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1	Chorley Allotment Society	Detailed responses submitted, in summary: The calculations adopted when determining the Chorley standard for allotment provision are far too low. 0.07ha/1000 population. This figure is unreasonable and misses out on getting vital developer contributions to help the lack of allotments in Chorley; it should be set at 0.236ha /1000 population. Council policies and strategies should be maintaining positive activity to increase the number of allotments to attain a reasonable level of provision for the Borough. Baseline data is inaccurate, sites are included that are not actually allotments.	Meeting held with Parks and Open Spaces Officer, Planning Policy and Chorley Allotment Society to discuss consultation comments on 23-04-2014. Action points set for Allotments Society and CBC to take forward in revised document. CBC will review allotment sites in the open space strategy, value / quality scores and ha. / 1000 population. CBC to review amount of developer contribution in the future and seek alternative external funding sources for allotment provision and creation of new sites. CBC will maintain support for allotments.	Allotment sites to be reassessed as necessary.  New allotment sites created since the document was written to be added - Rangleys (30 plots) and St Oswald's, Coppull (26 plots).
2	Steve Flux Chorley Wanderers Junior Football Club	Detailed response submitted, in summary:- Comments given on individual sports pitch sites, Wigan Lane pitch poorly drained, not cut often enough, could be used as dedicated youth pitch by CWJFC. Gillett Fields not actually used as it is too wet but could be used as a youth venue. The 3G pitch proposed for rugby club would not be suitable for football and the 3G pitch at Bishop Rawstorne is too far away for residents of central Chorley. Better locations would be old Leyland sports ground, Parklands or Southlands. Holy Cross seen as a strategic hockey site. The Willows is not suitable. Schools - outline of secondary school facilities. Changing/toilet facilities for junior football are pretty non-existent in Chorley, favour creating centralised venues for different age groups e.g. Astley Park 7v7 and 9v9, Westway, King George and Jubilee 11v11. However, would CBC adequately maintain pitches and facilities? Under 15 have no venue at present. Limbrick not mentioned in original pitch strategy. Highfield Primary School pitches are very poorly drained, require investment. Holy Cross pitch could be improved and 9v9 pitch added to lower field.	Pitches to be re-scored for quality following the national guidance - i.e. Wigan Lane.  Data regarding provision of 3G pitches to be updated in document and the specification of the 3G pitch at Chorley Rugby Club to be clarified. Holy Cross was designed to be a strategic hockey site, but this has not happened. Chorley Wanderers and Chorley St James have long term leases at Gillett Fields, Limbrick.  Highfield School pitches to be assessed for inclusion in the playing pitch action plan.	The Willows removed from playing pitch strategy, this site will remain as an informal kick-around area with no goal posts.  Wigan Lane to be reassessed and updated as required in document.  Highfield School pitches to be assessed and added to playing pitch action plan.  Action to review Council pitch maintenance arrangements.
3	Cllr Julia Berry	Inclusion of Epping Place as a play area into the strategy, also Bracken Close. Ownership of all play areas need to be identified and where adoption is mentioned all partners involved need to be mentioned with anticipated timescale. Where children need to negotiate main roads to reach site adequate signage and improved pathways should be installed. Spend over next 3 years needs to be reviewed following consultation. More emphasis on children's play including disabilities. Few residents have contributed to consultation, this needs to be continued as part of neighbourhood planning.  Consideration should be given to provision / safeguarding of a green corridor in Chorley East linking the established community with the new housing community around the canal.	Include Bracken Close play area.  Epping Place is owned by CCH, Chorley Council will consult with CCH as to the future use and enhancement of the open space. Epping Place is below the threshold of 0.2ha, so it was not assessed through the Open Space Study but it is protected under planning policy.  Play area strategy identifies that links to existing provision of play areas can be improved if necessary using developer contributions. Play equipment for disabled children is always a consideration when designing new sites and replacing equipment.  The canal forms a natural green corridor that is already protected from development under policy HW4 in the Local Plan.	Bracken Close to be scored and added to provision for Children and Young People. Assess Epping Place and allocate to Open Space typology. Canal Walk to be scored and added to strategy as amenity greenspace
4	Mike Coppin Chorley Athletic and Tri Club	3.1 National UK Athletics missing. 3.4 Quality - add in soil condition and liability of flooding - major factors. Centre of Sport Complex / Sport Village should not be ditched completely but continue as a long term objective. Chorley ideally located in Central Lancs for such a venue.	The aspiration to develop a Sport Complex / Sport Village is not currently planned within Chorley. However, the Council is supporting the long term objective to develop a multi-sport compact athletics site and suitable field based facility at Albany Academy.	Support for athletics to be incorporated into the playing pitch strategy.
5	Richard A Percy Steve Abbot Associates LLP, Chartered Town Planners	Detailed response submitted, in summary:- Appears to be an update of earlier drafts. Relationship between the various documents and the central Lancashire open space and playing pitch strategy are not adequately explained. In Appendix A, Open Space Strategy, Whittle-le-Woods -seek future provision of amenity areas - seek financial contributions from housing developments for improvement of the quality and or value of existing amenity greenspace. What will financial contribution produce over and above day to day maintenance? Play Areas, again, what will contributions actually be used for? Parks and Gardens - check statement on Pg. 61 regarding new provision and financial contributions - incorrect? Whittle-le-Woods - Allotments 4 sites in policy HW5 should be referred. Consultation is seeking to update evidence database. Would seriously consider undertaking another round of consultation in the future when documents have been updated /revised.	Relationship between with central Lancashire open space and playing pitch strategy to be made clearer.  When planning applications are accessed, contributions are asked for via S106 for improvements to specific sites within the accessibility catchment for specific improvements; it depends on a site by site basis what contributions are actually used for, often subject to public consultation.  Maintenance is a separate payment only asked for if a developer provides on-site provision as this pays for ongoing maintenance when adopted by the Council. Statement on pg. 61 checked and this is correct.  Agree comments to refer to four new sites.	The 4 allotment sites identified for creation to address deficiencies in policy HW5 of the Local Plan to be added to Appendix B

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6	Simon Cordingley Chorley Bowmen	The playing pitch strategy provides little mention of archery. Current state of Wigan Lane pitches, poor drainage, the club have used them since late 1990s. The club has written a development plan and are seeking to secure a long term lease (25yrs) or possibly purchase land to improve the pitch and security with an aim to develop a centre of excellence in the north-west. Section 3.3 in Play pitch strategy development plan for site is as dual use or football, not specifically archery. Register of clubs - reword as accessible to Under 10 to seniors and disabled archers.	Wigan Lane pitches to be re-scored. Points to be updated in document.	Wigan Lane pitches to be rescored and the strategy to be updated accordingly.  Register of clubs data changed.
7	Mrs C A Cross Clerk to Charnock Richard Parish Council	Inclusion of orchard garden play area in the strategy, this will be a natural play area for young children, picnic areas, landscaping and small car park which requires planning permission at this stage and mention the plans to improve Mossie Close Play area with the inclusion of a MUGA	Orchard Garden will not have formal play equipment so is not classed as a play area but needs to be included in the Open Space Strategy - site to be assessed and scored and added to strategy.  Mossie Close play area to be remeasured once the MUGA is installed as this effects the play provision in ha/1000 population	Orchard Garden site to be assessed, scored and added to strategy.
8	Cllr Eric Bell	Comments on Kem Mill Field, well used but requires investment to drain, run by a trust through Whittle Parish Council. New changing rooms completed 2012.	Kem Mill Lane pitches, referred to as Whittle-le-Woods Football Club in the strategy to be reassessed.  There is a risk of pitch overuse. Pitches are currently quite poor and maintenance needs to reviewed.	Kem Mill Lane Pitches to be reassessed.
9	Lisa Evans Secretary Leyland and Chorley Hockey Club	Lengthy detailed response submitted. In summary- 3 senior mens teams and 2 ladies teams, recruited more players with support of England Hockey. Launched junior team in summer 2013. Schools don't teach hockey anymore due to it being sanctioned by England Hockey to be played on 40mm 3G pitches which very few schools have access to. Most 3G is unsuitable for hockey. Has affected the sport at club level. These 3G pitches are dangerous to coach on, grass is better if well maintained. Buckshaw pitch is degrading. Growth of sport is stifled by lack of pitches; currently using Southlands 3G pitch for training.	Re-score Buckshaw 3G pitch.  Update detail about club / hockey in the document.	Buckshaw 3G pitch to be reassessed.  Update detail about club / hockey in document.
10		Lengthy detailed response submitted, in summary:- Schools pitches are seen as the way to make up the shortfall in sports pitches with them being used for community use. Loss of mini pitch on Greenside due to housing allocation in local plan, pitch needs to be relocated on adjacent land by CBC. Plan should say maintain levels of bowling greens as so many are being lost rather than trying to increase. Include  Euxton's proposal for a bowling green. Wymott bowling green possibly being lost after 14/15 season.	Consider options for Greenside site to be re-configured to accommodate mini-pitch.  Update document with bowling green information. Many of the bowling greens lost are owned by private clubs which have been closed.	-
10	Debra Platt Euxton Parish Council	Primary purpose allocated to Natural and Semi Natural spaces if deficient. Main concern is quality assessment - whole of YVCP allocated to Euxton. Euxton actually has 26ha of the 321ha. Why?  The plan is constructed on a neighbourhood area and not parish area basis, this would be more useful in parish areas, if not changed it needs to clearly state what is in Buckshaw Village and what is in Euxton.  Suggest one map for play areas, playing pitches and open spaces. Review whole plan and check for errors, make clearer.  Error in allocation and map of land adjacent to A49 by stone wall and millennium green. pg. 54. Area behind Firbank/Meadowcroft should be renamed Ransnap Woods.	Many schools did not respond to the consultation, the schools listed in the document did originally respond in 2011 to the previous playing pitch consultation. Remove primary schools if known the grounds are not for community use.  Contributions to Natural and Semi natural spaces are not requested from developers, so the settlement isn't a key factor. It can be reallocated to Chorley Town as most of the open space is on the periphery of this settlement.  Check land adjacent to A40 KIP ref 1697. Amend reference to Ransnap Woods. Plan to stay in neighbourhoods but an extra column added to table to say which settlement sites are in.	Primary school pitches removed where community use not permitted.  Yarrow Valley Country Park moved to Chorley Town Settlement.  Neighbourhood areas are correlated to settlements within the document.  Provision by ward provided in the appendices showing deficiencies by ward / settlement. Reference to Ransnap Woods added. Land named adjacent to Euxton Hall Gardens to be checked.
10		Check play area ha. measurements. Land behind Daisy Hall and Dunrobin Drive needs highlighting as it should have on site play provision when planning application looked at. Suggestions for shortfall in play areas- improve Highways Avenue site or allocate this for allotments, develop the site near skate park for play (near youth shelter) Land behind Princess Way and Empress Way as equipped play, Milestone Meadow play area to increase in size.	Play area measurements to be checked.  Land suggestions can't be added into the strategy before a planning application has been granted. The document can only be updated to reflect current provision.  Suggestions for future provision noted.	All play areas to be re-measured.

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11	Phil Lucas. Astley and Buckshaw Junior Football Club	Derian House Pony Field, request to lease long term and carry out improvement works. Believe the surplus 20 11v11 pitches to be incorrect. Pg. 61, age groups should read U5 - U 18, website is abjfc.co.uk. Update info. on pg. 13 and 17 regarding pitches, pitch quality, amount of usage. Club have a development plan- develop 2 x 5v5 pitches at Buckshaw Trinity Primary School, develop Derian House Pony Field for 2 x 9v9. Currently looking for 2 x 11v11 pitches. Some funding raised & plan to apply for football development grant.	In the current open space strategy Derian House Field is allocated as Amenity Greenspace and is not allocated as a playing pitch. This typology needs justifying and changing to playing pitches by Planning Policy. A planning application would be necessary for this change.	Information changed in document.
12	Adam Mc Ardle Resident of Great Knowley	Great Knowley area (Guildford Ave, Carleton Road) currently are not served by a nearby play area. There are two areas of greenspace that could accommodate small pieces of equipment. Nearest is currently Knowley Brow Play Area which is over 10 min walk up and down steep hills, only caters for 6 - 12 age range and is of poor quality. Also disappointing that Knowley Brow play area is only scheduled for improvements in 2016/17.	The play area strategy shows that the northern part of Guildford Avenue / Carlton Road are not within the accessibility standard of 10 min walk for play area provision. Look to re-schedule the timescales of play area improvements to Great Knowley play area.	Great Knowley to be re-scheduled to Year 1 or Year 2 subject to budget and developer contributions available
13	Gregory Gorrell Hoghton Cricket Club	Check spelling of Hoghton. Key points for village cricket clubs - attracting and retaining volunteers, retaining student players, cost of coaching courses prohibitive, difficult to get new coaches, difficult to obtain funding. Suggest that Chorley and South Ribble Council collaborate in areas where boundaries cross over for primary schools in same catchment of club e.g. Hoghton and Gregson Lane. Pitch not poor quality, passed Palace Shield Premier League, however, ideally wants levelling around the outfield. Have 5 year development plan. Need help with funding.	Pitch quality to be re-scored.	Pitch quality to be re-scored.
14	Julie Longden England Hockey	3G 40mm AGPs not suitable for Hockey, need sand based dressed surface. EH and FA are working to strategically assess all pitches in north-west to identify where there is a need for hockey and football surfaces. Hockey not played on grass, preference is tarmac surfaces or indoor sports halls. Chorley and Leyland Hockey Club is growing and needs additional pitches and management of existing. pg. 44 sports specific objectives - change to maintain current level of AGPs, re-programme hockey and football activity to ensure both sports catered for and create new AGP to meet current and future demand for hockey. pg. 48 the doc states that two new pitches have received planning permission, these would not be suitable for training or matches for hockey and therefore do not meet the shortfall identified.	Comments taken on board. Changes to be made to document with regard to hockey pitch provision.	-
15	John E Harrison Blackburn Road & Great Knowley Residents Association	Former railway cutting from Blackburn Brow, support classification as wildlife corridor but the base of the cutting could be improved for pedestrian access as a footpath linking to existing footpath network to east to Heapey, White Coppice and West Pennine Moors. Black Brook valley could form a green corridor / wildlife area. Wildlife Corridor should be designated down either side of canal as a buffer for recreation and wildlife alike. Gale Moss, area of land between M61, A674 and Moss Lane should be retained as open space, It is the source of the River Chor and is rich in wildlife.	Railway cutting is in private ownership, this site is included within the Local Plan as a cycle route/walking route though no funds are currently available to implement project - aspiration for 2026.  Gale Moss is already allocated for employment in Local Plan. Open space to be retained off Dorking Road and Sutton Grove.  Knowley Brow play area is subject to differing comments from consultees and will be subject to a further consultation.	--
15		Open space informal play areas off Dorking Road and Sutton Grove should be retained, non are equipped but provide valuable open space. Play area of Knowley Brow is difficult to access by foot for elderly and young.	Wildlife corridor along the canal is protected from development -Policy HW4 in the Local Plan.  Comments about accessibility of Knowley Brow play area noted.	
16	Ian Horsefield. Chair Anderton Parish Council	No designated play areas, public rights of way (PROW) is very important, document could be enhanced by including PROW as a subcategory. They are referred to under the green corridor label but are lost within the strategy action plans. Proposal to improve south east parishes rural footpaths should be included in document. Incorporate selected footpath enhancement as part of the open space strategy action plans - links to health walks good.	PROW is not a typology set out in national planning guidance for open space. However, the Council recognises the importance of public rights of way and work closely with LCC who are the statutory authority for public footpaths.	-
17	Janet Baguley Natural England Land Use Operations	No comments	-	-

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18	Martin Trengoue. Vice Chair Mawdesley Cricket Club	Have development plan - continue to develop and improve our facilities. Create other income streams, retain existing members and develop junior players to become the senior players of the future. Expand the number of coaches we have, increase numbers of girls playing cricket, wants support with developing girls cricket. New pavilion being built 2014, will have heating. 230K secured in 2013. Funding for new practice nets will be sought 2015-2020. Pointers to update in document, number of matches played more than stated. No spare capacity.	Points to be updated.	-
19	Katherine Howarth Planning Officer	Scores of play areas that differ to open space methodology, Library Road Skate Park, Clayton-le-Woods, The Bowers, Chorley and Dunham Drive, Whittle-le-Woods need to be reassessed.  Page 20, Site 3. Carr Brook – the 4 play areas have been combined and identified as low quality but one of the sites (1368.4) is assessed as high quality in the Open Space Study.	Sites have been re-assessed. Sites identified as new, to be removed or re-scored to be revisited.  Change made to document.	Site scores in the document to be revisited where necessary.
20	Cllr Mark Perks	Lengthy detailed response submitted, in summary, Open spaces to be put into neighbourhood areas as are the play areas and playing pitches.	Open Spaces are in settlements and are cross referenced to neighbourhoods. This will be made clearer throughout the document.	Open spaces to remain in settlements but closely linked to neighbourhood areas.  Make changes to factual information in document
20	Cllr Mark Perks Club President and project co-ordinator Astley and Buckshaw JFC	Lengthy detailed response submitted, in summary, Buckshaw and Euxton - lack of adequate provision for young people and no allotments in Buckshaw Village. A separate list of play areas should be devised for Astley Village, it is in Chorley Town Neighbourhood Area and does not identify any deficit in quantity, accessibility yet there is not a good quality play area for Astley Village young people except one that is hidden away on Foxcote, should be moved to more prominent location, action plan says it will be improved in 2017/18, can this be brought sooner? Also need allotments in Astley Village.	Astley Village is in the Chorley Town settlement and was assessed with all other Chorley town sites. Developments in the catchment would allocate a contribution to the nearest play area or playing pitch. Timescales of play area provision revised.  Allotments are not provided in Astley Village but there is a community food growing site on Raventhorpe. New allotment site nearby on Euxton Lane proposed to serve Astley Village, Euxton and Buckshaw Village catchment.	Make changes to factual information in document.
20	Cllr Mark Perks Chairman and Youth Worker - Buckshaw Youth Association. School governor	Lengthy detailed response submitted, in summary, Check neighbourhood boundaries of playing pitches. Information needs correcting in document, changes pointed out and new info. provided. Derian House - Pony Field, information needs updating in document. Club has 1 yr lease but looking for 20yr lease.	Playing pitch boundaries checked. As stated in above response, the Pony Field is allocated as amenity greenspace and is not allocated as a playing pitch. This typology needs justifying and changing to playing pitches by Planning Policy. A planning application would be necessary for this change.	Make changes to factual information in document.
21	Alan Bowers, Chairman Chorley Panthers Rugby League Football Club	Aspiration to build a new club house on site.  Pitch drainage, flood lighting and new fencing complete	Document updated accordingly.	-
22	Adlington Town Council	Pg. 16 - 19 Adlington. Ref - New Leonard Fairclough Memorial Garden, Chapel Street. This land was given to the people of Adlington in perpetuity. It is owned by Chorley Council. It should be protected as open space for local residents.  Town Council requests clarification of the location of housing sites with full planning permission in Adlington  Pg. 17- The Town Council considers that Yarrow Valley Country Park is neither near to Adlington or easily accessible by any form of public transport and would disagree that the village is "well Served" with this amenity.  Pg. 19 Allotments - Harrison Road is designated for allotments, the Town Council would like to know when work will commence on the provision of these.  Bowling Greens, both St Josephs and St Pauls can be used by non-members for a small fee, but are not always open.  There is no graveyard at St Pauls Church although there is a small garden of remembrance  Cutterside Avenue should read Outterside Street	Site to be assessed, scored and added to document.  These were housing sites as allocated from 2011 so many have now been delivered e.g. Grove Farm.  Remove the statement from the document. Natural and Semi Natural Open Space is not allocated developer contributions for new provision.  Check S106 allocations, it depends on when the allocations from housing developers reach a point where the site can be created.	Site to be assessed, scored and added to document  Remove the statement from the document. Natural and Semi Natural Open Space is not allocated developer contributions for new provision.  Information updated in document.  Document amended.

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23	Lancashire Football Association	<p>Pitches for social and informal play need to be taken out, only drained pitches included that can be used for training and junior matches. A number of statements seem to contradict e.g. 37 AGPs have been granted to make up shortfall but in key recommendations it states that a further two are still needed. Pg. 23 - Summary of playing pitch assessment by sport suggests 47% of respondents feel 'a lack of funding for pitch improvements' is an issue yet only the below pitches have been identified as red (poor quality) out of all the facilities being used for football. This could affect funding in the future and I would suggest that all pitches need to go through an up to date assessment in Jan/Feb 2014. Pg. 15 – Buckshaw Village – ATP sand filled (1 pitch) Pg. 21 – Twin Lakes, Croston, Bretherton Sports Club (2 grass pitches in total) Data on page 24 is incorrect and would suggest this is looked at again once</p> <p>The FA has the latest data available in February 2014. Ground maintenance - Leagues highlight this as a weakness, what is the ground maintenance annual process? Sites that are thought to need drainage at a high cost might only need a proper maintenance process being adopted. Please send us your process to have it looked at. Ancillary facilities pg. 25. Rated as good or average yet the Leagues highlight a lack of general maintenance, changing rooms, lack of segregation where they exist, and hot water. Again these need to be revisited and classified. AGP's - I would like to challenge the statement on pg. 27 'Chorley has a need for additional pitch space across both AGP types (sand based and third generation turf). Football being the dominant sport and Hockey having identified one of these facilities as a priority the need for the area is Rubber crumb (3rd G Pitch).</p> <p>Pg. 37 – Key Recommendations – Two new AGP's of sand or 3G are required to meet the identified shortfall. Can I suggest this is 3G to accommodate the vast majority of sport played in the borough i.e. football.</p> <p>Overall the document is not an accurate reflection of current football provision in the borough and give's conflicting information. The FA's Local Area Data will be published in the new year and we happy to forward this on which will provide the council with a more accurate picture of football provision in the borough. We are not in a position to support the Playing Pitch Strategy for Chorley in its present state and advise that it is looked at with our consultation along with local partners who will help shape a more accurate document.</p>	<p>Document updated accordingly</p> <p>Document amended regarding AGP provision. Identified that AGP specification differs for specific sports so shortfall not necessarily met across rugby, football and hockey need. All pitches and facilities will be re-assessed and playing pitch strategy updated following assessment. The assessment was carried out by consultants using a strict methodology to ensure consistency.</p> <p>Council pitch maintenance to be reviewed</p> <p>Old data from original study to be removed from strategy.</p> <p>Comments noted.</p> <p>Developer contributions provide improvement provision for pitches and changing rooms. The implementation of the final strategy will be further consulted on with key stakeholders.</p> <p>FA local area data used in revised document</p>	<p>Informal pitches removed from documents, only line marked, drained and regulation size pitches included.</p> <p>Action to review Council pitch maintenance arrangements.</p> <p>Document updated and out of date statistics removed.</p>
24	Gregory Bolton Vice Chairman Brinscall Cricket Club	<p>Firstly Page 28 - Development -This should read Brinscall CC and Hoghton CC as separate clubs as this appears we are one club</p> <p>Page 29 - Demand - Second paragraph - You say 4 clubs report a decrease in membership but only list two and one of those as Brinscall when in fact we have two senior teams and a good development of junior members with an under 13s team in the Ribblesdale League and hope to include an under 11s team this next season.</p> <p>Page 29 - Pitch Quality- You say the Brinscall CC report the overall quality of their home pitch as unacceptable, where did you get this information from ?? We have a relatively good pitch that is well maintained, whilst we have a drainage problem at the bottom of the pitch we are looking to apply for grant funding to assist with resolving this and to improve the overall ground facilities. Our prime ambitions for me are as follows:</p> <p>1.1st playing in the Senior League in 2014 plus the 2nd X1's playing 1 league higher than we are now within next 2 years</p> <p>2.Youth Development -We would like to see the club have an u9's, u11's, u13's, u15's and u17 within the next five years.</p> <p>3.Community engagement and fundraising- We should look to leverage this both through the Youth system and via local businesses and schools. We do need to become a focal point in the village and surrounding areas.</p>	<p>Document amended.</p> <p>Document amended to reflect up to date information.</p> <p>Pitch to be re-scored.</p>	-
25	Vyn Thornhill Euxton Parish Council	<p>Yarrow Valley Country Park is not just within Euxton, this gives a false impression, most of YVCP is private farmland and pasture in Euxton, with no good access routes through the open space. YVCP could be extended in the area of Green Belt land left as part of the proposed development of Dunrobin Drive, Euxton to the south of HS1.40.</p>	<p>Yarrow Valley Country Park to be reallocated to the Chorley Town Settlement. Dunrobin Drive / Country Park extension to be considered when planning application is submitted.</p>	<p>Yarrow Valley Country Park to be reallocated to the Chorley Town settlement</p>

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26	Football Development Group Iain Kay, Derek Egan, Steve Flux, Peter O'Neill, Andy Brown	<p>3G pitches best for football - Bishop Rawsthorpe new but out of town and very expensive to hire. Aspiration to have another 3G pitch in Chorley for community use at reasonable hire rates e.g. Southlands or Parklands.</p> <p>Need to reassess the pitches in Chorley both from a quantity/measurable perspective and also quality. Data may not be correct.</p> <p>Add athletics into the strategy</p> <p>Pitch strategy should just contain built for purpose pitches, remove all sites that are just kick around, line marked with goal posts on existing poor sites. These should be retained in document still recognised as being important for health, wellbeing and community use.</p> <p>Create new playing pitches that are adequately drained, have fewer good pitches rather than lots of poor pitches.</p> <p>Joint Objectives - Supported the creation of a central venue in Astley Park for Junior football; have a rolling programme to improve the pitches on Council land across the Borough using a mix of S106, funding bids and capital. Improve the training for Council staff and volunteers who act as grounds men - best practice - buy a verti drainer.</p>	<p>Pitch quality &amp; quantity to reassessed.</p> <p>Informal pitches to be removed from strategy.</p> <p>To be considered as part of future developments.</p>	Pitch quality & quantity to reassessed.
27	Derek Heighway Secretary Sunday League	<p>Data not correct with number of adult teams in area against no of pitches.</p> <p>Choice of Council pitches is poor, pitch sizes are only just within FA guidelines, they are poorly drained meaning that they are unplayable most of the time. i.e. Westway. In reality there is only room for 2 pitches. Plus there are no changing facilities. Maintenance regime needs to improve, i.e. line marking be more permanent, rolling.</p> <p>Sunday League is not gaining membership as stated in doc. Saturday league has joined the Preston league. If pitches were improved this should encourage new teams to form.</p> <p>Schools reluctant to allow adult football, just junior</p> <p>Report contradicts, in one area says pitches ok, in other areas poor.</p>	<p>Check data and amend where appropriate</p> <p>Re-score pitch quality and changing facilities.</p> <p>Up-date data from FA information. Preston league is known as mid lancs football league</p> <p>Check data in documents</p>	-
28	Cllr Kim Snape	Land to rear of Orchard Drive, open space/ kickaround area is very poorly drained.	Orchard Drive Amenity Greenspace is scored as low quality and developer contributions will be allocated to improve this.	-
28		Bowling Green at Heath Charnock has been missed off. Bowling at St Chads is in Pennine Ward in Eastern Parishes	Added in document. Changed in document.	-
29	Michael Rushe Albany Academy	<p>Report seems to focus on football, rugby, hockey but doesn't mention athletics.</p> <p>Pitches are currently monopolised so how will the Open Space Strategy support other sports and activities that require parks open spaces to develop? Chorley has inadequate facilities for athletics and we are losing talented athletes to clubs outside of Chorley</p> <p>School pitches have to be preserved to help develop high standards in PE. Even through Albany pitches are classes as underused it is a school decision to keep usage low to that they can best serve the school.</p>	Athletics to be included in the strategy.	Action to incorporate support for athletics in the strategy.
30	Paul McNeilly Places for People, Housing Services Manager	<p>Brow Hey Court has no play area. Remove from strategy.</p> <p>Play area and greenspace needs to be improved in Clayton Brook.</p>	<p>Remove Brown Hey Court from strategy.</p> <p>Sites have been assessed and scored, open spaces, play areas and playing pitches scored as low quality will be improved.</p>	Remove Brown Hey Court from strategy.
31	Glenys Southworth Clerk to Bretherton Parish Council	Parish support the consultation documents in general.	-	-
32	Richard Boon Resident Royton Drive, Whittle-le-Woods	Orchard Drive play area and playing field in need of drainage and upgrade, is there any money allocated from new nearby development for improvements?	Amenity greenspace scored as low quality. Contributions requested from nearby development for greenspace improvement.	-

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33	Hilda Jones Secretary Bowls Club Coppull Conservative Club	<p>Crown Green Bowls - change detail on pg. 11. 6 teams play on Tatton Rec, 2 Teams on Astley Park and 3 teams on Coronation Rec. Club has a 5 yr development plan to upgrade the club facilities with the possibility of an additional green.</p> <p>There are 6 leagues in Chorley - Chorley and District, Chorley Churches, Chorley Vets, Ladies League, Mixed Vets and Adlington League. There are between 20 - 70 teams in the leagues. Also a junior league. Apart from 6 public greens all others are private clubs and only available to members.</p> <p>The public greens have little or no lighting which is a problem for night matches. An all-weather surface crown green with lights would be a big asset to the Town.</p>	<p>Information to be updated in document.</p> <p>Document objectives and aims support bowling clubs to develop ancillary facilities and increase the quality of the greens.</p>	Information to be updated in document.
34	Pauline Toop Euxton Cricket Club	Remove reference to focus clubs on pg. 43	Update in document.	Update in document.
35	Marie Holland Local resident	Play area on Stansted Road is in need of refurbishment.	Play area currently scores high for quality, site to be re-assessed, it is phased in Year 2 for further investment.	-
36	Cllr Adrian Lowe	Mr Brennan put forward the proposal for a linear park near Merton Grove with footpath links from the estate.	Land allocated as green belt and ST1 Recreational footpath along the old railway line.	-
37	Orla-Rose Moxon Knebworth Close, Clayton-le- Woods	Play area on Osborne Drive, Clayton-le-Woods is in a very poor state of disrepair, equipment rotting, installed in 1999 and past its best. Enquiry from young people to ask if it can be improved.	Re-assess and re-score play area.	Re-assess and re-score play area and re-phase into the action plan if necessary.
38	Lancashire Wildlife Trust	<p>Approach to semi natural greenspace provision does not include greater aspiration to expand the quantity, quality and accessibility of such open space through the public, private and third sector provision. Would hope to see some greater medium - long term ambition in the final version of the strategy linked to the feasibility of the resources available over the long term of the plan</p> <p>More geographical linkages to open greenspace throughout the Borough linking public rights of way and permissive paths e.g. LWT have long standing aspiration to link Cuerden Valley to Croston along the valley of the River Lostock. Linkages of green corridors and accessible semi natural greenspace need to be addressed through a green infrastructure strategy and action plan produced at a Lancashire or local Chorley level and adopted through the Local Plan's delivery of NPPF's recommendation that local authorities should "set out a strategic approach in their local plans, planning positively for the creation, protection, enhancement and management of networks of biodiversity and green infrastructure".</p> <p>Strategy does not reference the possibility of Local Green Space (LGS) designation. Designation can only occur during preparation or review of the Local Plan. Development of LGS is consistent with the policy for green belts. Definition and criteria seem woolly, however, some mention of their legal possibility should be made in an open space strategy.</p>	<p>Chorley Council does not seek funding towards new provision within the semi-natural greenspace typology from housing development. If a housing development falls within the catchment of a low quality existing semi-natural greenspace then the developer is asked to contribute. It is not appropriate to ask housing developers to contribute towards increasing semi-natural greenspace, this would have to come from other funding sources.</p> <p>Chorley Council are currently drafting an SPD about biodiversity and ecological networks - the Central Lancashire Biodiversity and Nature Conservation SPD. This is a standalone document focusing on wildlife provision whereas the open space strategy focuses on provision for people.</p> <p>The community can put forward sites for designation of LGS. No sites have been put forward to date. LGS can only be designated when a local or neighbourhood plan is prepared or reviewed. Sites can be put forward where relevant.</p>	-
39	Whittle le Woods Parish Council	<p>St Chads Church is in Whittle-le-Woods, not Wheelton.</p> <p>No reference to Whittle-le-Woods war memorial.</p>	<p>Information noted. Cemeteries/churchyards REF 1806 - change to be made in document and associated provision quantities in ha for the settlement altered.</p> <p>This site is allocated as amenity greenspace REF 1734.</p>	Site to be changed to the Whittle-le-Woods settlement.
40	Coppull Parish Council	Add Berry Garden to Parks and Gardens, Chapel Lane.	Changes will be made to the final document once site has been assessed and scored.	Site to be scored and added to strategy.
40		Land Behind the Wheatsheaf pub used to be classed as play area.	This site was proposed in the previous Local Plan but was re-assessed and removed.	
41	Ulnes Walton Parish Council	Parish Council is not the owner of Wymott Park Play Area.	Document amended and changed ownership to Chorley Council.	-

Key	Consultee	Consultee Summary Response	CBC Response	Action in revised document
42	Heskin Parish Council	Eccleston County School has community use.	To be confirmed with the school and updated as necessary.	To be confirmed with the school and updated as necessary.
42		There is no play provision at Walmsley's Farm.	This name was used by KKP for the public open space off Town Lane. Play area has been removed from play area strategy.	Walmsley's Farm renamed Town Lane in strategy. Removed from play area strategy but retained as amenity greenspace.
42		There is a small amenity area on The Warings 20m x 40m.	This site is below the 0.2ha threshold to be included in the open space assessment. It is however protected in the local plan.	
43	Cllr Terrance Brown	Rivington View should be changed to Haworth Road	Changed in document.	Document updated.
44	Former Cllr Dennis Edgerley	<p>Open Space adjacent Northgate Drive, all or part of this may have been allocated for housing?</p> <p>Play Area on Knowley Brow Heapey, check date of installation and also usage.</p> <p>Green corridors opposite Railway Road and Harpers Lane and the linear park behind Railway Road need to be included.</p> <p>There is no reference to amenity spaces between Congress St and Wellington St.</p> <p>There is no reference to amenity spaces in Trafalgar Street.</p> <p>There is no reference to amenity spaces in Waterloo Street.</p> <p>There is no reference to amenity spaces between Parker Street and Water Street.</p> <p>There is no reference to amenity spaces at the junction of commercial road and the town centre by-pass.</p>	<p>Part of the site has been allocated for housing in the new Local Plan, re-measure the remaining open space and update the strategy accordingly.</p> <p>Comments noted and checked.</p> <p>These sites are included as green corridors REF 1723 and 1724.</p> <p>These sites are below the 0.2ha threshold to be included in the open space assessment. However, these sites are protected in the local plan.</p>	<p>Open space to be re-measured and strategy to be updated.</p> <p>Changes made in document.</p>
45	Cllr Alistair Bradley	Comments regarding condition of tennis courts at Coronation Recreation Ground and Astley Park and the need to improve the courts at these sites.	The tennis courts at these sites are scheduled to be reviewed and an action for improvements to the tennis courts will be included in the management plan updates for Astley Park and the new management plan for Coronation Recreation Ground.	-