevant to site. Union Canal flows adjacent to development site some 80m to the south and SEPA would recommend contact is made with Scottish Waterways to establish

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## Linlithgow

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The site lies to the south of the railway line and there are potentially noise issues.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 A basic Contaminated Land Site Investigation has been carried out as part of McCarthy/Stone planning application. Further work will be required following decommissioning of bus depot.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot is located at an important location within the medieval burgh, close to the parish church and the market cross, and is likely to have been occupied since the very beginnings of the burgh in the 12th century. The proposed development area occupies the main part of at least two medieval burgage plots and parts of at least one other. Little is known about the form of early development within these burgage plots, or how their early boundaries were defined and maintained. Any surviving archaeological remains within the proposed development site would have the potential to add greatly to our understanding of the material culture of the medieval period in Linlithgow, and may provide a rare opportunity to assess a cross section of occupation evidence from street frontage to backlands in an early town. Although some development within the site boundary has cut into the natural landform which slopes gradually up to the south, past archaeological fieldwork elsewhere on this side of the High Street and further afield has shown that significant remains can survive below the formation levels of such modern development. Work carried out recently at the former Post Office some 130m to the east demonstrated that localised pockets of archaeological deposits and features could survive even in areas where modern building operations had been dug into the natural slope of the site. The relatively low intensity of sub-surface building development required to construct the large footprint main building of the bus depot may therefore have left similar areas of relatively undisturbed deposits within the

application boundary. It is likely that any proposal to redevelop this site would therefore raise significant archaeological

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing access point onto High Street.See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

## Scottish Enterprise 13-Mar-12 No specie

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 974 Stockbridge North (2)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLI29	1		Audit	10/68 &	10/69(2	2)
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Local Plan				Consult Upd	late	03-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown	ı/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	03-Jul-14
The site is allocated for	or development in t	he Wes	t Lothian L	ocal Plan and cor	tributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

and supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Part of the site has been granted planning permission, subject to a Section 69 legal agreement for 14 houses (ref 0352/FUL/13).

The site is partially brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

	Linlithgow Bridge Prin	nary/Linlithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

25-Sep-13 No objections, provided that appropriate developer contributions are made, as per the consultation response on the planning application.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINLITHGOW waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The Mains Burn flows through site - approximately 2m wide. Buffer strip 6-12m required. Burn should not be culverted and opportunities harnessed for habitat restoration

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Linlithgow, Linlithgow Bridge, Bridgend, Philpstoun & Threemiletown - Existing facility : Linlithgow Health Centre

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The NHS has been tentatively approached by the Burghmuir applicant in order that a site for a new health centre could be provided on their site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No apparent issues but this will ultimately depend on exactly where development takes place on the site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Mains Burn. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. The development site may be heavily constrained due to flood risk. There is no requirement for water resilient measures to be introduced to the site. There is a Formal Flood Prevention Scheme present upstream of development site. Designed to a 1:200 year event. It is unclear what protection (if any) is provided to the downstream allocation site. Flooding along the Mains Burn recorded in 1998 and surface water issues recorded nearby in 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The majority of this allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Mains Burn that flows north west to south eats through the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No LP Ref or grid reference provided, but centring on location suggests that this may relate to either HLI17 or HLI29. As these plots are conjoined, they would generally appear to raise similar archaeological issues, though the more southerly of the two, HLI17, has been more substantially affected by modern development, being occupied ny Stockbridge House and the various buildings onBroomyhill Place. The plot to the north appears to have been less disturbed, and so may retain a greater potential to produce buried archaeological deposits. There are a number of potential issues in this area, perhaps the most obvious being the proximity of the two plots to the polygon defined in Historic Scotland's Battlefield Inventory for the Battle of Linlithgow Bridge. Although neither of the plots fall within the polygon itself, it is important to be aware that the mapping of a battlefield can be an imprecise exercise, and that it would not be unexpected to find small artefacts associated with the period present outside the battlefield polyon. I would also note that there is a record of a gallows site in the area to the west of plot HLI29, shown as 'Gallows Knowe' on modern OS maps. According to the Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1856, this relates to a small hill where two men were hanged for highway robbery in the 18th century. The area immediately to the north of HLI29 is shown as Doomsdale. According to Groome ('Ordnance Gazetteer of Scotland: A Survey of Scottish Topography, Statistical, Biographical and Historical', 1882 - 1885), this was formerly associated with an area of rising ground that was

traditionally associated with the site of a law hill.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. quarrying and infilling of ground. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. factory works and heap of unknown constitutes, have been recorded within the vicinity of the

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2232 Howden House, Howden Park

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ L	E002	Audit	LE0002					
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred			
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	late	10-Jul-14			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	10-Jul-14			
This site has planning permission and is largely completed.									
	Toronto Primary/Inveralmo	nd Community H	ligh, Howden St Andre	ws/St Margarets Ac	ademy				
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed	d Use					

#### Transport Scotland

10-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **Coal Authority**

10-Jul-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

10-Jul-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

10-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## Scottish Enterprise

10-Jul-14 No issues

### **Scottish Water**

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made when the application was under consideration.

infrastructure.A separate application should be made for connection to our infrastructure after full planning has been granted. New Balmore WST Water Treatment Works currently has sufficient capacity to service this proposed development. There are no known issues at present within our Water Network that serves this proposed development. East Calder Waste Water Treatment Works currently has sufficient capacity to service this proposed development. There are no known issueswithin the Waste Water Network that serves this proposed development.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

10-Jul-14 SEPA made no adverse comments at the time of the application relative to the water environment but sought to ensure that all developments took place in accordance with their regulations.

## WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jul-14 No issues were raised at thhe time of the planning application.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Jul-14 No issues.

## **WLC Waste Management**

10-Jul-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Jul-14 No comments.

#### SEPA - Flooding

10-Jul-14 SEPA made no adverse comments on the proposals at the time of the application relative to flooding

#### WOSAS

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments, sought a conditions to be attached the planning consent relative to archaeological assessments

#### **WLC Education**

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made at the time of the planning application. Cacthment schools are St Margaret's Academy, Inveralmond CHS, Toronto Primary and Howden St Andrews.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

10-Jul-14 No issues

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments, no requirements for either a Flood Risk Assessment or a Drainage Impact Assessment.

#### WLC Transportation

10-Jul-14 Detailed issues relating to access and car parking were dealt with at the time of the planning application.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
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- Centre
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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have previously commented in detail on planning applications relative to the conversion of Howden House.

# 2746 Renault Garage Almond Road

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ LIV 15	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Posit	tion	Dismissed
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Upda	ate	10-Jul-14
Planning Officer		Prime Quality Agricul	tural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree Brownfield		Conclusion Da	ate	10-Jul-14
Site has been re-opene	ed as a car sales showroom, its most	recent use.			
	Riverside Primary/Inveralmond Community	High, Howden St Andrews	St Margarets Aca	ademy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed U	se		
SNH 18-Mar-13 No issues i	dentified.				
WOSAS					
this, the si have been garage and	roofed building annotated as a ruin was depict te was depicted as undeveloped farmland on t removed by construction of the adjacent Almo I surrounded by a surfaced yard. Construction ating to earlier phases of occupation to survive	the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition and Interchange, while the an of these features is likel	on maps. The s e plot itself is cu y to have remov	ite of the rrently oc ved the p	ruin is likely to ccupied by a large otential for buried

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **Coal Authority**

15-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

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#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment. It is noted that the site has been recenly redeveloped as pre the previous lawful use as a car sales garage.

12-Mar-13

In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

27-Feb-13 The National Pluvial Map indicates that the area is potentially vulnerable to pluvial flooding and hence consideration should be given to a detailed drainage impact assessment. The River Almond lies 240m south of the site. Water resilient measures are needed on this site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 Scottish Water will advise re Sewage Treatement Water capacity. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## **SEPA - Flooding**

09-Jul-13 No issues.

## WLC Contaminated Land

- 19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed. This records the site was utilised for a factory or engineering works, a potentially significant source of contamination. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. paper mill have operated within the vicinity of the site.
- 12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

## WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 Potential noise issue from road traffic.

# **3083** Livingston South Station

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	/	_IV 20	Audit	EOI-010	)1	
EOI no	EOI-0101			Consult Pos	ition	Dismissed
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upd	late	10-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Mixed		Conclusion	Date	10-Jul-14
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This site is partially brownfield and partially greenfield within the settlement envelope of Livingston and is allocated for a local neighbourhood centre. The southern part of the site south of the railway line and immediately north of the railway line will be retained in local neighbourhood use, however, the area of land north of the watercourse running through the site contains mature trees and would also be at risk of flooding, therefore this may restrict development oon this part of the local neighbourhood centre allocation.

Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## Proposed Use

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 No comments. Housing not proposed.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## **WLC Environmental Health**

15-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 No sites have been recorded from the boundaries of this small plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. The plot is still shown as unoccupied on modern maps, though it may have been affected by landscaping associated with construction of the adjacent Murieston West Road and the car park to the south. Although its apparently undisturbed nature could suggest the potential to produce buried deposits, this potential does not appear particularly high, and the development of this site seems unlikely to raise a substantive archaeological issue.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. There are sections of foul and surface water pipes running through this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site is not considered appropriate for residential development. Local centre uses would be more appropriate, albeit that there is a restricted and poorly configured access.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Existing access to be used. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

18-Apr-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern perimeter. There are upstream and downstream culverts/bridges which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. Site will likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk. Consideration should be given to the removal of this site from the plan. This development could potentially impact on other sites if developed in terms of flood risk.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is a small watercourse on the southern boundary. A 6m -12m buffer is required from any development on the site to the watercourse. There are no restoration opportunities. The other closest water body to the site is the Murieston Water, some 201m south of the site. Scottish Water will advise re Sewage Treatemnt Works capacity.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 Flood Risk Assessment is required. Culvert at east end of the site. Site has little development capacity also due to flood risk from the watercourse. There is also a history of backing up from the culvert. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 3137 Crofthead Centre Craigshill Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ LIV 23	Audit	EOI-015	5	
EOI no	EOI-0155		Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest (WITHDRAWN)		Consult Upd	ate	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer		Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree Brown	field	Conclusion D	ate	09-Jul-14
This site lies within the	e settlement envelope of Livingst	on and is immediatel	y north of the loo	cal neig	hbourhood centre

allocation in the adopted local plan. It is considered appropriate to extend this local neighbourhood centre designation to allow for further development opportunities.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

	Bankton Primary/James	Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy	
of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use	

#### **WLC Education**

List of

09-Jul-14 No comments as the proposal is for a non housing use. Local neighbourhood centres could possibly include a residential development in which case proposals would have to be assessed at that time.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# WLC Waste Management

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## Livingston

On the 1st edition, this plot was shown as being occupied by a farmstead named 'Crofthead'. The buildings of this farm were arrayed around three sides of a courtyard, an arrangement that would tend to suggest that it was constructed during or after the period of widespread agricultural improvement of the late 18th and 19th centuries. However, the place-name 'Crofthead' also appeared on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, indicating settlement on the site from at least the mid 18th century, if not earlier. The buildings depicted on the 1st edition also appear on later OS maps, including modern editions, and indeed, appear to remain to the present day. The proposed development of this plot would therefore raise two potential archaeological issues. Firstly, it is likely that some level of building survey would be required should the buildings be proposed for demolition. Secondly, it is likely that some form of fieldwork, either evaluation or monitoring, would be required in relation to any new development that involved substantial amounts of ground disturbance, to look for material relating to

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 Residential development and/or local centres uses are considered appropriate.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Equipped play area recently upgraded. Planning gain requirement to improve quality of local open space.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via existing road network onto Dedridge West. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There are no restoration opportunities and there is no buffer srtip opportunities.Scottish Water will advise regarding SewageTreatment Work capacity.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 There are potential noise issues from road traffic and commercial development to the north.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No significant issues as site is elevated in nature. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

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## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and no water resilient measures are recommended. There is potentially a culvert near (or beneath) the site. No further information available. The applicant should be minded that Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' states that "Buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active." Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001 and 2008. No further information provided.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 3272 St Pauls Church

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ LI	IV 21	Audit		
EOI no			Consult P	osition	Dismissed
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult U	pdate	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	n Date	11-Jul-14
This site is not being co	nsidered as an allocatior	n for the LD	Р		
	Toronto Primary/Inveralmon	nd Community I	High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets	Academy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed Use		

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### WLC Education

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22-Jul-14 No objections, developer conttributions would be required for denominational secondary provision. The catchment schools are St Margaret's Academy, Inveralmond CHS, Toronto Primary and Howden St Andrews.

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

01-Sep-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. There are sections of surface water pipes running through this site.

20-Feb-13 This site was shown as undeveloped farmland on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps. The ground surrounding St Paul's Church does not appear to have been substantially affected by ground disturbance associated with the development of the church itself, or of the adjacent housing and road network, suggesting that it could retain the potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation, though this potential does not appear particularly high, as it is likely that the

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 Potential noise issue from road traffic.

## WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No significant issues. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no water body adjacent to the site. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration

#### SEPA - Flooding

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment required for this site. Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2007 and 2008. In July 2007 surface water runoff was reported to have flooded garden ground in Mossbank. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced.

## **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

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## British Airports Authority (BAA)

17-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding. through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

# 3273 Cheviot House

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ L	IV 29	Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Upo	late	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	
	Bankton Primary/Jan	mes Young Hig	h (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy		
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed Use		

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#### **Coal Authority**

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26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains "as is " (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 This site has already been identified in the council's housing programme for redevelopment.

#### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This plot was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, with the exception of a road shown running roughly north-south across it. On modern maps, the plot is largely occupied by Cheviot House, construction of which is likely to have removed any material relating to earlier occupation that may have been present on the site. As a result, development of this plot is unlikely to raise an archaeological issue.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No significant issues - (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Contaminated Land

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#### Transport Scotland

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. Scottish water will advise regarding Sewage Treatment Work Capacity.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001 and 2009. No further information provided.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing at Owen Square and Morris Square. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

24-May-13 No issues identified.

#### Alderstone Road 140

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	1		Audit	AV010		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	ate	23-Jan-14
Planning Officer		Pr	ime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	23-Jan-14
This site has planning p	permission for housing ar	nd is within the	settlement enve	elope of Living	gston	
	Toronto Primary/Inver-	almond Community	High, St Ninians/St N	Aargarets Academ	У	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed	Use		

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### SNH

14-Feb-14 No objection to the development but, as protected species are known to be present in the vicinity, licensing and mitigation issues will require to be addressed and a full biodiversity assessment submitted.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 The River Almond forms part of the site boundary. A buffer strip is therefore required between the development and the watercourse. There are no opportunities for restoration within the site and standard SUDs are sufficient to prevent

## Scottish Water

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficiency capacity at Pateshill WTW. No local network issues. Waste: This site has been approved for connection based on a fully separate system.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

A small part of the site is at risk from fluvial flooding.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of 24-Feb-14 flooding elsewhere. SEPA are aware of a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) has been carried out on this site previously where the risk of flooding and areas proposed to avoid development were identified.

> New or review of existing FRA be undertaken for site to ensure that all development avoids a risk of flooding, consideration for any structures should be undertaken in the FRA

We have provided comments in relation to a number of previous applications for the development of this plot, which falls within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) relating to the discovery of cist burials in the vicinity during the 18th and 19th centuries. According to the Old Statistical Account (OSA) of 1798, four large irregular mounds formerly lay on the southern bank of the River Almond, directly opposite the site of Livingston House. A large number of cists were found near the surface of two of these mounds, some containing inhumation burials. Many of the cists had no cover stone, perhaps suggesting that they had been opened previously. The OSA recorded that several other cists of the same size and type had been found in the neighbourhood, but that the main concentration was in the vicinity of the mounds noted above. On the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of 1852, the area to the south-west of the proposed development site was annotated 'Graves Knowes'. The OS Object Name Book (ONB) of the same year stated that this applied to a slight elevation on partly plantation and partly ploughed land, and that the name derived from the fact that a number of graves had been discovered upon it. The ONB quotes a Mr Bishop of Livingston, who stated that cists had been discovered when planting trees 60 years ago (c.1792), and that more had been dug up during subsequent ploughing and draining. The landowner at the time, a Mr Buchanan of Alderstone Mains, stated that over 100 cists had been found. These were usually composed of 7 or 8 stones, hammer dressed, and arranged two on edge for each side, one at each end and one or two laid on for the lid. He further stated that in some of the cists, a portion of the bones was quite perfect, particularly mentioning the small bones of the fingers, vertebrae, etc. In others, the bodies from the abdomen downward had been burned and the ashes and remains of the body placed in the cist, though no human remains were found in the majority of cases. The reference to cremations may indicate a Bronze Age date for some of the cists, possibly associated with a later long cist cemetery.

In response to previous consultations for the development of this plot, we advised that a programme of archaeological work should be undertaken in accordance with a written scheme of investigation, and this document was supplied and agreed in relation to planning application 0778/FUL/10, for the erection of 32 flats and 13 houses. A certain amount of the work outlined in this document was undertaken by AOC Archaeology Group in 2012, but my understanding is that elements of it still remain to be completed. It is likely, therefore, that it would be necessary to complete the outstanding elements of this programme as part of any subsequent proposals relating to this site.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small site within Livingston. Nearest trunk road junction is J3 of the M8.

Whilst Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make on the site there may be a cumulative issue relating to those sites that would have an impact on J3 of the M8.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access required as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# 2190 Deans South Road - Corner Site

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ LI	V 12	Audit	DS001-3	356139		
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Preferred	
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	ate	31-Mar-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	31-Mar-14	
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to							
limit the amount of gree	enfield land released for de	evelopment	. This site is an alt	ernative site	to other	sites in the Deans	
area of Livingston This	strategy is in accordance	with Scottis	sh Government pol	licy and the S	Strategic	Development Plan.	

Deans Primary/Deans Community	High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Current Status	Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No objections, developer contributions required for RC Secondary. The catchment schools are Deans CHS, Deans Primary, St Margaret's Academy and St John Ogilivie RC Primary.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. There are sections of foul and surface water pipes running through this site.

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This small plot was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. More recent OS maps indicate that it was formerly occupied by a building, located in the NW corner of the plot, but this has subsequently been demolished. Current aerial photographs show that the site is still partially occupied by areas of hard standing. The development of this plot is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## Livingston

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 The site currently provides car parking which serves the adjacent pitch and there may well be resistance to the loss of this facility. However, in general terms, local centre uses would be more appropriate than housing.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Coal Authority**

14-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2008 and 2009. No further information provided. There are no water resilient measures recommended to be provided.

#### WLC Waste Management

09-Jul-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries and railway lines have operated within the

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There are no nearby water courses or water bodies of any significance. There are no restortaion opportunities and there is no requirement for any buffer strip.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

## **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access off Deans South, road improvements required (new mini roundabout at junction with Elie Avenue) See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2215 Almondvale Roundabout South West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ TCI	U 11	Audit	356618		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible	ies Possible Consult Update		late	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion Date		19-Nov-13
Although priority is to b	e given to development of b	brownfield	d land, there is n	ot enough brow	nfield la	ind to meet

requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance on this site.

This site has an approved planning brief reflecting the council's aspirations to develop the site which has been declared surplus to requirements.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-13 No specific comments

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## Scottish Enterprise

23-May-14 No comments.

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 The site is within the catchment areas of St Ninian's and Bankton primary schools and at secondary level James Young High School, St Margaret's Academy.

For all sites within West Lothian, Education Services require the developer to contribute to denominational secondary school provision in line with approved supplementary planning guidance. Contribution rates are £1,983 per residential unit. This applies to most residential development although a number of exemptions apply. Actual payments will be index linked to the changes indicated in the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index using the 1st quarter 2010 as the base date and the levels of contribution will be reviewed regularly to take account of changed circumstances. See details within detailed Supplementary Planning Guidance for specific exemptions.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13

This site will present access issues for any use, but residential development and/or local centres uses are considered appropriate. The site has an approved planning brief.

## WOSAS

20-Feb-13

This plot was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, with the exception of two shelter belts of trees. It appears to have remained largely undeveloped into the present day, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material relating to previous phases of occupation. As a result, it is possible that we would recommend that archaeological evaluation trenching should take place in advance of any development.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the risk from the small watercourse which flows along the western perimeter of the site. The Flood Risk Assessment should consider any nearby culverts.Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001. No further information provided. It is not recommended that any water resilient features be

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

30-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per approved planning brief. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is a watercourse that forms part of the southern and western boundaries. A 6m buffer would be required from any development to the watercourse. There would also be restoration opportunities to the watercourse through any developments.Scottish Water will advise regarding Sewage Treatment Works capacity

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 Potential noise issue from road traffic.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 There is a small watercourse that runs through the site so any development would require to be subject to an appropriate set back to be agreed with the council. A Flood Risk Assessment is therefore required. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

# 1081 Almond North

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	AN	/	Audit	EOI-001	13	
EOI no	EOI-0013			<b>Consult Position</b>		Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest	Expression of Interest		Consult Update		23-Jan-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	23-Jan-14
The Strategic Develo	pment Plan supports de	velopment wit	hin the core deve	elopment areas	. The sit	te is within an

identified core development area.

It is intended to continue to promote this site for mainstream employment uses supporting class 4 business, class 5 general industrial or class 6 storage and distribution uses, subject to appropriate details.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Continued support of this greenfield release is supported in this instance.

Seafield Primary/Deans Community High, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### Proposed Use

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

17-Mar-13 Continued support this employment allocation.

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 No issues, site is allocated for non-housing use.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Possible requirement for Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment. There is a small watercourse along the south west boundary that should be investigated. Majority of site is likely developable. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Buffer strip required including recommended width to be confirmed by SEPA when details submitted. No other significant issues however.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jul-12 The location of the site is such that there are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties depending on use).

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
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- Centre
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#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 Support continues for this allocation, site within Core Development Area established in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states a possible requirement for Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment. There is a small watercourse along the south west boundary that should be investigated. The majority of site is likely

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The sites lies within the inner, outer and middle consultation zones for the Ineos Wilton to Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline. The hSE and Ineos would both require to be consulted on any planning application for development on this site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes wihin 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, though it is located immediately to the south of West Long Livingston. This farm was shown on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, and the site was also shown on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, though on Roy it is identified as Long Livingston. This indicates that there has been occupation on the site for at least the last 250 years, pre-dating the period of widespread agricultural improvements in the late 18th and early 19th centuries. The plot itself was depicted as largely undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, with the exception of a number of field boundaries and a sheepfold shown on the 2nd edition at the western boundary of the site. Current OS maps and aerial photographs suggest that the plot remains predominantly Greenfield, and does not appear to have been disturbed by extensive development during the modern period. As a result, it retains the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of

# 3242 Almond South

# Livingston

Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Category	Employment and	Business		Consult Upd	ate	19-Nov-13
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
LP Ref / UCS Ref	AS	/	Audit			

 Prianning Officer
 Prime Quality Agricultural Land
 No
 Class Description

 Conclusions
 Brown/Gree
 Greenfield
 Conclusion Date
 19-Nov-13

 The Strategic Development Plan supports development within the core development areas. The site is within an identified core development area.
 No
 Class Description

It is intended to continue to promote this site for mainstream employment uses supporting class 4 business, class 5 general industrial or class 6 storage and distribution uses, subject to appropriate details.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Continued support of this greenfield release is supported in this instance.

Seafield Primary/Deans Community High, Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy, St Marys (Polbeth)/St List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

# **Scottish Enterprise**

17-Mar-13 There is continued support for this employment allocation.

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No issues, site is being promoted for a non housing site.

# WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 The West Calder Burn flows to the south. Information provided from the council states a possible requirement for FRA and DIA. We would support this. Majority of site is likely developable. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A large area of this site appears to be at risk of pluvial flooding. A flood risk assessment will be required to assess the risk of flooding and determine the extent of the site capable of being developed without compromise. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jul-12 The location of the site is such that there are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties depending on use).

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 The West Calder Burn flows to the south. Information provided from the council states a possible requirement for Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for the isie and SEPA would support this as part of the site could be at risk of fluvial flooding from the burn. The development of this site also has the potential to increase the possibility of flooding elsewhere unless there are appropriate mitigation measures in place.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 Two sites have been recorded from within this plot. One is a roofless building, which was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, the other is Gavieside Farm itself. The main farm house is a category B-listed building dating from 1730. Other than these, the plot was shown as being largely undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, with the exception of fields. While there is evidence for large-scale disturbance in the area to the SW of Gavieside, this does not appear to have impinged on the CDA, and modern OS maps and aerial photographs suggest that it has not been subject to substantial previous disturbance during the modern period. This would suggest that the ground retains some potential to

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No significicant issues, detailed assessments would however have to be made at the detailed planning application stage regarding any buffer strip requirements or restoration oppoftunities. The buffer strip is likley to be required of a minimum of

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access requirements to accord with Core Development Area master plan for Gavieside. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The sites lies within the inner, outer and middle consultation zones for the Ineos Wilton to Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline and therefore HSE would require to be consulted on any planning application to develop the site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

19-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1396 Almondvale Stadium NE

LP Ref / UCS Ref	AV008	1		Audit	AV008		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Const	trained			Consult Upd	ate	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	09-Jul-14
This site is preferred for	or developmen	t for housin	a within the	town centre use	es boundary in t	he ador	ted West Lothian

This site is preferred for development for housing within the town centre uses boundary in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan to reflect recent planning permissions.

Site was previously withdrawn from the process by the Council Executive in June 2011.

However, site is now promoted for town centre uses and mixed uses and is within the town centre boundary of the existing adopted West Lothian Local Plan.

This site to the north of the stadium has also benefitted previously from planning permission for residential use.

The site is also partially brownfield and is therefore supported for redevelopment and is also in a sustainable location close to bus routes. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

	Toronto Primary/	Inveralmond Community High, St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 Comments made previously on planning application 0124/ARM/08. Financial contribution required towards RC Secondary School provision, catchment schools are Inveralmond CHS, St. Margaret's Academy, St Ninians RC Primary & Toronto

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-13 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for town centre usesd that may include some residential use which could be higher density flatted development as per policy TC2 in the adopted plan

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-12 No known issues.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No current site provided but this area was part of a previous consultation (EOI-0189). SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond and the small watercourse flowing through the southern area of the site. Site may be constrained due to flood risk. There are no water resilient measures required for this site

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 There is support for the suggested development options for this site and this is a council owned site, which could include some employment uses including town centre uses that include retail, leisure, offices, business, recreational, and high

#### Scottish Water

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Alderstone Road, via existing. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

24-May-13 Development of this site could be potentially affected by noise from activities at the adjacent stadium.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a town centre uses site within the town centre boundary in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 LP Ref does not appear among those listed in GIS shapefile, and no polygon is defined at the supplied grid reference. Three polygons are defined in the vicinity of Almondvale Stadium on Map 3, though none have an LP reference. All fall within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) area, however, in this instance associated with a long cist cemetery recorded in the Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1852 from the area. Although there has been considerable development in the vicinity during the course of the 20th century, some potential may remain for additional burials or associated deposits to survive in the vicinity, particularly in those areas that have been less affected by ground disturbance.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No comments.

# 3329 Livingston Charlesfield Road

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	CEM1	1	Audit		
EOI no			Cons	sult Position	Preferred
Category	Urban Capacity	/ Site	Cons	sult Update	21-May-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural La	and No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	J	Brown/Gree	Concl	lusion Date	21-May-14
This site is a continuat proposed will continue			etery extension at Charlesfield	d Road in Livi	ngston, that it is
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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WOSAS

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns, no specific restoration requirements.

# **WLC Education**

21-May-14 No issues, site is allocated for cemetery use.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns. It is noted that therer is a drain at the southern end of the site.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 Detailed landscaping would require to be assessed through any detailed planning application, support for continued allocation of site for cemetery use.

## **WLC Transportation**

21-May-14 Access and parking would require to be assessed through any detailed planning application.

#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 No comments, site is allocated for cemetery use.

#### SNH

23-May-12 No adverse comments

#### WLC Economic Property Development

21-May-14 No comments, site is allocated for cemetery use.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Environmental Health

21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns. It is noted that therer is a drain at the southern end of the site.

# 3172 Almondvale Stadium Alderstone Road Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU10/11 /	TCU 5,6 & 7	Audit	EOI-018	9	
EOI no	EOI-0189			Consult Posi	tion	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest (WIT	HDRAWN)		Consult Upd	ate	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality A	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	09-Jul-14
Site was previously w	ithdrawn from the proces	s by the Cou	ncil Executive	in June 2011.		

However, site is now promoted for town centre uses and mixed uses and is within the town centre boundary of the existing adopted West Lothian Local Plan.

The site to the north of the stadium has also benefitted previously from planning permission for residential use.

The site is also partially brownfield and is therefore supported for redevelopment and is also in a sustainable location close to bus routes. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

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# Proposed Use

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 Any proposals for housing will be assessed against catchments schools and school capacity at the time of any application and developer contributions will be payable for RC Secondary catchment and may be required for other catchments. Catchments are St Margaret's Rc Sedcondary, Inverlmond CHS, Toronto Primary and St Ninians RC Primary.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment required due to proximity of the River Almond if the site is to be redeveloped. No apparent issues however as site largely built out.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Jan-14 From an Open Space Strategy perspective, there are no objections to this proposal.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Environmental Health

23-Jan-14 design requirement for protection of residential developments from commercial noise.

## **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Water**

23-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the EAST CALDER AVSE PFI waste water treatment works (WWTW)

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

23-Jan-14 Planning consents are in place for a mixed use. The general mix of residential and town centre uses remains appropriate.

#### WLC Waste Management

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 Former landfill known to be present in the area. Exact location unknown. Developers should satisfy themselves that all matters relating to ground conditions have been assessed.

#### **WLC Transportation**

23-Jan-14 Access via existing onto Alderstone Raod. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### Scottish Enterprise

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns. Ensure supply of effective allocated employment sites exists to adequately support the predicted level of demand that is anticipated.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

23-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond and the small watercourse which flows through the south east corner of the site. Consideration should be given to any structures which may increase flood risk to the site. Re development of the site could increase the risk of flood risk out with this site unless there is appropriate mitigation. Part of the site would be at potential fluvial flood risk from the River Almond that runs within 30m of the northern and eastern boundaries in terms of the risk of flooding of 1 in 200 years. Development of this site could also

#### SNH

23-Jan-14 Site already largely under development with existing stadium and separate, adjacent supermarket. Protected species known to be in the vicinity, therefore a biodiversity assessment should accompany any planning application. Existing use suggests majority of the site has low natural heritage interest at present. Boundary of the site to north and east is more natural (area outwith red line). The existing path network should be retained and integrated as this offers wider links and opportunities for

#### WOSAS

23-Jan-14 Much of this plot lies within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) relating to a record of cists having been found in the area prior to the mid 19th century. Although the precise find-spot of these features could not be identified, the possibility that additional unrecorded examples may be present cannot be wholly discounted. However, much of the plot has also been subject to reasonably substantial levels of previous development, and there is a limited potential for buried deposits to survive in sections of the plot that are occupied by modern buildings, roads or car-parking. While it is not possible to wholly discount the archaeological potential of

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

23-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual

#### Site west of Manitoba Avenue and Nelson Avenue, 3141

#### LP Ref / UCS Ref COU21 Audit EOI-0159 1 EOI no EOI-0159 **Consult Position** Dismissed Category Expression of Interest (WITHDRAWN) **Consult Update** 11-Jul-14 **Planning Officer** Prime Quality Agricultural Land No **Class Description** Conclusions **Brown/Gree** Greenfield **Conclusion Date** 11-Jul-14 This site was withdrawn form the assessment process by the Council Executive on 28 June 2011. Toronto Primary/Inveralmond Community High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets Academy

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**Proposed Use** 

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) 09-Jul-13 under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### NHS - Lothian

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# 3155 Lammermuir-Owen Square

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU25	1		Audit	EOI-017	2	
EOI no	EOI-0172				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest				Consult Upd	late	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	18-Nov-13

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope and contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme.

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#### **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14 Coal reso legacy. Ir

Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

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In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

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Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns. Ensure supply of effective allocated employment sites exists to adequately support the predicted level of demand that is anticipated.

#### Historic Scotland

23-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 The nearest water body of any significance is the River Almond (Breich Water confluence to Maitland Bridge) that lies 450m north of the site. There is also the Dedridge Burn that lies within 30 of the eastern boundary of the site. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are also no restoration opprtunities.

#### WOSAS

23-Jan-14 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this site which contains a number of large modern office buildings and associated car-parks. Although the area was shown as being undeveloped on 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, the large amounts of ground disturbance associated with these modern developments means that there is a low potential for archaeological material to survive.

#### SEPA - Flooding

23-Jan-14 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site or any flood resilient

#### Scottish Water

23-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water main extensions may be required.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity. Sewer extensions may be required.

#### **WLC Education**

23-Jan-14 Education support.

#### SNH

23-Jan-14 No records.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 Site assessed previously for draft planning brief. Flooding from Kenilworth can be overcome. There is no requirement for a flood risk assessment however developers are advised that there is a history of flooding associated with the flow of surface water from Kenilworth Rise to the south of the site into the underpass beneath Dedridge East Road and onto the site of the former Lammermuir House. Developers will be required to have regard to this and mitigate the risk of flooding by routing this back to the watercourse.

There is some susceptibility to pluvial flooding caused by runoff from higher ground flowing on the remote footpath networks into the site. It should be possible to eliminate this issue through effective engineering. The usual attenuation and treatment

#### WLC Waste Management

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WLC Transportation

23-Jan-14 Access via existing at Owen Square and Morris Square. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 Car parking and former demolition site. Site Investigation likely to be required.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

- 23-Jan-14 Planning gain equivalent to play provision of 400m2 would be required. Landscaping should be sensitive and appropriate for the location.
- 12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC Economic Property Development

23-Jan-14 Support mixed use development.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

23-Jan-14 No issues.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via existing at Owen Square and Morris Square. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 3162 Site north of Deans Community High School

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU33	1		Audit	EOI-0179	)	
EOI no	EOI-0179				Consult Posit	ion	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest				Consult Upda	te	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree	Mixed		Conclusion Da	ite	19-Nov-13
The site was originally	promoted by the cou	incil fo	or residenti	al use. However, it	is likely that th	ne Dea	ns Community High

School will now have to be extended, therefore its is intended to safeguard the site for a possible school extension.

The site is within the settlement envelope of Livingston and is also partially brownfield.

Meldrum Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy

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# **WLC Education**

23-Jan-14 Education support - contributions required for denominational secondary school and St John Ogilvies Primary School, if site developed for housing. Site now promoted however for possible extension to Deans CHS.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

23-Jan-14 No comments.

# SNH

23-Jan-14 No records.

#### **Scottish Water**

23-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water mains extensions may be required.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity. Sewer extensions may be required.

#### **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 No known issues. Car Park on site. Site Investigation likely to be required.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

23-Jan-14 No issues.

# WLC Transportation

23-Jan-14 Use existing access. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 There is no significant water body nearby the site and there is no buffer strip required or any restoration opportunities.

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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **WLC Waste Management**

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

# WOSAS

23-Jan-14 No sites have been recorded from within this site. Although the area is shown as undeveloped on historic OS maps, construction of the school and its associated landscaping is likely to have required substantial amounts of earth-moving, meaning that there is a low potential for archaeological material to have survived.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Existing access to be used. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Jan-14 Planning gain equivalent to fully equipped play area 2500 m2 and kick pitch equivalence of 1300m2 would be required. Landscaping should be sensitive and appropriate for the location. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 This site is at risk of pluvial flooding caused by runoff from higher ground. It ought to be possible to minimise this problem through effective engineering though that will depend on Scottish water accepting land drainage which is currently contrary to its policies. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### Scottish Enterprise

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

# **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

23-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual

# **SEPA - Flooding**

23-Jan-14 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There have been surface water issues recorded nearby in 2007, 2008, and 2009. There is also no requirement for water resilient measures recommended. Development of this site will not increase any flood risk potential out with this site also.

#### **Historic Scotland**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

# 1015 James Young High School Blaes Pitch

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COU35	/ LIV 24	Audit	31229	
			Consult Position	Preferred
Enquiries Possible			Consult Update	10-Jul-14

 Planning Officer
 Prime Quality Agricultural Land
 No
 Class Description

 Conclusions
 Brown/Gree
 Brownfield
 Conclusion Date
 10-Jul-14

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

The site is to be safeguarded for a possible extension to James Young High School.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

There has been a planning brief previously appoved on the site for mixed uses.

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# WLC Education

LP Ref / UCS Ref

EOI no Category

22-Nov-13 No adverse comments, site to be safeguarded for possible extension to James Young High.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-13 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This site was shown as undeveloped farmland on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps. On current aerial photographs, however, it is shown as being occupied by artificial sports pitches associated with the James Young High. Construction of this feature is likely to have removed any material associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, the development of this plot is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

# Livingston

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 Residential development is considered appropriate.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 Culvert close by on the eastern side of the site that drains to the River Almond, however this is not considered to be an impediment to any development potential on the site and also the site can be wet in nature. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

# WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 Potential noise conflict arising from road and recreation ground noise.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the culvert which is shown to flow beneath the site. The applicant should be minded that Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' states that "Buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active.". Surface water issues/water ponding recorded nearby in 2001 and 2008. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing at unnamed road serving supermarket. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### SEPA - Water Environment

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any buffer strip to any watercourse and there are no restoration opportunities. Scottish Water will advise regarding any Sewage Treatment Work Capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

# 3159 Site East of Glen Road Junction

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU8	1	Audit	EOI-017	6	
EOI no	EOI-0176			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upd	ate	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	18-Nov-13
Although priority is to	be given to developme	ent of brownfiel	d land, there is n	ot enouah brow	nfield la	nd to meet

requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance.

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme and is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

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# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Jan-14 From an Open Space Strategy perspective, this area of Deans is served by Central Recreation Area Local Park to the West so at least some of this area could be considered for the appropriate density of council housing. However, should this area be developed for housing then we need to secure adequate funding to improve the quality, accessibility and design of Central Recreation Area Local Park. Also need to assess if traffic calming is required on Nellburn so that park users can safely access Central Recreation Area Park.

#### **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **Historic Scotland**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

#### 23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access will require to accord with draft planning guidelines being prepared for the next phase of council house build on the site. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

23-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual

#### **WLC Waste Management**

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

23-Jan-14 No potential issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

23-Jan-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the EAST CALDER AVSE PFI waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# WLC Transportation

23-Jan-14 Access will require to accord with draft planning guidelines being prepared for the next phase of council house build on the site. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. The Nell Burn is culverted to the northeast of the site and flows in an open channel to the east of the site.

#### WLC Education

23-Jan-14 Hall and classroom extension may be required at St John Ogilvies Primary School.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

23-Jan-14 No comments.

Update at 25 June 2013 - Site approved by Council Executive 25 June 2013 as contributing to the council house build

#### **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## SNH

23-Jan-14 Opportunity to maintain existing path connections through site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

23-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Surface water issues were recorded nearby in 2007, 2008 and 2009. The Nell Burn is culverted to the northeast of the site and flows in an open channel to the east of the site. The OS map indicates a sufficient height difference between the site and the watercourse.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities and there are no other comments.

# WOSAS

23-Jan-14 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the north of Huntly Avenue. It was depicted as largely undeveloped on early OS map editions, with the exception of a shelter belt running across the northern portion of the site. It does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern disturbance, suggesting that there may be some potential for buried deposits relating to earlier

phases of development to survive, though it would be necessary to determine the extent to which the services for the

#### WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 No known issues. However, developers should satisfy themselves that all matters relating to ground conditions have been

# 2681 Deans House

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# Livingston

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EOI no	EOI-0180				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest (WITHDRAWN)			Consult Update		18-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	18-Nov-13
Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet							
requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance.							

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The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme and is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

23-Jan-14 No potential issues identified.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Jan-14 From an OSS perspective, this area of Deans is served by Central Recreation Area Local Park to the South so at least some of this area could be considered for the appropriate density and design of housing. Should this area be developed for housing then we need to secure adequate funding to improve the quality, accessibility and design of Central Recreation

#### Scottish Water 23-Jan-14 In t

In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the EAST CALDER AVSE PFI waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

A 450mm vitrified clay surface water pipe transects the Eastern edge of the site curtilage along with vitrified clay foul sewer pipes in the North Easter quadrant of the site.

Should the site layout require dwellings or structures to be built over this infrastructure, or require heavy plant or site access to cross it, the developer should contact Scottish Water (Customer Connections) to discuss what protective measures or possible re-routing of such infrastructure to be carried out by the developer prior to any development taking place.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

23-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS - Lothian**

23-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual

### WLC Education

23-Jan-14 Hall and classroom extension may be required at St John Ogilvie's Primary School.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

23-Jan-14 There is a requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment for this site but not for a Drainage Assessment for this site. There are also no Water Resilient Measures recommended for this site.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

23-Jan-14 No known issues. However, developers should satisfy themselves that all matters relating to ground conditions have been

### **Scottish Enterprise**

23-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### **Transport Scotland**

23-Jan-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

23-Jan-14 No comments.

Update at 25 June 2013 - Site approved by Council Executive 25 June 2013 as contributing to the council house build

#### **Historic Scotland**

23-Jan-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

#### WOSAS

23-Jan-14 This site was shown as undeveloped ground on early OS maps, with the exception of a shelter belt running across its western end. It is also shown as undeveloped on modern OS maps, meaning that there may be some potential for buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation to survive, though the limited size of the plot and the fact that there has been large-scale development in the surrounding area is likely to reduce this substantially.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

23-Jan-14 No comments.

#### WLC Waste Management

23-Jan-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

# **WLC Transportation**

23-Jan-14 Access will require to accord with draft planning guidelines being prepared for the next phase of council house build on the site. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **Coal Authority**

23-Jan-14

Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# SNH

23-Jan-14 No comments.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 2300 Caputhall Road East

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# Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Po	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Update		19-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield	Conclusion	Conclusion Date	
The site is allocated for employment land supplication	•	Vest Lothian L	ocal Plan and contributes towar	ds to es	tablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

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# WLC Education

I P Ref / UCS Ref

09-Jul-14 No comments, proposal is for a non housing use allocation.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

09-Jul-14 No comments

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **Coal Authority**

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are also no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues, although adjacent to former shale bing, Phase I Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues, no Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment required.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via Caputhall Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic No sites have been recorded from within this plot. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that there has been a degree of previous disturbance on the site, associated with former extractive activities, with the 2nd and 3rd edition maps showing two small pits or quarries towards the western end of the site. These do not appear on modern OS maps of the area, and there does not appear to be any map evidence to suggest that the plot itself has been previously affected by largescale quarrying, which could suggest that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. Current aerial photographs suggest, however, that there may have been previous dumping on

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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# 2301 Caputhall Road Central

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# Livingston

			Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Update		19-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Conclusion Date	
The site is allocated for employment land supp	•	st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes towar	ds to es	tablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy Status Proposed Use

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# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

I P Ref / UCS Ref

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jul-11 No specific comments.

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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No comments, site is allocated for a non housing use.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

# WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues, although adjacent to former shale bing, Phase I Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

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### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues, there is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Caputhall Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. It was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition OS map, though by the 2nd edition, a mineral railway line was shown running across the SW corner of the plot. This feature was also sown on the 3rd edition, though there is no indication from these maps that the plot itself was substantially affected by mining. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that it remains as open ground, which could suggest that it may retain the potential to produce buried deposits, though it is possible that landscaping associated with the creation of the industrial estate may have had an impact on these. The extent of these previous groundworks is uncertain.

#### **Historic Scotland**

22-Apr-13 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 2302 Caputhall Road West

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# Livingston

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Category	Employment and Business		Consult Up	Consult Update	
Planning Officer		Р	rime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	<b>Conclusion Date</b>	
The site is allocated for employment land supp		st Lothian Loca	I Plan and contributes toward	ds to est	tablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-14 No comments.

# WLC Education

LP Ref / UCS Ref

02-Nov-13 No comments as site proposed relates to a non housing use.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are also no restoration opportunities for this site.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues, there is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **Coal Authority**

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#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, which was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. This could suggest that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation, , though it is possible that landscaping associated with the creation of the industrial estate may have had an impact on these. The extent of these previous groundworks is uncertain, though current maps show slopes to the north and east of the plot, suggesting that an artificial platform may have been created. If this is the case, it would have an impact on the

#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### **SEPA - Flooding**

09-Jul-13 No issues

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Caputhall Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

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# Livingston

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Category	Employment and	Business		Consult Upo	date	31-Mar-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	31-Mar-14
The site is allocated for	r development i	in the Wes	t Lothian Local Plan and co	ntributes towar	ds to est	ablished
employment land supp	ly for West Loth	hian. The s	ite is allocted specifcally for	waste manage	ement us	ses in the adopted
Plan, however, the cou	incil is now pur	suing alterr	ntaive sites in this regard, th	erefore the site	e lends it	self to more
mainstream employme	ent uses, i.e. Cla	ass 4 (busi	ness), class 5 (general indu	strial) or class	6 (storag	ge and distribution).

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are

#### Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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**Proposed Use** 

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

09-Jul-14 Landscaping and tree planting/protection would require to be agreed at the detailed planning application.

#### **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 No comments, site is being promoted for a non housing use.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

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#### **WLC Waste Management**

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#### SNH

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# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues, there is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Draiange Assessment for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - Part of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

30-Jun-11 No known issues, although adjacent to former shale bing, Phase I Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Caputhall Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

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# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is a small drain adjacent to the site. Consideration should be given to ensure there is no increase in runoff. The development of this site could lead to the increased risk of flooding to othr land outwith this site. There is no requirement however for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are no water resileint measures

# **Transport Scotland**

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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

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# WOSAS

31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st edition OS map. By the time of the 2nd edition, the western end of the plot had been affected by a large quarry, which extended to the west. By the time of the 3rd edition, a number of additional small quarries were shown across the centre of the plot. Post-WWII maps show that much of the plot was subsequently subsumed by a large tip of waste material, and as a result, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be necessary in relation to the development of the plot.

# 2318 Brucefield Park West

FLv2

# Livingston

			Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business	;	Consult Up	date	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated fo employment land supp		/est Lothian L	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds to est	tablished	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Bellsquarry Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# **WLC Environmental Health**

08-Nov-13 No comments

# **Historic Scotland**

I P Ref / UCS Ref

22-Nov-13 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No issues, site is being promoted for a non residential use.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

01-Nov-13 No comments.

# WOSAS

25-Oct-13 No archaeology of any significance within or in close proximity of the site.

#### **Scottish Water**

22-Nov-13 No issues, developer would require to accord with any consents and technical permits required by Scottish Water.

# **Transport Scotland**

09-Jul-14 s a result of sites submitted particularly along the M8, M9 and at Newbridge and adjacent to the M8 at Junctions 3 and 4, Transport Scotland would recommend an appropriate level of appraisal is undertaken prior to producing the MIR to include a cumulative appraisal of the potential impact of sites on the strategic network including the M8 and M9. Appraisal will help identify any potential wider cumulative impacts and infrastructure improvements necessary to deliver the selected sites across the strategic network; and identify specific impacts and mitigation measures that may be required. This information should be included within the plan and associated Action Programme. Appraisal should be cognisant of the potential phasing of developments to ensure development completion and the sequencing of associated infrastructure delivery is

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues however it is noted that SEPA would require a Flood Risk Assessment for this site.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 The site should be retained as an allocation as no work has started on site and should be retained as an employment allocation within the established employment area boundary.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

19-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment for the site which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (potentially culverted) which flows along the south and west boundary. Potential development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Brucefield Park West. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. factory works and quarrying, have operated within the immediate vicinity of the site.

#### **Appleton Parkway West** 2292

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv21	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment a	and Business			Consult Upo	date	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			t Lothian L	ocal Plan and conti	ributes toward	ds to es	tablished

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

	Peel Primary/	Inveralmond Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is alloacted for a non housing use.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. 14-Jun-12

#### **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Culverting of Lochshot Burn not permissible. The council would require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows to the south of the site. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Parts of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### Scottish Water

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Situated adjacent to former oil works; army barracks formerly present on site. Investigation likely to be required.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that culverting of Lochshot Burn not permissible. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows to the south of the site. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. A small part of the allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Lochshot Burn to the south of the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map). There are no watre resilient measures required for this site.

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

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#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this alloocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### WOSAS

31-Mav-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, this being the former site of Barracks farmstead. This was depicted roofed on the 1st edition of the 6-inch OS map, on which it was shown as an L-shaped steading with separate house with garden to the S. The depiction of the steading shows evidence of a horse-engine house on its W side. The OS Name Book states 'this is a small farm steading with dwelling house of one storey and garden attached, occupied by Mr Robert Gibson, the Earl of Rosebery is proprietor (ONB 1855). It was shown on Johnston's County map, and on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, but it is not depicted on the current edition of the OS 1:10000 scale map. Other than this, the plot was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13

Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 3239 Appleton Parkway West

EL v22

# Livingston

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EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Bu	usiness			Consult Upo	date	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brov	vn/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			t Lothian L	ocal Plan and co	ontributes toward	ds to es	tablished

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# Proposed Use

# WLC Education

I P Rof / LICS Rof

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is a non housing site.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-14 No comments

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jul-12 No issues identified.

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SUDs system in site to serve railway run off. No apparent issues. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip on this site and there are no restoration opportunities.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the north of Houstoun Road West. It was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, and still appears as Greenfield on modern OS maps of the area, which could suggest some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# Scottish Enterprise

This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been 13-Mar-12 developed, this alloocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment and there are also no restoration opportunities for this site. There are also no water resileint measures required for this site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 2291 Appleton Parkway NE

EL v23

# Livingston

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EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and B	usiness			Consult Upo	late	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brow	vn/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and	contributes toward	ds to es	tablished

Δudit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

I P Ref / UCS Ref

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is proposed for a non housing use.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### NHS - Lothian

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# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

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#### **Coal Authority**

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. No development has taken place on this allocation that should remain within an employment area boundary.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

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03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

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09-Jul-13

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27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. On these maps, the northern and eastern boundaries of the plot were defined by shelter belts, and these features still appear on modern OS maps of the area. These form an element of the former designed landscape associated with the former Livingston House. This designed landscape was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the ground has not been substantially affected by development over the 19th and 20th centuries, suggesting that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits

# 994 Employment Site Elv24 (Residential EOI + app)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv24-COU20 /		Audit	EOI-022	1	
EOI no	EOI-0221			Consult Posi	tion	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Undecided			Consult Upd	ate	01-Apr-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	01-Apr-14
The site is to be de-all	ocated from class 4 and	d 5 uses and v	will revert to a hou	ising use, subje	ect to av	vailability of
infstructure to serve th	e site, in particular Edu	cation infrastr	ucture, as propos	ed under subm	ission I	EOI-0221 given the

predominace of surrounding residential uses and other compatible uses such as Eliburn Park.

This site is within the settlement boundary and would present a logical next phase of residential development.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance.

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#### Proposed Use

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. If land is lost to promoted residential use, compensatory employment land should be provided elsewhere.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Parts of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a small watercourse to the east of the site. A buffer strip is recommended from any development on this site to the watercourse of 6m. There are no restoration opportunities. Surface water drainage should consider Eliburn reservoir uses.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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# Livingston

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
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# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. On these maps, the western boundary of the plot was occupied by the Barracks Strip shelter belt, which forms an element of the former designed landscape associated with the former Livingston House. This designed landscape was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. The northern boundary was occupied by the railway, and the eastern boundary by the Nell Burn. All of these features are still shown on modern OS maps of the area. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the ground has not been substantially affected by development over the 19th and 20th centuries, suggesting that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA would support this. Majority of site is likely developable. There is the potential that development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. The Nell Burn lies within 10m of the eastern

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Existing access off Houston Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Existing access off Houston Road to accord with planning application layout, access via recently constructed roundabout. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

. 09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2293 Appleton Parkway East (Expression of interest)

#### LP Ref / UCS Ref ELv25 Audit EOI-0222 1 EOI no EOI-0222 **Consult Position** Preferred Category **Employment and Business Consult Update** 31-Mar-14 **Planning Officer Class Description** Prime Quality Agricultural Land No Conclusions **Brown/Gree** Greenfield **Conclusion Date** 31-Mar-14 The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

This site has also been identified by the Scottish Government as an 'Enterprise Area' following the closure of Vion in Broxburn. A broadening of the range of uses beyond classes 4 (business) and 5 (general industrial) to include class 6 (storage and distribution). The site is also no longer required to be promoted as a single user site as confirmed in the Consolidated Scottish Planning Policy, February 2010.

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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is alloacted/promoted for non housing site uses.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. The suggested change to the status of this site is supported from previous established single user status as no longer required by Scottish Planning

# **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Development must respect the location of the Lochshot Burn. A Flood Risk Assessment is required which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows along the southern boundary. In addition, there are small drains which flow along the northern and eastern boundaries which should be assessed. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Parts of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. There are also small open watercourses on this site. It is expected that these will remain open and aboveground. The developer should design his layout accordingly. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. On these maps, the eastern boundary of the plot was occupied by the Barracks Strip shelter belt, which forms an element of the former designed landscape associated with the former Livingston House. This designed landscape was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. The southern boundary was occupied by trees running along the side of the Longshot Burn. All of these features are still shown on modern OS maps of the area. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the ground has not been substantially affected by development over the 19th and 20th centuries, suggesting that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are small watercourses throughout the site and there would be the requirement for a 6m buffer from any development to the watercourses. There are no restoration opportunities.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows along the southern boundary. In addition, there is are small drains which flow along the northern and eastern boundaries which should be assessed. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. This site allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Lochshot Burn south of the site (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Maps). The Lochshot Burn is within 20m of the southern boundary of the site and also flows intom the Eliburn Reservoir, which itself is 140m from the eastern boundary of the site at its closest

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to x height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 2294 Appleton Parkway South (Expression of interest)

Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv26	/		Audit	EOI-022	23	
EOI no	EOI-0223				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment and E	Business			Consult Upc	late	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	09-Jul-14
The site is allocated for	or development ir	n the Wes	t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cor	ntributes toward	ds to es	tablished
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employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.y of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. The widening iof the range of uses to incorporate class 6 (storage and distribution uses) is proposed to be accepted.

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#### Proposed Use

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Development must respect the location of the Lochshot Burn. The council require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows along the northern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Parts of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Feb-13 The suggested change to the status of this site is supported for class 6 storage and distribution use. The site should however remain within the employment area boundary.

# WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip on this site and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Lochshot Burn which flows along the northern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable however. Potential development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. This allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the Lochshot Burn that lies within 35 of the northern boundary of the site at its closest point.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. On these maps, part of the northern boundary was occupied by trees running along the Lochshot Burn. The burn itself is shown on current OS maps, though there appears to have been some expansion of tree cover during the 20th century. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the ground has not been substantially affected by development over the 19th and 20th centuries, suggesting that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 2295 Appleton Parkway South West

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv27	1	Audi	t		
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred
Category	Employment and	d Business		Consult Upd	ate	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Q	ality Agricultural Land	No	Class Description
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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. The siet has also been partially developed.

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# **Proposed Use**

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 09-Jan-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

09-Jan-14 No comments.

# WLC Education

09-Jul-14 No issues as site is proposed for non housing use.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary.

#### **Coal Authority**

The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. 12-Mar-13 If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Site mostly built out. A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. Poorly designed basin in place on site. No other specific issues. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Part of this site is occupied by an existing sustainable drainage pond which treats runoff from other parts of the units on Appleton Place. The developer will be expected to provide appropriate setback from this feature. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID 18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a small burn along the site boundary to the west of the site. A buffer strip is required to a minimum distnace of 6m. There are no restoration opportunities.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

24-Sep-12 The location of the site is such that there are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties (depending on use).

### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

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# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. With the exception of a number of field boundaries, the area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, though it does lie reasonably close to the former site of East Long Livingston farmstead. The western boundary of the plot extends to an area of shelter belt, which forms an element of the former designed landscape associated with the former Livingston House. This designed landscape was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. Current OS maps indicate that the northern section of the site is occupied by a large modern building, while a pond (presumably relating to a SUDs system or similar) is shown towards the middle of the site. Construction of these features is likely to have had a detrimental effect on the potential for buried deposits

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (potentially culverted) which flows along the western boundary. This allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map). There are no water resilient

### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2052 Appleton Parkway South East

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv28	1		Audit	EOI-002	24	
EOI no	EOI-0024				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	09-Jul-14
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The council has granted planning permission for residential development and also employment units on this site, via Section 75 legal agreement. This site is part of employment allocation ELv28 in the adopted local plan and part of that allocation will remain (see also EOI-0024). The part of the site granted for housing will be de-allocated.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance. The site is also within the settlement envelope of Livingston.

The site is allocated for employment uses in the West Lothian Local Plan and the land to remain as employment land will continue to contribute towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

	Peel Primary/	Inveralmond Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
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# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No comments as site relates to a on housing site.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there are potential noise issues for nearby residential properties (depending on use).

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 In hand, basin in site check application 0056/P/12, S75 still to be signed off.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
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- Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Removal of part of site that is in the flood plain from the allocation. Part of the site has been granted, subject to Section 75 Obligation, for housing and employment use. Redrawing of allocation and employment area boundary would be required for

#### **Scottish Water**

12-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any stand off to any water body or watercourse and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water resilient measures required also.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing roundabout at Appleton Parkway. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. It was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, and still appears as Greenfield on modern OS maps of the area, which could suggest some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. However, modern aerial photographs suggest that the area has recently been subject to large-scale earth-moving associated with site preparation works, which is likely to have destroyed any buried material that may have been present in the areas of the plot that have been affected by these operations.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to x height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2319 Brucefield East

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I P Ref / UCS Ref

# Livingston

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EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Bus	siness		Consult Up	date	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown	ı/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for employment land sup	•		st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes towar	ds to est	ablished	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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Bellsquarry Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

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#### Proposed Use

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-14 No comments

### **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 No comments, site is being promoted for a non housing use.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues. Within Industrial Estate, Phase 1 likely to be required.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

24-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities or water resilient measures required.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Brucefield Park West. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located to the west of Brucefield Park East Road. The area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, located immediately to the north of an area of Woodland known as North Wood. Current OS maps and aerial photographs suggest that the ground does not appear to have been affected by

modern development over the 19th and 20th centuries, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12

Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Nettlehill Road West 2322

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv30	/		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business				Consult Update		19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.							

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

	St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academ		
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#### WLC Education

22-Nov-14 No issues, site is proposed for non housing use.

# WLC Economic Property Development

Site should be retained in employment use, in an employment area boundary as the site is under construction as of March 15-Jun-12

#### **Coal Authority**

The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. 12-Mar-13 If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# NHS - Lothian

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of 19-Mar-13 ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip to any watercourse or water body and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Possible removal of allocation from LDP process, site is under construction. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Parts of this site appear prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Nettlehill Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are no water resilient measures required also.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the north of Nettlehill Road. . It was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, and still appears as Greenfield on modern OS maps of the area, which could suggest some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. The potential for this is likely to be largely dependent on the extent to which the plot was disturbed previously during works to create the adjacent industrial estate and road network. Current aerial photographs appear to suggest that there has been some previous earthmoving on

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## 2327 Firth Road West

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## Livingston

			Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upd	late	14-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion E	Date	14-Jul-14
This site has been com	npleted.				

Audit

Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy, Houston Industrial Estate/St Margarets Academy List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

## WLC Waste Management

LP Ref / UCS Ref

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip stand off and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues. Within Industrial Estate. Phase 1 Contaminated Lan Assessment likley to be required.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Remove from LDP process as site has been completed. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

12-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. Consent granted for warehouse building in May 2011.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

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#### SEPA - Flooding

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sit with t

No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located within the existing Houston Industrial Estate. Comparison with the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps indicate that the plot was undeveloped ground during the 19th century, and though current maps indicate that it still remains as Greenfield, it appears likely that it may have been affected to some extent by the creation of the industrial estate and provision of infrastructure. While it may therefore retain some potential to produce material relating to earlier phases of occupation, this potential may not be particularly high.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

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## 2328 Firth Road South

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## Livingston

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EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Busines	S		Consult Up	date	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality	/ Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supplication	or development in the V	Nest Lothian I	ocal Plan and	d contributes towar	ds to es	tablished

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Site partially built out. Drainage issues potential could also be discharge issues, run off from field to south, old culvert previously severed, site should feed into sewer. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

LP Ref / UCS Ref

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no buffer strip required and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues. Within Industrial Estate. Phase 1 Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Firth Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are also no water resileint measures required for this site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WOSAS 31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located within the existing Houston Industrial Estate. Comparison with the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps indicate that the plot was largely undeveloped ground during the 19th century, though the line of a road running through the plot was depicted on both maps. Current maps indicate that it still remains as Greenfield, though it appears likely that it may have been affected to some extent by the creation of the industrial estate and provision of infrastructure. The course of the former road can still be identified on modern OS maps and aerial photographs, however, suggesting that the plot may not have been substantially affected by these operations, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

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## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## 2323 Nettlehill Road East

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## Livingston

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EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment a	nd Business			Consult Upo	late	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and con	tributes toward	ds to est	tablished

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

 St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

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22-Nov-14 No issues, site is proposed for non housing use.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties (depending

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip to any watercourse or water body and there are no restoration opportunities either.

#### **Scottish Water**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 No known issues. Within Industrial Estate. Phase 1 Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. A 2007 office use planning permission has lapsed.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

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### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Culvert issue through the site, water bodies to south of site that are covered. An issue to be aware of. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto Nettlehill Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. With the exception of a line of trees, it was shown as being undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. It also appears as undeveloped ground on current OS maps and aerial photographs, though it appears likely that it may have been affected to some extent by the creation of the industrial estate and

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Jun-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water resilient measures required either.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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## 3240 Simpson Parkway

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## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upd	ate	23-Jan-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion E	Date	23-Jan-14	
he site is allocated fo land supply for West	•	Lothian Loo	cal Plan and contributes towards	to esta	ablished employment	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

LP Ref / UCS Ref

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No comments, site is a non housing site.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues. Within indsutrial area. Phase 1 Contaminated Land assessment likely to be required.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jul-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opprtunities required either.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No comments to make. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed, can be removed as an allocation and continue to be within an employment area boundary.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. It was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, though a stand of trees was depicted in the centre of the plot. These trees also appear on current OS maps of the area, suggesting that the plot has not been subject to extensive scarping or leveling. This would suggest that there may be some potential for buried deposits relating to earlier phases of activity to survive within the plot, though the plot itself covers a

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water resilient measures required also.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

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## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12

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## 2311 Former Rosebank Nursery

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv39	1		Audit	EOI-018	81	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment	and Business			Consult Upo	date	12-Dec-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	12-Dec-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cor	ntributes towar	ds to es	tablished

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

The site has an approved planning brief.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The)

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

31-Mar-14 No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 There is support for this suggested change to part of this this employment allocation from the adopted plan to permit class 2 (financial, professional and other servces) as well as existing class 4 (business use) allocations on the site as proposed also in Expression of Interest submission reference EOI-0181 and this is a council owned site. Removal of part of the site allocation that is in the flood plain is also required.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The site is straddled by the Killandean Burn that traverses the northern boundary of the site. There is a small watercourse traverses through the site also. A 6m buffer strip would be required from any development to the watercourse that runs through the site and a 12m buffer is required between any development on the site and the Killandean Burn. There are no

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The lower part of this site is at risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the Killandean Burn. It is unlikely the lower part of the site would, however, be considered for development. A small area on the upper platform appears to be susceptible to the accumulation of surface water. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Planning permission (0453/FUL/09) has been granted for the construction of a new access road into the site. This establishes the most appropriate location for a new junction. The three existing access points no longer to be used and will require to be removed and the existing east / west footpath reinstated across those openings and the grass verge relandscaped. Internal access roads to take the form as approved by planning permission 0453/FUL/09. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA would support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Killandean Burn which flows along the eastern boundary of the site. In addition, there are small watercourses which flow through the site which should be assessed. Potential site constraints due to flood risk. A small part of the site potentially at medium to high risk of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, though comparison with available historical maps indicates that a farmstead named Rosebank formerly existed within its boundaries. This was depicted on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps. The core of this farmstead also appears on modern OS maps of the area, as Rosebank House, though various ancillary structures appear to have been removed. If this house were to be demolished as part of any application for the development of the site as a whole, some form of historic building recording may be necessary. The remainder of the plot was depicted as undeveloped farmland on the 1st and 2nd edition maps, and is shown in a similar way on modern OS coverages. Current aerial photographs, however, show the presence of various buildings and areas of hardstanding, and suggest that the area to the north of Rosebank House has also been disturbed. These elements presumably relate to the former use of the site as a plant nursery. Much of the plot does not appear to have been subject to extensive modern disturbance, however, and may therefore retain some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## 3164 Rosebank - Kirkton Campus

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv39 /		Audit	EOI-0181	
EOI no	EOI-0181			Consult Position	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Update	12-Dec-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultu	Iral Land No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Brownfield	(	Conclusion Date	12-Dec-13
	or development in the W	est Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contribution	utes towards to e	established

employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

The site has an approved planning brief.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

Current Status

#### Proposed Use

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No comments site is proposed for non housing use.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

22-May-13 Detailed comments on landscaping requirements will be provided at any detailed planning application stage. Some woodland on the site should however be retained and protected frok development where possible.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The lower part of this site is at risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the Killandean Burn. It is unlikely the lower part of the site would, however, be considered for development. A small area on the upper platform appears to be susceptible to the accumulation of surface water. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

## Livingston

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Feb-13 There is support for this suggested change to this employment allocation from the adopted plan to permit class 2 (financial, professional and other servces) as well as existing class 4 (business use) allocations on the site as proposed also in Expression of Interest submission reference EOI-0181 and this is a council owned site. Removal of part of the site allocation that is in the flood plain is required.

### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The site is straddled by the Killandean Burn that traverses the northern boundary of the site. There is a small watercourse traverses through the site also. A 6m buffer strip would be required from any development to the watercourse that runs through the site and a 12m buffer is required between any development on the site and the Killandean Burn. There are no

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA would support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Killandean Burn which flows along the eastern boundary of the site. In addition, there are small watercourses which flow through the site which should be assessed. Potential site constraints due to flood risk. A small part of the site potentially at medium to high risk of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, though comparison with available historical maps indicates that a farmstead named Rosebank formerly existed within its boundaries. This was depicted on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps. The core of this farmstead also appears on modern OS maps of the area, as Rosebank House, though various ancillary structures appear to have been removed. If this house were to be demolished as part of any application for the development of the site as a whole, some form of historic building recording may be necessary. The remainder of the plot was depicted as undeveloped farmland on the 1st and 2nd edition maps, and is shown in a similar way on modern OS coverages. Current aerial photographs, however, show the presence of various buildings and areas of hardstanding, and suggest that the area to the north of Rosebank House has also been disturbed. These elements presumably relate to the former use of the site as a plant nursery. Much of the plot does not appear to have been subject to extensive modern disturbance, however, and may therefore retain some potential to produce buried material relating to earlier phases of

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Planning permission (0453/FUL/09) has been granted for the construction of a new access road into the site. This establishes the most appropriate location for a new junction. The three existing access points no longer to be used and will require to be removed and the existing east / west footpath reinstated across those openings and the grass verge relandscaped. Internal access roads to take the form as approved by planning permission 0453/FUL/09. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 2307 Alba Campus (4 sites)

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## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upd	late	09-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion E	Date	09-Jul-14	
	pus are allocated for deve ent land supply for West Lo		the West Lothian Local Plan and	d contril	oute towards to	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. These sites contribute towards this.

Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## **WLC Education**

LP Ref / UCS Ref

02-Jan-13 No issues - non housing site.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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\* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) - Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Suds ponds in north eastern plot. Watercourse to western most part of site. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Killandean Burn and tributaries which flows along the western boundary of the site. In addition, there is are small watercourses adjacent to the site which should be assessed. Majority of site is likely developable.

SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Parts of this site appear prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities required also.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Sites at Alba Campus should be sub-divided with individual references for the LDP as relates to multiple individual sites. Overall ite should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. There are multiple ELv41 allocations that require to be subdivided to confirm exact status of each site in terms of what has been built

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 The SEPA comments applicable to the four separate sites. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Killandean Burn and tributaries which flows along the western boundary of the site. In addition, there is are small watercourses adjacent to the site which should be assessed. Majority of site is likely developable.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of the allocations are potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Kllandean Burn (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) which straddles the north western boundary of some of the sites.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

No sites have been identified from within the four plots that make up this potential development area. All were shown as open ground on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, lying within an area of rectilinear fields and shelter belts. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that some of the plots have already been disturbed by substantial modern development; much of the large north-eastern plot, for example, is already occupied by buildings and car parks associated with the Alba Campus. Aerial photographs also suggest that the small south-western plot may have been affected by previous earthmoving operations, though this would need to be confirmed before it would be possible to right off its potential to produce buried deposits. The remaining plots appear to have been less affected by previous disturbance, and so may retain a higher potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off existing road network. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### MacIntosh Road 2305

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv43	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment a	nd Business			Consult Upo	date	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and con	tributes towar	ds to est	tablished

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

	Livingston Village	Primary/Inveralmond Community High, St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## WLC Education

22-Nov-13 No issues, site is proposed for a non housing use.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

10-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## SEPA - Water Environment

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities also.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Contaminated Land**

16-Jun-11 No known issues. Within industrial area. Phase 1 Contaminated Land Assessment likely to be required.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID 18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development and the overall site should be retained within an employment area boundary.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water fesilient measues required also.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

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#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward. No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which was shown as undeveloped Greenfield on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, with the exception of the line of a roadway running roughly SWNE across it. This feature does not appear on modern OS maps of the area, though two patches of woodland shown on current maps and aerial photographs lie immediately to the north of its course, and appear to respect the line of the road, suggesting that the plot may not have been affected by substantial amounts of ground disturbance. This could suggest that it may retain the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## 2306 MacIntosh Road West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv44	1		Audit	EOI-003	36	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment a	and Business			Consult Upo	date	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for	or developme	nt in the Wes	t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and co	ontributes toward	ds to es	tablished
employment land sup	ply for West L	othian.					

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

	Livingston Village	e Primary/Inveralmond Community High, St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## WLC Education

22-Nov-13 No comments, site is proposed for a non housing use.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities either.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 It is accepted that the proposal for this site, which is also an Expression of Interest site EOI-0036, to extend the range of uses to include part of the site as a class 6 storage and distribution use, as a well as a class 4 busienss use would be acceptable. Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

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#### **Scottish Water**

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## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

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## WOSAS

27-Feb-12 No sites have been recorded from this site. It was depicted as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st edition OS map, though a track was shown running roughly NE-SW through the centre of the plot. This also appeared on the 2nd edition. Current aerial photographs indicate that the western end of the site is under tree cover, and trees are also present elsewhere within it. While there may be some potential for material associated with earlier phases of occupation to be present, the plot appears to have been affected by dumping and earth-moving associated with the modern developments to the north and south, suggesting that this potential is unlikely to be particularly high.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site either.

## 3018 Site at McIntosh Road

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv44	1	Audit	EOI-0036		
EOI no	EOI-0036			Consult Position	on	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Update	e	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality A	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/C	Gree Gree	nfield	Conclusion Dat	е	11-Jul-14
The site is allocated f	or development in the	e West Lot	nian Local Plan and	contributes towards	the e	stablished

employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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## WLC Education

22-Jan-13 No comments, site is a non housing site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## WLC Environmental Health

13-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 It is accepted that the proposal for this site, which is also an Expression of Interest site EOI-0036, to extend the range of uses to include part of the site as a class 6 storage and distribution use, as a well as a class 4 busienss use would be acceptable. Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. On the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, it was shown lying immediately to the west if a shelter belt, with the line of a road running across it into ELv43. While current aerial photographs indicate that there has been some bunding of material around the margins of the plot, the core of it does not appear to have been substantially disturbed by previous development, meaning that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site either.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities either.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The sites lies within the outer and middle consultation zones for the Ineos Wilton to Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline.Employment use allocation 0036 (ELv44Site at McIntosh Road, Kirkton Campus, Livingston) could encroach on the consultation zone associated with the ICI Wilton / Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline MAHP operated by Ineos / Sabic (HSE Ref:

#### **Kirkton Road South** 2314

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv45	1		Audit						
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred			
Category	Employment and Business				Consult Update		19-Nov-13			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion Date		19-Nov-13			
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established										
employment land supply for West Lothian.										

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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HSE (Health and Safety Executive) No specific comments. 31-Mar-14

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## WLC Education

10-Jul-14 No comments, site is proposed for a non housing use.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Jul-14 No comments.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## Scottish Water

In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient 13-Mar-13 capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoartion opportunities either.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this small plot, located between Kirkton South Road and Lister Road. On the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, the plot was shown as being located immediately SW of the Alderstone Mains farmstead. Although comparison with these maps suggests that the farm itself would have been located below the adjacent modern building, the plot as a whole does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, meaning that it would retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 2310 Gregory Road East

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LP Ref / UCS Ref

## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	Preferred		
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Up	Consult Update		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	<b>Conclusion Date</b>		
The site is allocated fo employment land supp	•	st Lothian Lo	cal Plan and contributes towar	ds to es	tablished	

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

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## Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

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## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site

Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage ditches throughout the site. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (culverted in parts) which flows along the northern boundary. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Parts of this site appear prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **Historic Scotland**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 It is recommended that a 6m wide buffer strip be in place between any development on the site and the watercourse that traverses the northern boundary of the site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **WOSAS**

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the east of Gregory Road. The area was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

### **Scottish Water**

26-Jul-13 Water: No current capacity issues at the treatment works. However, a network assessment would be required at time of water connection.

Waste: No current capacity issues at the treatment works. However, depending on employee numbers and any trade effluent discharges, a Drainage Impact Assessment maybe required. due to known hydraulic issues in the network.

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#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

19-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (culverted in parts) which flows along the northern boundary.Potential development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere unless there is appropriate mitigation introduced.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Gregory Road** 2313

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## Livingston

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EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Bus	nployment and Business			Consult Upd	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown	ı/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.							

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Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

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#### **Proposed Use**

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

- 15-Feb-12
- There is the requirement that a 6m buffer strip from any development to the watercourse through the site and along the western boundary be introduced. There are no restoration opportunities.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage network issues. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - Parts of this site appear prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Contaminated Land**

16-.lun-11 No known issues.

## Scottish Water

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Waste Management

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12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID 18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

## **NHS - Lothian**

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## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. It was shown as largely undeveloped ground on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, with the exception of a tree-lined field boundary running across the centre of the plot. It is also shown as largely undeveloped on modern OS maps and aerial photographs, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. Potential development of this allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere out

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Gregory Road West** 2309

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv48	1		Audit				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment a	Employment and Business			Consult Upo	19-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.								

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

> Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy **Proposed Use**

List of Consultations and Dates **Current Status** 

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 31-Mar-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. The site should remain within an employment area boundary also. At the time of writing in June 2012, no development has started on the site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified..

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There is also a drain located along the northern boundary which should be assessed. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A small part of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement that any development be a minimum of 6m from the watercourse along the northern boundary. There are no restoration opportunities.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse (culverted in parts) which flows through the site. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There is also a drain located along the northern boundary which should be assessed. Potential development of the allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. It was depicted as largely undeveloped fields on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, with the exception of a number of field boundaries that met at a tree ring. The remains of this field layout and plantation can still be seen on modern OS maps and aerial photographs, suggesting that the plot has not been substantially disturbed by development during the modern period. This in turn would suggest that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via Gregory Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 2312 Gregory Road

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I P Ref / UCS Ref

## Livingston

			Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business			Consult Upo	late	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp	or development in the W oly for West Lothian.	est Lothian L	ocal Plan and	contributes toward	ds to es	tablished

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities required either.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
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- Centre
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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows adjacent to the site. Majority of site is likely developable. Possible culvert in locality beneath the site.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update -A small part of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

## British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. On the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, shelter belts were depicted on the northern and eastern boundaries of the site, and the remnants of these are still shown on modern maps; indeed, the belts shown on current maps are wider than those on the earlier versions. Current OS maps show modern structures immediately to the south of the plot, but while aerial photos suggest that there has been some earth-moving and bunding around its fringes, the core of the area appears to have been relatively unaffected by modern development. This would suggest that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation, though given the limited size of the plot, this potential may not be particularly high.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows adjacent to the site. Majority of site is likely developable. The potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Charlesfield Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# 2297 Nairn Road North East

# Livingston

LF Kei / UCS Kei	ELV5	/		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Employment an	d Business			Consult Upo	late	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land supp			t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cor	ntributes toward	ds to est	tablished

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

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22-Nov-14 No issues, site is proposed for non housing use.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-14 No comments.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

24-Sep-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties (depending

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No Flood Risk Assessment requirement on uses.Dedridge Burn and Adambrae burn adjacent to site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-12 No known issues.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities either.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site. SEPA have a record of nearby flooding in 2008 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. SEPA recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. The area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, though by the time of the 3rd edition, a wind pump was depicted in the centre of the site. Despite the presence of a small carpark in the SW corner, modern OS maps and aerial photographs suggest that the majority of the site has not been substantially affected by development during the modern period, meaning that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

# 1222 Allen Road

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv52	/	Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Employment a	nd Business		Consult Upd	late	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion E	Date	09-Jul-14
This site is allocated fo	r employmer	it use in the	adopted local plan and has s	ince been com	pleted.	
	Toronto Pri	mary/Inveralmo	nd Community High, Howden St Andre	ws/St Margarets Ac	ademy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current State	JS	Propose	d Use		

#### WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues, site is non -housing.

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Possible removal of site from process as site completed. If part of site could be developed or re developed then a Flood Risk Assessment would be required.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A small part of this site appears prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Contaminated Land

21-Mar-13 No known issues.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Mar-13 This site has been completed, can be removed as an allocation and continue to be within an employment area boundary.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a requirement that a 6m buffer be in place between any development and watercourses within and adjacent to the site. There would also be the opportunity of restoration insofar as any culverts on the site could be opened up.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the site. The watercourse is culverted upstream and downstream which would require consideration. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. Current OS maps suggest that much of the area is already occupied by modern roads, buildings and associated infrastructure. Given the limited scale of the ground not yet affected by these activities, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be necessary in relation to the development of the remaining two sub-

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 3081 Linhouse Livingston (existing employment)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv54-COU22 /		Audit EO	I-0099				
EOI no	EOI-0099		Consu	It Position	Preferred			
Category	Employment and Business		Consu	It Update	31-Mar-14			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Lar	nd Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclu	sion Date	31-Mar-14			
Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance on this site. The								

impact on the overall integrity and function of the countryside belt will be minimal.

The site presents a logical extension to the south side of Livingston and there is also infrastructure capacity in local schools. Capacity in the local road network would, however, require to be agreed. Part of the site will remain allocated to be developed for employment uses. The site is currently allocated in the adopted Local Plan for a single user employment use and as specified in Scottish Planning Policy published in February 2010, the site no longer requires to be for allocated for a single user.

Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 Education support - but would eventually need a new primary school (ND), as Williamston Primary School heading to capacity, could allow for an additonal 300 units.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

12-Jul-12 Residential development can be supported provided the open spaces are provided & designed in accordance with the Open Space Strategy e.g. accessibility & quality standards. With specific reference to woodlands, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity to minimise any negative

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This is a positive opportunity for mixed use development to include elements of class 4 (business), 5 (general indsutrial) and class 6 (storage and distribution). The site has been promoted under EOI-0099 for mixed use, that could include employment use. Single user status will be removed from the site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties at the north end of the site (depending on use).

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Separation of Linhouse Water and protection of watercourses from surface water contamination. A Flood Risk Assessment would be required for this site.SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - A small area of this site appears at risk of pluvial flooding. There is also a history of fluvial flooding caused by incapacity or obstruction of a nearby culvert inlet. A Flood Risk Assessment may be required to demonstrate the extent of any risk. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height or 15m, whichever is the highest and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 A minimum 6m buffer would be required from any development to any watercourse within or adjacent to the site and there are also restoration opportunities to culverts on the site that could be opened up.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this substantial plot, which encompasses a sizeable area of apparent Greenfield. Comparison with available historical mapping suggests that the majority of the plot has not been affected by substantial development during the modern period, meaning that it retains the potential to contain buried deposits associated with occupation and use from earlier periods. This potential is enhanced by the scale of the area proposed for development.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that separation of Linhouse Water and protection of watercourses from surface water contamination. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the multiple minor watercourses which flow through the site. Based on the OS Map there is also a culverted watercourse through the site which should be investigated. We would highlight PAN 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active".Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures

## WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Extension of Oakbank road required and provision of a secondary access. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2320 Redcraig West

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELV50	1		Audit			
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Completed	
Category	Employment and Bus	siness		Consult Up	date	23-Jan-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brow	n/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	23-Jan-14	
This site was allocated	d for employment u	isein th	e local plan	and has since been completed			
	East Ca	alder Prim	nary/West Calde	r High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy			
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## WLC Environmental Health

22-May-13 No comments.

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## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## Scottish Water

10-Jul-14 Made detailed comments at the time when the site has been subject to previous planning applications

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## WLC Education

10-Jul-14 No comments, site is for non housing use.

## British Airports Authority (BAA)

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) 10-Jul-14 under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WLC Transportation

10-Jul-14 Site has been developed, detailed comments would have been made on proposals at the time when planning applications

## WLC NETS and Land Services

No adverse comments. 23-May-13

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Possible removal from process as site completed. If site is to be developed however or redeveloped, a Flood Risk Assessment would be required as there is a drain along the northern boundary and the Linhouse Water burn is within 70m of the western boundary of the site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed, but should be retained within an employment area boundary in the LDP.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small drain to the north of the site. Potential bund to the north of the site also. The potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip or stnad off from any watercourse and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# 1310 Afton House

ELv57

LP Ref / UCS Ref

## Livingston

EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Completed	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	late	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for employment land sup		st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds to est	tablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy
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## **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No issues - non housing site.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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#### **NHS** - Lothian

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## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The Lochshot Burn flows in the southe east corner osf the site. A buffer strip is required of 6m between any development and the watercourse. There are also restoration opportunities to the watercourse.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to former Deans Oil Works Mine No. 3. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is therefore likely to be

## **Coal Authority**

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Southern site is wet, possible issues, caution of drainage issues that needs discussed.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update -The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Overall site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. There are multiple ELv57 allocations that require to be subdivided to confirm exact status of each site.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Transport Scotland**

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#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for any of these sites and there is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

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The sites lies within the inner, outer and middle consultation zones for the Ineos Wilton to Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline. The site is also within the outer consultation zone for HSE referenced site H4097 (Glen Turner Distillery Ltd)

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Access to existing access roads at Starlaw Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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No sites have been recorded from within the four areas that make up this plot. Many of these sub-plots appear to have already been affected by substantial modern development. For example, roads have already been constructed across the plot to the south of Starlaw Road, and it is apparent that there has been a fair amount of ground disturbance associated with this. In the plot immediately to the north of this, the western half is already occupied by a large modern building, though the eastern section foes not appear to have been so substantially disturbed. The plot immediately to the north of the Tailend Roundabout appears to be relatively undisturbed, but the eastern end of the large plot to the NW is occupied by a substantial building. Again, however, the western section of this plot appears to have been less affected by modern disturbance. There are therefore a number of areas of this plot that would appear to retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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# 2041 Paragon Inks

## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	late	10-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion I	Date	10-Jul-14	
The site is allocated for employment land sup	•	st Lothian L	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds the e	stablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy

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## WLC Education

LP Ref / UCS Ref

22-Nov-14 No comments, site is proposed for a non housing use.

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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

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## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## WLC Economic Property Development

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#### **Scottish Water**

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to existing access roads at Starlaw Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

## **Historic Scotland**

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12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

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09-Jul-13

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for any of these sites and there is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced.

# 2296 Starlaw Park

## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	date	11-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion I	Date	11-Jul-14	
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Audit

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Boghall Primary/Bathgate Academy, St Columbas/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### **WLC Education**

LP Ref / UCS Ref

22-Nov-13 No comments, site is non housing site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Southern site is wet, possible issues, caution of drainage issues that needs discussed.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update -The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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## **Coal Authority**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

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## SNH

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The Lochshot Burn flows in the southe east corner osf the site. A buffer strip is required of 6m between any development and the watercourse. There are also restoration opportunities to the watercourse.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the four areas that make up this plot. Many of these sub-plots appear to have already been affected by substantial modern development. For example, roads have already been constructed across the plot to the south of Starlaw Road, and it is apparent that there has been a fair amount of ground disturbance associated with this. In the plot immediately to the north of this, the western half is already occupied by a large modern building, though the eastern section foes not appear to have been so substantially disturbed. The plot immediately to the north of the Tailend Roundabout appears to be relatively undisturbed, but the eastern end of the large plot to the NW is occupied by a substantial building. Again, however, the western section of this plot appears to have been less affected by modern disturbance. There are therefore a number of areas of this plot that would appear to retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The sites lies within the inner, outer and middle consultation zones for the Ineos Wilton to Grangemouth Ethylene Pipeline. The site is also within the outer consultation zone for HSE referenced site H4097 (Glen Turner Distillery Ltd)

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for any of these sites and there is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced.

#### Williamston North 1696

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv59 /		Audit					
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred			
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	late	11-Jul-14			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2		
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	11-Jul-14			
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established employment land supply for West Lothian.								

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 31-Mar-14

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## WLC Education

22-Nov-13 No issues, site is a non housing site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage via pond approved to south west of site in site, not constructed to a great standard. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Parts of this site appear prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 A buffer strip required including recommended with a minimum of 6m width to the pond within the site.

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 Former pond on part of site, likley has been infilled. Investigation of this area will be required.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Only some of the original site allocation remains undeveloped, this will continue to be allocated in the LDP and the remaining site will revert to just being within the employment area boundary.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

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## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off Oakbank Park Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

No sites have been recorded from within this plot. Comparison with the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps suggest that the ground was largely undisturbed during the 19th century, with only a field boundary and the line of a track passing under the railway in a cutting being depicted. These features are not shown on modern OS maps of the area, which indicate that much of the plot has already been affected by modern development. Buildings are shown on most of the area to the north of Oakbank Park Place, while much of the ground to the south appears to have been prepared for development. Given the limited proportion of the plot that has not already been affected by modern construction disturbance, archaeological work is

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment for this site or for any Drainage Assessment. There is also requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced to the site.

# 2321 Williamston South

ELv60

LP Ref / UCS Ref

## Livingston

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EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upd	late	11-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion E	Date	11-Jul-14	
The site is allocated f employment land sup	•	st Lothian L	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds the e	stablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

The site has an approved planning brief.

Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

Current Status

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

11-Jul-14 substantial landscaping would be required around the site and protection of existing structural landscaping.

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## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

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## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drain to south west of the site Check application, includes SUDS pond to west of allocation. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

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#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. The site should also remain within the employment area boundary within the LDP.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is partially within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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## WOSAS

31-May-12 On site has been recorded from within the proposed development area - the farmstead of Contentibus, which was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the area, but which is not shown on modern maps. Nothing is known about the original date of foundation of this farmstead. The remainder of the plot was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st and 2nd edition maps, and are also shown as unoccupied on current maps and aerial photographs. As the proposed development is situated on previously undeveloped land, there is potential for significant unrecorded sub-surface

#### Transport Scotland

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#### **Historic Scotland**

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there is also no water resilient measures recommended.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are also no restoration opportunities.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via new access onto Oakbank Park Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# 2289 Deer Park

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# Livingston

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EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Busi	ness			Consult Upc	late	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer			F	rime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown	Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for employment land sup			Lothian Loc	al Plan and con	tributes toward	ds to est	ablished

Audit

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There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Carmondean Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy ent Status Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

HSE (Health and Safety Executive) 31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

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# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments or issues

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No issues, site is a non housing site.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site. No development on site at present.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

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# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained as an employment allocation within the LDP, within an employment area boundary. The site has not been developed as of 15 June 2012.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip on this site and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded within this plot. The area was shown as undeveloped ion the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. Modern OS maps indicate that the area remains undeveloped, though current aerial photographs suggest that there may already have been a degree of earth-moving on the site. The potential for buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation to survive will to a large degree depend on the extent of previous disturbance. The fairly limited size of the plot may also suggest that the potential for buried material to be present may be fairly low.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

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### **Scottish Enterprise**

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# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site. No development on site at present.

#### Houston Interchange East 2326

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv62	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Completed
Category	Employment and	Business			Consult Upc	late	10-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	B	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	10-Jul-14
This site has been de	veloped and is I	being remo	ved from th	e LDP as a result.			
	St Nichol	as/St Margaret	s Academy, Ho	uston Industrial Estate/St	Margarets Acader	ny	
List of Consultations and Date	s Current Status			Proposed	Use		
WLC Waste Manage 12-Jul-12 No comm		for non reside	ntial use in the	e adopted West Lothia	n Local Plan 2009	9.	

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site has been completed and should be removed from the LDP as an allocation and retained within the employment area boundary.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### NHS - Lothian

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### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This site has been completed and can be removed from the LDP process.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this alloocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site and there are no water resilient measures required also.

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 263 Brucefield North

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# Livingston

	LLV05	1	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Busine	SS	Consult Up	date	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfield	Conclusion	Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated for employment land sup	•	West Lothian I	ocal Plan and contributes towar	ds to est	tablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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Bellsquarry Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### Proposed Use

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 |No issues, the site is being promoted for a non residential use.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No issues or comments.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

30-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site is undeveloped at the time of writing of 15 June 2012.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# **WLC Environmental Health**

24-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 No apparent issues

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are also no water resilient measures requiring to be introduced for this site. It is noted that the Dedridge Burn flows wiithin 20m of the northern site boundary at its nearest point.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this site, located to the north of Calder Road. The area was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, and despite substantial development in the surrounding area over the 20th century, this also appears to be the case. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that this plot has not been substantially affected by development during the modern period, meaning that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are also no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

. 09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2290 Beugh Burn

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv64	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Position	n	Preferred
Category	Employment a	nd Business			Consult Update		09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		<b>Conclusion Date</b>	•	09-Jul-14
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established							

employment land supply for West Lothian. Part of the site has already been developed as a garden centre (class 1 shops use).

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are

Dechmont Infant Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 A landscaping plan would be required to acompany any application and existing trees protected and etaind where possible.

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is allocated for a non housing use.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 This site needs to be sub-divided from the original allocation to allow for further development. The existing developed part should be removed from the allocation and retained within the employment area boundary.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 Site occupied partly a former shale bing. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties (depending

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is requirement for a 6m buffer strip from any development to the watercourse. There would also be opportunities for restoration. Any re- alignment proposals of Beugh Burn would need detailed discussions with SEPA. Early contact with our regulatory staff is advised. Likely a complex licence under Controlled Activities Regulations.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Re-alignment of Beugh Burn and integrated SUDS scheme. Check planning application/consent also. The council require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Beugh Burn and tributaries which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to small watercourses. Any proposed re-alignment will be dealt with through the CAR (2011) process.

SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - A significant part of this site is at risk of flooding from out of bank flows in the Beugh Burn and potentially from a backing up effects resulting from the potential collapse of a structurally frail culvert downstream. Small areas of site appear prone to some limited pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 The Beugh Burn flows through the site. There are also other watercourses through the site. Information provided from the council states that re-alignment of Beugh Burn and integrated SUDs scheme is required. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Beugh Burn and tributaries which flows through the site. Consideration should be given to small watercourses. Any proposed re-alignment will be dealt with through the CAR (2011) process. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. Part of the site at risk of fluvial flooding. Allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding could increase the probability of flooding could increase the probability of flooding increase the probability of flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding could increase the probability of flooding could increase the probability of flooding increase the probab

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and potential in-combination effects on the M8.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

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#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Acces from existing access adjacent to Dobbies Garden Centre from A89 roundabout. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### WOSAS 31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from within this sizeable plot. The area was shown as largely undeveloped farmland on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. While these show evidence for large-scale mining in the areas to the east and west, this does not appear to impinge on the plot itself. Current maps and aerial photographs indicate that the area remains substantially unaffected by modern development, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. This potential is enhanced by the scale of the area proposed for development.

#### Almondvale Business Park - Livingston HUB 2317

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv65	1	Audit		
EOI no			Con	sult Position	De-allocate
Category	Employment and Busine	ess	Con	sult Update	20-May-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural L	L <b>and</b> No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Greer	field Conc	clusion Date	20-May-14

The site is allocated for employment use in the adopted plan. It is, however, within the town centre boundary where a broader range of uses are considered appropriate and therefore it is proposed to de-allocate this employment site.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance given its location within the town centre and the long standing aspiration as a development site.

Dedridge Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

**Current Status** List of Consultations and Dates

#### WLC Education

09-Jul-14 No comments, site is a non housing site.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

# NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# SEPA - Water Environment

15-Feb-12 There is a watercourse along the northern boundary of the site. A 6m buffer would be required between any development and the watercourse. There would also be opportunities for restoration.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site should be reallocated for town centre uses or mixed uses. The loss of these sites from mainstream employment uses is acceptable as employment sites could be still be developed on the sites as they are in the town centre and town centre uses would also be acceptable. Site is also submitted as part of EOI-0089.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. No apparent significant issues however. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013<br/>Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

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09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access off Almondvale Crescent. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 Although no sites have been recorded from within this plot, it is located immediately to the south of two areas where the discovery of a long cist cemetery was recorded in the Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1852. Although there has been considerable development in the surrounding area during the course of the 20th century, some potential may remain for additional burials or associated deposits to survive in the vicinity, particularly in those areas that have been less affected by

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the northern boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

# 2316 Almondvale Business Park

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv66	/		Audit	EOI-008	39	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Employment	and Business			Consult Upc	late	20-May-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	20-May-14
The site is to be de-a	llocated from	class 1 to tou	n contro us	ses and remove	d from employm	ont land	supply to allow for

The site is to be de-allocated from class 4 to town centre uses and removed from employment land supply to allow for a broader range of uses to more fully reflect its town centre location and therefore it is proposed to de-allocate this employment site.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance given its location within the town centre and the long standing aspiration as a development site.

	Dedridge Primary/James	Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
tions and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues but caution due to site run off from south of site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - Small areas of site appear prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# NHS - Lothian

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19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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# WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Mar-13 This site should be reallocated for town centre uses or mixed uses. The loss of these sites from mainstream employment uses is acceptable as employment sites could be still be developed on the sites as they are in the town centre and town centre uses would also be acceptable. Site is also submitted as part of EOI-0089.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

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09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 Although no sites have been recorded from within this plot, it is located reasonably close to two areas where the discovery of a long cist cemetery was recorded in the Ordnance Survey Object Name Book of 1852. Although there has been considerable development in the surrounding area during the course of the 20th century, some potential may remain for additional burials or associated deposits to survive in the vicinity, particularly in those areas that have been less affected by ground disturbance.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access through the existing business park at Almondvale Place. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are also no water resilient measures requiring to be introduced to the site.

#### Land at Almondvale Business Park 3071

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv66 & ELv67 /		Audit	EOI-0089	)	
EOI no	EOI-0089			Consult Posit	ion	De-allocate
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upda	te	20-May-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion Da	ite	20-May-14
The site is to be de-all	ocated from class 4 to to	wn centre us	ses and removed fro	om employme	nt land	supply to allow for

a brader range of uses to more fully reflect its town centre location and therefore it is proposed to de-allocate this employment site.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance given its location within the town centre and the long standing aspiration as a development site.

Dedridge Primary/James	Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
Status	Proposed Use

**Current Status** 

# WLC Education

List of Consultations and Dates

22-Nov-13 No issues, site is for non housing use.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

10-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No issues.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **NHS - Lothian**

- 19-Mar-13 Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.
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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# Livingston

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues but caution due to site run off from south of site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Small areas of site appear prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site should be reallocated for town centre uses or mixed uses. The loss of these sites from mainstream employment uses is acceptable as employment sites could be still be developed on the sites as they are in the town centre and town centre uses would also be acceptable. Site is also submitted as part of EOI-0089.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### Scottish Water

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water mains extensions may be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity. Sewer extensions may be required

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Mar-13 No issues identified.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WLC Transportation

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#### WOSAS

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# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 2315 Almondvale Businees Park

LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv67	1		Audit	EOI-008	89	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Employment a	and Business			Consult Upd	late	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	09-Jul-14
The site is to be de-al	located from (	class 4 (busin	ess use) to	town centre uses	and removed	l from ei	mployment land

supply to allow for a broader range of uses to more fully reflect its town centre location and therefore it is proposed to de-allocate this employment site.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Greenfield release is supported in this instance given its location within the town centre and the long standing aspiration as a development site.

Dedridge Primary/James	Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
Current Status	Proposed Use

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-13 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No comments, site is non houding site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-14 No comments.

# **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Water mains extensions may be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity. Sewer extensions may be required

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a watercourse and drain that runs through the site. A minimum 6m wide buffer strip would be reqjuired between any development on the site and the watercourse. There would also be opportunities for restoration of the watercourse through development of the site.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small drain located within the site is required for this site. Flood issues from B&Q site to south. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - A significant area of this site appears prone to some pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# Livingston

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Mar-13 This site should be reallocated for town centre uses or mixed uses. The loss of these sites from mainstream employment uses is acceptable as employment sites could be still be developed on the sites as they are in the town centre and town centre uses would also be acceptable. Site is also submitted as part of EOI-0089.

# WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WOSAS

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#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small drain located within the site. The ist is however not at medium to high risk from flooding.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Use of existing access adjacent to site from Almondvale Place. See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 1239 Houstoun Interchange (north west)

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	ELv68	1		Audit			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Employment and Business				Consult Upo	19-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	19-Nov-13
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.							

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

 Knightsridge Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy

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# **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No issues or comments, site is non housing.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

31-Mar-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment required and Drainage Impact Assessment required also.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues to affect nearby residential properties (depending

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site should continue to be allocated for employment as per the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. The area was shown as being under tree cover on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and is likely to have undergone a fair degree of previous disturbance as a result of construction of Houstoun Interchange. This is likely to have had a detrimental effect on the potential for any buried deposits related to earlier phases of occupation to survive, and as a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary in relation

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requierment for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment and a Drainage Impact Assessment are required. SEPA are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site however there is a record of nearby flooding in 2004 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off roundabout. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 2299 Dunlop Square West

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Livingston

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EOI no			Со	nsult Position	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Со	Consult Update 19		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural	Land No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Con	clusion Date	19-Nov-13	
The site is allocated f employment land sup	or development in the Wes ply for West Lothian.	st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contribute	s towards to es	tablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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#### WLC Contaminated Land

LP Ref / UCS Ref

30-Jun-11 Site of former Deans Oil Works Mine No. 4. Site Investigation will be required.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. The site has only been partially developed at the time of writing.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No apparent issues, no Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment required.SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to be directly onto existing access road in industrial estate. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. Comparison with the 1st edition OS map indicates that during the mid 19th century, the northern end of the site included a section of a walled garden or orchard enclosure associated with the nearby Deans farmstead. This was also shown on the 2nd edition, but buy the time of the 3rd edition, the boundaries of this had been amended, while much of the centre and southern section of the plot were occupied by a tramway, buildings and large tip associated with a mine. This type of substantial industrial development is likely to have removed any material associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be necessary in relation to the development of this plot.

#### **Historic Scotland**

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09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There is also no requirement for any water resilient measures to be introduced on this site.

# 2238 Glen Road / Broomyknowe Road Drive

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GR1	1		Audit	D128			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	24-Jan-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	24-Jan-14	
This site is a windfall housing site that has planning permission and will be carried forward into the Local Development								
Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy								
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Sta	itus		Propose	ed Use			

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Mar-14 It is noted that SEPA recommend that the council comment on this allocation as they may have further information on surface water flooding and management in the area. Planning permission has been granted on this site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. Town location, access from Broomieknowe Drive.See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Very small site in Livingston of little consequence to the trunk road network.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

# Livingston

### **NHS - Lothian**

31-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
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#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# WOSAS

24-Feb-14 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot. The area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, but by the 3rd edition, a row of terraced structures was showing fronting onto Glen Road. These were presumably constructed between c. 1890 and c. 1913. Current OS maps and aerial photographs indicate that these structures have been removed, and that the central area of the plot is occupied by modern housing. While there may be some potential for buried remains associated with the buildings shown on the 3rd edition to survive on the Glen Road frontage, their recent date of construction suggests that these would not raise a particular archaeological issue, while the small scale of the plot and the disturbance associated with construction of the modern housing suggests that there would be

# WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# SNH

14-Feb-14 No comments on this allocation.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

24-Feb-14 SEPA recommend that the council comment on this allocation as they may have further information on surface water flooding and management in the area

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 Standard SUDs are sufficient to prevent deterioration of status of the site. There are no restoration opportunities and there no requiermenst for a buffer strip.

# **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Marchbank WTW. There are no network issues at present.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Livingston WWTW. However, depending on development proposal and existing predevelopment flows a drainage impact assessment may be required. A foul only connection would be the preferred option.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 No requirements due to small scale nature of site.

# WLC Economic Property Development

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

# 1065 Panhandle - Deerpark Drive

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv104	/		Audit	KW002		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable	Consult Update				18-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion Date 18-Nov-		
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.							
Carmondean Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy							

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# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

10-Jul-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Transport Scotland**

10-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **Scottish Water**

10-Jul-14 Provided detailed comments when the planning application was submitted.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

10-Jul-14 No comments.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments, landscaping plan was required as part of the planning application.

# WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jul-14 No comments.

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# **WLC Education**

10-Jul-14 No issues, site received planning permission in 2007.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Possible removal of site from process as site is completed.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been largely completed.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site has been largely completed.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

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# 1240 Kirkton North R5

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv106 /		Audit	KNR5		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upo	late	20-May-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	20-May-14
The site is allocated for	or development in the We	st I othian I	ocal Plan and cont	ributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site however has a long term lease for the neighbouring Almond Valley Heritage Centre for a car park and therefore it is proposed that this site be de-alloacted.

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#### **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No objections, developer contributions would be required for RC Secondary, the catchment schools are Inverlond cHS, Livingston Village, St Margaret's RC Academy and Howden St Andrews.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes culverted watercourse running parallel to Millfield. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **WLC Contaminated Land**

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **Scottish Water**

20-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off Millfield. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which is located outside the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of Livingston or the former Livingston Mill, now used as the Scottish Shale Mine Museum. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the area is likely to have been undeveloped ground since at least the mid 19th century, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to previous phases of occupation. However, the relatively small scale of the plot and the fact that current aerial photographs indicate that part of it is under tree cover suggests that this potential may not be particularly high.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements developer to ensure good pedestrian linkage to adjacent play

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No comments.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site.

# 1236 Cousland Interchange East

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv109	/		Audit	LE003				
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Constraine	ed			Consult Upd	late	31-Mar-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brow	n/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	31-Mar-14		
Development of the site is not in accordance with the council's preferred development strategy which supports development within the core development areas and other strategic locations. There are other more suitable sites									

available for development.

Although development would result in rehabilitation of a largely brownfield site, the site is located very close to the A899, particularly the western boundary, and may be susceptible to noise issues. It is therefore proposed that this site be dealloacted.

	Riverside Primary/	Inveralmond Community High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No objections as site is an existing allocation, developer contributions would be required for RC Secondary, the catchment schools, are St. Margaret's Academy, Inveralmond CHS, Riverside Primary and Howden St.Andrews.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comment - Housing Site.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The site is located within a busy interchange where there is considerable traffic noise. As a consequence, it is not cosnisdered to be a suitable site for housing.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - A large area of this site is impacted by pluvial flooding. It might potentially be possible to mitigate susceptibility by effective engineering but this cannot be at the expense of increasing flood risk on the public road. The developer may be expected to accommodate flood storage on the site which has the potential to limit the extent of development. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 access onto Cousland Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required.Record of flooding in adjacent area in 2003. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

27-Mar-13 Much of this plot is occupied by elements of the Cousland Interchange, and it is unclear how much of the ground would actually be available for housing. The plot was shown as undeveloped on the 1st edition map of the mid 19th century, apart from various field boundaries, but has obviously been substantially affected by earth-moving associated with construction of the junction and associated landscaping. This is likely to have removed any material associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as such, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be necessary in relation to

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the play facilities west of Craigs Farm.

# 1235 Centre Interchange

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv110	1		Audit	AV002				
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Const	trained			Consult Upo	late	31-Mar-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	31-Mar-14		
Development of the site is not in accordance with the council's preferred development strategy which supports									
development within the core development areas and other strategic locations. There are other more suitable sites									

available for development.

Although development would result in rehabilitation of a brownfield site, the site is located very close to the A899, particularly the eastern boundary, and may be susceptible to noise issues. It is therefore proposed that this site be deallocated.

	Dedridge Primary/Jame	s Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## WLC Education

11-Feb-14 No adverse comments, site an exsiting allocation in the West Lothian Local plan with catchment schools of St Margaret's Academy, James Young High, Dedridge Primary and St.Ninian's Rc Primary.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

No specific comments. 09-Jan-14

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is located very close to the A899, particularly the eastern boundary, and may be susceptible to noise issues.

## Coal Authority

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

> Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) - Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-12 No known issues.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of nearby flooding in 2001, 2003 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. This site is approximately 75m south of the River Almond at its nearest point to the river.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Centre Road North. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the facility.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 The majority of this plot appears to be occupied by roads and earthworks associated with the Central Interchange. It is unclear how feasible it would be to construct housing in this area. However, given that much of the plot appears likely to have been subject to extensive ground disturbance associated with road construction, its future development is unlikely to raise a significant archaeological issue.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 1051 Kirkton North 10B

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv111	1	Audit	KN10B		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	10-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree Greenfie	eld	Conclusion D	Date	10-Jul-14
The site is allocated f	or development in the	e West Lothia	n Local Plan and con	tributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site also has an approved planning brief.

Peel Primary/Inveralmond Com	munity High, Howden St	Andrews/St Margarets Academy
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Current Status

Proposed Use

## **WLC Education**

List of Consultations and Dates

22-Nov-13 No objections, developer contributions required for RC Secondary. Site is in th catchments of Inveralmond CHS, St Kentigern's Academy, Peel Primary and Howden St Andrews.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The site is located near the A705 and also adjacent to a water treatment works which may give rise to odour issues.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 There is a surface water capacity problem affecting this site. Regional SUDS control in place. There is also the requirement for water resilient measures to be introduced to this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site has a history of flooding and retaining runoff. It is also traversed by a culverted watercourse. Each of these issues should be capable of being mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

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### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. A 300mm water main runs along the edge of this site In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, though it lies to the site of the farmstead of East Long Livingston, which was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. The plot itself was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and modern maps and aerial photographs suggest that it has not been disturbed by substantial previous development. This suggests that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access required onto B7015, see also approved planning brief. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the Almond Greenway.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states there is a surface water capacity problem affecting this site. Regional SUDS control in place. There is also the requirement for water resilient measures to be introduced to this site.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

## 139 Eliburn

## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv115	/		Audit	EE24					
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred			
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	18-Nov-13			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	18-Nov-13			
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.										
Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy										

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required, possible removal of site from process as the site is being developed as a council house

## WLC Transportation

11-Dec-13 Access as per existing planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

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## SEPA - Water Environment

15-Feb-12 No comments made, this site is largely developed.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments made, this site is largely developed.

# 1342 Deans West/Hardie Road

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## Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv122	1		Audit	D127-35	56450		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Pla	n			Consult Upd	late	10-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brow	n/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	10-Jul-14	
The site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan. Although greenfield, the proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.								

The site has an approved planning brief.

Meldrum Primary/Deans Community High, S	St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
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List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No objections, contributions will be required for RC Secondary school. The catchment schools are Deans CHS, Meldrum Primary, St Margaret's Academy and St John Ogilive Primary,

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The location of the site suggestst that noise mitigation may be required at the northern boundary with M8.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Record of nearby flooding in 2004 and 2008. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There is no requirement however for a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require mended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic 31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the north of Hardie Road. The area was shown as wooded on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, the trees being part of a shelter belt forming part of the designed landscape associated with Dechmont House. Current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the plot remains largely undeveloped, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. However, the extent of this potential is likely to be reduced somewhat by the action of tree roots

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 This site has been the subject of an approved planning brief so any access would be required to take account of that. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - There is a risk of surface water accumulating on Hardie Road. Care will need to be taken to ensure that development of this site does not allow runoff from Hardie Road into the development site and if it were to do so to ensure that the runoff can be safely routed through the site without compromise to property within the site or

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements and developer to ensure good pedestrian linkage to adjacent play facilities.

# 1349 Almond South Junction - Craigshill South

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv123	1		Audit	C007-35	55640	
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate
Category	Auditable-Constrai	ned			Consult Upd	late	09-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	09-Jul-14
This site is not being ta	iken forward as i	it has acc	ess issues.	It is therefore pro	posed that thi	s site be	e de-allocated.
	Letham Primary	y/Inveralmor	nd Community H	High, Howden St Andre	ws/St Margarets Aca	ademy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status			Propose	d Use		

## WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No issues, developer contributions required for RC Secondary schools SPG.

## **Historic Scotland**

09-Jul-13 No comments or observations. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 Gap site near existing houses – no issues

#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The coal authority requests that WLC identifies whether past coal mining activity has taken place using GIS data provided by the coal authority. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation to developments. The coal authority emphasises that former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development; The coal authority would therefore not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from allocation on the basis of former mining

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Is there a water feature within site boundary-no - There is no requirement for any stand off or resilience features.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Marchbank WTW. There are no network issues at present.

Waste: Previous communications from Scottish Water stated that there is limited capacity at East Calder AVSE PFI WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 Criteria. The site should be developed on a

fully separate system and further investigation may be required depending on foul flow. There are existing foul and surface water sewers running through this site which may need to be diverted depending on the layout of the site.

## WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows no potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. mills have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

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## Livingston

No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the west of Stevenson Court. It was shown as being largely undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, though a road or track was depicted running into its northern boundary, with a ditch or drain continuing on from this to the River Almond. This situation remained generally unchanged on the 2nd edition map. Current OS maps indicate that the site is under trees and scrub, though aerial photographs show that it is more likely managed landscaped grass. It is apparent that the surrounding area has been subject to extensive development during the 20th century, and the potential for buried archaeological material to be present within the compartment is likely to depend on the extent to which it has been affected by ground disturbance associated with this work.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) 30-Jan-14 under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding. through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small site in Livingston. Nearest junction is J3 of the M8.

Whilst Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make on the site there may be a cumulative issue relating to those sites that would have an impact on J3 of the M8.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 A Flood Risk Assessment is required if this site is to be developed.-SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site includes a few low areas where surface water can accumulate. It is thought that these could potentially be engineered to avoid surface water accumulating there. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

31-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## SNH

14-Feb-14 No comments on this allocation.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 New access required via Almond South Road. Town location, access from Almond South Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### Inveralmond Community Area B (North) 1350

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv128	1		Audit	LW10					
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Completed			
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	18-Nov-13			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>			
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	18-Nov-13			
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.										
	Harrysmuin	r Primary/Inveralmo	ond Community	High, Howden St And	drews/St Margarets A	Academy				
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## Transport Scotland

10-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made on this planning application.

#### Scottish Water

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made at the time of the application and any development was required to meet Scottish Water requirements.

#### **Historic Scotland**

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made on this planning application.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made on the planning application.

### WLC Education

No adverse comments, ctachment schools are Inverlmond CHS, Harrysmuir Primary, Howden St Andrews and St. 22-Nov-13

#### WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jul-14 No adverse comments were made on this planning application.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

10-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

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## Livingston

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Impact Assessment required. Site already has potential SuDS basin. Site is under construction as a council house

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access required as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Drainage Impact Assessment required. Site already has potential SuDS basin. Site is under construction as a council house

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Drainage Impact Assessment required. Site already has potential SuDS basin. Site is under construction as a council house build site. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding. through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

# 2137 St Ninian's Primary (North)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv129	1	Audit	DDER3				
EOI no				Consult Posit	ion	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ite	11-Jul-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Greenfield		Conclusion Da	ate	11-Jul-14		
Development of the site is not in accordance with the council's preferred development strategy which supports								

development within the core development areas and other strategic locations and the development of brownfield land. The site is greenfield and there are other more suitable sites available for development.

The Council Executive in early 2009, decided that the site should not be developed for housing as it may be required for future extensions to St Ninians Primary School. It is therefore proposed that this site be de-allocated for housing.

Dedridge Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 Site ie being retained for possible extension to St Ninians Primary.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

### **NHS - Lothian**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Historic maps show an area of raised land across the site. This will require investigation to determine any contamination.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Remove site from process, previous Council Executive decision to not pursue development on this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Is there a water feature within site boundary. It is understood this site has been removed from process and previous West Lothian Council Executive decision to not pursue development on this site.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the facility at Lanthorn Community Centre.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required.Record of nearby flooding in 2001 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. It is understood this site has been removed from process and previous West Lothian Council Executive decision to not pursue development on this site.

#### WOSAS 31-May-12

No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the north of St Ninian's Primary School. The area was depicted as open ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and current maps and aerial photographs suggest that this may still be the case, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried material associated with earlier phases of occupation. It is unclear, however, the extent to which the area has been affected by earth-moving associated with the construction of the adjacent housing and school – it is possible that if this involved significant amounts of land-forming, the potential for earlier deposits to survive may be fairly limited.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access off Douglas Rise using existing access point. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1344 Howden Bridge West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv133-COU12 /	LIV 1	Audit	AV007		
EOI no	EOI-0158			Consult Posit	ion	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upda	ite	10-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion Da	ate	10-Jul-14
The site is partly brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim						

being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme and is also supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

> Toronto Primary/Inveralmond Community High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets Academy **Proposed Use**

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## WLC Education

10-Jul-14 Education support.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 A biodiversity assessment of the site will be required, given the proximity to the riparian corridor of the River Almond.

## NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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## Scottish Water

15-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps. The area also appears as open ground on current OS maps of the area, though it is apparent that the surrounding landscape has undergone substantial amounts of earth-moving during the course of the 20th century. The extent to which these operations have affected the plot itself would determine whether its development would raise an archaeological issue; if it has been relatively unaffected, it may still retain some potential to produce material associated with

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 New access required onto Howden South Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 This site is no longer allocated for development in the local plan, no comments

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

24-May-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 See Council Executive committee report 21st May 2013 in relation to Almondvale Park Study.

## WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. mill have operated within the vicinity of the site.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 This site is no longer allocated for development in the local plan, no comments

## **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 This site is no longer allocated for development in the local plan, no comments

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## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 1919 Brucefield Industrial

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv136	1		Audit	B17			
EOI no					Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	ate	18-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	18-Nov-13	
The site is an existing	allocation w			cal Plan.	<b>-</b>			

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope. The council is minded to grant planning permission for this site, subject to conclusion of a Section 75 legal agreement.

Bellsquarry Primary/James Young High (The), St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

09-Jul-14 Landscaping and tree protection will be required to be confirmed through any subsequent detailed planning application.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height or two storeys, whichever is the highest and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## WOSAS

12-Nov-11 No known issues.

## **Scottish Water**

09-Jul-14 No objectiosn subject to the developer meeting all SW technical and permit requirements.

#### **Transport Scotland**

19-Sep-11 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **Historic Scotland**

18-Nov-13 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

## **WLC Environmental Health**

12-Sep-11 Confirm that noise from the railway line south of the site will not be an issue, however, the development layout in any subsequent detailed planning application, will require to take account of and mitigate the noise from industrial premises to the north west at Brucefield Industrial Estate.

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## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 Catchment schools are St Margaret's Acdemy, James Young Hill, St Mary's Polbeth and Bellsquarry Primary. ;part of the site will be required by the council for an extension to West Calder High School. Developer contributions also require to be paid for RC Secondary SPG.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 An ecological survey of the site is required, given that there is a history of protected species in the locality. The developer will require to adhere to SNH licensing requirements.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Planning permission to be garnted subject to S.75 on this site. A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment is required for this site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access required as per approved planning brief and any subsequent planning application. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Comments previously made on application that is understood tom have been granted. A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment is required for this site.

### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. factory works and quarrying, have operated within the immediate vicinity of the site.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Comments previously made on application that is understood tom have been granted. There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## 1946 Deans South Rebuild New component

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv137	/ HLV137	Audit			
EOI no				<b>Consult Position</b>	1	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Update		10-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/G	ree Brownfield		<b>Conclusion Date</b>		10-Jul-14
The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme.						

The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site was previously subject of a failed Compulsory Purchase Order by the council several years ago. There remains an aspiration however to redevelop this site on land where houses have been previously demolished.

Deans Primary/Deans Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

04-Mar-14 The site does not appear to be generally at risk of flooding – there is a minor pluvial risk in the south area of the site bit I would have thought this can be engineered out with the new layout / levels etc.

The usual comments will apply regarding surface water management / SUDS.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 The council's Residential Development Guide (2013) applies to sites where more than ten dwellings are proposed and requires that developers address amenity/active open space and play provision by making a financial payment to the council, unless there is a compelling case for direct on site provision. For the avoidance of doubt, contributions apply equally to flats and houses. A base tariff of £1,500 has been adopted and is applied on a pro-rata basis. See table below for relevant contributions. Prospective developers are, nevertheless, encouraged to confirm site specific contributions by contacting the Development Management team prior to making a planning application.

In this instance, it is anticipated that contributions will primarily be used to provide play facilities within the wider redevelopment site of Deans South in a more central location in a later phase. In the meantime, there arenearby play facilities to the west that can be used by residents in the interim at Rosebery Park.

Planning gain required. Possible enhancement of of local parks at Deans Wood, Station Park, Central Recreation Area and School grounds at Deans Primary and Improvement of access to park - could include possible part of school grounds and include access to north end of site. The link is important between site and play area to the west also. There will also be a requirement to provdei enhanced amenity open space in the site and an opportunity to include a pedestrian crossing to the park also at Deanswood.

## WLC Economic Property Development

21-May-14 No comments, site is housing site.

#### WOSAS

21-May-14 No known issues.

## **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Education**

21-May-14

Education Planning is a statutory consultee in the planning permission process and any objection by Education is a material consideration in the determination of planning permission. An objection by the Service could prevent planning permission being obtained. School rolls constantly change and prior to submission of a planning application it is recommended that developers contact Education Planning to obtain an up to date status on both the available capacity at the schools, education's position on any potential application and any contributions that are in place.

The site is within the catchment areas of Deans ND Primary, St John Ogilvie RC Primary, St. Margaret's RC Academy and Deans Community High School.

**RC Secondary** 

There is a requirement of £1,983 per residential unit, but only where this applies to properties with 3 or more habitable rooms. This payment to be indexed to the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index with the 1st quarter of 2010 forming the base date. It should be noted there may be exemptions to this requirement and that this SPG may be subject to future change. Full details of the SPG can be found at the below link:

http://www.westlothian.gov.uk/media/downloaddoc/1799514/1841832/1850797/dsei\_interimchanges

Actual payments will be index linked to the changes indicated in the RICS Building Cost Information Service Tender Price Index using the first quarter 2010 as the base date and the levels of contribution will be reviewed regularly to take account of changed circumstances. See details within detailed Supplementary Planning Guidance for specific exemptions. While this can be accessed from the council's web page, it is recommended that the most up to date position is verified with Education Planning.

General Education Information:

Planning guidelines are prepared within a specific timeframe and it is not uncommon for school rolls and capacities to change over each session. Government guidance and contribution policies can also change. Consequently, there may be a need to phase a particular development with suspensive planning conditions that was not originally envisaged when the planning guidelines were prepared.

Prospective developers must contact the council's Education Planning service for up to date information on contributions at an early stage in preparing their proposals.

At the time of writing, no developer contributions are required for the ND Secondary School infrastructure or primary school infrastructure. This position could change.

## **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### **Scottish Water**

27-May-13 There is existing water and waste water infrastructure in the site which will need to be taken into consideration when planning the site. In terms of waste water the site is served by the East Calder plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Marchbank plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site.

## **WLC Waste Management**

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for

This area was shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. However, modern maps and current aerial photographs indicate that it is now almost entirely occupied by modern housing. Construction of this housing is likely to have resulted in substantial amounts of ground disturbance, and this will have largely removed the potential for buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation to survive. As a result, we would not consider archaeological work to be necessary in relation to the redevelopment of this plot.

This block of ground was shown as being undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. However, modern OS maps and current aerial photographs indicate that it is almost wholly covered with modern housing. Construction of this housing is likely to have involved substantial amounts of ground disturbance, a process that will have resulted in the removal of any buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present. As a result, the demolition of the existing housing stock and the redevelopment of this block would not raise a substantive archaeological issue.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via existing road network.Town location, existing streets to be used. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

Scottish Government's guidance, 'Designing Streets', has dispensed with a formal and prescriptive hierarchy of street typologies and has moved away from the previous rigid application of standards. It reinforces the link between road engineering, planning and urban design and promotes a design-led approach to street design that takes into account site specific requirements. It heralds a fundamental shift away from road dominated layouts, placing greater emphasis on creating places to live, and it is important that developers have full regard to, and comply with this policy guidance when designing their housing layout. The council's Roads and Transportation Manager is currently reviewing technical advice for developers and has undertaken to produce a guidance manual in due course. In the meantime, it has been agreed with Roads and Transportation Services that a formal Traffic Impact Assessment will not be required but developers must observe and satisfy the specific requirements set out below.

The existing vehicular access roads should be utilised within the site where possible, in particular to link this into the surrounding road (Deans South Road and road west of the site) and footpath network. In particular access should be maintained with the site to the east, that is likely to be developed as a next phase into the future. There is the possibility, dependent on the layout, that one of the roads (Staffa) may require to be subject of a 'stopping up order' under the Roads (Scotland) Act 1984 if the proposal requires a public road to be removed.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying, railway land and oil works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Redevelopment of existing Council stock in Livingston. Reasonable site size but nominal net change anticipated.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No comments, housing site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There is no requirement for any water resileint measures to be introduced to the site and there are no restoration

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

17-Jun-13 There is a record of surface water flooding nearby in 2008 and 2009. No further information provided. There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### WLC Environmental Health

13-Aug-13 Consideration of rail noise mitigation at southern boundary.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

31-Jan-14 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## SNH

14-Jun-13 Existing development is well sited within the footpath network and benefits from small areas of woodland and shelterbelts, particularly to the west and south. There are several areas of open space in the development, some of which are 'on line' and included in the access network. Others are bounded by housing and car parking. Redevelopment of the site offers an opportunity to address such issues.

We have no records of protected species from this area.

#### **Ballantyne Place (South) Formerly EE5B** 579

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv26	1	Audit	EE5B -	356631	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Con	strained		Consult Upo	late	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree		Conclusion I	Date	18-Nov-13
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing						
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land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

	Peel Primary/Inveralmond Community High, St John Ogilvie/St Margarets Aca		
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## **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 No issues, site is within the catchment schools of Inveralmond, Peel Primary, St Margaret's Academy and St John Ogilvie Primary, developer contributions required for RC Secondary, may be further contributions required in the future.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive) 09-Jan-14

No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

The southern boundary of the site is close to Cousland Rd (A705) and may be susceptible to possible traffic noise. 19-Jun-12

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m wide buffer strip to the Folly Burn watercourse at the eastern end of the site. There are no restoration opportunities.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - There is a history of the Folly Burn 30-Jan-14 where it enters the culvert on this site. If this site were to be developed there would need to be measures put in place to defend the site against flooding from this source. The developer will also be expected to install measures to improve the hydraulic performance of the culvert inlet and prevent overtopping onto Cousland Road. The usual attenuation and treatment

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#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified,

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows through the east of the site (The Folly Burn). Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. The development site may be constrained due to flood risk. Record of flooding in adjacent area in 2003. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are no water resilient measures

#### Scottish Enterprise

04-Jul-13 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements at Peel Park.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 New access required to link to existing network at Ballantyne Place. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot partially falls within an Archaeological Consultation Trigger (ACT) polygon associated with an unroofed building shown on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. This map also indicates that at this time, the plot itself was partially occupied by a structure annotated as Livingston Offices, presumably associated with the nearby Livingston House, built on the site of the Peel of Livingston. Although the later house had been pulled down before the 1st edition map was surveyed, the gardens and offices survived, and indeed the former offices were also shown on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, though they were annotated as ivingston Place. The plot itself would have been located within the designed landscape associated with Livingston House and depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the mid 18th century. There is some potential that buried deposits may survive within the area, though current aerial photographs indicate that

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# Livingston

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EOI no	EOI-0030				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	18-Nov-13		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.1	
Conclusions	E	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	18-Nov-13		
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.									
Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy									

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

01-Sep-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment required. It is noted that the council are minded to grant planning permission on this housing site. SEPA Flood Risk map Update 2013 - site is under construction

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. It is noted that the council are minded to grant planning permission on this housing site.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permissiion. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been identified from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the west of Wellhead Farm. Wellhead Farm was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that occupation on the site predates the period of widespread agricultural improvement in the later 18th and early 19th centuries. The plot itself was shown as undeveloped farmland on the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century, and also on subsequent OS coverages. As the ground does not appear to have been disturbed by substantial modern development, it would retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary of the site. It is noted that the council are minded to grant planning permission on this housing site.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 3033 Site at Wellhead Farm

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv59	1		Audit	EOI-005	51				
EOI no	EOI-0030				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred			
Category	Expression of Interes	st			Consult Upo	late	18-Nov-13			
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1		
Conclusions	Brow	n/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion I	Date	18-Nov-13			
The site has planning approval and construction has commenced.										
Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Pauls/St Margarets Academy										

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 Education support / Williamston and St Ninian's Primary Schools have capacity. Education can support more units on this site than proposed.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## WLC Environmental Health

13-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Murieston - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a

#### WLC Economic Property Development

19-Mar-13 No comment - Housing Site.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.SEPA Flood Risk map Update 2013 - site is under construction

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary of the site. It is noted that the council are minded to grant planning permission on this housing site.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

No sites have been identified from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the west of Wellhead Farm. Wellhead Farm was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that occupation on the site predates the period of widespread agricultural improvement in the later 18th and early 19th centuries. The plot itself was shown as undeveloped farmland on the 1st edition OS map of the mid 19th century, and also on subsequent OS coverages. As the ground does not appear to have been disturbed by substantial modern development, it would retain some potential to produce buried deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation.

# **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. It is noted that the council are minded to grant planning permission on this housing site.

# 608 Murieston South 8

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv61	1		Audit	MS8		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constra	ained			Consult Upd	late	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	18-Nov-13
The site is allocated for	or development i	in the Wes	t Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cor	ntributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

and supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

The site is partially brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

Williamston Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy
Current Status
Proposed Use

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Land affected by deposition of historic incinerator ash and corresponding contamination issues. Site Investigation carried out a number of years ago. A further Site Investigation and Remediation Strategy will be required. The previous application was subject to Public Local Inquiry following the refusal of planning permission.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Murieston - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Existing access to be used. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. SEPA support this position.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the SE of Tarbert Drive. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that it has been undeveloped since at least the mid 19th century. It is apparent that there has been substantial recent development in the vicinity of the plot associated with the construction of Tarbert Drive, Murieston Valley and Teviot Drive. The plot itself appears to have remained largely unaffected by this work, and so may retain some potential to produce buried material associated with previous phases of occupation. However, the relatively small scale of the plot and the fact that some of it appears to be under tree cover suggests that this potential may not be particularly high.

# 131 Craigshill Laboratory

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv68	/		Audit	99/1			
EOI no					Consult P	osition	De-alloca	ate
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained			Consult U	pdate	09-Jul-1	14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality	Agricultural Land	No	Class Descripti	ion
Conclusions	J	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	n Date	09-Jul-1	14
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The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has not confirmed any intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

As a brownfield site, development is supported by the council's preferred strategy to release brownfield land for development.

Education capacity is available to support development of the site.

However, there has been no recent development interest for residential development on the site and the building is partially in use for business uses and has not been subject of any application for housing since the early 1990s.

It is therefore proposed that the site be de-allocated.

	Riverside Primary	/Inveralmond Community High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No objections as site is an existing allocation, developer contributions would be required for RC Secondary, the catchment schools, are St. Margaret's Academy, Inveralmond CHS, Riverside Primary and Howden St.Andrews.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

- \* Knightsridge, Deans, Eliburn & Ladywell Existing facility : Carmondean Medical Group
- \* Knightsridge, Deans & Eliburn Existing facility : Deans & Eliburn Medical Practice
- \* Craigshill, (and parts of Pumpherston & Midcalder) Existing facility : Craigshill Health
- Centre
- \* Dedridge Existing facility : Dedridge Health Centre
- \* Howden, Ladywell, Eliburn and Livingston Village Existing facility : Howden Health Centre
- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 Given the present use and past use of the site, a Phase 1 Contaminated Land Investigation will be required to accompany any planning application submitted for this site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access from Craigshill Road or Craigshill Street. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. Although it was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps, current maps and aerial photographs indicate that it is almost entirely occupied by three large modern buildings and associated car parking. Construction of these features is likely to have removed any material associated with earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, the proposed development of this plot is unlikely to raise an archaeological issue.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

# 249 Bellsquarry 16

Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv73	1	Audit	B16				
EOI no				Consult Positi	ion	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Updat	te	18-Nov-13		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ree Greenfield		Conclusion Da	te	18-Nov-13		
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing								

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Although a greenfield site, the proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy Proposed Use

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 Landscaping should follow requirements set out in planning brief for the site. No other comments

## **WLC Education**

09-Jul-14 Site is an existing allocation in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan. The catchment schools are James Young High, Bellsquarry Primary, St. Margaret's Academy and St Ninians RC Primary. Developer contributions will be required for RC Secondary and may be required for other catchment schools in the future.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. Unsure what is meant by sensivity analysis required. Also developer required to provide a culvert beneath Calder Road to drain the playing field via the Woodland Trust ditch that runs along the east boundary of HLv73. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse to the east of the site. Record of nearby flooding in 2001 and 2008. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a buffer strip of 6m between any development on the site and the watercourse at its eastern end. There are no restoration opportunities.

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. Sensitivity Analysis required also. Any developer required to provide a culvert beneath Calder Road to drain the Playing field via the Woodland Trust ditch that runs along the east boundary of HLv73. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facilities : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this small plot, located to the south of Calder Road. The area was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and this situation appears to have remained unaltered throughout the 20th century, as current maps and aerial photographs suggest that the plot has not been extensively disturbed by previous development. This would suggest that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity, though given the relatively limited scale of the plot, this potential may not be particularly high.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access required onto Calder Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for further

# 257 Craigshill 35

Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv/6 /		Audit	C35		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upc	late	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	e Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	18-Nov-13
The site is allocated fo	r development in the W	est Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and cont	ributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

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**Proposed Use** 

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land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield, provides a natural infill between the existing residential areas and meets with the council's preferred development strategy to support the release of brownfield land.

Letham Primary/Inveralmond Community High, Howden St Andrews/St Margarets Academy

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## **WLC Education**

22-Nov-14 No objections as site is an existing allocation, developer contributions would be required for RC Secondary, the catchment schools, are St. Margaret's Academy, Inveralmond CHS, Letham Primary and Howden St.Andrews.

## **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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- \* Bellsquarry, Murieston, Adambrae (and Polbeth) Existing facility : Murieston Medical Practice. The temporary facility is to be replaced by a permanent facility.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip for this site and there are no restoration opportunities.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Assessment required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this small plot, located to the north of Ettrick Drive. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the site was undeveloped in the mid 19th century, with only a field boundary shown on the 1st edition running across the plot. This situation appeared to remain unchanged into the 20th century. It is apparent from post-WWII OS maps and current aerial photographs that the plot was previously occupied by housing, construction of which is likely to have removed any deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present. As a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary in relation to the development of this plot.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. There is a record of nearby flooding in 2003 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Almond East or Ettrick Drive. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

# 264 Forth Drive / Don Drive 6

# Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv79	1		Audit	C003 - 3	355552	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Const	rained			Consult Upo	date	18-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	18-Nov-13
The site has planning	approval and c	onstruction	has comm	enced.			
	Letham Prim	ary/Inveralmon	d Community H	High, Howden St Andre	ws/St Margarets Ac	ademy	
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<b>SNH</b> 18-Mar-13 No comm	ents made.						

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This small plot at the southern end of Forth Drive was shown as undeveloped on the 1st and 2nd edition Ordnnace Survey maps. It also appears as undeveloped on current OS maps, though its relatively small scale and the amount of ground disturbance likely to have resulted from construction of the housing and infrastructure that surrounds it suggests that there is a limited potential for buried archaeological material to be present. As a result, it is unlikely that we would consider archaeological work to be required in relation to development on this plot.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Very small site in Livingston of little consequence to the trunk road network.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

17-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Planning gain required for improvement of loca park, i.e. Letham park and improved access to park

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment for this site. SEPA would support the council requirement for a Drainage Assessment. There is no requirejment for any water resilient measures for this site.

# 246 Dedridge East R1 / Quentin Rise

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv84	1		Audit	DDER1				
EOI no					Consult Posi	ition	Completed		
Category	Auditable-Cons	strained			Consult Upd	ate	10-Jul-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	]	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	10-Jul-14		
This site has been completed and has been removed from the adopted West Lothian Local Plan.									
Bankton Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy									
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Proposed Use

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Livingston has a number of health centres within its neighbourhoods. NHS Lothian has not advised of any individual problems or capacity issues.

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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 There is a requirement for a Drainage Assessment for this site. It is noted that planning permission has been granted for a nursing home and small commercial units on the site.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA support the council requirement for a Drainage Impact Assessment for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. It is noted that planning permission has been granted for a nursing home and small commercial units

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities for this site. It is noted that planning permission has been granted for a nursing home and small commercial units on the site.

## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. heap of unknown constituents. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines, have been recorded within the vicinity of the site.

# 247 Dedridge East R2

Livingston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv85	1	Audit	DDER2				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	31-Mar-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Greenfie	eld	Conclusion D	Date	31-Mar-14		
Development of the site for housing would be acceptable as the site is within the settlement envelope of Livingston.								
Planning permission has been granted for a nursing home extension and commercial units which are deemed								
acceptable alternative uses on this site. However, if this planning permission is not acted upon, reidential use will still								

NB application granted for nursery and commercial units and ref 0012/11 – likely no allocation will be carried forward to the LDP. Site partially complete, capacity shown reflects units to be completed.

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## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

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## **NHS - Lothian**

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## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage assessment required.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Existing access onto Quentin Rise and use access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA agree with the council that a Drainage Assessment is required for this site.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

13-Nov-13 Residential development can be supported provided the open spaces are provided and designed in accordance with the Open Space Strategy. E.g accessibility and quality standards, with specific reference to woodland, full consideration should be given to retaining the existing character of the area, its conservation value and biodiversity, to minimising negative

## **Scottish Water**

13-Jun-13 No issues.

# 275 Murieston South R1

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv94 /	1	Audit	MSR1		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	24-Jan-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	24-Jan-14
The site is allocated for	or development in the W	/est Lothian L	ocal Plan and co	ontributes toward	ds the e	stablished housing

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The proposal is supported, in part, as infill development within the settlement envelope and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

The site is partially brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

10-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

09-Jul-12 Education support - existing allocation, site likely just to be street frontage, as there is a mine shaft immediately to the rear of the existing allocation. Site possibly subject to previous planning brief history (site may accommodate around 5 units).

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site.SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Murieston - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises land affected by deposition of historic incinerator ash and corresponding contamination issues. Mine shaft present on site. A Site Investigation was carried out a number of years ago. A further Site Investigation will be required.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the west of Bervie Drive, though comparison with the 1st edition indicates the presence of a shaft during the mid 19th century. This was shown as lying at the end of a section of mineral railway that ran into the plot from the NW. Two small square structures were also shown. None of these features were depicted on the 2nd edition map, on which a large sand-pit was shown occupying the western end of the plot. Excavation of the sand-pit is likely to have removed all evidence for earlier occupation that may have existed in this section of the site, though the remaining portion appears to have been less extensively affected.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# 3082 Existing WLLP Housing allocation HLv94 Murieston

Livingston

			Conclusion Date			24-Jan-14	
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	Constant	Conclusion Date			24 Jan 14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Update		24-Jan-14	
EOI no	EOI-0100			<b>Consult Position</b>		Preferred	
LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv94	/	Audit	EOI-0100			

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The proposal is supported, in part, as infill development within the settlement envelope and presents a logical next phase of residential development.

The site is partially brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan.

Bellsquarry Primary/James Young High (The), St Ninians/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises land affected by deposition of historic incinerator ash and corresponding contamination issues. Mine shaft present on site. A Site Investigation was carried out a number of years ago. A further Site Investigation will be required.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

## **Scottish Water**

13-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. A 4" water main crosses the site. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity. Sewer extensions may be required.

## WLC Environmental Health

13-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Historic Scotland**

16-Apr-13 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Existing access to be used. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, located to the west of Bervie Drive, though comparison with the 1st edition indicates the presence of a shaft during the mid 19th century. This was shown as lying at the end of a section of mineral railway that ran into the plot from the NW. Two small square structures were also shown. None of these features were depicted on the 2nd edition map, on which a large sand-pit was shown occupying the western end of the plot. Excavation of the sand-pit is likely to have removed all evidence for earlier occupation that may have existed in this section of the site, though the remaining portion appears to have been less extensively affected.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

# 1285 Cleugh Brae (CB) CDA

# Livingston West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	CB	1		Audit	CB			
EOI no				<b>Consult Position</b>		Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Upd	11-Jul-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brow	vn/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion Date		11-Jul-14	
The site forms part of an existing core development area. Development within such areas is supported in principle by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.								

Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### WLC Education

22-Nov-14 No objections, developer contributions will be required however for school infrastructure.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

## SEPA - Water Environment

- 19-Jul-12
- The nearest water body to the site is the West Calder Burn along the site boundary to the north of part of the site out to a distnace of 70m from the site.. A 6m wide buffer strip is required from any development to the watercourse..

## Coal Authority

26-Mar-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment - mixed use largely residential development site.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site contains former spoil heaps, shafts and guarry on western part of site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No LP reference, no polygon defined in GIS shapefile, unclear whether this covers the same extent as polygon CB defined on WLLP-Map 5. If it does, then the following comments would apply. No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of the plot defined as CB. The western end of the plot, adjacent to the Cleuchbrae Bridge, appears to have been subject to previous industrial development. An old shaft was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map, and areas of dumping or tipping of waste material was also shown. These features were also shown on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, though they do not appear on modern OS maps of the area. This former disturbance is not apparent on current aerial photographs, on which this section of the site appears as agricultural farmland, though it is likely that it will have reduced the potential for in situ deposits to survive in this section of the site. The remainder of the plot does not appear to have been substantially affected by development during the modern period, meaning that it will retain some potential to produce buried deposits

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13

- CDA requirements in WLLP: - woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council.
- CDA requirement specific to West Livingston/Mossend:
- enhancement of river corridors within master plan area;
- extension of existing greenway associated with River Almond; and
- new greenways associated with West Calder Burn, Harwood Water and Breich Water.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3A of the M8.

## WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

25-Jun-13 Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Impact Assessment are required. Site may be subject to agricultural run off and from the West Calder Burn that runs north of the site and lies within 20-30m of the site at its nearest point.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

24-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Impact Assessment are required. Site may be subject to agricultural run off and from the West Calder Burn that runs north of the site and lies within 20-30m of the site at its nearest point. SEPA comments are required. Site also floods from and to railway and discussions ongoing between landowners and the council to resolve these flooding issues. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to accord with the Master plan for this Core Development Area. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 1084 Gavieside Farm (GS) CDA (Balance to 2200)

Livingston West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GF /		Audit	GS				
EOI no			C	onsult Positi	ion	Preferred		
Category	Auditable-Constrained		С	onsult Upda	te	19-Nov-13		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultura	al Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Co	Conclusion Date		19-Nov-13		
The Strategic Development Plan supports development within the core development areas. The site is within an								

identified core development area and is allocated for mixed uses.

Although priority is to be given to development of brownfield land, there is not enough brownfield land to meet requirements of the Strategic Development Plan. Continued support of this greenfield release is supported in this instance.

Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, Our Lady of Lourdes/St Kentigerns Academy, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

## WLC Education

22-Nov-13 No objections, developer contributions required fro school infrastructure.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No comment - this is a mixed use largely residential development that is a CDA site that should be rolled forward into the

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 A buffer strip would be required between any dveelopment on the site and watercourses within and out with the site, in particular there should be a12m buffer between any development and the Breich Water. There are no opportunities for restoration. There is no information on capacity of receiving sewage works and there is no foul sewer in area, potential to provide first time sewerage provision for adjacent properties. There could be co-location issues with SEPA regulated Sites in the form of a Broiler Farm shown on site unless this site is to be removed and there is the potential for nuisance from odour from this site. There appear to be no surface water drainage constraints.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. Extensions will however be required. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site. Development of this site could potentially lead to flood risk out with the site unless appropriately mitigated. The River Almond straddles the western and northern boundaries of the site and the West Calder Burn similalry straddles the south eastern boundary of the site. There are also pond and pools and drains within 100m of the southern boundary of the site.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises former shale mining land, pits, spoil heaps, railway lines, shafts, etc across site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will be required to be submitted with any planning application..

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working or is could be affected by present mine working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 This allocation is adjacent to several Local Biodiversity Sites (LBS). Opportunities to link to and interpret these sites as part of green network shouldbe considered. Great crested newts are recorded at NT021661 in the national survey of 1981. These appear to be outwith the site but the likelihood of GCN using terrestrial habitat within site should be considered if the allocation is taken forward. Otter are also known to be present on watercourses adjacent to this site and should be considered at pre-application stage to ensure licensing issues can be considered properly and in good time.

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No LP reference, no polygon defined in GIS shapefile, unclear whether this covers the same extent as polygon GF defined on WLLP-Map 3. If it does, then the following comments would apply. The GF plot defined on Map 3 encompasses a large area of ground, the majority of which does not appear to have been affected by previous development, meaning that it is likely to retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. Comparison with the 1st edition

indicates that it was almost wholly open farmland during the mid 19th century, the exception being the ground now occupied by the Stepend Broiler Farm, which was largely covered with bings of waste material. There is also some indication of mining in the area to the east of Grange farm, while an old shaft was also shown towards the centre of the section to the north of the B7015. A rifle range was also shown on the 1st edition, in the area to the east of Allandale Hall. The 2nd edition shows further industrial activity, in the form of Gavieside Shale Mine, located to the SW of the farm, and also a mineral railway running across the plot to the south. These features are also shown on the 3rd edition. These features do not appear on modern OS maps of the area. While the former industrial use of some sections of the plot will have reduced the potential for buried features relating to earlier phases of activity to survive in these areas, the majority of the ground does not appear to have been affected by substantial previous ground disturbance, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce deposits of this type. The place-name 'Grange' may also be of interest, as it would typically refer to a centre of an outlying farming estate belonging to a monastery and used for food production. The name also appears on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, indicating that there is likely to have been occupation on the site for at least the last 250 years, and given the

## **WLC Waste Management**

09-Jul-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access requirements to accord with Core Development Area master plan for Gavieside. See alsoTransport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13

CDA requirement in WLLP:

- woodland planting to implement the Forest Habitat Network objective;
- management of existing trees and woodlands;
- open space provision and indoor and outdoor sports facilities in accordance with approved strategies of the council.
- CDA requirement specific to West Livingston/Mossend:
- enhancement of river corridors within master plan area;
- extension of existing greenway associated with River Almond; and
- new greenways associated with West Calder Burn, Harwood Water and Breich Water.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3A of the M8.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for mixed uses as part of a a Core Development Area and therefore there are no specific issues that Scottish Enterprise wish to comment on.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# 189 Mossend (MO) A and B CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	MO	1		Audit	MO			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	11-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion Date		11-Jul-14	
The site forms part of an existing core development area. Development within such areas is supported in principle by								
the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.								

The council is minded to grant planning permission on this site for hosuing, subject to the conclusion of a S75 legal obligation.

Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

11-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **WLC Education**

11-Jul-14 See comments relative to planning applications on this site, contributions required for infrastructure including RC Secondary contributions and extensions to St Mary's RC Primary in Polbeth and Parkhead Primary in West Calder.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. Due to the size of the development a WIA will be required.

Waste: Previous communications from Scottish Water stated that there is limited capacity at East Calder AVSE PFI WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 Criteria. A drainage impact assessment will be required due to know issues downstream from the site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are both required for this site as per the council requirements. SEPA made comment on the application in 2001 and noted that the site was not at flood risk however and that the SUDs proposals were acceptable.

## **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for development to impact on Junction 3A of the M8.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. land associated with colliery's, including railway lines. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. pits, spoil, collieries and railway lines have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Refer to planning permission 0349/FUL/11 and open space requirements set out as part of masterplan.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-May-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are both required for this site. The council is minded to grant 181 houses on this site under reference 0349/FUL/11.

#### WLC Waste Management

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per extant planning permission. See LDP Transportation Background Paper for more information that

We have commented on a number of previous applications for the erection of housing on sections of this plot. These include 0839/P/11, for planning permission in principle for erection of a residential development at Mossend, and 0349/FUL/11, for the erection of 181 houses with associated access, open space and landscaping.

Three sites have been identified from within the boundaries of the area proposed for development. The first of these is a farmstead annotated as 'Clovenfordsdykes', which was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century. This structure was shown in the vicinity of NGR 301509, 663805. The farm building was also shown on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, indicating that the structure survived into the early 20th century, though it was no longer named on these maps, suggesting that it may have fallen out of use before this period. Indeed, a building was depicted in this location on maps up to 1973, though it appears to have been removed at some point between this date and 1980. While it is known that the building survived until relatively recently, its date of construction and initial occupation are not so clear. Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicates the presence of a settlement called 'Cafarske' in approximately the same position as the later Clovenfordsdykes, suggesting that the farmstead may extend back to at least the mid 18th century, and is therefore likely to pre-date the period of widespread agricultural improvement in the late 18th and early 19th centuries. Patterns of settlement and landholding in pre-improvement Scotland could be fairly stable and long-lived, raising the possibility that the original date of settlement at Clovenfordsdykes may be considerably earlier. While no elements of the structure shown on the 1st edition remain visible above ground level, it is possible that material associated with it may survive in the form of buried sub-surface deposits. Material of this type would be particularly susceptible to damage or destruction resulting from construction of modern housing.

The second site recorded from within the proposed development area is the former shale miners' village of Mossend. As with Clovenfordsdykes, this was also depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map. Owned and constructed by Young's Paraffin Light and Mineral Oil Company, it was described by Theodore K. Irvine in his 1914 'Report on the Housing Conditions in the Scottish Shale Field' as follows:

"There are 140 double-apartment houses. The water is supplied by four stand-pipes. The rental is 2/3 per week, inclusive of rates. There are no coal cellars, wash-houses, or sculleries. Dry privies exist, but are practically public nuisances. The refuse is removed weekly by the Oil Company. The sewage is disposed of in an open channel. There is a contrast in black and white about these houses - the gables are blackened with tar, whilst the fronts and backs of the house are whitewashed." According to the Shale Villages project, the site was cleared around 1965, and the land was then used for rough grazing. In terms of the impact of any development on the remains of the former miners' village, this would largely be dependent on the precise nature of what was proposed on its former footprint – for example, in one of the applications on which we commented previously, much of the footprint of the former village would have remained as an area of parkland, while another section would fall within the area of existing woodland, which was to be retained. It may therefore be possible to preserve any elements of these sections of the former settlement that survive below ground level, as the creation of a park is likely to involve less extensive earth-moving than that associated with the erection of housing. If this approach is adopted, however, the methodology to ensure that this preservation in situ is feasible in the long term would need to form part of the project design from an early stage. If this approach could not be adopted, it is likely that some form of archaeological mitigation would be required in this area.

The final site present within the area proposed for development is a section of the Addiewell and Polbeth Railway, which was also depicted on the 1st edition as a mineral railway running between the various industrial concerns in the vicinity. As such, it represents an element of the wider industrial heritage of the area. Given the linear nature of the rail line, the over-building of the section that lies within the development nature would not in itself result in a major archaeological issue, though some limited recording of it should take place prior to its destruction. This would comprise the excavation of a limited number of trial trenches across its former route, to assess any evidence for its construction method that may survive. All of the elements noted above are likely to suffer a direct impact as a result of the development of this block. In addition to these, the development would also located within 350m of the Five Sisters shale bing, probably the best-known example of this type of monument in West Lothian. It is of rather unusual form, with five distinct lobes formed by the method of tipping

employed, and is a local landscape feature of some importance. The monument is also scheduled, and is considered to be of national importance as the most widely-known reminder of the important pioneering oil industry based on the mining of the West Lothian shales, which laid the foundations for the modern international petro-chemical industry. The bing, in addition to its value as a memorial and significant landscape feature, may contain evidence relating to mining and tipping procedures and types of equipment utilised, and is an element in the 'Paraffin Young' industrial heritage trail. It is therefore likely that consideration would need to be given to the effect of any development on the setting of this monument.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

# 2156 Longridge Park

Long	ridge
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LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ L	ON 1	Audit	354858				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	late	15-Nov-13		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	15-Nov-13		
The site is brownfield. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.								

The site reperesents a logical physical expansion to the east side of Longridge north of School Road.

	Longridge Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy					
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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No adverse comments, developer contributions required for some catchment schools.

# **WLC Waste Management**

WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a 12-Jul-12 minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

# **NHS** - Lothian

- 19-Mar-13
- The Faulhouse Partnership Centre is a relatively new facility and there is currently adequate capacity at this time.

The existing Whitburn health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 Residential development is considered appropriate.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified

# Scottish Water

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

Comparison with the 1st edition indicates that this plot was located to the rear of buildings shown on the Main Street frontage during the mid 19th century, though the site itself was depicted as being unoccupied. The 2nd and 3rd editions illustrate the gradual development of Longridge, both on Main Street and on the southern side of School Road, though again, the plot itself appears to have remained undeveloped. More recent OS maps indicate that the whole of the plot is likely to have been disturbed by construction during the later 20th century, and while only one of these buildings remain, there is unlikely to be much potential for earlier material to survive. As a result, the development of this plot appears unlikely to raise a major

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. Scottish Water will advise on the Sewage Treatment Capacity of the relevant sewage treatment facility. There are no water bodies or water courses close to

# **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required as the area is subject to run off from adjacent land and the land is generally wet in nature. (The site has also been subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto School Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Please ensure vehicular access to playing field for maintenance vehicles. Planning gain requirement to enhance & enrich local open spaces.

# WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# SEPA - Flooding

27-Feb-13 There is the requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

# 2061 1 Hillside Place

# Longridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	11/12	/		Audit	11/12			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Const	trained			Consult Upo	late	21-May-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Age	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	B	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	21-May-14	
This site is an allocated brownfield housing site within the settlement envelope of Longridge that has benefitted from planning permission in the past. It is proposed to continue this allocation into the LDP.								

Longridge Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy

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#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 No specific comments, any details would require to be agreed through any subsequent re-application on the site.

# Scottish Enterprise

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns, site is alloacted for housing development.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 The Faulhouse Partnership Centre is a relatively new facility and there is currently adequate capacity at this time.

The existing Whitburn health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

#### SNH

21-May-14 No comments.

# WLC Transportation

21-May-14 Access and parking requirements to be as per the previous planning permission on the site.

# **WLC Education**

21-May-14 Education support - site is a continuation of an existing allocation.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 No specific issues or concerns.

#### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

21-May-14 No issues, site is allocated for housing development.

#### **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 No flooding issues

#### SEPA - Flooding

21-May-14 No flooding issues

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21-May-14 No specific comments or concerns.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 no comment, no restoration opportunities.

# 184 Fauldhouse Road South

# Longridge

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLr3 /		Audit	11/1					
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred			
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	15-Nov-13			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricul	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2		
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	15-Nov-13			
The site has planning a	pproval and constructi	on has comm	nenced.						
Longridge Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy									
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed U	Jse					

## **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No adverse comments, site has planning permission and is under construction.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site, which is largely built out however.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 The Faulhouse Partnership Centre is a relatively new facility and there is currently adequate capacity at this time.

The existing Whitburn health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site is largely built out. The comments of the WLC Flood Prevention Officer should be noted however.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, this site is largely built out. The comments of the WLC Flood Prevention Officer should be noted however.

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 1380 Longridge North West

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLr6	/	Audit	11/11			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	15-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultu	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	ee Greenfield	(	Conclusion Date		15-Nov-13	
The site is an existing	allocation within the W	est Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contribu	ites towards	s the es	tablished housing	
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land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Longridge Primary/Whitburn Academy, St John the Baptist/St Kentigerns Academy
Current Status
Proposed Use

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

09-Jan-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No adverse comments, the site is an existing allocation within the adopted West Lothian Local Plan.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 The Faulhouse Partnership Centre is a relatively new facility and there is currently adequate capacity at this time.

The existing Whitburn health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 No Comments - Housing Site.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site primarily due to land drainage issues from the

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are required for this site primarily due to land drainage issues from the

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 No potentially contaminative activities have been recorded on site. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. unknown filled ground and quarrying, have operated within the immediate vicinity of the site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 New access required onto Fauldhouse Road in Longridge. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 481 New Calder Paper Mills

# **Mid Calder**

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv134/HLv100 /		Audit	99/4		
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	25-Mar-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	25-Mar-14
New Calder Papermills						

HLv134

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site is brownfield and the council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland (SESplan).

By virtue of the physical relationship of the site with the River Almond it is recognised as being potentially at risk of flooding and a Flood Risk Assessment will be required to be undertaken. However, initial consultations with key agencies suggest that this is capable of being addressed through a combination of measures.

Current Status	Proposed Use
Mid Calder Primary/West	t Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

WLC Contaminated Land

List of Consultations and Dates

14-Jun-11 Limited Site Investigation has been carried out as part of a previous application. Further work will be required.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 Existing habitats provide good screening for this site and new development should be designed to work with these existing elements. The site also has good opportunities for encouraging non-vehicular transport through links to existing extensive path networks in the area. Otter have been recorded on the River Almond immediately north of this site. As per other allocations, consideration should be afforded to addressing this as early as possible in the planning process.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is a requirement for a buffer strip of 12m-20m on this site to the River Almond. The Almond runs immediately north of the site and there is also the Mill Lade in the site.Options for the development of the Mill Lade must be discussed with SEPA. There are no restoration opportunities for this site.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond, small watercourses and lade structure. Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. There are no water reslient measures required on this site. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are also multiple watercourses running through the site. Allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map) from the River Almond.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for the site.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access onto B7015 via existing. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play facilities to be provided on site as part of development.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward. Much of this plot is occupied by structures associated with the former New Calder Paper Mill. This complex was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey. The paper mill was originally established by Adam Robertson in 1764, and it is likely that the structures mapped on the 1st edition would either overlie or incorporate the early mill buildings into the later complex. The structures shown on the 1st edition were largely shown on footprints still occupied by buildings, though a reservoir tank and mill lade was also shown, the latter feature still visible on modern maps and aerial photographs. A desk-based assessment was undertaken in relation to a previous application for the development of the site, which included the current plot HLv134, as well as small areas to the east and west. This recommended that due to the proximity of prehistoric features in the surrounding

landscape, a programme of archaeological evaluation should be undertaken, to assess the potential for buried remains to survive in areas of the site not affected by modern development. It is likely that some form of building recording may also be

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 3327 Newton North

Newton

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	ENn1	1	Audit		
EOI no			Consul	t Position	Preferred
Category	Urban Capacity Si	te	Consul	t Update	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Lan	d No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree		Conclus	ion Date	11-Jul-14
was formerly a single	user safeguard f	or high amenity	n the countryside that has been ouse and in more recent years has LDP as some of the could still b	s become a	a more class 5

The site is also within the Forth Valley AGLV that is also a candidate Special Landscape Area (cSLA) in the Local

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

#### **NHS - Lothian**

21-May-14 No comments - site is alloacted and developed for employment uses.

# **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 No issues, site developed.

# **WLC Transportation**

21-May-14 This site has been developed, any further development on the site would require to be assessed on its own merits.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

21-May-14 No issues, site developed. It should be noted that the site has been subject of complainst before regarding odour from the

# SNH

21-May-14 No comments, site developed, site close to Hopetoun House Designed landscape.

# WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 No comments site already developed.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 Site developed already, any further developments on the site would require to be subject of a new assessment.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 Any specific landscping requirements would be dealt with through any new planning applications on the site.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

21-May-14 It should be noted that the site has been subject of complainst before regarding odour from the site. Any further development on the site would require to be assessed on its own merits.

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

#### 21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 No issues, site developed.

#### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 No comments, site already established and developed, any new development would require to be assessed on its own merits in terms of impact on the strategic road network. The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are

#### **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic environment.

Given proximity of the site to Hopetoun Estate, any further applications on the site may require to be subject of assessment in

#### Scottish Enterprise

21-May-14 There is continued support for this employment allocation.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

21-May-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

21-May-14 Site is continued to be supported for employment use.

#### **WLC Education**

21-May-14 No comments, site is an employment site.

#### WOSAS

21-May-14 As the site is in close proximity to Hopetoun House and its designed landscape, the site may be subject to required assessments for archaeology, but will depend upn the details of any proposals.

# 3296 Philpstoun Bowling Club

# Philpstoun

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU36 /		Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date	07-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion Date		07-Jul-14
Philpstoun Bowling Clu	b				
COU36					

# PREFERRED

The site is currently not allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan but can be regarded as a 'windfall' site.

The site lies within the settlement boundary and is brownfield. It is the council's strategy to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland (SESplan).

There are no known servicing impediments to the development of this site.

The site could potentially contribute to the next phase of the council house build programme.

Planning guidelines have been prepared to facilitate residential development.	
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	Bridgend Primary/Lin	lithgow Academy, St Josephs (Linlithgow)/St Kentigerns Academy
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List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# SEPA - Flooding

There is a record of surface water flooding in 2004 at this location. No further information provided. SEPA do however not 17-Jun-13 require that the site be the subject of a Flood Risk Assessment. The otential development of allocation would not increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There are no water resilient measures required to be introduced to the site and there area also no restoration opportunities.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto The Avenue as per planning brief. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. oil works and railway land have operated within the

#### **Scottish Water**

27-May-13 In terms of waste water the site is served by the Philpstoun plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Balmore plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

#### SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

#### WLC Environmental Health

13-Aug-13 No issues.

# WOSAS

30-May-13 The site of the bowling club was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st and 2nd edition OS maps. On the 3rd edition map of c. 1913, three rows of terraced houses were shown in the area to the west, and these are also depicted on modern OS maps. However, the site of the bowling club appears to have remained undeveloped at this point. It is now occupied by a modern single - storey clubhouse, surrounded by an area of surfaced carparking. The creation of these features is likely to have involved a degree of ground disturbance, which would have some effect on the survival of any buried material relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be required in relation to the development of this plot.

# 3274 Polbeth A71 South

# Polbeth

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ P	OL 2	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Dismissed	
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date	16-Apr-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	Date		
	Parkhead Primary/We	st Calder High,	St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academ	у		
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status Proposed Use					

## WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 Residential development is considered appropriate but there is a suspicion that there may be ground stability issues.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 It appears that there may be mature trees on this site, in which case, a bat survey would be advisable.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Polbeth - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

There is some capacity at this location which should also be able to cater for the CDA development centred on Polbeth.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 Part of this plot falls within an archaeological consultation trigger, in this instance related to the recorded site of a chapel. The approximate location of the chapel was shown on the 1st edition OS map of 1852, though it was recorded that no trace of it remained by the mid 19th century (though it is worth noting that the adjacent farm is still named 'Chapelton'). The OS surveyors of the mid 19th century recorded that stones had been dug up in the vicinity, while there is also a record of cists having been discovered. While the position of the chapel marked on the 1st edition was subsequently over-built by the railway, the symbol may not have marked the precise position of this feature, and it is possible that related material, possibly including burials, may survive in the vicinity. The plot itself does not appear to have been substantially affected by previous development, suggesting that it retains the potential to produce in situ buried archaeological material. As a result, it is likely that we would advise that archaeological evaluation trenching should be undertaken in advance of development of this site.

# Scottish Water

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LIVINGSTON waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 There is a possible culverted watercourse through part of the site. A Flood Risk Assessment is therefore required for any potential development. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

# WLC Environmental Health

24-May-13 No issues identified.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment for this site or Drainage Assessment.

#### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 Some of the proposed development sites have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within our remit. Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

18-Apr-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoraion opportunities. The nearest water body of any significance is the Harwood Water that runs some 1.2km south of the site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain opportunity to enhance & enrich local open space.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **WLC Contaminated Land**

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. railway lines, brick works, quarries, shale mines and spoil heaps have operated within the vicinity of the site.

# 1264 Polbeth Farm

# Polbeth

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWc10 /		Audit 15	/39		
EOI no			Const	ult Position	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Const	ult Update	26-Mar-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural La	nd No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclu	usion Date	26-Mar-14	
Polbeth Farm						

HWc10

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site has also previously benefitted from the approval of planning permission for 24 houses.

	Parkhead Prima	ary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments. There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Polbeth - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

There is some capacity at this location which should also be able to cater for the CDA development centred on Polbeth.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment althugh it is noted that the site is some 40m south east of the West calder Burn at its nearest point. Water resilient measures are not required.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Assessment required. It is noted that planning permission was granted on this site in 2008 for 24 houses but no work is understood to have started on site.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 As the site has been previosuly farmed, a Contaminated Land Site Investigation may well be required for this site.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning approval. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the facility at Ennis Park.

#### **Transport Scotland**

01-May-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Water**

01-May-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LIVINGSTON waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is insufficient capacity.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No LP ref or grid ref is defined for this site, though it appears likely to be HWc10, as this encompasses the site of Polbeth Farm. We provided comments in relation to a previous application for the development of this site, planning ref: 0808/FUL/07. In relation to this, we advised that a programme of archaeological work would be required, as the site of 'Powbeth' was depicted on Roy's Military Survey, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that settlement on the site predates the period of agricultural improvement in the late 18th and early 19th centuries. We recommended that a standing building survey should be carried out on the structures of the farmstead, while evaluation trenching should take place on the undeveloped section of the site, to determine whether any material survived relating to the earlier occupation of the site. Unfortunately, the buildings

had been demolished prior to the application being submitted, but evaluation was undertaken by AOC Archaeology Group in 2007. This did not identify any significant archaeological material surviving on the site, and as a result, no additional

# WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

1933 Drums	horeland D	)				Pumpherston
LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU17	1		Audit		
EOI no				Consult F	osition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possibl	е		Consult L	pdate	19-Nov-13
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	Class Description
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusio	n Date	19-Nov-13
The council is minded of the widenr HLv98 a	<b>v</b> .	ig permiss	ion for this	site, subject to conclusion of a	a Section	75 legal agreement

The site contributes towards the council's next phase of the council house build programme.

St Pauls/St Margarets Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy
Itations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via new access onto Drumshoreland Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1578 Pumpherston and Uphall Station Community

# Pumpherston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU28	/ P	PUM1	Audit	PUM1		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	School Developme	ent			Consult Upd	ate	27-Mar-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Bro	wn/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	27-Mar-14
Former Pumpherston	Former Pumpherston & Uphall Station Primary School & Institute						
COU28							

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site has been identified as contributing to the council's next phase of council house build programme, to be commenced within the LDP plan period.

There is an approved planning brief for the site which is supports residential development.

	St Pauls/St Margaret	s Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# SNH

14-Jun-13 No comments.

# WOSAS

30-May-13 The construction of housing on this site would likely require the removal of the buildings of the former Pumpherston Primary School, as well as Pumpherston Institute to the north. The southern section of the main school building was depicted on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, as was the northern end of the Institute building, indicating that construction of both pre - dates this period. The 2nd edition map of c. 1890 indicates that the school was in the process of being extended at that time, but the southern section of the Institute and the building to the rear of the playground must post - date this. It is unclear whether the proposal for housing on this site would utilise the existing structures (i.e., conversion into flats), or whether they would be removed and new blocks erected on the site. None of the buildings are listed, and due to their likely date of construction, their removal would not appear to raise a particular archaeological issue; however, they do clearly represent significant elements in the streetscape of the village, and it is therefore possible that the Council's built heritage advisor may wish to comment on this aspect.

# **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Local Park provision enhancement required at Letham Park, as per the approved planning brief.

#### Transport Scotland

18-Feb-14 Small site served off B8046. Nearest trunk road junction is J3 of the M8.

Whilst Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make on the site there may be a cumulative issue relating to those sites that would have an impact on J3 of the M8.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. tank, guarry and an oil works have operated within the

#### **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

10-Feb-14 No comments.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

20-May-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre.

#### WLC Waste Management

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 A formal Traffic Impact Assessment will not be required in this instance.

There are currently three existing points of vehicular access to the site from Uphall Station Road with the middle one being the most favoured to service a residential development. If, however, a new point of access is preferred, it must be designed in consultation with the council's Transportation Manager and a Stage 1 Road Safety Audit would also require to be commissioned by the developer.

Access as per approved planning brief. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

Access as per approved planning brief.

Thereafter the remaining existing access points would require to be permanently closed, the 'KEEP CLEAR' road markings removed and street furniture relocated as necessary, the costs of which would be borne by the developer. In any event, no direct frontage access for individual houses will be permitted on to the B8046 Uphall Station Road due to its vertical alignment.

The developer will be required to promote a Traffic Regulation Order in order to revoke the existing part time 20 mph zone and to remove all associated signage prior to commencement of work on site. The onus will be on the developer to progress this

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

20-May-13 There is no requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment.

A Drainage Impact Assessment (DIA) will however be required. It must be comprehensive and address the issues of foul, surface and ground water, including land drainage. It must identify the issues affecting the site pre-development and should outline the strategy post-development. The DIA shall generally comply with the document Drainage Impact Assessment - A Guide for Scotland published by SEPA et al. There are local variations to the document and early consultation with SEPA and the council's Flood Prevention Officer is recommended.

# **Scottish Water**

20-May-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the Marchbank water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by East Calder Waste Water Treatment Works which is operated by Stirling Water to existing Controlled Activity Regulations (CAR) licence requirements. Historically, there have been difficulties consistently meeting full flow to treatment licence requirements, and to this end, Stirling Water have recently completed some improvements to address this issue. It is, however, too soon to know how successful this investment has been. East Calder PFI should have sufficient capacity to accommodate the development at this site.

# **1266** Pumpherston Golf Course

# Pumpherston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv119 /		Audit	27/5			
EOI no				<b>Consult Position</b>	De-allocate		
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Update	20-May-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land No	Class Description		
Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Brownfield		Conclusion Date	20-May-14		
The site is considered to be too remote from the main facilities of the village and as such is not considered a							

sustainable location for new residential development.

This site is also located within the countryside belt, one of the purposes of which is to help prevent the coalescence of settlements, and its development would constitute an intrusive physical expansion of Pumpherston, well beyond the limit of existing development.

The site is considered to be non-effective, principally owing to ground conditions and the prohibitive expense of remediating historic contamination allied to it embracing the former Pumpherston Oil Refinery.

No developer interest has been shown in redeveloping the site over a period of many years and it is concluded that there are other more suitable sites which could be brought forward more readily to meet development requirements.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

There are education capacity constraints within the locality which would impede development of this site.

	St Pauls/St Marga	rets Academy, Pumpherston and Uphall Station Primary/Broxburn Academy
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## **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 The allocation extends built development into countryside whereas the Drumshoreland allocation fits with existing development at Pumpherston. The relationship of this area to Drumshoreland and to Pumpherston is therefore less clear. Development of the site will therefore require careful and sensitive attention to the treatment of the boundary. The status of great crested newts on this side of the road should also be established as the golf club sits between two sites which are known to either currently host them or have hosted them in the past.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainge Assessment required.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - Housing Site.

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This is the site of the former Pumpherston Oil Refinery. This site is likely to contain significant contamination. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will therefore be required for this site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures for this site however

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access onto Drumshoreland Road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play facilities to be provided on site as part of development.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13

The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8 and also has the potential for in-combination effects with other housing and employment land allocations.

# WOSAS

31-May-12

Much of this plot was formerly occupied by elements of the Pumpherston Oil Works. Comparison with the 2nd edition Ordnance Survey map of the later 19th century shows building and a waste tip present in the NE corner of the site, while mineral railways crossed much of the centre. Tips were also shown towards the southern end of the site, adjacent to a former mill dam. Post-WWI OS maps indicate that much of the plot was subsequently occupied by a small industrial complex during the later 20th century, though this has also now been removed. The extensive development on the site is likely to have removed any sub-surface deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation that may have been present, and as a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary in relation to the proposed development of this plot.

# 171 Drumshoreland Kirkforther Brickworks A

# Pumpherston

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HLv98	1		Audit	27/3		
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable			Consult Update		date	27-Mar-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality A	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	27-Mar-14
Drumshoreland/Kirkf	orthar Brickv	vorks Sites A&I	В				
HLv98							

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site is brownfield and the council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland (SESplan).

The council is minded to grant planning permission for the development of this site, subject to conclusion of a Section 75 legal agreement over the wider HLv98 allocation.

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# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 fFood risk assessment is required (FRA). The council requires a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses located through the site. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. We would highlight PAN 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding'which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". The

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# **Coal Authority**

14-Mar-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Options for development of water features on site must be discussed with SEPA. There is no requirement for a buffer strip

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 A Contaminated Land Site Inbestigation has been carried carried out by council in 2005/6. Further detailed Site Investigations will be required for each part of the detailed development. A Remediation Strategy was agreed for Primary School development on part of the site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. SEPA support this. We previously commented on part of the site. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses located through the site. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. SEPA highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There are no water resilient measures required for this site. Record of flooding in nearby area in 2003, 2004, 2008, and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site is known to be used by great crested newts from nearby ponds to the west (which are included in a proposed Local Biodiversity Site). SNH has already provided advice to Development Management on how development can be taken forward without adversely affecting the newt population.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via new access onto Drumshoreland Road. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play facilities and open space provision should be concentrated in two distinct areas. Marrfield Park to be upgraded and a new park created.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding Any development is likely to be restricted to 10m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission. In reference to noise, in order to protect the amenity of neighbouring developments or future occupiers the issue of aircraft noise should be considered on this site at the outset and the impact of noise within a residential property or associated amenity space is considered from all potential sources. Detailed building design, layout and noise mitigation may address potential aviation noise from within potential residential properties. The proximity of the airport will influence the height and form of buildings and the landscaping within developments.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

In this particular instance, however, there is specific potential for devlopment to impact on Junction 3 of the M8.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 Much of the southern end of this plot will have been affected by the operation of the Pumpherston Oil Works, formerly located to the south. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the area immediately to the north of Drumshoreland Road was formerly occupied by large bings of waste material produced by the works, while a series of mineral railway lines were also depicted. While areas that have been directly affected by large-scale industrial activities of this type are unlikely to retain much potential to produce material relating to earlier phases of activity, however, there are substantial sections of the plot that do not appear to have been disturbed in this way. The fields immediately to the rear of the houses fronting onto Pumpherston Road, for example, do not appear to have been affected by substantial disturbance during the modern period, meaning that they retain the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of activity. We have commented on two previous application relating to this section of the site, in both cases advising that a condition should be attached to any consent to ensure the completion of a programme of archaeological work in relation to the development.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 3291 Bents Redevelopment

# Stoneyburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU16/BEN1 /		Audit		
EOI no			Cons	sult Position	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possible		Cons	sult Update	08-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural L	and No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brown/Gree Brownfield		lusion Date	08-Jul-14

Burnlea Place & Meadow Place BEN1

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

There is existing water and waste water infrastructure in the site which will need to be taken into consideration when planning the site.

The site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited, albeit adequate capacity to accommodate a development of this scale.

SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the south-eastern corner. Based on historic records consideration should be given to surface runoff issues to ensure adequate mitigation is implemented. There is a record of field surface runoff flooding a garden on Burnlea Place in 2009 and there is the potential that dveelopment of this site could increase the risk of flooding elsewhere out with the site unless appropriately mitigated.

Stoneyburn Primary/Whitburn Academy, Our Ladys/St Kentigerns Academy

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# **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. colliery and railway land have operated within the

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

17-Jun-13 Water resilient measures are required on this site. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the south-eastern corner. Based on historic records consideration should be given to surface runoff issues to ensure adequate mitigation is implemented. There is a record of field surface runoff flooding a garden on Burnlea Place in 2009 and there is the potential that dveelopment of this site could increase the risk of flooding elsewhere out with the site unless appropriately mitigated.

# SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There are no water resileint measures required for this site and there are also no restoration opportunites. There is also requirement for any buffer strip.

# **Scottish Water**

- 27-May-13 There is existing water and waste water infrastructure in the site which will need to be taken into consideration when planning the site.
  - In terms of waste water the site is served by the East Calder plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Pateshill plant where there is sufficient capacity to

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Waste Management

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

# WOSAS

30-May-13 Both of these blocks were shown as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition OS maps, but both are now occupied by modern housing, construction of which is likely to have largely removed the potential for buried material associated with earlier phases of occupation to survive. As a result, it is unlikely that archaeological work would be required in relation to this

# 456 Stoneyburn Farm - East Stoneyburn

# Stoneyburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HSb6 /		Audit	13/12			
EOI no				Consult Posit	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	27-Mar-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	5.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion Da	ate	27-Mar-14	
Stoneyburn Farm (Eas	t)						

HSb6

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

While the site currently has no planning approval, the owner has confirmed an intention to sell/ develop for housing when market conditions improve.

The site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited, albeit adequate capacity to accommodate a development of this scale.

	Stoneybur	n Primary/Whitburn Academy, Our Ladys/St Kentigerns Academy
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#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 An area of fomer railway line traverses through this site. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will therefore be required for

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that there is wet ground and a drainage impact assessment is required. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse that flows through the site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a buffer strip required of 6m to any watercourse. There are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Wet ground, Drainage Assessment and Flood Risk Assessment required for this site. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 -The site includes a couple of low areas at risk of accumulating surface water. It is probable that these can be mitigated through effective engineering deign and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Adddiewell - Existing facility : Stoneyburn Health Centre

Stoneyburn, Addiewell and Loganlea all feed into the existing health centre in Stoneyburn, but there is little capacity available to support new developments/allocations and the site may also have physical constraints in terms of accommodating any

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the adjacent park and provide for a pedestrian crossing

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No archaeological sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot. Comparison with the 1st edition map shows that the ground was largely undeveloped in the mid 19th century, though a railway embankment was depicted running along the eastern margin of the site. Indeed, the line of the railway lay within the NE corner of the plot. This railway was also shown on the 2nd edition map, on which a branch line was also shown, running along the route now followed by the modern footpath that runs to the rear of Cuthill Crescent. These features were also shown on the 3rd edition. Comparison with these maps suggests that the NE corner of the plot is likely to have been affected by railway construction, though the remainder does not appear to have been disturbed by extensive modern development, meaning that it could retain some potential that it may have been utilised during the several to produce buried archaeological material.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via new link road to Dalziel Court. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 457 Stoneyburn Farm - West Stoneyburn

# Stoneyburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HSb7	1	Audit	13/13			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	27-Mar-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality	Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.2
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree Gree	nfield	Conclusion D	ate	27-Mar-14	
Stoneyburn Farm (We	ct)						

HSb7

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

While the site currently has no planning approval, the owner has confirmed an intention to sell/ develop for housing when market conditions improve.

The site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited, albeit adequate capacity to accommodate a development of this scale.

	Stoneyburn P	rimary/Whitburn Academy, Our Ladys/St Kentigerns Academy
t of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

#### NHS - Lothian

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19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Adddiewell - Existing facility : Stoneyburn Health Centre

Stoneyburn, Addiewell and Loganlea all feed into the existing health centre in Stoneyburn, but there is little capacity available to support new developments/allocations and the site may also have physical constraints in terms of accommodating any

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The site includes a couple of low areas at risk of accumulating surface water. It is probable that these can be mitigated through effective engineering deign and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. Record of flooding in 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. There re no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via upgrade of existing unclassified road from Main Street is required. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements within the adjacent park and provide for a pedestrian crossing

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No archaeological sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which appears to have been largely undeveloped since at least the mid 19th century. Comparison with the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map indicates that the site was at that time open fields. Given that the plot is a largely flat area of ground overlooking a source of water, there is some potential that it may have been utilised during the several thousand years of human occupation before the production of accurate maps, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material.

# Scottish Enterprise 13-Mar-12 No specie

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# 2187 Stoneyburn Workshops North

# Stoneyburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HSb8-COU18 /		Audit	13/15-3	56092	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	27-Mar-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion	Date	27-Mar-14
Stoneyburn Worksho	pps (North)					

HSb8

# PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

While the site currently has no planning approval, the council is 'minded to grant' planning permission for this site, subject to conclusion of a Section 75 Agreement and the owner has confirmed an intention to sell/ develop for housing when market conditions improve.

The site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited, albeit adequate capacity to accommodate a development of this scale.

	Stoneybur	n Primary/Whitburn Academy, Our Ladys/St Kentigerns Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities as there is no watercourse or water body within close proximity to the site.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk Map Update 2013 - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Adddiewell - Existing facility : Stoneyburn Health Centre

Stoneyburn, Addiewell and Loganlea all feed into the existing health centre in Stoneyburn, but there is little capacity available to support new developments/allocations and the site may also have physical constraints in terms of accommodating any

### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. There are no water resilient measures required for this site. Record of flooding in 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from this small plot, located on the east side of Foulshiels Road. Historic maps indicate that the site was undeveloped ground until the 20th century, but current aerial photographs show that it is largely covered with tarmac associated with the adjacent workshop. This, combined with the small scale of the plot, suggests that development is unlikely to raise a substantive archaeological issue.

#### British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via Dalziel Court. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 No requirement for dedicated facilities but developers required to make a financial contribution in accordance with the council's Residential Development Guide.

# 1453 Uphall Depot

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EUB14	1		Audit	DEPOB	8367		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and	Business			Consult Upd	ate	23-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agr	icultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Bı	rown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	23-Apr-14	
UPHALL								

Stankards South EUB 14

# PREFERRED

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards to established employment land supply for West Lothian.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

The site has valid planning permissions in place for roads and buildings on the site.

There are various watercourses and ponds throughout the site. A 6m wide buffer strip is required from any development to any watercourse and water body and there are also opportunities for restoration.

A flood risk assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Beugh Burn and the minor watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary of the site is required. Culverting watercourses is not acceptable.

Uphall Primary/Broxburn Academy, St Nicholas/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Flood Risk Assessment required. Culverting of Beugh Burn not acceptable.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Uphall, Broxburn, Uphall Station, Pumpherston, Dechmont, Ecclesmachan, Threemiletown, Philpstoun, Bridgend, Winchburgh, Newbridge - Existing facility : Strathbrock Partnership Centre

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 EUB14 - In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI NEWBRIDGE waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jul-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

30-Jun-11 Currently has planning consent. Site investigation was carried out as part of application. Site suitable for the use proposed.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a requirement for a buffer strip of 6m between any development and the Beugh Burn watercourse that flows west to east through the site. There are no restoration opportunities. Culverting would not be acceptable. May need new sewer

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required and that culverting of the Beugh Burn is not acceptable. SEPA support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the Beugh Burn and the minor watercourse which flows along the eastern boundary. Based on the OS Map there is potentially a culverted watercourse through the site which should be investigated. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". There is a partially completed Broxburn Flood Prevenation Scheme downstream but not thought to extend this far upstream and there was extensive flooding downstream in 2008. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The site is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding from the Beugh Burn (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, which was shown as largely undeveloped on the 1st edition OS map, though stepping stones were depicted crossing the Beugh Burn, at its northern boundary. By the 2nd edition, extensive dumping was shown both to the west (Stankards Bing) and east (Green Bing) of the plot, though the plot itself remained largely unaffected. On the 3rd edition, a mineral railway was shown running roughly north-south across the plot to Roman Camp Shale Pit No. 4. Other than this, however, it appears that the majority of the plot may have been relatively unaffected by modern industrial development, suggesting that it could retain some potential to produce buried deposits

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 45m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access via A89. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

# 1914 Auchenhard Farm

# West Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	1		Audit	15/34		
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Dismissed
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	ate	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	
	Stoneyburn Primary	/Whitburn Aca	demy, Our Ladys/St K	entigerns Academy		
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Propos	ed Use		

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

20-Sep-12 No issues identified.

#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

19-Jul-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment, the nearest site is the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) but this point of connection is approximately 2000m away as the crow flies and has limited capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site contains former agricultural buildings. A Phase 1 Contaminated Land Report is likely therefore to be submitted for

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Detailed Comments-no comment

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# WLC Transportation09-Apr-13See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 2240 Longford Farm

# West Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	1	Αι	dit 15	5/43	
EOI no			Cons	ult Position	Preferred
Category	Auditable		Cons	ult Update	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer		Prime	Quality Agricultural La	and No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Concl	usion Date	11-Jul-14
This site has planning   'very low density rural h	permission and was app	roved under the co	uncil's 'lowland cro	fting' policy, o	therwise known as
	8				
	Woodmuir Prim	ary/West Calder High, St 7	'homas/St Kentigerns Aca	demy	
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status		Proposed Use		

# WOSAS

11-Jul-14 Require that archaeological conditions be added to any consnet to ensure an assessment took place at the reserved matters stage application.

# British Airports Authority (BAA)

11-Jul-14 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# WLC Environmental Health

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

11-Jul-14 Detailed landscaping requirements to be met and considered at the reserver matters stage.

# WLC Economic Property Development

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

# WLC Contaminated Land

11-Jul-14 No issues.

# WLC Transportation

11-Jul-14 Technical comments and alteration to access required. Plans have been amended accordingly

# **WLC Education**

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

# **Transport Scotland**

11-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# SNH

11-Jul-14 Initially objected to this application, but withdrew objections after several amendments and conditions were met.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

11-Jul-14 Issues relating to acid mine water, river engirneering and sewage treatment require to be addressed

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

### **Scottish Water**

11-Jul-14 Development require to accord with the technical requirements of Scottish Water.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

11-Jul-14 No comments, site is proposed for housing.

### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

11-Jul-14 No objections.

#### No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

### **Coal Authority**

11-Jul-14

Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# 146 West Mains Farm

LP Ref / UCS Ref		1		Audit	15/42		
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	11-Jul-14
Planning Officer Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land Conclusion I	No Date	Class Description 11-Jul-14
This site has planning 'very low density rura		and was appr	oved under	the council's 'lo	wland crofting' p	oolicy, o	therwise known as

Woodmuir Primary/West Calder High, St Thomas/St Kentigerns Academy

Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC NETS and Land Services

11-Jul-14 Detailed landscpaing plans required with reserved matters application.

# SNH

11-Jul-14 No objections provided that certain landscaping developments and other requirements are met.

# **Coal Authority**

11-Jul-14

I resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

11-Jul-14 No comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

11-Jul-14 No objections, any development must comply with the technical requirements of SEPA.

# **NHS - Lothian**

11-Jul-14 Existing facility: West Calder Medical Practice

There is some capacity at this location which should also be able to cater for the Livingston and Almond Valley core development area (CDA) centred on Polbeth.

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations

#### WLC Education

11-Jul-14 No objections, provided the number of housing units does not exceed 25.

# **Transport Scotland**

11-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

11-Jul-14 No objections, any development must comply with the technical requirements of SEPA.

#### WOSAS

11-Jul-14 Require an archaeological appraisals of the site as part of the reserved matters application.

#### WLC Transportation

11-Jul-14 Development requires to be subject of a road safety audit and access arrangements to the classified road network require approval and each plot access requires transportation appraisal.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

11-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

11-Jul-14 No comments.

### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

11-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### WLC Waste Management

11-Jul-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites we might operate at that time.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-14 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

07-Feb-13 No comment - residential site.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

# **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

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WLC Educat 02-Nov-14	<b>ion</b> No comments, site has planning	permission a	and is under con	nstruction.			
NHS - Lothia	n						
19-Mar-13	All GP Practices have their own ownership and tenures regarding services and the development of have been identified.	building usa	age and stock. T	The focus in recent y	ears has been a r	nove towa	ards shared

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. The local network is currently close to capacity therefore further investigation will be required.

Waste: This site has previously been approved for connection based on a fully separate system and the completion of mitigation works identified during the drainage impact assessment. Our Customer Connections team is working with the

### **SEPA - Flooding**

24-Feb-14 There have been several reports of flooding in the area associated with the small watercourse running through West Calder.There are no known issues at this site and issues reported apper to be only associated with the small watercourse in the town. Flood Prevention Officer may have further information on flooding and management of surface water in the area

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

24-Feb-14 Standard SUDs sufficient to prevent deterioration of status of nearby water bodies. There are no restoration opportunities and there is also no requirement for a buffer strip.

# WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Refer to the requirements set out in the relevant planning permission.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

10-Feb-14 No comments.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

# West Calder

#### **WLC Waste Management**

31-Jan-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto west end (A71). Town location, with direct frontage access onto A71.See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further details.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

31-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This plot encompasses the western half of Burngrange Park. No sites have been recorded from within this plot, which is located outwith the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of West Calder. The ground was shown as being largely undeveloped on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, though the railway line that runs along the northern boundary of the plot was already in place by that time. On the 1st edition, a football ground was shown on the southern edge of the site, while a farmstead named 'Burngrange' was shown immediately to the southwest. Burngrange was also shown on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that occupation on the site is likely to pre-date the period of widespread agricultural improvement. In addition, the place-name 'Grange' is often associated with farms belonging to a monastery or feudal lord, which could in turn suggest a settlement of some importance. Although the structures shown at Burngrange on the 1st edition were located outside the plot itself, therefore, there may be some possibility of significant sub-surface material surviving in the vicinity. The potential for this material to survive, however, is likely to depend on the amount of previous disturbance that has taken place within the plot – the 2nd edition map, for example, includes some indication of banking associated with the football ground, and it is possible that a certain amount of earth-moving may have been required to create a level playing surface.

# **Coal Authority**

30-Jan-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. railway lines. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. chemical works and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13

Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

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# **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Small site within West Calder. Nearest trunk road junction is J4 of the M8.

Transport Scotland has no significant comments to make.

# 2303 Westwood Central

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# West Calder

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EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and Business		Consult Upo	late	20-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	20-Nov-13	
The site is allocated fo employment land supp	•	st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds to est	ablished	

Audit

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this and promotes redevelopment of brownfield land.

There are also recent planning permissions in principle granted from 2010 for classes 4, 5 and 6.

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Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments.

List of Consultations and Dates

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Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

**Proposed Use** 

#### **WLC Education**

22-Nov-13 No comments, site is a non housing site.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 Site adjacent to former Westwood Oil Refinery. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is likely to be required.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small drains located within the site. Based on the OS Map there is potentially a culverted watercourse through the site which should be investigated. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - A significant area of this site appears prone to some pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No issues, site is a non residential allocation.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Site should be retained in employment use, either as an allocation or in an employment area boundary. No work has started on site at the time of writing, March 2013, so likely to remain as an allocation.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is a 6m buffer strip required and there are also opportunities for restoration.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small drains located within the site. Based on the OS Map there is potentially a culverted watercourse through the site which should be investigated. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded within this plot, but it is located directly adjacent to the former site of the Westwood Crude Oil Works, constructed between 1939 and 1941 to boost the supply of homeproduced oil during wartime. It also lies around 250m east of the Five Sisters Shale Bing, associated with the former works. This bing is legally-protected as a scheduled monument that has been recognised as being of National significance. As a result, it is likely that any proposal for the development of this site would need to take the impact of the proposal on the setting of the monument into consideration. Further work would also be required to asses the potential for any proposal to have a direct effect on either material relating to the former oil works, or to any deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation that may be present.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto the B7015. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# 2304 Westwood West

# West Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EVVC4	/		Audit			
EOI no	EOI-0164			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Employment and B	usiness		Consult Upo	late	11-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brow	vn/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	11-Jul-14	
The site is allocated for employment land supp			st Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds to es	tablished	

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this and promotes redevelopment of brownfield land.

There are also recent planning permissions in principle granted from 2010 for classes 4, 5 and 6.

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Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

# WLC Education

22-Nov-13 No comments, site is a non housing site.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

**Proposed Use** 

# WLC NETS and Land Services

23-May-13 No comments.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 There is continued support for the class 4 (business), Class 5 (General industrial) on this site identified as an area for employment use and partically alloacted as site EWc4 in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009. However, a hotel (class 7), is unlikely to be supported in this location, given the types of neighbouring employment uses. This site should be carried forward as an allocation into the LDP.

# WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 Site adjacent to former Westwood Oil Refinery. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation is likely to be required.

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 No historical information on flooding. We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the western boundary. Majority of site is likely developable. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - A significant area of this site appears prone to some pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a 6m buffer strip between the development and any watercourse or water body. There are no restoartion opportunities.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No issues, non residential site.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing onto the B7015. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, but it is located in close proximity to a legally-protected scheduled monument, the Five Sisters Shale Bing. National policies regarding the treatment of scheduled sites in the planning process stress that they should as far as possible be preserved in situ within an appropriate setting. As development on this plot would be interposed between the scheduled bing and the former site of the shale oil works associated with its creation, careful consideration would be required to assess the impact of any proposal on the setting of

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the western boundary. Majority of site is likely developable.Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. The Breich Water is withion 250m of the south eastern boundary of the site.

# 1030 Limefield Mains

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWc12	<b>/</b> 15/29	Audit	15/29				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate		
Category	Enquiries Possible			Consult Upd	late	14-Jul-14		
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	icultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/G	Gree Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	14-Jul-14		
Although this site is brownfield, within the settlement envelope and notionally contributes towards the established								
housing land supply for	or West Lothian, it is	considered to be	e non-effective, pr	incipally owing	to acces	ss difficulties and		
potential noise issues	arising from its physi	cal relationship	with an operation	al rail line.				

No developer interest has been shown in redeveloping the site over a period of years and it is concluded that there are other more suitable sites which could be brought forward more readily to meet development requirements.

There are education capacity constraints within the locality which would impede development of this site.

On balance, it is proposed that the site be de-allocated.

# DEALLOCATE

	Parkhead Prima	ry/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy
List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

#### **NHS - Lothian**

14-Jul-14 Existing facility: West Calder Medical Practice

There is some capacity at this location which should also be able to cater for the Livingston and Almond Valley core development area (CDA) centred on Polbeth.

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments

### WLC Waste Management

14-Jul-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

#### WOSAS

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments received.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

14-Jul-14 There is no requirement for a flood risk assessment, however a drainage assessment for this site is required

#### WLC Transportation

14-Jul-14 There could be access issues relative to new bridge. No other adverse comments, it is noted that the site is to be

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

14-Jul-14 If site is to be continued to be allocated, financial contributions will be required to be used to facilitate improvements to the local adajecnt park.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

14-Jul-14 Site in close proximity to railwayline, so noise mitigation may be an issue.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

14-Jul-14 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

#### WLC Economic Property Development

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

#### **Transport Scotland**

14-Jul-14 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Jul-14 Any development should be carried out to meet with their technical standards and requirements.

#### Scottish Enterprise

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

14-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

#### SNH

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments

#### WLC Education

14-Jul-14 No adverse comments, contributions required for RC Secondary provision.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 no comment

#### **Coal Authority**

17-May-12 The coal authority requests that WLC identifies whether past coal mining activity has taken place using GIS data provided by the coal authority. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation to developments. The coal authority emphasises that former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development; The coal authority would therefore not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from allocation on the basis of former mining

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 Southern boundary with railway line – noise mitigation considerations (barrier etc)

# **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Detailed Comments-Information provided from the council states that a drainage impact assessment is required. \Remove from plan-No\Assessment of flood risk required-No\Water resilient measures required-No

# 1267 Station Yard

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWc8	1		Audit	15/36			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	De-allocate	
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Update		20-May-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion Date			
Although this site is brownfield, within the settlement envelope and notionally contributes towards the established								

housing land supply for West Lothian, it is considered to be non-effective, principally owing to access difficulties and potential noise issues arising from its physical relationship with an operational rail line.

Vehicular access to the site may also constrained at the junction with Limefield Road

No developer interest has been shown in redeveloping the site over a period of many years and it is concluded that there are other more suitable sites which could be brought forward more readily to meet development requirements.

The site is at risk of flooding and development of this site could also lead to an increase in flood risk out with the site if not satisfactorily mitigated. SEPA has advised that it would require a Flood Risk Assessment. There are further difficulties presented by the fact that the site includes a low area at risk of accumulating surface water from a drain.

In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

There are education capacity constraints within the locality which would impede development of this site.

On balance, it is proposed that the site be de-allocated.

Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# WLC Education

07-Jul-14 no objections, existing allocation, developer contributions would be required for certain school catchments.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI EAST CALDER waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 The location of the site relative to the railway line has the potential for noise issues.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the smal drain located within the site There are no water resilient measures required for this site.Record of flooding in nearby area in 1999, 2003, 2004, 2005 and 2007. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Buffer strip required of 6m from any development to the small watercourse that traverses through the site west-east. Potential opportunity for deculverting of stream through site

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Maps 2013 - The site includes a low area at risk of accumulating surface water. It is possible that this can be mitigated through effective engineering deign and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises a former railway good yard and railway land. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will therefore be required to accompany any planning application.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

West Calder, Polbeth, Addiewell & Breich - Existing facility : West Calder Medical Practice

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to the facility at Parkhead.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access via existing and railway access road. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

This plot is located just outside the area of increased archaeological sensitivity associated with the historic core of West Calder. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that it was used as a railway siding and goods shed from the at least the mid 19th century onwards, and it appears likely that the creation of this feature required a degree of scarping and levelling. This would be likely to have a detrimental effect on the survival of any deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation, and as a result, archaeological work is unlikely to be necessary in relation to the development of this plot.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# 1837 Gavieside Farm

# West Calder

LP Ref / UCS Ref	xGV	/	Α	udit	15/41			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained				Consult Upo	11-Jul-14		
Planning Officer			Prim	e Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Br	own/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	11-Jul-14	
The site has planning approval in principal for housing and is subject to an application for matters specified in								
Parkhead Primary/West Calder High, St Marys (Polbeth)/St Kentigerns Academy								
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HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

11-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **Historic Scotland**

11-Jul-14 No specific comments. Robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts. For those sites which are carried forward, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the

# Scottish Enterprise

11-Jul-14 No comments

# WLC Transportation

11-Jul-14 The applicant is required to undertake significant road widening and footway provision from the site access to the C26 and this area is outwith the application site.

# **Coal Authority**

11-Jul-14 Coal resources are present within West Lothian, and the area has been subjected to coal mining which will have left a legacy. In terms of the site assessments and any eventual site allocations, it would be prudent to include a criterion which assessed coal mining data. This would be a due diligence check to ensure that potential development sites do not contain any mine entries or other coal related hazards which would require remediation or stabilisation prior to development.

Former mining activities and related hazards are not a strict constraint on development. The Coal Authority would not wish to suggest that any potential sites should be excluded from the assessment on the grounds of former mining legacy issues.

In addition, an assessment should be made of the likely impact on mineral resources, including coal. This will help to ensure that any potential sterilisation effects (along with whether prior extraction of the resource would be appropriate) are properly considered in line with the guidance in Scottish Planning Policy.

# SNH

11-Jul-14 A full biodiversity analysis is required for this site, which has a history of containing protected species.

### **NHS - Lothian**

11-Jul-14 Existing facility: West Calder Medical Practice

There is some capacity at this location which should also be able to cater for the Livingston and Almond Valley core development area (CDA) centred on Polbeth.

All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations

### **Scottish Water**

11-Jul-14 The developer is required to contact SW to discuss the provision of water and wastewater infrastructure.

#### SEPA - Flooding

11-Jul-14 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Impact Assessment are required for this site. The site forms part of the moss, and the road to the south of the site has a history of flooding

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

11-Jul-14 Surface water to be treated and attenuated by means of SUDS

#### **Transport Scotland**

11-Jul-14 There are numerous sites that could have the potential to impact upon the M8 Junctions 3 and 4. A cumulative appraisal of any potential impact at these junctions should be undertaken. Appraisal will help identify any potential wider cumulative impacts and infrastructure improvements necessary to deliver the selected sites across the strategic network; and identify specific impacts and mitigation measures that may be required. This information should be included within the plan and associated Action Programme. Appraisal should be cognisant of the potential phasing of developments to ensure development completion and the sequencing of associated infrastructure delivery is identified. Development of the site could

# WLC Contaminated Land

11-Jul-14 Site investigation works will require to be submitted and approved prior to work beginning on site.

### WLC Economic Property Development

11-Jul-14 No comments.

### **WLC Education**

11-Jul-14 Developer contributions required for school infrastructure, including RC Secondary.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

11-Jul-14 No objections.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

11-Jul-14 Previously confirmed that the open spae provision is acceptable.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

11-Jul-14

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require mended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### WLC Waste Management

11-Jul-14 Generic Response - The only comment that Waste would wish to make at this stage is that the proposed 13,000 properties noted could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass taking off as well. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

11-Jul-14 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Impact Assessment are required for this site. The site forms part of the moss, and the road to the south of the site has a history of flooding.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 467 Westfield Major Housing Development

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWf1 + HWf2 /		Audit 16/3 +	16/4		
EOI no			Consult P	osition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Consult U	pdate	09-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion	n Date	09-Jul-14	

This site has planning approval and is therefore carried forward on the basis of being an effective site.

Westfield Primary/Linlithgow Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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## **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Detailed Comments -Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. We are unaware of any flood risk issues for this site. \Remove from plan-No\Assessment of flood risk required-Already requested in LDP\Water resilient measures required-No

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

14-Jun-12 Waterbody ID-3106/Water Body me-Logie Water/Is there a water feature within site boundary-yes/Buffer strip required including recommended width-yes 12-20m depending on width of watercourse\Comments-200-300m from a PPC Part A process which has potential to generate nuisance odours. Highly likely that nearby residents will experience residents, albeit these may not be breaches of permit conditions. SEPA has previously provided comments for the paper mill site on land contamination from previous industrial land use, SUDS, river restoration and the upstream weir which is a fish barrier. Fish access up the weir should be made a condition of planning

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Bathgate, Westfield & Torphichen - Existing facility : Bathgate Primary Care Centre

No major change in provision is anticipated. The existing multi-agency centre currently has surplus capacity. The Primary Care Centre is not part of the established Partnership Centre. The catchment area may change when the Blackburn

# SNH

18-Mar-13 Previous consultations raised issues about the presence of protected species on this site. It is assumed that the situation has not changed and that survey and licensing should, therefore, be matters for discussion with SNH before any further applications are lodged.

# Westfield

# **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WESTFIELD waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for both these adjacent sites as the Logie Water runs through site HWf2. SEPA Flood Risk Maps 2013 Update - This site is at risk of flooding from both fluvial and pluvial flooding. The pluvial flooding may be overcome through effective engineering design and construction but considerable set back will be required from the water course and a Flood Risk Assessment is required to determine the potential extents of development without compromise to the risk of flooding. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would also apply.

### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the Logie Water and any small watercourses on site (through HWf2 in particular). Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. Water resilient measures are required also for any developmenty on thei site. Record of flooding in nearby area in 2003, 2004, and 2005. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Part of the site is at risk of fluvial flooding from the Logie Water that runs north to south through the site and therefore the allocation potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).Potential development of allocation HWfr2 could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The sites may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision in accordance with the council's Residential Design Guide.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 These sites comprise the former Westfield Paper Mill. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation has been carried out with previous planning applications. A Remediation Strategy will be required if this site is to be developed..

### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 200-300m from a PPC Part A process which has potential to generate nuisance odours. Highly likely that nearby residents will experience odour nuisance, albeit these may not be breaches of permit conditions. SEPA has previously provided comments for the paper mill site on land contamination from previous industrial land use, SUDS, river restoration and the upstream weir which is a fish barrier. Fish access up the weir should be made a condition of planning. A buffer strip would be required of between 12m-20m between the Logie Water and the development.

### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

Two sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of HWf1. One of these relates to the discovery of several cists in the mid 19th century on rising ground above the Logie Burn. According to the New Statistical Account of 1845, these were made of thin stones set on edge, with one long flat cover-stone, and the bottom merely the natural sand of which the ridge is composed. Although the precise location at which these cists were found was not recorded by the NSA, there is a strong potential that additional examples may survive, both within this plot and in other adjacent areas. Also present with HWf1 is the site of the former farmstead of Loggiebrae, which was depicted on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55. We have commented on a number of previous applications for the development of housing in this area, and in all cases have advised the need for a programme of archaeological work in advance of development, in order to determine whether buried remains are present. In terms of HWf2, part of this extends across the dismantled railway line into the area to the south of HWf1. This section of HWf2 would appear to raise similar issues to those identified above, as it is predominantly Greenfield and may therefore retain some potential to produce buried deposits, and in particular cist burials. Much of the section to the east of the Lugie Water has been disturbed by the development of the Westfield Paper Mill, the construction and demolition of which is likely to have removed any material associated with earlier phases of occupation. Although it is not within the plot itself, I would note the presence of a scheduled monument directly adjacent to the eastern boundary if plot HWf2, this being a large stone. Although formerly identified as a refuge stone likely to be associated with Torphichen Preceptory, excavations undertaken in 1998 in relation to work to re-erect the stone suggests that it was part of a much larger, possibly prehistoric site. In addition to the possibility that this site may have extended into the potential development plot, the effect of any proposal on the setting of the scheduled monument should also be a consideration in the planning process.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access required in accordnace with planning permission. See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR)

# 2285 Drum Farm

# Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EVVD3	1		Audit				
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred		
Category	Employment and	d Business		Consult Upo	late	11-Jul-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2	
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Date	11-Jul-14		
The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established employment land supply for West Lothian.								

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

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Whitdale Primary/Whitburn Academy, St Josephs (Whitburn)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# Proposed Use

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC NETS and Land Services

22-May-13 Development would require high quality landscaping, given the rural location and protection of exsiting deciduous woodland adjacent to the site would be required.

# **WLC Education**

07-Jul-14 No comments, site is not proposed for housing.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site should be removed from the LDP given its remoate location in the countryside.

# WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 Former Open Cast Coal Workings. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation Report will be required for this site.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Whitburn, Whitburn, Longridge, East Whitburn - Existing facility : Whitburn Health Centre

The existing health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

East Whitburn also feeds into Blackburn, which will have a new Partnership Centre in time.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment required. site may be removed from LDP. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013<br/>Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 Access off of Pottishaw Roundabout and specifically the Draum Farm leg of the roundabout. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site. There is also no requirement for water resilient measures.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot. With the exception of a number of field boundaries, it was depicted as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps. Although there is substantial evidence for largescale disturbance resulting from mining in the surrounding area, the plot itself does not appear to have been affected in this way, suggesting that it retains the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases f occupation.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# 2287 Cowhill

# Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	EWb4	1	Audit	
EOI no			Consult Position	Preferred

Category	Employment and Business		Consult Update		07-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion I	Conclusion Date		
The site is allocated for	development in the West	Lothian Lo	ocal Plan and contributes toward	ds to es	tablished	
employment land suppl	ly for West Lothian.					

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this. The recent opening of the adjacent junction 4a on the M8 will also support the continued allocation of this site.

The site has valid planning permissions in place for roads and buildings on the site.

There are various watercourses and ponds throughout the site. A 6m wide buffer strip is required from any development to any watercourse and water body and there are also opportunities for restoration.

The site liesincludes land where previous archaeological remains have been found and is potentially sensitive in this regard. Appropriate measures therefore require to be put in place.

Greenrigg Primary/Whitburn Academy, Polkemmet Primary/Whitburn Academy, St Josephs (Whitburn)/St Kentigerns Academy List of Consultations and Dates Current Status Proposed Use

## HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments.

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# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-14 No comments, site is not proposed for housing.

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There are various watercourses and ponds throughout the site. A 6m wide buffer strip is required from any development to any watercourse and water body in the site and there are also opportunities for restoration.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 This site should be carried forward as an allocation into the LDP. It is likley that as the site has been serviced that the site can be split into various different allocations and it is suggested that the overall Cowhill site be included within an employment

### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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East Whitburn also feeds into Blackburn, which will have a new Partnership Centre in time.

### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues. A Contmainated Land Site Investigation has ben submitted for part of this that has planning permission for a supermarket. The overall site being alloacted for employment use is however suitable for the use proposed.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 We require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond and the minor watercourses which flow through the site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within this sizeable plot. This relates to a hoard of 244 coins contained within an earthenware jar, which were ploughed up from a field on the lands of Cowhill Farm in 1921. The hoard, which appears to have been deposited some time around 1500, were of Robert II and III, James I - IV Edward III, Henry V and VI. The plot also contains the former site of Cowhill Farm, which was shown on the 1st edition, and which also appeared on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that the site was occupied for at least 250 years. In addition, the plot also contained a large area of Greenfield, which would have the potential to produce buried archaeological deposits relating to earlier phases of occupation. Cowhill Farm no longer appears on modern OS maps, and it is apparent that there has already been a fairly substantial amount of earth-moving on the site, associated with the creation of a system of distributor roads and related landscaping. It is possible, however, that individual areas may retain some potential to produce buried deposits; this will depend on the amount of disturbance that has taken place at specific sub-plots.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a flood risk assessment is required. We support this. SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the River Almond and the minor watercourses which flow through the site. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere. There are multiple watercourses running throughout the site. A small part of the site allocation is potentially at medium to high risk of fluvial flooding (Within or adjacent to Indicative 1 in 200 flood outline on Indicative River and Coastal Flood Map).

# **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 This site is allocated in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009 for employment uses and if the site has not been developed, this allocation should remain in the LDP, unless the loss of employment land is adequately compensated for in

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

This particular site is located adjacent to the M8. The site has planning permission and Transport Scotland provided a response on the application. The site is to be served by the distributor road and junction agreed in relation to the Polkemmet development.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### Balgornie 3328

# Whitburn

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	EWb5	1		Audit				
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred		
Category	Urban Capacity Site			Consult Upd	ate	21-May-14		
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>		
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion D	ate	21-May-14		
This site is a proposed new allocation for the West Lothian LDP as there is a requirement for a under policy EM5 for a medium to longer term allocation for employment land to be made between Armadale and Whitburn.								

This site is also in close proximity to the recently opended junction 4a on the M8

Armadale Primary/Armadale Academy, St Anthonys/St Kentigerns Academy

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# **SEPA - Water Environment**

21-May-14 There may be restoraion opportunities along the Almond through developing this site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) 21-May-14 under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 90m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards offairport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **Coal Authority**

21-May-14 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# **Historic Scotland**

21-May-14 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

21-May-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

### NHS - Lothian

21-May-14 No comments, site is for employment use, not housing.

# **Scottish Enterprise**

21-May-14 There is likley to be support for this new employment site.

### **Scottish Water**

21-May-14 In terms of water supply the site is served by the BALMORE water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI BLACKBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

### SEPA - Flooding

21-May-14 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment would be required for this site, which traverses part of the south of the site. Part of the site at the southern end may at risk of flooding for the Almond, with wider flood extents at 1:200 than 1:100.

### SNH

21-May-14 A habitats appraisal is likely to be required for this site, given it is rural in nature. Part of the site includes semi improved grassland and marsh and tall herb and fearn. The land is 5.3 or 4.1 on the Macaulay land use maps, therefore it is not high quality prime agricultural land.

### **Transport Scotland**

21-May-14 Access to the motorway at the recently opended new motorway junction onto the M8 would require further discussion with Transport Scotland.The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## WLC Contaminated Land

21-May-14 The councils GIS and contaminated land database does not record any potentially contaminated land issues associated within the footprint of the site. However, I note the site has been utilised for agricultural purposes which has the potential to cause contamination.

The councils contaminated land database notes the following potentially contaminated land issues within 100m of the site: - North West of the site: a heap of unknown constituents, noted as extracting, handling and storage of ores and their constituents.

- North of the site: Unknown filled ground (pit, quarry, etc), noted as treating, keeping, depositing or disposing of waste,

### **WLC Economic Property Development**

21-May-14 There would be support for this additional employment location in the west of West Lothian, however transport links would require to be sustainable for workers to get to the site i.e. bus routes and cycling.

# **WLC Education**

21-May-14 No issues as the site is for non housing uses.

### WLC Environmental Health

21-May-14 No significant concerns.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

21-May-14 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment would be required for this site, which traverses part of the south of the site. Part of the site at the southern end may at risk of flooding for the Almond, with wider flood extents at 1:200 than 1:100.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

21-May-14 Any detailed landscaping requirementsm, including structural planting around the site, would require to be agreed at the detailed planning application stage with NETs and Land Services.

## **WLC Transportation**

21-May-14 Access to the motorway at the recently opended new motorway junction onto the M8 would require further discussion with Transport Scotland. The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

From a Transportation perspective the amount of development being proposed requires more that one access point so the solution to the site area has to include a connection from the motorway junction and a link out onto B8084 Station Road.

# WOSAS

21-May-14 No comments received. WOSAS would require to be consulted thriugh any planning application made for development of the site, but a desk top analysis does not identify any archaeological triggers or items of any significance.

### WLC Waste Management

21-May-14 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# 1019 Ellen Street East (Whitburn Academy)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWb10	1		Audit	17/29-3	1272	
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Completed
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	date	07-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	gricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	07-Jul-14
This site has been co	ompleted, follow	wing the grar	nting of plar	nning permissio	n in 2009.		
	Whitda	ale Primary/Whith	ourn Academy,	St Josephs (Whitburn	)/St Kentigerns Acade	my	
List of Consultations and Date	es Current Stat	us		Propos	sed Use		

# Scottish Enterprise

07-Jul-14 No comments, housing site.

# WLC Education

02-Nov-13 No comments, site benefits from planning permission.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WOSAS

02-Nov-13 No comments, site benefits from planning permission.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Assesment required. It is understood that this site has been developed.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

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### **Coal Authority**

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### WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **WLC Environmental Health**

24-May-13 The location of the site reltive to the M8 creative the potential for it to be impacted by road traffic noise. As a consequence, appropriate mitigation should be incorporated into the design/layout.

### **Transport Scotland**

01-May-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, it is understood that this site has been developed.

#### **Scottish Water**

30-Apr-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI WHITBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 No comments, it is understood that this site has been developed.

# 1020 East Main Street

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWb11 /		Audit	17/30		
EOI no				Consult Posi	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable			Consult Upd	ate	07-Jul-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agri	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Brownfield		Conclusion D	Date	07-Jul-14
The site is currently a housing land supply f	llocated for development or West Lothian.	in the West	Lothian Local Pla	n and contribut	es towa	ards the established

The site also has the benefit of planning permission and construction has commenced.

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# WLC Contaminated Land

07-Feb-12 No comments, planning permission granted and no contaminated land issues at time of application.

# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments. Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC Environmental Health

02-Nov-13 No comments.

# **Transport Scotland**

29-May-12 No objections, site benefits from extant planning permission. The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **WLC Education**

07-Jul-14 No objections, site benefits from extant planning permission.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 Drainage Assessment required.

### **WLC Waste Management**

20-Mar-13 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### **NHS - Lothian**

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### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. There are no known network issues at present.

Waste: There is sufficient capacity at Whitburn WWTW. Depending on the proposals for surface water a drainage impact assessment may be required to assess the impact of development on the local network.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA would agree with the council that a Drainage Assessment be required for this site. It is understood that construction work has started on this site.

### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-May-13 A Drainage Assessment is required for this site. Planning permission was granted in October 2012 for 23 houses and 26 flats under reference 0158/FUL/12 and it is understood that construction work has started on this site.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Refer to extant planning permission covering the site. Enhancement of local play park provision required.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no reestoration opportunities.

### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 No sites have been recorded from within this small plot, located at the eastern end of Townhead Gardens. On the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, a small structure annotated as 'Whitedalehead School (endowed)' was depicted on the frontage onto East Main Street, with a well shown in the yard to the rear. On the 2nd edition, this structure had been extended, with a new building perpendicular to the first shown to the rear. By the 3rd edition, the building on the street frontage had been further extended, and an additional large block had been constructed further to the south. These structures appear to represent the buildings that remain on site into the present day.

It is unclear whether the proposal for housing on this site would utilise the existing structures (i.e., conversion into flats), or whether they would be removed and new blocks erected on the site. None of the buildings are listed, and due to their likely date of construction, their removal would not appear to raise a particular archaeological issue; however, they do clearly represent significant elements in the streetscape of the village, and it is therefore possible that the Council's built heritage advisor may wish to comment on this aspect.

# 2135 St Josephs Primary South

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWb13 /		Audit	17/32-31	257		
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upda	ate	14-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricult	ural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	14-Jul-14	
The site is currently al	llocated for development i	n the West	l othian I ocal Plan ar	nd contribute	es towa	ards the established	

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

Development would in any event constitute legitimate infill development within the settlement envelope.

While the site currently has no planning approval the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Polkemmet Primary/Whitburn Academy, St Josephs (Whitburn)/St Kentigerns Academy

Current Status

#### Proposed Use

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### **Coal Authority**

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## SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required. Developer is required to install a drainage scheme pre-designed by WLC. There is no requirement for any water resilient measures on this site.Record of flooding in nearby area in 1999, 2005, and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI WHITBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

# WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **NHS - Lothian**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage impact assessment required. Developer required to install a drainage scheme predesigned by West Lothian Council. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This is a very wet site and the developer will need to allow for this. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 No comments, there is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Requirement for upgrading of the pitch to the east of the site, before the site is released for housing.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within this plot, located to the west of Dixon Court. The 1st edition OS map indicated the presence of a farm named Dykehead immediately to the west of the plot, in the area now occupied by Dixon Court. This farm was also shown on the 2nd and 3rd edition maps, though its name had been changed to Burnhouse. Dykehead was also shown on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that the origins of occupation on the site pre-date the period of widespread agricultural improvement in the late 18th and early 19th centuries. While the NE corner of the plot is under tarmac associated with the adjacent school, the majority does not appear to have been affected by modern development, meaning that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

# WLC Transportation 27-Nov-13 Access from Dixon Terrace. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 2211 Polkemmet Dixon Terrace West Site (Sites 2 & 3)

# Whitburn

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWb14	/		Audit	17/32 (2&3) -356612			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upd	late	07-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion D	Date	07-Jul-14	
The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established								
housing land supply f	for West Loth	ian.						

The site also has the benefit of planning permission and construction is almost complete.

Polkemmet Primary/Whitburn Academy, St Josephs (Whitburn)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jan-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# **Transport Scotland**

29-May-12 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# **WLC Education**

02-Nov-13 There are no adverse comments regarding this site, that benefits from planning permission and is under construction.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

07-May-13 No comments

# WOSAS

12-Mar-13 No adverse comments received.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment are both required for this site. The eastern part of the site has been developed for council housing and the west of the site has planning permission under reference 0813/FUL/10 for 64 houses and 52 flats granted to the council. It is understood work has commenced on site.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Whitburn, Whitburn, Longridge, East Whitburn - Existing facility : Whitburn Health Centre

The existing health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

East Whitburn also feeds into Blackburn, which will have a new Partnership Centre in time.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

12-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There would be a buffer strip required of between 6m-12m from any development and the Cultrig Burn that traverses the southern boundary of the site.

### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A number of network investigations have been undertaken for the Polkemmet site previously. If this was included as part of the existing development there should be no additional investigations required.

Waste: A drainage impact assessment was carried out for this site in 2011. Mitigation works have been identified to be

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required. SEPA support this. SEPA require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses on site to the south (The Cultrig Burn) and other watercourses throughout the site. Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. Site needs a hollistic approach due to its size. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. We would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active". Record of flooding in nearby area in 1999, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer as there are multiple watercourses running through the site.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Refer to extant planning permission covering the site. Enhancement of local play park provision required.

# **307 Greenrigg Heartlands**

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWb4	/		Audit	17/22			
EOI no					Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upo	late	07-Jul-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	cultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	4.2
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Brownfield		Conclusion I	Date	07-Jul-14	
The site is currently a	allocated for	development ir	n the West	Lothian Local Plar	and contribu	tes towa	ards the established	
housing land supply f	for West Loth	nian.						

The site also has the benefit of planning permission and construction has commenced.

Greenrigg Primary/Whitburn Academy, St Josephs (Whitburn)/St Kentigerns Academy

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# HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

07-Jul-14 No specific comments.

Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site comprises the former Polkemmet Colliery. Rehabilitation is ongoing on the site and specific Remediation Strategies / Verification Reports will be required for each phase of development.

# WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

14-Jun-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required. SEPA support this. We require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses on site. Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. Site needs a hollistic approach due to its size. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. SEPA would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active".Water resilient measures are not required on this site.Record of flooding in nearby area in 1999, 2005, 2007, 2008 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer. Potential development of allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Whitburn, Whitburn, Longridge, East Whitburn - Existing facility : Whitburn Health Centre

The existing health centre is constrained and land locked and does not lend itself to being expanded. Whitburn has been identified by the Community Health Care Partnership to be developed as a Partnership Centre at Polkemmet. It is unclear if the existing facility would remain if that were to happen.

East Whitburn also feeds into Blackburn, which will have a new Partnership Centre in time.

# SNH

- 18-Mar-13
  - A biodiversity assessment was carried out before the dveelopment of this site that SNH were satisfied with. It is understood that the design of housing at this site was to be taken forward with 'Living Villages' type principle. This approach is welcomed

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) is required for this site. SEPA also require a FRA which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourses on site. Site likely to be constrained due to flood risk. Site needs a hollistic approach due to its size. Consideration should be given to culverted structures within/nearby the site which may exacerbate flood risk to the site. Council would highlight Planning Advice Note 69 'Planning and Building Standards Advice on Flooding' which states that "buildings must not be constructed over an existing drain (including a field drain) that is to remain active".

> SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - This site is at risk of flooding from both fluvial and pluvial flooding. The pluvial flooding may be overcome through effective engineering design and construction. A Flood Risk Assessment is required to determine the potential extents of development without compromise to the risk of flooding. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would also apply.

## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The potential size of the development raise possible air quality issues associated increased traffic in Whitburn town centre.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working or is could be affected by present mine working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

### Scottish Water

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the AVSE PFI WHITBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is limited capacity.

### SEPA - Water Environment

14-Jun-12 Various tributaries of White Burn, treatment ponds on site SEPA require a buffer strip including recommended width of 6m to any dveelopment freom the watercourse SUDS for this site will most likley need a licence from SEPA

### Transport Scotland

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

> It is suggested that sites situated near to the A801 or which have the potential to impact upon the A801, should be assessed in relation to the role of the route as detailed within the National Planning Framework 2 (NPF2) and within the Government's Strategic Transport Projects Review (STPR) as part of Intervention 20 - Grangemouth road and rail access upgrades. This includes the potential for carriageway improvements and a new viaduct.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Play provision to comply with NPFA 6 acre standard (latest version) as a minimum. Neighbourhood park required with

# **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site does not fall within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls out with the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise.

### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per planning permission. See also Transportation Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for further

# WOSAS

31-May-12 This huge potential housing development site encompasses a large area of Greenfield that does not appear to have been affected by modern development. Given the scale of the proposal, there is a high probability that buried deposits will be present within the plot. These would be removed by construction activities. It is likely that archaeological evaluation trenching would be required in relation to any application for the development of this site, in order to determine the presence, location, extent and significance of material of this type. In addition, three specific sites have been recorded from within the boundaries of this area. These are an area of rig and furrow cultivation, a former farmstead that was in ruins by the time of the 1st edition map of the mid 19th century, and the site of the former Polkemmet Colliery. This colliery, while was commenced in 1913 and was in production between 1921 and 1986, has left obvious and extensive physical remains in the landscape, and these are likely to have reduced the potential for material relating to earlier phases of activity to have survived in the affected areas. Should development progress, therefore, it is likely that an assessment would be required in order to identify and map the extent of industrial disturbance, and clarify those areas of the plot that retain the potential to produce earlier material.

# 185 Wilkieston Warblind Hospice

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWk1	1	Audit	32/1 - E	OI-0076	
EOI no				Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	late	20-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricu	Itural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/Gr	ee Brownfield		Conclusion E	Date	20-Nov-13
The site is an existing	allocation within the W	est Lothian Lo	cal Plan and contrib	outes toward	s the est	ablished housing

The site is an existing allocation within the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield in part. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy

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# **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA do not require any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There are former workshops marked on this site. Therefore a Contaminated Land Phase I report will be required in the first instance to accompany any planning application for development of this site.

### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. Some flood risk from burn so set back required for sites in the south. Set back from Gogar Burn required. (All Wilkieston Sites may be linked to East Calder sewage work, which may have pumping issue. SEPA Updated Flood Risk Map 2013 - The site includes low areas at risk of flooding from accumulating surface water. It is possible that this can be mitigated through effective engineering deign and construction. The usual attenuation and treatment

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### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The nearest water body to the site of any significance is the Gogar Burn (Source to Union Canal). There is also no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site is quite well contained when viewed from the wider area. Nevertheless, the existing woodlands and shelterbelts should contribute to the green network within site and to help maintain the screening effects/benefits. Opportunities for links through these parts of the site to link with riparian woodland along the Gogar Burn for both habitat links and access should be exploited.

### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

East Calder currently has no capacity and needs to be replaced. However, it is understood that the CDA is to provide for a new neighbourhood centre where health facilities could be accommodated subject to further discussion.

The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Use existing access into War Blinded site. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to be made for a public park with equipped play area.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, that being the category B-listed sundial present with the former walled garden of Old Linburn House. The site of Linburn House itself is also located within the plot. Linburn was depicted in this location on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey Map. The site was depicted as undeveloped farmland on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that Linburn was constructed between this date and the mid 19th century. The house was subsequently used as the Scottish National Institute for War Blinded, and was demolished in 1955. Current aerial photographs indicate that the former site of Linburn is open parkland, and it is therefore possible that elements associated with the house may survive below ground level in the form of buried sub-surface deposits. In addition, much of the remainder of the plot appears to have been relatively undisturbed by modern development, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

# 3058 Wilkieston War Blind

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LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWk1	1	Audit	EOI-007	76	
EOI no	EOI-0076			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Expression of Interest			Consult Upo	date	20-Nov-13
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	Brown/	Gree Mixed		Conclusion I	Date	20-Nov-13
The site is an existing			Local Plan and contri			

land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The site is brownfield in part. The council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland.

East Calder Primary/West Calder High, St Pauls/St Margarets Academy
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## **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## WLC Environmental Health

14-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the MARCHBANK water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the LINBURN waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity. The site is close to the WWTW.

# **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

East Calder, Mid Calder, Kirknewton, Wilkieston, Murieston, Bellsquarry and some outlying farms and properties - Existing facility : East Calder Medical Practice

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The Kirknewton population is also served by East Calder with some people going to Ratho. There is a need to clarify practice boundaries in this regard but Ratho is considered to have poor facilities in any event.

# **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

# WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 There are former workshops marked on this site. Therefore a Contaminated Land Phase I report will be required in the first instance to accompany any planning application for development of this site.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

## WLC Flood Risk Assessment

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### SNH

18-Mar-13 This site is quite well contained when viewed from the wider area. Nevertheless, the existing woodlands and shelterbelts should contribute to the green network within site and to help maintain the screening effects/benefits. Opportunities for links through these parts of the site to link with riparian woodland along the Gogar Burn for both habitat links and access should be exploited.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# WOSAS

31-May-12 One site has been recorded from within the boundaries of this plot, that being the category B-listed sundial present with the former walled garden of Old Linburn House. The site of Linburn House itself is also located within the plot. Linburn was depicted in this location on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey Map. The site was depicted as undeveloped farmland on Roy's Military Survey of Scotland, conducted in the period 1747-55, indicating that Linburn was constructed between this date and the mid 19th century. The house was subsequently used as the Scottish National Institute for War Blinded, and was demolished in 1955. Current aerial photographs indicate that the former site of Linburn is open parkland, and it is therefore possible that elements associated with the house may survive below ground level in the form of buried sub-surface deposits. In addition, much of the remainder of the plot appears to have been relatively undisturbed by modern development, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to be made for a public park with equipped play area.

### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

# **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 The nearest water body to the site of any significance is the Gogar Burn (Source to Union Canal). There is also no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

# Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

# SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 SEPA do not require any Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

# **WLC Transportation**

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details. Existing access onto A71.

# 2552 Winchburgh Playing Field

# Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ V	VIN 5	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Dismissed	
Category	Land Safeguarded for Open Space		Land Safeguarded for Open Space Consult Update			
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conclusion [	Date		
	Winchburgh Primary	/Linlithgow Ac	ademy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy			
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### WOSAS

20-Feb-13 This site was depicted as undeveloped on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, and also appears as playing fields on current OS editions. It is unclear whether this use required substantial levels of ground disturbance in advance; if it did not, the plot may retain some potential to produce buried archaeological material associated with earlier phases of occupation, meaning that archaeological evaluation may be necessary.

### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 It is not envisaged that any form of development would be acceptable on this site and it is suggested that there would likely be strong local resistance.

### Scottish Water

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

# SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site or for any water resilient measures to be introduced. Surface water issues recorded nearby in 2007, 2008, and 2009. No further information provided. The Union Canal flows adjacent to development site and we would recommend contact is made with Scottish Waterways to establish whether there is a risk of flooding.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities. There is no water body or watercourse of any significance near to the site. Scottish Water will advise re Sewage Treatment Works capacity.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Further discussion required regarding this site as it is CDA.

# **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

### WLC Transportation

09-Apr-13 See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### WLC Environmental Health

08-May-13 No issues identified.

### WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. shale mines, brick works, clay pits, smithy and railway lines have operated within the vicinity of the site.

### **Historic Scotland**

24-Jul-13 Historic Scotland have looked at this site in the context of scheduled monuments and their setting, listed buildings, the setting of A listed buildings, gardens and designed landscapes and battlefields appearing in their respective Inventories, and Conservation Areas.

The site could have the potential for indirect impacts on heritage assets within the remit of Historic Scotland. However, Historic Scotland consider that a robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer on this site. If this site is to be carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex

# WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No obvious issues or impediment to development however given surrounding landscape a Flood Risk Assessment should accompany any application as a matter of precaution. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA

# 3248 Glendevon South B (Block K)

# Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	1		Audit		
EOI no			Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable		Consult Upd	late	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield	Conclusion D	Date	
Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy					
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# SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

### **Historic Scotland**

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# 1978 Former Beatlie School

# Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	/ /	VIN 1	Audit			
EOI no			Consult Pos	sition	Preferred	
Category	Enquiries Possible		Consult Up	date	15-Apr-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions WINCHBURGH	Brown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	15-Apr-14	

Former Beatlie School and Winchburgh Day Centre WIN 1

# PREFERRED

The site is brownfield and the council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland (SESplan).

This site is largely dominated by a complex of former school buildings which are listed at category C and their retention and re-use is necessary and appropriate and in line with the policy and guidance set out in Scottish Planning Policy (SPP).

The site provides a natural element of infill between existing residential areas.

### There is an approved planning brief for this site.

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## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time.

# **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

# WOSAS

20-Feb-13 On the 1st edition, a structure annotated as a ruin was depicted on the section of this site that fronts onto Main Street. This had been removed by the time of the 2nd edition, on which a school was depicted at the western end of the frontage section of the plot. By the time of the 3rd edition, this structure had been expanded to encompass the majority of the frontage section of the plot, and had wholly subsumed the former site of the ruin depicted on the 1st edition. This structure also appears on current OS maps, and is identified as a category C(S) listed building. The 3rd edition depicted a second building in the north-western section of the plot, and this also appears to have formed part of the former Winchburgh Public Schools. While these structures are clearly of architectural significance, their relatively recent date of construction means that they are unlikely to be of substantial archaeological interest, though if they were to be proposed for demolition, some level of building

### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 This site is considered appropriate for a variety of uses including residential or office uses in particular.

### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access as per approved planning brief. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### **Historic Scotland**

08-Mar-13 This site is largely dominated by a complex of former school buildings which are listed at category C. In view of this, we would be content with allocation of this site on the basis that there is a presumption in favour of redeveloping the site in line with the policy and guidance set out in Scottish Planning Policy (SPP) and the Scottish Historic Environment Policy (SHEP), particularly in relation to demolition. The former Winchburgh Day Centre is the earlier school (1885 and 1902) with good stone façades and with a highly visible presence on the street, enhanced by its corner location. We do not consider it likely that a proposal to demolish this building would satisfy SHEP, and consequently recommend that any allocation of the site would need to be based on a requirement that this building would be retained with an appropriate reuse. Subject to analysis it may be possible to demonstrate that demolition of some or all of the later and /or lesser buildings on the site would be in

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

10-Jul-13 No obvious issues. (The site also requires to be subject to assessment of 2013 SEPA fluvial and pluvial maps).

## WLC NETS and Land Services

03-Apr-13 Planning gain requirement to improve quality of local open space.

### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

# WLC Contaminated Land

19-Jul-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarries, railway lines and brick works have operated within the vicinity of the site.

# **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

# **SEPA - Flooding**

27-Feb-13 Surface water issues/ water ponding recorded nearby in 2007, 2008, and 2009. No further info provided. There is no requirement for either a Flood Risk Assessment or Drainage Assessment for this site.

### **SEPA - Water Environment**

27-Feb-13 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunies. There is no significant water body nearby the site. Scottish Water will advise requiring the capcity of Sewage Treatment Works.

# **WLC Environmental Health**

08-May-13 No issues identified.

## 3290 Glendevon Regeneration

## Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	COU6	/		Audit		
EOI no				Consult Pos	sition	Preferred
Category	Enquiries Possil	ble		Consult Up	date	08-Jul-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Brownfield	Conclusion	Date	08-Jul-14
Glendevon Regenerat	ion Site					
COU6						

## PREFERRED

The site is currently not allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan. However the council's strategy is to give priority to the development (redevelopment) of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan. The site also lies within the settlement envelope.

Physically, the site relates well to the existing settlement and residential use is considered appropriate given neighbouring uses.

The site benefits from being served by an existing vehicular access.

SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary of the site.

In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone of Edinburgh Airport. Any development would likely have to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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## British Airports Authority (BAA)

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## SNH

14-Jun-13 No comment.

#### **Historic Scotland**

14-Jun-13 Content that this site unlikely to raise significant concerns for our historic environment interests.

#### WOSAS 30-May-13

This plot was shown as undeveloped ground on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd edition Ordnance Survey maps, but current maps and aerial photographs indicated that it has been substantially affected by construction during the course of the 20th century. Given the levels of disturbance likely to have been involved in the erection of the various blocks of flats, construction of roads and infrastructure and associated landscaping, there is likely to be little potential for earlier material to survive. As a result, we would be unlikely to ask for archaeological work in relation to the development of this plot.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

13-Aug-13 No issues.

## **SEPA - Water Environment**

17-Jun-13 There are no restoration opportunities, hwoever there is a watercourse that runs close to the boundary any buffer strip between development and the watercourse would have to be agreed with SEPA. Standards SUDS would also be sufficient to prevent deterioration opf water quality out with the site.

## WLC Waste Management

27-May-13 Requirement to provide adequate access for 26T vehicles and for the container storage to accommodate the 3 bin system plus Food Caddy for individual households and for multi occupancy blocks to have adequate bin storage for 1100l bins for Residual and Recycling + 1x240l Food Bin (per 5 properties).

## WLC Contaminated Land

10-Jun-13 The council's historical maps were reviewed, no evidence of potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on the site was recorded. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying, mills and clay pits have operated within the

## **Scottish Water**

27-May-13 There is existing water and waste water infrastructure in the site which will need to be taken into consideration when planning the site. In terms of waste water the site is served by the Winchburgh plant where there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site. In terms of water the site is served by the Pateshill plantwhere there is sufficient capacity to accommodate development of the site.

## SEPA - Flooding

17-Jun-13 SEPA require a Flood Risk Assessment which assesses the flood risk from the small watercourse which flows along the southern boundary of the site. There is a record of surface water flooding nearby in 2008 and 2009. A blocked culvert flooded a footpath along Glendevon Park in November 2009. Potential development of this site allocation could increase the probability of flooding elsewhere, unless there is appropriate mitigation.

## 311 Castle Road

## Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWh3	1		Audit	18/05		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Const	rained			Consult Upd	ate	15-Apr-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions	В	rown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion D	ate	15-Apr-14
WINCHBURGH							

Castle Road HWh3

## PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

While priority is ordinarily to be given to development of brownfield land, there is recognition that there is not enough brownfield land to meet the requirements of the Strategic Development Plan and a greenfield release is supported in this particular instance.

While the site currently has no planning approval, the owner has confirmed an intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### NHS - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

#### WLC Environmental Health

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is not within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and therefore is unlikely to have been subject to past coal working. If the site is however allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would nevertheless still have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment in consultation with the Coal Authority to identify if there are any coal workings that may not be known to the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required. SEPA Flood Risk map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

## **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this site. There are no water resilient measures required for this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 This site is adjacent to a former oil refinery. A Contaminated Land Site Investigation will therefore be required to accompany any planning application submitted on this site.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No issues identified.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

## WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the plot to the east of Castle Road and south of Main Street. The eastern section of the area was shown as being under tree cover on the 1st edition Ordnance Survey map of the mid 19th century, and this area appears to have remained wooded into the present day. A pump was shown on the 1st and 2nd edition maps close to the SE corner of the plot, while the 3rd edition showed the line of a mineral railway running past the eastern boundary. The western section of the plot appears to have remained undisturbed during the whole of this period, suggesting that it may retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation, though the small scale of the plot may suggest that this potential is unlikely to be particularly high.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

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## WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Provision to satisfy the requirements of the council's Residential Development Guide.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Use existing access from Castle Road. from See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for

# 2139 Winchburgh Primary School North

## Winchburgh

LP Ref / UCS Ref	HWh5	/	Audit	18/13			
EOI no				Consult Posi	tion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained			Consult Upd	ate	07-Jul-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>	
Conclusions WINCHBURGH	Brown/Gro	ee Brownfield		Conclusion D	ate	07-Jul-14	

Winchburgh Primary School (North) Dunn Place HWh5/EOI-0149

## PREFERRED

The site is currently allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian.

The site is brownfield and the council's strategy is to give priority to the development of brownfield sites, the aim being to limit the amount of greenfield land released for development. This strategy is in accordance with Scottish Government policy and the Strategic Development Plan for Edinburgh and South East Scotland (SESplan).

While the site currently has no planning approval, the owner has confirmed an intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

The allocation also forms part of EOI submission EOI-0149.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

## WLC Contaminated Land

14-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 Housing Site - no comments.

## **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 No issues identified.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and if a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

12 August 2014 Sorted by Town then Local Plan Reference then ID

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Drainage Assessment required.SEPA Flood Risk map 2013 Update - The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Drainage Impact Assessment is required for this. There are no water resilient measures required. Record of flooding in nearby area in 2008 and 2009. No further information provided by the council. Recommend contact is made with the WLC Flood Protection Officer.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No isssues identified.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 No sites have been recorded from within the plot of ground to the rear of Dunn Place. Comparison with available historical maps indicates that the site has been undeveloped since at least the mid 19th century, meaning that it retains some potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation. However, the plot appears likely to have undergone a degree of previous landscaping associated with the construction of the adjacent housing and school, and is of a relatively limited extent, suggesting that this potential may not be particularly high.

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to be onto Glendevon Park. See Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

23-Apr-13 Financial contributions to be used to facilitate improvements to adjacent play facilities.

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a housing site.

## **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

## 2338 Myreside East

## Winchburgh

Conclusions	Brown/Gre	e Greenfield	Conclusio	n Date	16-Apr-14
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Category	Employment Core Develop	ment Area	Consult	Consult Update	
EOI no			Consult I	osition	Preferred
LP Ref / UCS Ref	ME /		Audit		

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Myreside East & Myreside West CDA-ME & MW

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Myreside West and Myreside East core development area allocations. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Notwithstanding the above, development of this site may be constrained due to flood risk and a Flood Risk Assessment and a drainage impact assessment will be required to identify what part of the site is potentially capable of being developed.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

**Proposed Use** 

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## Coal Authority

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 There is support for this longer term employment core development area allocation.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 Waterbody ID-3006\Waterbody Name-Swine Burn\Is there a water feature within or along site boundary-Yes - to eastern half as well as northern boundary\Buffer strip required including recommended width-Yes - 6m\Opportunities for restorationyes\Are there any co-location issues with SEPA regulated sites? -No sewer - potentially required to be pumped.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Flood Risk Assessment and a drainage impact assessment are required. We are not aware of being consulted regarding this site. Part of site within Flood Map so development may be constrained due to flood risk. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - This site is entirely at risk of pluvial flooding and development of this site may not be possible. As a minimum a flood risk assessment will be required to determine the extent of risk and identify what part of the site might potentially be capable of being developed. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues for nearby residential (depending on use).

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Contaminated Land**

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

Outline consent was granted in 2005 and Transport Scotland is aware that the developer has agreed to a contributions mechanism to provide WLC with funds to improve M9 Junction 1 (Newbridge).

#### Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as an employment area Core Development Area site in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

## WOSAS

31-May-12

One site has been recorded from within this plot, this being linear cropmarks identified on aerial photographs. An additional area of cropmarks has also been recorded on the opposite side of the M9, and the RCAHMS record for these suggests that they may be related to quarrying or mining in the area. As with CDA MW, the development of this area may also raise indirect issues relating to the effect any proposal may have on the setting of two Nationally-important and legally-protected scheduled monuments, Duntarvie Castle and the Union Canal. The potential setting issues raised in relation to this plot may be slightly less than those raised in relation to CDA MW, due to the greater distance between the plot and the monuments. In terms of the plot itself, the area does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, meaning that it would retain the potential to produce buried deposits associated with earlier phases of occupation.

## **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment and a drainage impact assessment are required. We are not aware of being consulted regarding this site. Part of site within Flood Map so development may be constrained

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## 2339 Myreside West

## Winchburgh

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Conclusions	Brown/C	Gree G	reenfield	Conclus	sion Dat	te	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultural Lar	nd	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	2
Category	Employment Core Deve	elopment A	rea	Consu	lt Updat	e	16-Apr-14	
EOI no				Consu	lt Positi	on	Preferred	
LP Ref / UCS Ref	MW	1		Audit				

WINCHBURGH

Myreside East & Myreside West CDA-ME & MW

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Myreside West and Myreside East core development area allocations. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

There is a need to maintain an adequate supply of employment land to ensure that employment opportunities are available locally. The site contributes towards this.

Notwithstanding the above, development of this site may be constrained due to flood risk and a Flood Risk Assessment and a drainage impact assessment will be required to identify what part of the site is potentially capable of being developed.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy
Status
Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## SEPA - Water Environment

15-Feb-12 There is a requirement for a 6m buffer strip to the Swine Burn and there could alco be opportunities for restoration. No sewer in vicinity - pumped solution required.

## **Scottish Water**

14-Mar-13 - In terms of water supply the site is served by the PATESHILL water treatment works (WTW) where there is sufficient capacity. In terms of waste water treatment the site is served by the WINCHBURGH waste water treatment works (WWTW) where there is sufficient capacity.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

## WLC Economic Property Development

15-Jun-12 There is support for this longer term employment core development area allocation.

#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 No comments, site allocated for non residential use in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### **WLC Environmental Health**

19-Jun-12 The location of the site is such that there is the potential for noise issues for nearby residential (depending on use).

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

30-Jan-14 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) and a Drainage Impact Assessment are required. We are not aware of being consulted regarding this site and outline planning has been approved. Majority of site within Flood Map so development will likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk. Would have recommended removal if no planning consent had been given. SEPA Flood Risk Map 2013 Update - Part of this site appears prone to pluvial flooding. It is probable that this risk can be mitigated through effective engineering design and construction but this would need to be demostrated by the developer. A Flood Risk Assessment is required to accurately determine the accuracy of the flood hazard maps and, in turn, the extent to which the site can potentially be developed without compromise to the risk of flooding. The usual attenuation and treatment of runoff criteria would apply.

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

16-Jun-11 No known issues.

#### WOSAS

31-May-12 This plot is located between two Nationally-important legally protected scheduled monuments, Duntarvie Castle to the north and the Union Canal to the south-west. National policies regarding the treatment of scheduled sites in the planning process stress that they should as far as possible be preserved in situ within an appropriate setting. As development on this plot would be interposed between two scheduled monuments, careful consideration would be required to assess the impact of any proposal on the setting of these sites. It may be that the view of the plot is partially screened from the canal by the existing railway embankments, but it appears likely that the proposal would result in a significant alteration to the setting of the castle, despite the fact that the existing M9 motorway is interposed between it and the plot. In terms of the plot itself, the area does not appear to have been substantially affected by modern development, meaning that it would retain the potential to produce

#### **Transport Scotland**

03-Apr-13 The majority of strategic transport network impacts will result from cumulative, rather than individual, impacts of development. A cumulative appraisal of sites impacting on the strategic transport network i.e. trunk roads and rail networks will need to be undertaken once there is certainty on what sites are preferred to come forward.

Outline consent was granted in 2005 and Transport Scotland is aware that the developer has agreed to a contributions mechanism to provide WLC with funds to improve M9 Junction 1 (Newbridge).

#### **Historic Scotland**

31-May-12 Many of the proposed development sites have the potential for direct or indirect impacts on heritage assets. However, Historic Scotland consider that in all these cases, robust application of national and appropriate local policies should be able to mitigate any adverse impacts, and do not have any specific comments to offer. For those sites which are carried forward to the West Lothian Local Development Plan, early engagement with Historic Scotland on development proposals which raise complex or significant issues will be key to avoiding adverse impacts and optimising positive outcomes for the historic

### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) and a Drainage Impact Assessment are required. We are not aware of being consulted regarding this site and outline planning has been approved. Majority of site within Flood Map so development will likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk. Would have recommended removal if no planning consent had been given.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as an employment area Core Development Area site in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

09-Jul-13 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to 15m in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

# 1268 Claypit (CP) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	CP	/		Audit	CP		
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred
Category	Auditable-Cor	nstrained			Consult Upd	late	16-Apr-14
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	No	<b>Class Description</b>
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion E	Date	16-Apr-14
WINCHBURGH							

Claypit CDA-CP

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Claypit core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow	Academy, Holy Fa	amily/St Margarets A	Academy
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Proposed Use

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

07-Feb-13 No comment - mixed use largely residential development site.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

## SNH

14-Feb-14 The Winchburgh masterplan identifies the Claypit as a Town Park, with drawings showing this area as part of the strategic landscape framework of the CDA. There is insufficient detail at present to allow us to comment in more detail but we note at this point that the site in its current form (including proposed development in SE of site as shown in masterplan) will play an important role in green networks and placemaking within the CDA and recommend it is retained for this function.

### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. brick works, clay pits and railway lines. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. repair docks at canal, coal wharf and quarrying, have been recorded within the vicinity of the site.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A Water Impact Assessment has been carried out for existing proposed developments which has identified network reinforcement which will be required to accommodate development. It has been assumed that this site is part of the existing CDA and not in addition to it.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Winchburgh WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria. A Drainage Impact Assessment will be

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Details of requirements are set out in the approved masterplan accompanying planning application 1012/P/05. Details will come forward for related detailed applications for provision of new parks and open space and enhacement of existing parks at Timmeryets/Millgate and Craigton Place and Community Centre Park. Management and maintenance of parks in the long term also requires to be agreed.

### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment is required for this site.

### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The site is within the inner, middle and outer consultation zone for the SGN Transco Bonnyhill /Craigiehall-Granton (E33, E34 & E50) pipeline.

### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

## Scottish Enterprise

31-Jan-14 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated for the most part as a housing site.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 SEPA would commend the approach taken in identifying many of the environmental constraints in the overall now approved master plan for Winchburgh with emphasis on sustainable development and welcomes the commitment to employ sustainable

construction methods and the use of energy saving measures. SEPA commends the consideration given to the siting of the SUDS features across the site and the diversity of regional control structures. There remain matters of detail which will require to be resolved as detailed design codes and applications are brought forward, however, overall the proposals are to be commended as an example of best practice in environmental design. Following the submission of an additional report

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 One site has been recorded from within this plot, this being the former Winchburgh brick works. This industrial complex was shown on the 2nd edition Ordnance Survey map of c. 1890 (though it did not appear on the 1st edition), on which the main buildings were shown on the western side of the plot, adjacent to the canal and to the north of Easter Cottage. The same map also showed evidence for extensive disturbance at the south-eastern corner of the plot, adjacent to the Winchburgh Tunnel, apparently related either to the extraction of clay or the dumping of waste material. The 2nd edition also showed two tramways, one leading from the buildings of the brickworks to the area of disturbance, the other running north-east across the site to reach the railway line. This situation remained largely unchanged on the 3rd edition map, though the area of disturbance in the SE corner of the plot had expanded considerably, and a curling pond was shown in the vicinity of NGR 308787, 675465. Although apparently demolished in the 1970s, buildings of the brickworks do appear on post-WWII OS maps, on which a large pond is also shown as occupying the central area of the plot. This was presumably formed as a result of the extraction of clay for brick-making, and still appears on modern OS maps and aerial photographs (though the buildings of the former brickworks have been removed).

In terms of potential archaeological issues associated with this plot, it is apparent that much of it has been subject to extensive amounts of ground disturbance, and that these sections are unlikely to have much potential to produce material pre-dating the industrial use of the site. However, the northern end of the site does not appear to have been affected by disturbance of this type, and nor does the south-western corner, which map evidence suggests has remained as undeveloped farmland. These areas would retain some potential to produce buried deposits associated with previous phases of occupation, a potential that is enhanced by their proximity to the site of substantial oval double-ditched enclosure, present in the field to the east of the railway. Although identified previously as a crop-mark on aerial photographs, this feature was confirmed by a programme of archaeological work in advance of the development of Winchburgh Masterplan Block AA. It is likely that we would recommend that a programme of evaluation trenching should be conducted across the undisturbed

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 An y detailed opportunities for restortaion and stand off distances to any water bodies or watercourses should be provided at the detailed stage.

## Transport Scotland

18-Feb-14 Part of Winchburgh development area. The proposed design for the new grade separated interchange on the M9 at this location is yet to be finalised, however such a large allocation would significantly impact upon this proposed Junction and Junction 1 at Newbridge. The potential impact of such allocations would require to be appraised to identify, in discussion with Transport Scotland, what, if any, mitigation measures are required to support delivery of the allocations.

# 1269 Glendevon North (GN) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GN/COU5 /		Audit G	SN .		
EOI no			Cons	sult Position	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan		Cons	sult Update	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural L	and Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conc	lusion Date	16-Apr-14	
WINCHBURGH						

Glendevon North CDA-GN

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Glendevon (North) core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

Current Status

Proposed Use

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comment - this is a mixed use largely residential development that is a CDA site that should be rolled forward into the

## **WLC Waste Management**

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Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

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#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site. The Union Canal runs close to the northern and eastern boundaries of the site, contact would be required with Scottish Waterways.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A Water Impact Assessment has been carried out for existing proposed developments which has identified network reinforcement which will be required to accommodate development. It has been assumed that this site is part of the existing CDA and not in addition to it.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Winchburgh WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria. A Drainage Impact Assessment will be

#### **WLC Transportation**

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

## WOSAS

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To date, two sub-blocks of compartment GN have been subject to evaluation of this type, these being Block M and an area set aside for the stockpiling of topsoil. However, the remainder of the compartment has not yet been evaluated, and we would still recommend that this would need to take place as and when specific blocks are brought forward for development. It is also the case that compartment GN is located close to two scheduled monuments, these being Old Auldcathie Church and the Union Canal. In addition to the potential for development in this area to have a direct effect on sub-surface deposits within the plot itself, therefore, some consideration would also need to be given to the effect of any proposal on the setting of these sites.

### Scottish Enterprise

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## WLC NETS and Land Services

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### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site. The Union Canal runs close to the northern and eastern boundaries of the site, contact would be required with Scottish Waterways.

## WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. repair docks at canal, coal wharf and quarrying. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. landfilling and quarrying, have been recorded within the immediate vicinity of the site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for any buffer strip and there are no restoration oppportunities. The Union Canal runs close to the northern and eastern boundaries of the site, contact would be required with Scottish Waterways.

#### **HSE (Health and Safety Executive)**

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The site is within the inner, middle and outer consultation zone for the SGN Transco Bonnyhill /Craigiehall-Granton (E33, E34 & E50) pipeline. It is also within the consultation zone for Inner SGN Transco pipeline Winchburgh Branch (E38).

# 1270 Glendevon South A (GS) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GS	1		Audit	GS			
EOI no					Consult Posit	ion	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Upda	ite	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agricultu	ural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions		<b>Brown/Gree</b>	Greenfield		Conclusion Da	ate	16-Apr-14	
WINCHBURGH								

Glendevon South CDA-GS

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Glendevon (South) core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

Winchburgh Primary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy

List of Consultations and Dates Current Status

Proposed Use

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

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## WLC Contaminated Land

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# 3262 Glendevon South Balance (GS) CDA

Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GS /		Audit	GS			
EOI no				Consult Po	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan			Consult Up	date	20-Nov-13	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agric	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	20-Nov-13	
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The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

List of Consultations and Dates	Current Status	Proposed Use

## **Coal Authority**

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## 3263 Glendevon South (Balance)

LP Ref / UCS Ref	GS	1		Audit	GS			
EOI no					Consult Po	sition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable				Consult Up	date	20-Nov-13	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Agrice	ultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions		Brown/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	20-Nov-13	
The Strategic Development Plan (SDP) for Edinburgh and South East Scotland supports development within the core development areas. The site is within an identified core development area forming part of the Glendevon South CDA allocation, is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. The site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.								

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

		Winchburgh Primary/Linlit	ngow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy
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SNH			
10 Mar 10	No common	to mode	

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

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#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A Water Impact Assessment has been carried out for existing proposed developments which has identified network reinforcement which will be required to accommodate development. It has been assumed that this site is part of the existing CDA and not in addition to it.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Winchburgh WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria. A Drainage Impact Assessment will be

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This block forms part of the area proposed for development under the Winchburgh Masterplan. We have previously provided comments on an application for outline planning consent for a 325ha mixed-use development (planning application 1012/P/05). This compartment forms part of the area covered by this outline consent. In our response to application 1012/P/012, we advised that a condition should be attached to the outline and any subsequent detailed planning consents, requiring that the developer appoint an appropriately-qualified professional archaeological contractor to undertake a programme of fieldwork in advance of development, the first stage of which should be a programme of evaluation trenching designed to determine whether significant sub-surface archaeological deposits were present.

To date, two sub-blocks of compartment GS has been subject to evaluation of this type, these being Block K and the SUDS area. However, the remainder of the compartment has not yet been evaluated, and we would still recommend that this would need to take place as and when specific blocks are brought forward for development. It is also the case that compartment GS is located close to two scheduled monuments, these being Faucheldean Bing and the Union Canal. In addition to the potential for development in this area to have a direct effect on sub-surface deposits within the plot itself, therefore, some consideration would also need to be given to the effect of the proposal on the setting of these sites.

# 1271 Myreside (MS) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	MS	1		Audit	MS			
EOI no					Consult Pos	ition	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Local Plan				Consult Upd	late	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer				Prime Quality Ag	ricultural Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown	/Gree	Greenfield		Conclusion	Date	16-Apr-14	
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Myreside CDA-MS

#### PREFERRED

The site is part of the Myreside core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

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Proposed Use

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#### **WLC Waste Management**

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 A Flood Risk Assessment and a Drainage Impact Assessment are required for this site. Majority of site within Flood Map so development will likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk. Would have recommended removal if no planning consent had been given.

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. railway lines. Potentially contaminative industries, e.g. quarrying, has been recorded within the vicinity of the site.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Part of Winchburgh development area. The proposed design for the new grade separated interchange on the M9 at this location is yet to be finalised, however such a large allocation would significantly impact upon this proposed Junction and Junction 1 at Newbridge. The potential impact of such allocations would require to be appraised to identify, in discussion with Transport Scotland, what, if any, mitigation measures are required to support delivery of the allocations.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is likley to be the requirement for a buffer strip to be agreed with SEPA and there may be some restoration

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 Information provided from the council states that a Flood Risk Assessment and a Drainage Impact Assessment are required. SEPA are not aware of being consulted regarding this site and outline planning has been approved. Majority of site within Flood Map so development will likely be heavily constrained due to flood risk. Would have recommended removal if no planning consent had been given. The site also contains the Swine Burn that runs east to west through the site and there si also a watercourse north to south and a large water body to the west of the site.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The site is within the inner, middle and outer consultation zone for the SGN Transco Bonnyhill /Craigiehall-Granton (E33, E34 & E50) pipeline.

## WOSAS

24-Feb-14

This block forms part of the area proposed for development under the Winchburgh Masterplan. We have previously provided comments on an application for outline planning consent for a 325ha mixed-use development (planning application 1012/P/05). This compartment forms part of the area covered by this outline consent. In our response to application 1012/P/012, we advised that a condition should be attached to the outline and any subsequent detailed planning consents, requiring that the developer appoint an appropriately-qualified professional archaeological contractor to undertake a programme of fieldwork in advance of development, the first stage of which should be a programme of evaluation trenching designed to determine whether significant sub-surface archaeological deposits were present.

To date, one sub-block of compartment GS has been subject to evaluation of this type, this being block AA. This process confirmed the presence of a substantial oval double-ditched enclosure. Although identified previously as a crop-mark on aerial photographs, the presence of this feature was initially confirmed by a programme of archaeological work in advance of the development, and was then fully excavated in advance of its being removed by construction activity. While this excavation will have removed all physical remains of this feature, it remains the case that the previous evaluation only covered a section of compartment MS – ground at both the northern and southern end of the plot was not considered, as it did not fall within block AA. As a result, we would still recommend that this would need to take place as and when specific blocks are brought forward for development.

### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. railway lines and railway station. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. brick works and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to ensure land is suitable for use.

## Scottish Enterprise

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A Water Impact Assessment has been carried out for existing proposed developments which has identified network reinforcement which will be required to accommodate development. It has been assumed that this site is part of the existing CDA and not in addition to it.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Winchburgh WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria. A Drainage Impact Assessment will be

# 1272 Niddry Mains North (NN) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	NN /		Audit	NN			
EOI no			C	Consult Positi	on	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained		C	Consult Updat	te	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultur	al Land	Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	C	onclusion Da	te	16-Apr-14	
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Niddry Mains (North) CDA-NN

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Niddry Mains North core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

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Proposed Use

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#### **NHS** - Lothian

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

#### **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

#### **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. agriculture activities. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. brick works and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

07-May-13 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no water resilient measures required.

#### WOSAS

24-Feb-14 This block forms part of the area proposed for development under the Winchburgh Masterplan. We have previously provided comments on an application for outline planning consent for a 325ha mixed-use development (planning application 1012/P/05). This compartment forms part of the area covered by this outline consent. In our response to application 1012/P/012, we advised that a condition should be attached to the outline and any subsequent detailed planning consents, requiring that the developer appoint an appropriately-qualified professional archaeological contractor to undertake a programme of fieldwork in advance of development, the first stage of which should be a programme of evaluation trenching designed to determine whether significant sub-surface archaeological deposits were present.

To date, none of this compartment has been subject to evaluation, but it is likely that we would recommend that this should take place when specific blocks within it are brought forward for development. The potential for this block to produce buried deposits associated with previous phases of occupation is enhanced by its proximity to the site of substantial oval doubleditched enclosure, present in the field to the west of Niddry Mains. Although identified previously as a crop-mark on aerial photographs, this feature was confirmed by a programme of archaeological work in advance of the development of Winchburgh Masterplan Block AA.

#### HSE (Health and Safety Executive)

12-Mar-14 Regulations contained in the Town and Country Planning (Development Planning) (Scotland) Regulations 2008 (as amended) require that in strategic and local development plans regard be had for the objectives of preventing major accidents and limiting the consequences of such accidents. The regulations require that regard also be had in strategic and local development plans for the need in the long term, to maintain appropriate distances between establishments and residential areas, buildings and areas of public use, major transport routes as far as possible and recreational areas, these being the objectives of the European Commission. The Health and Safety Executive has assessed this site and do not recommend that they, or any other third party such as operators of major hazard installations and major accident hazard pipelines, require to be consulted at the time of writing, with regard to potential allocation of this site in the West Lothian Local Development Plan, should the council choose to allocate it.

The site is within the inner, middle and outer consultation zone for the SGN Transco Bonnyhill /Craigiehall-Granton (E33, E34 & E50) pipeline.

#### **SEPA - Flooding**

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Details of requirements are set out in the approved masterplan accompanying planning application 1012/P/05. Details will come forward for related detailed applications for provision of new parks and open space and enhacement of existing parks at Timmeryets/Millgate and Craigton Place and Community Centre Park. Management and maintenance of parks in the long term also requires to be agreed.

## WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

02-May-13 Potentially contaminative activities have been carried out on site, e.g. railway lines and quarrying. These activities have also been recorded within the vicinity of the site.

## **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

## **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Part of Winchburgh development area. The proposed design for the new grade separated interchange on the M9 at this location is yet to be finalised, however such a large allocation would significantly impact upon this proposed Junction and Junction 1 at Newbridge. The potential impact of such allocations would require to be appraised to identify, in discussion with Transport Scotland, what, if any, mitigation measures are required to support delivery of the allocations.

# 1273 Niddry Mains South (NS) CDA

## Winchburgh CDA

LP Ref / UCS Ref	NS /		Audit N	S		
EOI no			Cons	sult Position	Preferred	
Category	Auditable-Constrained		Cons	sult Update	16-Apr-14	
Planning Officer			Prime Quality Agricultural L	and Yes	<b>Class Description</b>	3.1
Conclusions	Brown/Gree	Greenfield	Conc	lusion Date	16-Apr-14	
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Niddry Mains (South) CDA-NS

## PREFERRED

The site is part of the Niddry Mains (South) core development area allocation. Development within such areas is supported by the development strategy of the Strategic Development Plan.

The proposal is supported as infill development within the settlement envelope.

The site is allocated for development in the West Lothian Local Plan and contributes towards the established housing land supply for West Lothian. Planning permission has been granted and the site owner/developer has confirmed intention to bring the site forward within the LDP plan period.

	Winchburgh Pr	imary/Linlithgow Academy, Holy Family/St Margarets Academy
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#### SNH

18-Mar-13 No comments made.

## **NHS - Lothian**

19-Mar-13 All GP Practices have their own 'catchment areas' and GPs work independently to the NHS with there being a mixture of ownership and tenures regarding building usage and stock. The focus in recent years has been a move towards shared services and the development of Partnership Centres. Further dialogue with the NHS will be required once new allocations have been identified.

Winchburgh - Existing facility : Winchburgh Medical Practice

There is no additional capacity at the present time but once the recently approved development of the CDA at Winchburgh

#### WLC Waste Management

12-Jul-12 WLC Waste Services would wish to make it clear at this stage that any significant increase in housing could in time merit a minimum of four additional vehicles for Waste Services. This is assuming the current collection regime remains as is (no shift changes) and accounts for food waste and glass recycling increasing also. Some detailed consideration would also need to be undertaken on recycling points and /or the potential for additional pressure on the amount of Community Recycling Centre sites that Waste Services might operate at that time. It is noted however that this particular site is allocated

## **Coal Authority**

26-Feb-13 The site is within a 'Coal Resource Area' as identified by the Coal Authority and may have been subject to past coal working. If the site is allocated in the development plan and a planning application is submitted, the developer would have to undertake a detailed desk top assessment of such coal workings in consultation with the Coal Authority.

## **WLC Economic Property Development**

15-Jun-12 No comments - the site is for mixed use development, predominantly housing.

## SEPA - Flooding

15-Feb-12 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **SEPA - Water Environment**

15-Feb-12 There is no requirement for a buffer strip and there are no restoration opportunities.

#### WLC Flood Risk Assessment

31-Jan-13 There is the requirement for a Flood Risk Assessment and Drainage Assessment for this site.

#### **Scottish Water**

25-Feb-14 Water: There is sufficient capacity at Pateshill WTW. A Water Impact Assessment has been carried out for existing proposed developments which has identified network reinforcement which will be required to accommodate development. It has been assumed that this site is part of the existing CDA and not in addition to it.

Waste: There is limited capacity at Winchburgh WWTW. Scottish Water will continue to monitor the capacity at the point at which a growth project is required a developer will need to meet the 5 criteria. A Drainage Impact Assessment will be

#### WLC Transportation

27-Nov-13 Access to the site will require to accord with the Core Development Area master plan. See also Transport Background Paper to the Main Issues Report (MIR) for details.

### WLC NETS and Land Services

10-Feb-14 Details of requirements are set out in the approved masterplan accompanying planning application 1012/P/05. Details will come forward for related detailed applications for provision of new parks and open space and enhacement of existing parks at Timmeryets/Millgate and Craigton Place and Community Centre Park. Management and maintenance of parks in the long term also requires to be agreed.

#### **Transport Scotland**

18-Feb-14 Part of Winchburgh development area. The proposed design for the new grade separated interchange on the M9 at this location is yet to be finalised, however such a large allocation would significantly impact upon this proposed Junction and Junction 1 at Newbridge. The potential impact of such allocations would require to be appraised to identify, in discussion with Transport Scotland, what, if any, mitigation measures are required to support delivery of the allocations.

#### **Scottish Enterprise**

13-Mar-12 No specific issues or concerns as this site is allocated as a mixed use Core Development Area sites in the adopted West Lothian Local Plan 2009.

#### WLC Contaminated Land

11-Feb-14 Council historical mapping shows potentially contaminative activities having been carried out on site, e.g. agriculture activities. Other potentially contaminative industries, e.g. brick works and quarries have operated within the vicinity of the site. Please note the council does not hold exhaustive historical records and it remains the responsibility of the developer to

#### **British Airports Authority (BAA)**

30-Jan-14 The site falls within the safeguarding consultation zone (which is 13km from an aerodrome, in this case Edinburgh Airport) under Circular 2/2003 'Safeguarding of Aerodromes, Technical Sites and Military Explosives Storage Areas' and also falls within the Edinburgh Airport Lden noise contours as specified by The Environmental Noise Directive (2002/49) and supplemented in Scotland by the Environmental Noise (Scotland) Regulations 2006, relating to aircraft noise. Any proposal/application therefore will require to be subject of consultation with BAA aerodrome safeguarding. Any development is likely to be restricted to two storeys in height and will contain flat roofs only and above ground SUDs systems should be avoided in order to minimise the potential of bird strike and landscaping will require careful design. Birds are mobile and whilst every effort can be taken on an aerodrome to address potential bird hazards, aerodrome safeguarding, through local authority planning permissions, is one of the key methods for addressing existing and potential hazards off-airport. To reduce the risk of bird strikes, specific requirements associated with landscaping schemes within 13km of Edinburgh Airport should be factored into development proposals from the outset for this site. Addressing the constraint from the outset will also ensure the council as planning authority do not require amended landscaping schemes whilst processing any application and will not require amended plans post the granting of planning permission.

This block forms part of the area proposed for development under the Winchburgh Masterplan. We have previously provided comments on an application for outline planning consent for a 325ha mixed-use development (planning application 1012/P/05). This compartment forms part of the area covered by this outline consent. In our response to application 1012/P/012, we advised that a condition should be attached to the outline and any subsequent detailed planning consents, requiring that the developer appoint an appropriately-qualified professional archaeological contractor to undertake a programme of fieldwork in advance of development, the first stage of which should be a programme of evaluation trenching designed to determine whether significant sub-surface archaeological deposits were present.

To date, none of this compartment has been subject to evaluation, but it is likely that we would recommend that this should take place when specific blocks within it are brought forward for development.