

# Local Development Plan 2032 Counter Representation Form

## Section A: Data Protection

### Q1. DATA PROTECTION AND CONSENT

I confirm that I have read and understand the Privacy Notice above and I give consent for Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council to hold my personal data for the purposes outlined.

## SECTION B: YOUR DETAILS

### Q2. Please tick one of the following:

Individual

### Q3. Your Details

**First Name** [REDACTED]  
**Last Name** [REDACTED]  
**Details of Organisation/ Body** Individual  
**Address** [REDACTED]  
**Postcode** [REDACTED]  
**Email Address** [REDACTED]  
**Phone Number** [REDACTED]

Q4. Consent to Publish Response Under planning legislation we are required to publish counter representations received in response to the Plan Strategy, however you may opt to have your response published anonymously should you wish. Even if you opt for your counter representation to be published anonymously, we still have a legal duty to share your contact details with the Department for Infrastructure and the Independent Examiner appointed to oversee the examination in public into the soundness of the Plan Strategy. This will be done in accordance with the privacy notice detailed in Section A.

Please publish with my name and organisation

## Section C:

### Q5. Have you submitted a representation to the council regarding this development plan document

Yes

**If yes, please provide your Reference Number**  
DPS - 090

## Section D: Your Counter Representation

Q6. Please provide the reference number of the site-specific representation to which your counter representation relates. If you wish to make a counter representation to more than one representation, please complete a separate online response for each counter representation you wish to make.

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Q7. Your counter representation must relate to a site-specific representation made to the Lisburn & Castlereagh City Council draft Plan Strategy. Please give reasons for your counter representation having particular regard to the soundness test(s) identified in the Department for Infrastructure's Development Plan Practice Note 06 Soundness. Please note your counter representation must not propose any new changes to the draft Plan Strategy. It should be submitted in full and cover succinctly all the information, evidence, and any supporting information necessary to support/justify your submission.

We I am writing to support the representation made by the Dundonald Green Belt Association.

The importance of Rural Landscape Wedge CR05 and CR06 have not been assessed as part of the Local Development Plan. Rural Landscape Wedge CR05 and CR06 adjoining Dundonald are of significant importance at a strategic planning level and should be joined. Rural Landscape Wedge CR05 is visible from the Castlereagh Hills, Old Dundonald Road and Comber Road. Rural Landscape Wedge CR06 should also be extended to include all of Billy Neill Country Park. On this point we would also add that Billy Neill Country Park is incorrectly labelled Billy Neill Pitches within the Local Development Plan it is also categorised in the development plan as open space and sports area. This undermines and understates the importance of Billy Neill Country Park. Billy Neill Country Park should strive to be on a par with Lagan Valley Regional Park and is a vital community asset and should be classified as a Local Landscape Policy Areas (LLPAs) as it considered to be of greatest amenity value, landscape quality and local significance and is therefore worthy of protection from undesirable or damaging development. Billy Neill Country Park is also home to numerous protected and endangered species including Bat, Badgers and Yellow Hammer birds. In this regard requires a higher degree of recognition than simple outdoor.

We agree with the Development boundary around Dundonald should not be extended.

## Section E:

Q8. Thank you for your comments

**Signature** 

**Date** 17/04/2020