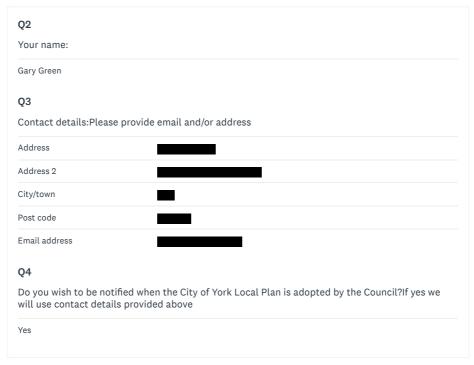


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Object

Q23

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Not positively prepared - i.e. strategy will not meet development needs

Not effective - i.e. it won't work

Q24

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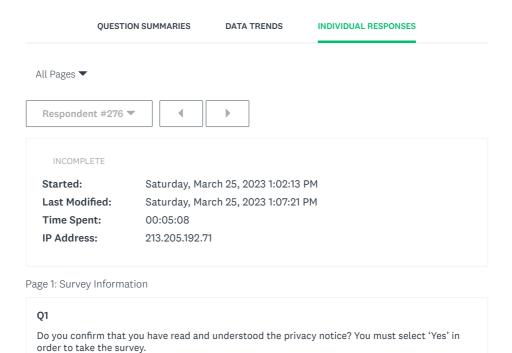
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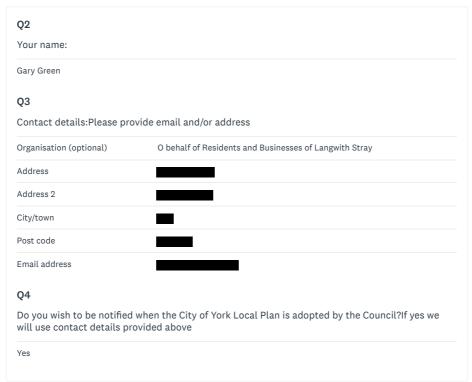




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023

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Not positively prepared - i.e. strategy will not meet development needs

Not justified - i.e. there is no evidence to justify the modification

Not effective - i.e. it won't work

Q24

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p.32(xvi) Omission Langwith Stray. Amend to "Ensure that vehicular access to connect existing premises only along Common Lane/Long Lane and Langwith Stray to Heslington is retained as part of the wider ST15 access arrangements." Cutting off Langwith Stray from Heslington and providing access via new infrastructure for ST15 is unacceptable. It would cause us to have a much longer indirect route to/from York; bring traffic from A64 and/or ST15 and beyond into a very narrow lane causing obstruction including for emergency vehicles; bring a large amount of traffic into an ecologically sensitive area; prevent farmers bringing agricultural machinery to their land; obstruct Ouse and Derwent drainage board in its work. As residents of Heslington Village, we want direct access so as to use its facilities regularly, and access our neighbours on Long Lane & Common Lane. Any other solution for us will cause great harm to a Spa/RAMSAR mitigation site and an SSSI. See supporting documentation.

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Spatial Strategy MM3.56 Supporting Documentation

The modification at p.32 bullet (xvi) has omitted Langwith Stray in the list of lanes that require retention of access for existing residents and businesses to Heslington and has removed the more general "access for existing local residents and landowners" which implied all the users. Restoring Langwith Stray to the list upholds this intention.

The implication of MM3.56 (xvi), as it stands, is that existing residents and businesses in Langwith Stray would have their access absorbed into the infrastructure for ST15. This has direct negative implications for existing residents and businesses using Langwith Stray and for the protection of an ecologically sensitive area.

Langwith Stray is a very narrow dead-end lane running south from the eastern end of Long Lane. It runs past the OS10 Wetlands mitigation site for Lower Derwent SPA/RAMSAR, and the ST15 western Airfield SINC mitigation site, to the Heslington Tillmire SSSI. It is used by residents and businesses, service vehicles such as refuse collection, Ouse and Derwent Drainage Board and, when necessary, emergency vehicles. Agricultural machinery travels between Long Lane and Langwith Stray to the fields east and west of Langwith Stray.

It is essential that a road link connects Langwith Stray directly to Long Lane. Residents and businesses must retain their right to access York via Heslington Village. We are residents of Heslington Village. We have social links with the village and we use the facilities there on a daily basis. A less direct route to York city centre for existing residents and businesses via Langwith Garden Village or the link to A64 and the already congested roads into York is unacceptable. There is a big difference between having a home 10 minutes' drive from York city centre and being half an hour's drive away. This would significantly impair our enjoyment of our property and impact on every aspect of day-to-day life. There could be cost implications should we wish to sell our property in future. Farms on Common Lane, Long Lane and Low Lane frequently need to access land they farm east and west of Langwith Stray with large machinery and lorries.

It is equally essential that Langwith Stray is not opened up to traffic from ST15 and its infrastructure. If there is access to Langwith Stray via ST15 or A64 link road from further afield, the volume and mix of users will be far too great for the capacity of this very narrow lane and parking will cause additional obstructions. Langwith Stray would become a de facto car park for recreational users of the area whether bird watchers, dog walkers, cyclists or walkers. Access for residents and businesses on Langwith Stray would be significantly impaired. Access for emergency vehicles is of particular concern.

To protect Heslington Tillmire SSSI, and the proposed OS10 Wetlands mitigation area for Lower Derwent SPA/RAMSAR, vehicles on Langwith Stray should be minimised and no new traffic should be introduced from ST15 or A64 link road into this ecologically sensitive area. The aim of the local plan around ST15 should be to

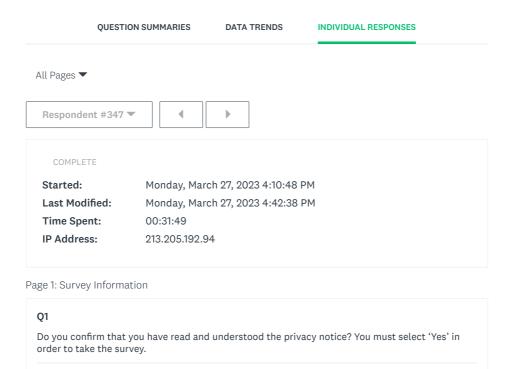
minimise recreational access to SSSI, in particular dog walkers and mountain bikers, in order to maintain the SSSI's rare fauna and flora. Introducing access for additional vehicular traffic will bring significantly greater pollution than currently occurs from noise, vehicle emissions, light, people and domestic pets. No new traffic should be introduced from ST15 or its infrastruture into this ecologically sensitive area. Therefore, Langwith Stray, like Long Lane and Common Lane must be retained for access to Heslington for existing residents and businesses only.



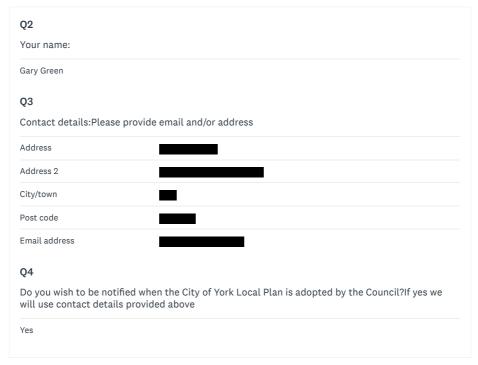




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In ST15 only 560 units are to be delivered within the plan period. The loss of BMV land for food production and the negative impact on the rural character of the landscape is unsound based on this strategy. A precedent for rejecting ST15 can be found with the findings of the inspectorate for Bracknell & Forest Local Plan where a similar plan for a garden village with a small number of houses envisaged within the plan period, was found to be legal but unsound. This was described as making a limited contribution when assessed against the five purposes of the Green Belt as set out in paragraph 138 of the Framework. The same criteria should be applied to ST15. The proposed physical development and the associated infrastructure requirements of a new GSJ on the A64 would result in significant landscape harm in a sensitive location and would also have a considerable negative impact on the rural character of the landscape. This is unjustified when only 560 units are to be delivered.

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