

REP 19/4

Gosport Borough Council Pre-submission Local Plan Hampshire County Council Response Schedule – September 2014										
1. To which part of Plan does this representation relate?			2. Do you think the Local Plan is:				3. Tests of soundness			
a. Para	b. Policy	c. Document	a. Legally compliant		b. Sound		a. positive	b. justified	c. effective	d. consistent
			Yes	No	Yes	No				
10.25	Policy LP21 – Improving transport Infrastructure Explanatory Text		X			X			X	X
4. Why is the Local Plan not legally compliant or unsound?										
<p>Hampshire County Council as Highway Authority made the following representation on the Gosport Borough Council draft local Plan in February 2013: “An additional paragraph is required to explain how developer contributions for transport infrastructure will be gathered using the Highway Authority’s Transport Contribution Policy until CIL is adopted. The text of such a paragraph could be as follows: <u>Until CIL is adopted transport Infrastructure will continue to be funded by developers in accordance with the Highway Authority’s Transport Contribution Policy.</u>”</p> <p>This recommendation by the Highway Authority about the Transport Contribution policy until the adoption of CIL does not appear to have been included in the Publication version of the Local Plan in this supporting text for Policy LP21 – Improving Transport Infrastructure. However The Highway Authority is of the opinion that there should be wording in the Local Plan to reflect this scenario before CIL is adopted and in operation by Gosport Borough Council, which is likely to be 2015.</p>										
5. What changes are necessary to make the Local Plan legally compliant or sound?										
<p>Hampshire County Council as Highway Authority requests that the Borough Council adds the following paragraph to the associated text on Infrastructure to support Policy LP2 which explicitly explains how developer contributions for transport infrastructure will be gathered using the Highway Authority’s Transport Contribution Policy until CIL is adopted: <u>Until CIL is adopted transport Infrastructure will continue to be funded by developers in accordance with the Highway Authority’s Transport Contribution Policy.</u>”</p>										
6. Speak at EiP?	No	X	Yes							If Yes, on what grounds?