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Submitted to **Local Development Plan - Pre-Main Issues Report Questionnaire**
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Introduction

1 Please let us know the capacity in which you are completing this questionnaire. Are you...

A member of the public

If you are a community representative, which area do you represent?:

If you answered Other, please tell us who you are.:

live in gathdee area of city

2 Please provide your name and contact details?

Name and Organisation::

Address::

Postcode::

Telephone::

Email:

3 If you are acting as an agent or completing this on behalf of an organisation, group or landowner, please provide their details:

Organisation/Group/Landowner:

Address::

Postcode::

Telephone::

Email::

4 May we have your permission to publish your name and/or organisation alongside your comments?

Not Answered

Aberdeen's Main Planning Issues

1 What do you think are the most important things that make Aberdeen a good place to live, visit and/or work?

The most important things that make Aberdeen a good place to live, visit and/or work?:

2 What do you think should be the Council's top priorities for the next Aberdeen Local Development Plan?

What should be the Council's top priorities for the next Local Development Plan?:

the pot holes are a major issue

build social housing

3 Do you have any particular aspirations for your community or Aberdeen as a whole that you think should be taken forward through the Aberdeen Local Development Plan? For example, what are your views on recycling of waste, affordable housing, access to green space or ways to reduce CO2 emissions?

Do you have any particular aspirations for your community or Aberdeen as a whole that you think should be taken forward through the Aberdeen Local Development Plan:

try to keep green space , lots of building work on green areas instead of brown land

Policy Topic Areas

1 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for the City Centre? (For example, what should the role of Union Street be? Does the City Centre have all the uses we want, or should there be more uses there - and if so where could they go?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for the City Centre?:

Union street now a ghost town - badly needs upgraded , cleaned up , castle gate is bleak ,
moneys should be spent on this area also

2 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for providing infrastructure? (For example, how should new infrastructure be provided and how might it be paid for?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for providing infrastructure? :

as peripheral road not completed yet , the town centre very heavily congested
common good fund
not to much money spent on Union terrace gardens as union street is dire / parking is so expensive to get in to town centre.

3 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for transport and accessibility? (For example, how can we make it easier to travel in and around Aberdeen? Should we look at pedestrianisation in the City Centre?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for transport and accessibility?:

Not really sure as the centre so dire / parking so expensive
also traffic would become more of a nightmare getting across the city if pedestrianized

4 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for ensuring we have high quality buildings and places? (For example, how can we better protect our built heritage and ensure high quality and sympathetic architecture and landscape design?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for ensuring we have high quality buildings and places?:

Stop building ugly buildings beside old buildings like the old bells hotel , back of building does not fit in with the rest of architecture , looks unsightly and out of place

5 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for meeting the needs of business and industry? (For example, what can be done to retain existing businesses and attract new employment opportunities to Aberdeen?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for meeting the needs of business and industry? :

reduce rental prices on union street as overtaken by union square shops / relocated there.
Reduce rents , provide incentives for new shops to go to union street - as visibly looks dire

6 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for meeting Aberdeen's housing and community needs?(For example, how can we meet the needs of people who cannot afford mainstream housing?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for meeting Aberdeen's housing and community needs?:

update existing empty houses
utilise council buildings to make housing
example being Victoria road building could be local community flats

7 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for supporting retail centres across Aberdeen? (For example, should we be safeguarding existing centres, and what are your thoughts on new out-of-town retail parks?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for supporting retail centres across Aberdeen?:

out of town great for parking , however as said earlier union street dire.

8 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for protecting and enhancing the natural environment and preventing flooding?(For example, what areas or features should we be safeguarding?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for protecting and enhancing the natural environment and preventing flooding?:

some work required on the Dee area / duthie park due t extreme flooding

9 What do you think should be our main planning priorities for ensuring that resources and waste are managed sustainably? (For example, can we make more innovative use of waste as a resource? Should we encourage renewable energy use? How could we do these things?)

What do you think should be our main planning priorities for ensuring that resources and waste are managed sustainably? :

encourage residents / businesses to recycle
promote rewards for recycling
stop charging over pricing for heavy goods lifting to stop fly tipping

10 If you have any views on topics not covered above, please write them below.

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community spirit now gone in many communities - garthdee area now so heavily condensed with students who come and go - diluted the area so community spirit now gone

11 If you have any further information you would like to upload please do so below

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12 If you wish to be added to the LDP emailing list be be kept informed of the progress of the local development plan, please provide your email address:

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