Southall Gateway Supplementary Planning Document

CONSULTATION STATEMENT May 2015

1 INTRODUCTION

- 1.1 The 'Southall Gateway Supplementary Planning Document' was published by Ealing Council for public consultation from 16th March to 24th April 2015.
- 1.2 The Southall Gateway SPD forms an update to the adopted Southall OAPF, specifically to chapter 4.2 'Southall Gateway'.
- 1.3 The SPD was the subject of public consultation in accordance with Regulation 13 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 and Ealing's Statement of Community Involvement and this Consultation Statement has been produced in accordance with Regulation 12 (a).
- 1.4 In accordance with regulation 12(a), this Consultation Statement sets out:-
 - (i) The persons the local planning authority consulted when preparing the supplementary planning documents (see APPENDIX 1)
 - (ii) A summary of the main issues raised by those person (see SECTION 3); and
 - (iii) How those issues have been addressed in the supplementary planning document (see SECTION 4 and APPENDIX 2)

2 THE CONSULTATION EXERCISE

The consultation arrangements

- 2.1 The consultation period took place from 16th March to 24th April 2015.
- 2.2 The SPD was published on the Council's web site during this period along with advice on where and when the SPD was available for inspection. Copies were deposited for inspection at each of the borough's Main libraries and at the Council office (Perceval House).
- 2.3 Letters and an E-Bulletin were sent to all individuals/organisations recorded on the Council's consultation database.
- 2.4 The consultation was also publicised at various meetings including at the Local Plans Advisory Committee and the Planning and Community Working Group, and a presentation to the congregation of the Gurdwara.

The response

- 2.5 62 representations were submitted by 11 individuals and organisations. The respondents included:
 - 8 statutory bodies:
 - Greater London Authority (GLA)
 - Heathrow Airport Limited
 - Highways England
 - Historic England
 - Marine Management Organisation
 - Natural England
 - National Grid
 - Transport for London (TfL)
 - 2 site owners:
 - GL Hearn on behalf of Michael Hunt
 - St James Group Limited
 - 1 housing association:
 - Catalyst Housing Limited

3 SUMMARY OF MAIN ISSUES RAISED

3.1 The main issues raised by respondents are summarised below

Key Issues

- The principle of comprehensive scheme with high quality built form and public realm was supported.
- Clarification was sought about the relationship of this guidance to other character areas in Southall OAPF.

Other issues

- Mention was sought of the background evidence that supported Southall OAPF.
- Clarity was sought over the status of funding for the pedestrian/cycle bridge.
- Advice was given of a range of technical constraints to the site stemming from gas infrastructure.
- Clarification was sought about the status of the design guidance set out in the SPD.
- A range of clarifications were suggested to the indicative mapping.
- The use of Fig 5, which illustrates a previous scheme, was questioned

4 RESPONSE TO ISSUES RAISED

4.1 A full summary of the consultation responses received, the Council's response and any proposed changes to the SPD as a result of the consultation responses is provided within Appendix 2 of this Statement.

APPENDIX 1: CONSULTEES

Specific Consultees

Amec on behalf of National Grid Anglian Water Atlantic Electric and Gas **BAA Aerodrome Safeguarding Brent Council British Gas British Gas Properties British Waterways London** BT Group plc **Canal & River Trust Countrywide Farmers Plc Croydon Council** Department for Culture, Media and Sport Department of Health **Director of Asset Management** Ealing Primary Care Trust Ecotricity **English Heritage Environment Agency** Equality and Human Rights Commission Forestry Commission Good Energy Limited Greater London Authority (GLA) Harrow Council Heathrow Airport Limited Highways Agency Homes and Communities Agency Hounslow Council London Borough of Hammersmith & Fulham London Borough of Havering London Borough of Hillingdon London Energy Plc London Fire & Emergency Planning Authority London Waterways - Canal and River Trust Marine Management Organisation Metropolitan Police Authority National Grid Natural England Network Rail NHS NHS London Healthy Urban Development Unit NHS Property Services Ltd North West London Strategic Health Authority Npower O2 (cellnet) **Opus Energy Limited** Powergen RenewableUK **Richmond upon Thames Council** Scottish Gas Scottish Hydro Electric ScottishPower Seeboard Energy Limited

Southern Electric Sports England SWALEC SWEB Energy Limited **Telecom Plus PLC** Thames Water Thames Water Property Services Thames Water Utilities Ltd The Theatres Trust Three Valleys Water T-Mobile (UK) Limited Transport for London Transport for London, West London Tram (TFL) Virgin HomeEnergy Limited Vodafone Group Plc Wandsworth Council West London Health Estates West London Waste Authority

General Consultees

A2Dominion Group Action Acton Actionvale Community Centre Acton Alliance Acton Community Forum Acton Green Residents Association Acton History Group Afghan Academy Age UK Ealing Alder Kina Alliance Planning Alzheimers Concern Ealing Ancient Monuments Society Apna Ghar Housing Association Ltd Armenian Hayashen Arup Partnership Ascott Avenue Residents Association Ashra-Asian Carers Project Asian Family Counselling Services ASRA Housing Association Austin Mackie Associates Ltd Avenue Road/Villiers Road Residents Association Barker Parry Town Planning Ltd Barton Willmore **Bedford Park Society** Bell Cornwell LLP Bellway Homes Biscoe Craig Hall Boston Manor Residents Association Boyer Planning Ltd BREEAM Brent River & Canal Society

Brentham Society British Geological Survey **Brookside Consulting** Burland TM Ltd Buro Happold Ltd Caldecotte Consultants Campaign for Real Ale Limited Campaign to Protect Rural England (CPRE) Capita Symonds Catalyst Housing Ltd CBRE Central & Cecil Housing Care & Support Central Ealing Residents' Association CaMs Consulting Charles Russell LLP Chris Thomas Ltd **Churchfield Community Association** Churchill Hui **Cissbury Consulting City & Provincial Properties Plc** Colne Valley Rural Development Forum Council For British Archaeology Councillor A Young Councillor Abdullah Gulaid **Councillor Alexander Stafford** Councillor Andrew Steed Councillor Anthony Kelly Councillor Aysha Raza Councillor B Mahfouz **Councillor B Reeves** Councillor Benjamin Dennehy Councillor Binda Rai Councillor C Costello Councillor Charan Sharma **Councillor Chris Summers** Councillor Ciaran McCartan Councillor D Pagan Councillor D Scott Councillor Daniel Crawford Councillor David Millican **Councillor David Rodgers Councillor Dee Martin** Councillor E Harris **Councillor Edward Rennie** Councillor Gareth Shaw Councillor Gary Busuttil Councillor Gary Malcolm Councillor Gregory Stafford Councillor Gurmit Kaur Mann Councillor H Rose Councillor Harbhajan Kaur-Dheer Councillor Hitesh Tailor Councillor I Potts Councillor Ian Proud Councillor Isobel Grant Councillor J Anderson Councillor J Cowing Councillor J Gallagher Councillor J Popham Councillor J Stacey

Councillor Jasbir Anand Councillor Joanna Camadoo Councillor Joanne Dabrowska Councillor Jon Ball Councillor Josh Blacker Councillor Joy Morrissey Councillor Julian Bell Councillor Kamaljit Dhindsa Councillor Kamaljit Kaur Nagpal Councillor Karam Mohan Councillor Kate Crawford Councillor Kieron Gavan Councillor Lauren Wall Councillor Lynne Murray Councillor M Reen Councillor Mik Sabiers Councillor Mohammad Aslam Councillor Mohammed Kausar Councillor Mohinder Kaur Midha Councillor Munir Ahmed Councillor Natasha Ahmed-Shaikh Councillor Nigel Bakhai Councillor Nigel Sumner Councillor Patricia Walker Councillor Patrick Cogan Councillor Paul Conlon Councillor Penny Jones Councillor Peter Mason Councillor Rajinder Mann Councillor Ranjit Dheer Councillor Ray Wall Councillor Rosamund Reece Councillor S Ahmed Councillor S Singh Kang Councillor Sanjai Kohli Councillor Sarfraz Khan Councillor Seema Kumar Councillor Shital Manro Councillor Simon Woodroofe Councillor Sitarah Anjum **Councillor Steve Hynes** Councillor Surinder Varma Councillor Swaran Padda Councillor Tarig Mahmood Councillor Tej Bagha Councillor Tejinder Dhami Councillor Theresa Byrne Councillor Theresa Mullins Councillor Tim Murtagh Councillor W Brooks Councillor Wendy Langan Councillor Y Johnson Councillor Yoel Gordon Councillor Z Abbas-Noori Creffield Area Residents Association (CARA) Crest Nicholson Developments Ltd **Crime Prevention Design Advisor** Crispins Wine Bar Curl La Tourelle Architects **D.S Bhasin**

Dalton Warner Davis LLP David Wilson Homes Ltd Day Lewis Planning Limited **Defence Estates Operations South** Deloitte LLP **Denton Wilde Sapte Derek Horne & Associates Development Securities Plc** Dialogue **DMH Stallard Dormers Wells Residents Association** DP9 **DPDS Consulting Group Drivers Jonas Deloitte** DTZ **Durston House** Ealing Arts Ealing Arts Centre **Ealing Civic Society** Ealing Common Conservation Area Panel Ealing Common Society Ealing Community Network Ealing Cricket Ground Conservation Area Panel Ealing Cycling Campaign Ealing Falcons Badminton Club Ealing Fields Residents Association Ealing Friends of the Earth Ealing Liberal Synagogue Ealing Somali Community Welfare **Ealing Transition** Ealing Wildlife Network Ealing, Hammersmith and West London College **ECVS** European Urban Architecture Fields in Trust Firstplan Forge Cottages Residents Association **Foxtons Estate Agents** Frendcastle Friends of Haven Green (FoHG) Friends, Families and Traveller and Traveller Law Reform Project Frogmore Property Company Fusion Online Ltd Gareth Daniel Associates Gerald Eve LLP GL Hearn Limited Golden Opportunity Youth Association Goldsmith Area Residents Association **Golflinks Residents Association Greenford Community Centre Greenford Gospel Church** GSK GVA Hanger Hill Estate Residents Association Hanwell & Canals (West) Conservation Area Panel Hanwell Car Centre

Hanwell Community Centre Hanwell Steering Group Harper Planning Harrow Estates Plc Hartswood Property Management Ltd Havelock Estate Residents Association Hayes Community Forum Heaton Planning Heynes Planning Hindu Youth Organisation Home Builders Federation Horn of Africa Advice Centre Housing For Women Howard J Green FRICS Chartered Surveyor Howard Sharp and Partners Hunters Solicitors Hynes Optometrists Iceni Projects Indigo Planning Ltd Inland Homes Inland Waterways Association Island Triangle Resident's Association in North Acton. J D Asset Management Plc Jay Ashall Associates Jehovah's Witnesses Jinah School of Urdu John Rowan & Partners Jones Lang LaSalle Kevin Scott Consultancy Khudamil Ahmadiyya Association Kings Fund Kingsdown Residents Association **Kirkwells** Landmark Information Group Legal & General Assurance Society Ltd c/o Burnett Planning & Development Levvel Ltd Linden Homes Chiltern London Anglican London Diocesan House London First London Motorcycle Museum & Ravenor Farm Community Association London Planning Practice Look Ahead Housing and Care Ltd Lynne Evans Planning Maddox & Assocaites Ltd Manhattan Lofts Corporation Mason & Partners Commercial Property Consultants and Mavenplan Mayfair Investments Metropolis PD Ltd Milap Day Centre Mono Consultants Ltd Montagu Evans Nathaniel Lichfield and Partners (NLP) **Neighbours Paper** Network Housing Group

Parsons Brinckerhoff Peacock & Smith Pegasus Group Ltd Permission Homes North London Persimmon Homes Thames Valley **Pitshanger Community Association PJ** Planning Planning Perspectives LLP Planning Potential Ltd Planware Ltd Questors **Rail Freight Group** Ransome & Company Raplevs LLP Ravenocean Ltd Red and White Design Renaissance Planning Renewable UK Rex International Ltd/ Pension Fund Robert Brett & Sons Ltd Royal Bank of Scotland **RPS** Planning SARAG Save Trees In Gunnersbury Savills Scope Scott Brownrigg Scott Planning Associates Ltd Segro Selborne Society SHAA Road Residents Association Shepherds Bush Housing Group SHLAP (Stop Horn lane Pollution) Smith Jenkins Limited Society for the Protection of Ancient Buildings Society of Afghan Residents Somali Community Association - Southall Southall Black Sisters Southall Church of God Southall Community Alliance Southall Day Centre Ltd Southall Local History Society Southall Merchants Association Southall Rights Speer Dade Planning Consultants SQW SSA Planning Limited St Alban's Community Association St Catherines Court (Chiswick) Ltd St James St. James's Investments St. Modwen Properties Plc Stewart Ross Associates Strutt and Parker **Taurus Developments Limited** Terence O' Rourke Thames Honda Ltd The Boathouse The Brentham Club The Charity of William Hobbayne

The Covenant Movement Ealing The Ealing Club The Garden History Society The Georgian Group The Grove Residents Association The London Gypsy and Traveller Unit The Mill The National Federation of Gypsy Liaison Group The Open Spaces Society The Park Community Group The Twentieth Century Society The UNITE aroup plc The Victorian Society **Toplocks Residents Association** TR Suterwalla & Sons Ltd **Tramore Properties Limited** Traveller Law Reform Coalition Triangle Group Trimmer CS **Turley Associates** Turnberry Planning Twyford Ave Sport Grnd Residents Association United Anglo Caribbean Society United Anglo-Caribbean Society United Development Ltd University of Leeds URPS Vincent and Gorbing W Morrison Supermarkets PLC Walpole Residents Association Walpole Residents Association & Ealing Green Conservation Panel Wasps FC amateur club West Acton Residents Association (WARA) West Ealing Neighbours West London Alliance West London Business West London Tamil School West London Waste Authority West Twyford Residents Association Westminster Interfaith Wildberry Nature Reserve Community Group William Hardman Associates

Local residents

A Fraser A. C Pitt Adrian March Alan Murray Alan Taylor Alison Martin Allison Franklin Amanda Christine Amanda Hodder Andrew Brennan Andrew Caramba-Coker Andrew Jones Andrew Russell Andy Pedley Angela Hailstone Anil Anandan Anna Whitty Avtar Uppal Ayesha Sengupta **Balbir Aujla BKP** Grabowski Bob Reid **Bob Roscow** Brian Cheetham Brian Grant C Trimmer Carl Cullingford Carol Woolner Caroline Greenwood Caroline Tahourdin Carolyn Brown **Catherine Inger** Catriona Lindsay Celia Roberts **Charles Garland Charlotte Bubb Chistine Lewis** Chris Georghiou Chris Kenny Christopher Lowney Clara Lowy Clare Awdry Clare Lucey **Clive Narrainen** Colin Clark Colin Mckeen Corin Vestev **David Averre** David Blackmore David Blackwell **David Brammer** David Scott **David Strachan David Thaddeus** David Zerdin **Deborah Sheppard Derek Pratt Diane** Lee **Diane Jacobs Dominic Jury Donal McGovern Doreen James Doris Ratnam** E Cwirko-Godycka E D Stubner E. F Osborne Eilis Devendra Elizabeth Stonor Emma Price Eric Saward **Evelin Matley** Evelyn Gloyn Farah Bhatti

Faris Manshi Fiona Grabowski **Fiona Sutcliffe** Fiona Thorn Francesco Fruzza Franklyn Nevard Garabed Sahakian Gavin Heighton George Murphy Gerald McGregor Gill Meacock Gordon Chard Grazvna Zaczvnski Guy Fiegehen Helen Atkinson Helen Hirst Ian Wootton **Irving Jones** J Humphreys J Trimmer Jamie Powell Jane Greenberg Jane Judge Jane Shirley Janet Sacks Janet Smith Jay Dasani Jeremy Goates Jeremy Thorpe-Woods Jessica Rose Jill Williams Jimmy Carroll Jocelyn Ridley John Blackmore John Gavin John Harrison John Hazlehurst John Koski John Krol John Rundell John Sweetman John Templeton John Winslow John Wright John Zylinski Johnny Rizq Jon Allen Jonathan Mead Jonathan Norris Judith Dove Judith Fielding Judith Paris Julie Kaiser Karen Maxwell Karine Sarafian Kate Woolven Kevin Newson Kieran Rushe Kris Juraszek Kulwant Singh

Laura Brennan Leslie Mostkow Linda Harakis Lindley Mortimer Loraine Dennis Lorena Martin Lorna Dodd Louise Murray M Hartley Maggie Maguire Maggie Wilson Margaret Sherrin Maria Martinez-Orantes Marisa Merry Mark Langley - Sowter Mary Mecook Matthew Winslow Maureen O'Sullivan Michael King Michael Kuaffmann Michelle Everitt Mike Jordan Miss Swan Mohamed Bennadi Mohinder Singh Mr Bhasin Mr Irwin Mrs Gratus Nancy Duin Neal Wills Neville Smith Nicholas Henderson Nick Blong Nick Woolven Nicola Kavanagh Nicola Smith P Davies Paola Turner Pat McNair Patricia Bench Paul Gibson Paul Smedley Paul Tierney Paula Firstbrook Pete Grist Peter Eversden Phil Kinn Philip Bubb Philip Thomas Philippa Bird **Philippe Bruyer** Phill Martin R Taylor **Rachel Westall** Randall Wright Ray Goodearl

Ray Wall **Rebecca Daniels Richard Barnett Richard Chilton Richard Johns Rik Deadman Robert Balaam Roger Collins** Ron Thorp Rosalind Lister Rosanna Fullerton Rupert De Barr S Deans S Turceninoff Safi Ferrah Sarah Evre Sarah Hamilton-Fairley Sarah Maynard Sarah Mitchell Shao-Ying Ben-Nathan Sheela Selvajothy Sheila Diviney Shireen Alsalti Simon Tuke Siobhan Martin Stefan Krok- Paszkowski Stella Dinenis Steve Paynter Subhash Susan New Susan Kendrick Susan Loughe Susan Riddiough Susie Thorpe-Woods Suzanne Edwards Tanya Maynard Thomas Bonasera **Tim Carpenter** Tim Poulston **Tina Learmonth Tony Miller Tony Sever** Tonya Gillis Trevor Sharman **Trisha Stewart** V L Corani Veronica P Currie Vib Patel Vlod Barchuk Waclaw Gasiorowski Will Chung Will French Yvette Easton Zoe Archer Zoran Murphy

APPENDIX 2: CONSULTATION MATRIX

Rep: SG/01 (1 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
We welcome the four 'design concept and vision' points on p. iv and their restatement as 'overarching objectives' in section 4 of the SPD		
Council response:		
Support welcomed.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (2 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
We strongly endorse the 'no piecemeal / ownership-driven schemes' approach on p.10 para 4.6. We would recommend that the same approach be adopted for the sites to the south, and in East Southall as well.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed. Comments on East Southall noted.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (3 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	
Representation:	
We welcome the positive approach to new public space on p.13, para 5.5: although we note below some missing elements, and we regard its expression in Figure 4 as inadequate (see below).	
Council response:	
Support welcomed.	
Proposed changes:	

Rep: SG/01 (4 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
We are pleased that the SPD expresses the Borough's growing perception of the location as a major opportunity to be more than a 'gateway' that people pass through, so amplifying the OAPF perception of it.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (5 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
We think that the Draft does not yet clearly express its function and importance - what is it for, what is its special role in Southall Town Centre, and importantly the Gateway's contribution to Southall's economic development and place making.		
Council response:		
Noted. The role of this site within the broader regneration plans for Southall is largely articulated through the Southall OAPF to which this SPD forms a minor revision.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (6 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
We recommend that this is clearly stated at the introduction – by emphasizing its public realm and connectivity function, its religious function and its development function – as a		

focus for high buildings.

Council response:

These points are considered to be adequately explored through the design principles.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/01 (7 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

Para 4.2 says that an overarching objective is comprehensive redevelopment: but no further guidance is given for the key site (the current Gurdwara site), other than what one can infer 'Principle' by 'Principle'. This is an important gap, and could be rectified with a coherent exposition (mini-brief) about the site. This aspect is also one of the things wrong with Figure 4.

Council response:

Noted. This is a constrained site and the principles which form the substance of the SPD will serve to further refine the types of scheme which would be acceptable on this site, the sum of planning policy and guidance which covers the Gateway is considered to be quite sufficient to realise the planning aims for the site, central among which is the prompt delivery of a scheme. We do not believe the local authority is best placed to design the detail of a new scheme nor is it the role of an SPD to do this.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep:	SG/01	(8 of 24)
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Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

Connected with this, the wording of the final sentence at p.12 para 5.3 should be reviewed. It needs to be stronger and more positive about the linkage through the Gurdwara site. Otherwise the opportunity to create a network of linked spaces and routes will be missed, and the reopened footbridge will be irrelevant to station access from East Southall.

Council response:

Linkage through the Gateway is clearly set out as an integral objective in Principle 1.

Proposed changes: No change		
Rep: SG/01 (9 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
By the same token, the last sentence at p.12 para 5.4 should be revised. It needs to be much clearer about integration with the Gurdwara site - not just raising the faint possibility of revised station access some time in the future.		
Council response:		
•	t factor in the success of development at Southall BE will continue to work with the railway and ess possible.	
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (10 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

On the approach to new public space (p.13 Para 5.5), we noted above our support. But whilst this is fine, so far as it goes, Figure 4 does not show it; nor do the text or drawing add opportunities elsewhere, notably at the SE (Merrick corner) and SW (Workspace 'tower' site) corners of the SPD area - which are also important public realm opportunities. The Draft should be amended to overcome this deficiency.

Council response:

The indicative key principles do not aim to define the locations of all public spaces. Principles 1, 2 & 3 are al intended to work together to build a fine grained and high quality of public spaces and routes through and around the Gateway.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/01 (11 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	
Representation:	

This also applies to p.19 para 6.12. The draft needs to add reference to new public realm and pedestrian linkage. The SPD picks up (para 6.17) the wish for 'visual connection' here, but is not explicit on pedestrian connection. Yet as we have argued in earlier responses, this is THE key place where you can greatly improve access on foot between the station and East Southall. Para 6.18 (p.21) should also be amended to recognise this potential.

Council response:

These are already noted in Fig 4

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/01 (12 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

Fig 4: the need is to show the key linkages, urban blocks, spaces and views that the SPD is seeking to define, protect and encourage. At present Figure 4 is inadequate for this purpose - not only is its content limited, but it could be misleading and be used to undermine the SPD objectives.

Council response:

Fig 4 is deliberately indicative but it is considered already to meet these needs.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/01 (13 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
It does not however need to (and should not, in our view) define or illustrate built forms block-by-block (which Figure 5, the now-outdated 2013 'Southall Gateway Masterplan' sought to do).		
Council response:		
Delete fig 5		
Proposed changes:		
Proposed changes:		

Amend	
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Rep:	SG/01	(14 of 24)
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Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

The existing Gurdwara site: the reopened pedestrian/cycle footbridge will not achieve its aim (ref. SPD p.12 Principle 1 "...facilitating access to the rail hub") without the Gurdwara site showing access across it as a 'Key Principle' (which is what this map could do). We have already argued above that without that, the new link will not improve station access for Southall East & Havelock - people will simply not use it for that purpose.

Council response:

The form of station access is an important factor in the success of development at Southall Gateway and the broader OAPF area. LBE will continue to work with the railway and applicants to secure the best form of access possible.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep:	SG/01	(15	of 24)
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Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

Same site, southern edge: shows a "service road", raising the prospect of nothing more than a yard / back lane, along this potentially important facade of the site.

Council response:

Noted. The service road may be an operational requirement of the railway, however, there is limited planning value in referring to it in this figure.

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/01 (16 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	
Representation:	

SW corner (angle Merrick/ South Rd): the orange oval at this SW corner should add new public realm and pedestrian linkage.

Council response:

The indicative key principles do not aim to define the locations of all public spaces. Principles 1, 2 & 3 are al intended to work together to build a fine grained and high quality of public spaces and routes through and around the Gateway.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/01 (17 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
General problem with Figure 4 is that ever express what's in the text: e.g. see note a	en where it is not wrong, it does not adequately above on para 5.5, re 'public space'.	
Council response:		
The indicative key principles do not aim to define the locations of all public spaces. Principles 1, 2 & 3 are al intended to work together to build a fine grained and high quality of public spaces and routes through and around the Gateway.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/01 (18 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
The drawing as presented is not complete : the 'new Crossrail station' legend is not clear and carries mistakes. The term 'forecourt' is not positive: it should say 'new high-quality public space', or similar.		
Council response:		
Station labelling will be corrected.		
Proposed changes:		
Amend		

Rep: SG/01 (19 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill

On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited

Representation:

Fig 1 (p.3): shows 'new SME workspaces' for East Southall – this is too specific and prescriptive, given the absence of economic analysis and economic development strategy. This also applies to para 6.12, re Merrick Rd. This could be improved by a legend explaining "new employment spaces for mixed use areas which will be defined through a new economic development study and strategy".

Council response:

This reference is unaltered from the adopted Southall OAPF.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/01 (20 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	

Representation:

Fig. 1 also refers to 'emerging master plans' south of the station, which contrasts with the welcome insistence (para 4.6) on 'no piecemeal' plans. This legend is therefore not helpful and needs to support our recommended form of urban design plan setting out key public realm and connectivity issues.

Council response:

This portion of the diagram represents the content of the adopted OAPF. Southall East is outside the boundary of the SPD.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/01 (21 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill	
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:		
Fig 5 - this should not now be used, as it is misleading, especially in relation to the existing Gurdwara site (built form and routes). The diagram which ought to be definitive and		

attractive (Figure 4) is so inadequate. If Figure 5 is retained, it should be stated that it is illustrative only and now out of date.

Council response:

Delete fig 5

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/01 (22 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	

Representation:

Southern edge of the Gurdwara site: we would urge that the text be revised at p.23 para 6.24. The current formulation is "This should be achieved by a new service road along the north side of the railway, which would allow access from the east of the area to service and parking provision for new development as well as service access to the station itself." This places too much constraint on the redevelopment of the Gurdwara site. And as noted above, it raises the prospect that nothing more than a yard / back lane for Transit vans is envisaged.

Council response:

Noted. The service road may be an operational requirement of the railway, however, there is limited planning value in refering to it in this figure.

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/01 (23 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	

Representation:

The text should be revised to clearly raise aspirations for the whole south-facing frontage of the site, whilst recognising the need to make provision for Network Rail's access needs. Its proximity to the railway inevitably imposes design constraints, but rear access should not be its only role. Specifically, the requirement for "a new service road" should be replaced by a more general formulation about "NR and retail access needs".

Council response:

Noted. The service road may be an operational requirement of the railway, however, there is limited planning value in refering to it in this figure.

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/01 (24 of 24)	Name: Mr David Tannahill		
On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited	On behalf of: Catalyst Housing Limited		
Representation:			
There is also one point requiring clarification; and one typo:			
 At p.16 (cycling quietway', etc): the reference to this crossing" could either be to South Road (the subject of the preceding sentence), or to the reopened footbridge /cycle bridge. We assume, by reference to OAPF Fig 3.6 (and 6.22), that the latter is meant, but it is not clear. At p.10, para 4.2, the end of the last sentence needs to be corrected. 			
Council response:			
Accepted			
Proposed changes:			
Amend			

Rep: SG/02 (1 of 1)	Name: Anup Shrestha	
On behalf of: Highways England		
Representation:		
We have no comments to make on the consultation at the present time.		
Council response:		
Noted.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/03 (1 of 4)	Name: David English
On behalf of: Historic England	
Representation:	

Historic England welcomes the production of this SPD and the references to heritage within it, notably paragraphs 6.13 and 6.17 and the figure 4. We hope the following comments will strengthen the SPD with regard to the historic environment.

Council response:

Support welcomed.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep:	SG/03	(2 of 4)
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Name: David English

On behalf of: Historic England

Representation:

Historic England notes that the Southall Gateway Character Area has tightly drawn boundaries and that there are heritage assets in the character area and those surrounding it, which are likely to be affected by development in the Gateway Area. We also note that the SPD calls for a new landmark building, and suggests there are opportunities for tall buildings around the new station. In order to optimise the development of this site in a sustainable manner, as defined by paragraphs 7 and 8 of the NPPF, we recommend that the Southall Characterisation Study which informed the Opportunity Area Planning Framework should be clearly referenced in this document. This is because it provides details on how the different character areas in the opportunity area relate to one another, making it a helpful guide when considering both the location and the design of new buildings. Paragraphs 1.1; 2.13; 3.1; 5.10 would all be appropriate locations to insert such references. In our view the characterisation study is a useful reference point for developers and decision makers, and could help ensure that new developments enhance the overall character of Southall as set out in the Executive Summary.

Council response:

Noted. The SPD forms an update and partial revision to one chapter of the existing Southall OAPF which is intended to provide greater detail and certainty of LBE's intentions for this site and to deliver built development sooner in the regenration cycle. It is important that the rest of the OAPF and its supporting evidence is understood as continuing to form the wider context and policy framework for Southall. The text will be updated to reflect this.

Proposed changes:

Amend

On behalf of: Historic England

Representation:

A recurring matter when considering the siting of new landmark buildings is their impact on the setting of heritage assets, which are often landmarks themselves. This is particularly true in Southall where the Grade II* Southall Manor and Liberty Cinema, and the Grade II Water Tower are important local landmarks. To ensure that new landmark developments have an appropriate relationship with existing heritage landmarks we recommend that you include a reference to new development protecting the setting of heritage assets in the SPD text. This is supported by paragraphs 128, 132 and 137 of the NPPF, which highlight the importance of setting when considering the impact of development on the historic environment. This could be done by adding the following bullet point to the Building Form points between paragraphs 6.12 and 6.13:

• New development in the Southall Gateway character area should respect the setting of heritage assets, including those in other character areas.

A reference to the setting of heritage assets would also be appropriate in paragraph 5.10 (Design Principle 7).

Council response:

The SPD forms the site specific elements of Ealing's planning framework for this location. Ealing developed it's heritage and tall buildings policies in close co-ordination with the former English Heritage and these are considered to be quite sufficient to cover the issues raised.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/03 (4 of 4)	Name: David English
On behalf of: Historic England	

Representation:

In terms of developing design principles and strategies to guide the location and design of a landmark building, we consider that the SPD would be strengthened by the identification of local views to be protected and enhanced with new development. These should be shown on a plan and accompanied by some explanatory text setting out the key townscape features that could act as design cues for urban designers and architects.

Council response:

Noted. The SPD forms an update and partial revision to one chapter of the existing Southall OAPF which is intended to provide greater detail and certainty of LBE's intentions for this site and to deliver built development sooner in the regeneration cycle. It is important in considering views that the rest of the OAPF and its supporting evidence is understood as continuing to form the wider context and policy framework for Southall. The text will be

updated to reflect this.

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/04 (1 of 1)

Name: Angela Gemmill

On behalf of: Marine Management Organisation

Representation:

Thank you for inviting the Marine Management Organisation (MMO) to comment on the above consultation. I can confirm that the MMO has no comments to submit in relation to this consultation.

Council response:	
Noted	
Proposed changes:	
No change	

Rep: SG/05 (1 of 3)	Name: Brittany Williams GL Hearn Limited

On behalf of: Michael Hunt

Representation:

Figure 4: Southall Gateway: Indicative Key Principles

We generally support the indicative key principles contained within Figure 4, in particular the proposed location for the 'Green / walking and cycling route'. However, we would suggest that in addition to this new link that consideration is given to the ability of the road network and existing bridge to the west of The Arches to provide for cyclists and pedestrians. This would ensure a comprehensive network for pedestrians and cyclists to access the station from this area of Southall; particularly as the amount of planned development in the vicinity will increase the number of residents. The new Crossrail link proposed for 2019 will also intensify the need for the station to be easily accessible.

Council response:

Noted. This consititutes part of the package of transport improvements already planned for Southall, however, the volume of traffic and difficult contours on South Road are partly what drive the need for a quietway to the East.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/05 (2 of 3)

Name: Brittany Williams GL Hearn Limited

On behalf of: Michael Hunt

Representation:

We note that Figure 4 anticipates East Southall Park being located within our client's site. Whilst we acknowledge the benefits of providing such open space, this is at odds with the illustrative masterplan and Landscape Strategy prepared in support of our client's proposals at the Middlesex Business Park which seeks to provide just under 1ha of open space. This will include a new public park along the southern boundary and improved public realm across the site. As proposed we believe the suggested allocation is too prescriptive and should recognise the need for flexibility in light of the current Middlesex Business Park application. Failure to do so could result in the allocation becoming out of date.

Council response:

The proposed changes are outside of the SPD boundary.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/05 (3 of 3)

Name: Brittany Williams GL Hearn Limited

On behalf of: Michael Hunt

Representation:

Paragraph 6.12

The SPD states in paragraph. 6.12 that Merrick Road is suitable for retail and commercial uses on its northern side within the retained railway arches; however the same paragraph also states that the road itself, is not appropriate for 'conventional retail'. This term is not defined and there does not appear to be any justification for this statement. As part of the Middlesex application we considered the inclusion of retail in the area and concluded that this would not result in an adverse impact upon Southall's health or vitality and viability. We would therefore request that reference to the line "is not appropriate for conventional retail" is omitted from the SPD so as to not prejudice the siting of retail proposals in this location.

Council response:

Accepted

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/06 (1 of 1)	Name: Mr Julian Austin Amec Foster Wheeler	
On behalf of: National Grid		
Representation:		
The following sites has been identified as being crossed by or within close proximity to High Pressure		
apparatus:		
□ North of the railway- two mixed used sites crossed by HP line 2279 Southall to Richmond		
Council response:		
Noted, this is not material to the content of the SPD, but applicants will be made aware of this information as a design and construction constraint.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		
Rep: SG/07 (1 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore	

On behalf of: St James Group Limited

Representation:

"The area shown in Figure A and is located between the main South Road/Southall Broadway shopping area and the subsidiary centre at Southall Green forming the crucial linking point in Southall."

Suggest - Fig A is not defined within the draft SPD. We assume that the plan referenced should be Fig 1: Southall Opportunity Area and Southall Gateway and the text set out in para 2 should be amended accordingly.

Council	response:
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Accepted

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/07 (2 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore	
On behalf of: St James Group Limited		
Representation:		
The Gateway comprises two main parts, a northern part including the Gurdwara, and a southern part largely occupied by the Arches business centre.		
Suggest - The Southall Gateway extends further west than is suggested by the text. It is suggesed that within the Executive Summary additional text is included to explain the proposals for these areas which are being brought forward as part of the Southall Gasworks development proposals and improvements to the Crossrail Station.		
Council response:		
Accepted		
Proposed changes:		
Amend		

Rep: SG/07 (3 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore	
On behalf of: St James Group Limited		
Representation:		
Support - It is considered that these are in keeping with the objectives as set out in the adopted OAPF and are supported.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/07 (4 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Suggest - After para 1.1 for ease of reference it would be useful if all of the character areas are identified.	
Council response:	

Accepted

Proposed changes:

Amend

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Proposed changes: Amend	
Name: Emma Beardmore	
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Representation:	
Suggest - "Southall Gateway was identified in Southall OAPF, again as the location key to unlocking development in Southall as a whole and overcoming the profound physical severance that is created by the railway line and road infrastructure.	
Council response:	
Accepted	
Proposed changes:	
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Name: Emma Beardmore	
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Whilst the Southall Gateway is defined by the redline in the figure, the extent of the land is described as the "northern gateway is not.	
Suggest - It is considered it would be useful to update the extent of the northern gateway.	
Council response:	
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Accepted

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/07 (8 of 19)

Name: Emma Beardmore

On behalf of: St James Group Limited

Representation:

Suggest - The vision plan should explicitly note that there is flexibility in its parameters. The plan should show less restrictive and more generic boundaries for items such as green spaces and commercial areas.

Council response:

Noted. The title of the plan as 'Indicative Key Principles' is already considered quite explicit as to its flexibility. The green spaces identified are outside the boundary of the SPD and are not therefore subject to change here. The existing OAPF forms necessary context to the SPD and it is not the intention of these proposals to revise the fundamental aims of the Southall OAPF.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/07 (9 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Suggest - Green walking/cycling route is identified between Southall Station and Southall West	
Council response:	
Accepted	
Proposed changes:	
Amend	

Rep: SG/07 (10 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Create a network of pedestrian and cycle routes through the site facilitating access to the rail hub.	
Suggest - Create a network of pedestrian and cycle routes through the Gateway facilitating access to the rail hub	
Council response:	
Accepted	
Proposed changes:	
Amend	

Rep: SG/07 (11 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Improve circulation around the site including provision necessary for public transport interchange	
Improve circulation around the Gateway including provision necessary for public transport interchange	
Council response:	
Accepted	
Proposed changes:	
Amend	

Rep: SG/07 (12 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Create high quality new public spaces	
Support - It is considered that this is in keeping with the objectives set out in the OAPF and is supported.	

Rep: SG/07 (13 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Suggest - the aim should be to create a sequence of linked public spaces that would provide benefit throughout the area.	
Council response:	
Accepted	
Proposed changes:	
Amend	

Rep: SG/07 (14 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Create a new gateway to Southall	
Support - It is considered that this is in keeping with the objectives as set out in the adopted OAPF and is supported.	
Council response:	
Support welcomed.	
Proposed changes:	
No change	

Rep: SG/07 (15 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	

Representation:

Clarification - Is the Gurdwara site the largest landholder in the whole gateway or in the "northern gateway"?

Council response:

The Gurdwara is the largest landholder apart from railway uses.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/07 (16 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore
On behalf of: St James Group Limited	
Representation:	
Encompass a mix of uses and activities of	on the Gateway site
Support - It is considered that this is in k	eeping with the objectives as set out in the adopted
OAPF and is supported.	
Council response:	
Support welcomed.	
Proposed changes:	
No change	
No change	

Rep: SG/07 (17 of 19)	Name: Emma Beardmore	
On behalf of: St James Group Limited		
Representation:		
Integrate with the urban 'edges' of the Ga	ateway site	
Support - It is considered that this is in keeping with the objectives as set out in the adopted OAPF and is supported.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

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Name: Emma Beardmore

On behalf of: St James Group Limited

Representation:

Suggest - the underused land in Southall may be able to accommodate a greater number/density of new homes with careful design and investment in infrastructure. The SPD should therefore seek to maximise the number of homes identified on site by saying 'at least' 400 new homes. This is in keeping with the 'minimum' housing numbers identified in the London Plan. With regard to the level of retail provision the market will determine demand for retial space of this nature particularly in light of the changing trends in retailing.

Council response:

Noted. The SPD is not currently backed by detailed urban design and viability studies and it is not proposed to compromise any design principles by prioritising housing delivery over any other cosiderations on this key site. The figure of 400 units is neither a minimum nor a maximum number and is subject to the stated policy objectives being met.

Proposed changes:

No change

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Name: Emma Beardmore

On behalf of: St James Group Limited

Representation:

Suggest - the proposed masterplan should be labelled indicative.

Council response:

Noted. The diagram isn't considered indicative but represents past work undertaken on this site. It is considered clearer to remove it from the SPD.

Proposed changes:

Amend

Rep: SG/08 (1 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke
On behalf of: Transport for London	
Representation:	
The Gateway area is located between the main South Road/Southall Broadway shopping	

area and the subsidiary centre at Southall Green. TfL recognises the physical severance that is created by the railway line and has been a firm supporter of building a new bridge for pedestrians and cyclists across this barrier, partly funded by development. There is reference to this infrastructure in the text and figures however it is not clear what is the timescale for the delivery of both the vision and the bridge in real-terms, and whether/how these are to be funded. On the issue of transport infrastructure funding, please note also that commercial development in this area may be subject to Mayoral CIL and Crossrail SPG'

Council response:

Noted. The bridge funding and delivery package is the subject of separate work and should be in place before the adoption of the SPD.

Proposed changes:

No change

Rep: SG/08 (2 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke	
On behalf of: Transport for Londo	n	
Representation:		
[Crossrail] station ". As the planning	"passive provision for an eastern entrance for the ng permission has been determined for the station and m, the document could explain how this is to be achieved.	
Council response:		
	portant factor in the success of development at Southall ea. LBE will continue to work with the railway and of access possible.	
Rep: SG/08 (3 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke	
On behalf of: Transport for London		
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Representation:		

there appears no space to do so), or alternatively off-street through the addition of an access the impact on the junction's efficiency should be borne in mind, depending on the scale and type of retail use. TfL suggests the addition of the following caveat "subject to analysis of acceptability of impacts of the development on the safe operation of the junction".

Council response:

This is considered to be an urban design principle necessary to the success of the SPD, so any technical issues such as those raised here will need to be resolved through detailed work at the application stage.

Proposed changes:

Rep: SG/08 (4 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke	
On behalf of: Transport for London		
Representation:		
TfL notes and supports the assertion in para 6.3 that widening the South Road Bridge is fundamental to the delivery of a new cycling 'quietway' from Southall to Hounslow.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/08 (5 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke
On behalf of: Transport for London	
Representation:	
spaces whilst permitting redevelopment w 6.26) is a balance and sustainable aim wh	avel through provision of cycle parking and car club rith minimal car parking provision (proposed in Para nich is welcomed by TfL. No specific range is given g sought will be commensurate with or lower than
Council response:	
Support welcomed.	
Proposed changes:	
No change	

Rep: SG/08 (6 of 6)	Name: Rachel Yorke	
On behalf of: Transport for London		
Representation:		
Lastly, there is a small typographic error at the end of para 4.3 where the sentence ends inconclusively with 'to".		
Council response:		
Noted.		
Proposed changes:		
Amend		

Rep: SG/09 (1 of 1)	Name: Stewart Murray	
On behalf of: Greater London Authority		
Representation:		
The draft SPD provides updated guidance for the Southall Gateway character area identified in chapter 4.2 of the Southall Opportunity Area Planning Framework (OAPF). The SPD broadly reflects the strategic principles of the Southall OAPF and the guidance for the Southall Gateway area. The SPD will aid the implementation of the Southall OAPF and it is supported in principle.		
Council response:		
Support welcomed. It is agreed that the SPD will help the delivery of LBE's and GLA's shared plans for development at Southall including the broader Southall OA.		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/10 (1 of 1)	Name: Gillian Fensome	
On behalf of: Natural England		
Representation:		
Natural England does not consider that this Southall Gateway draft SPD poses any likely or significant risk to those features of the natural environment1 for which we would otherwise provide a more detailed consultation response and so does not wish to make specific comment on the details of this consultation.		

Council response:		
Noted		
Proposed changes:		
No change		

Rep: SG/11 (1 of 1)	Name: Simon Vince	
On behalf of: Heathrow Airport Limited		
Representation:		
The Southall Gateway draft Supplementary Planning Document has been examined from an aerodrome safeguarding perspective and have no safeguarding concerns.		
Council response:		
Noted		
Proposed changes:		
No change		