

**Trafford Local Plan: Land Allocations Consultation Draft  
Comment Form – February to March 2014**

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Topic Paper (please specify)		
IRA Scoping report		
HLAA (2013)		
Conservation Area Appraisal (please specify)	Stanford New Road	
Other document, (please specify)		

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Praise the extensive work done on all the appraisals.  
One of the key defining character elements on Stanford New Road is the 45° splayed corner entrances to buildings, this I don't think is mentioned.  
The positive contributors text is rather superfluous and generic, not including dates (eg no 47-49 Stanford New Road, the former Montague Butler building in Art Deco style has a 1936 dated foundation stone)

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Conservation Area Appraisal (please specify)	<i>George Street</i>		
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*Don't believe the extension of the area towards Regent Rd is justified as there isn't sufficient "special architectural or historic interest" and there certainly isn't on Central Way*

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**Subject:** FW: South Hale Conservation Area  
**Date:** 22 April 2014 10:57:38

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Dear All,

Ive received this whilst ive been off happy to discuss,

Kind Regards, Liz

-----Original Message-----

From: Amy Sharpe

Sent: 17 April 2014 13:13

To: Read, Elisabeth

Subject: South Hale Conservation Area

Lis

Judie has copied me in on possible meeting dates re Altrincham CAA s and I look forward to seeing you then.

Regarding South Hale, and literally my back garden I would like to know when those documents will be available.

The boundary is still drawn to exclude no 55 Bankhall but includes it's next door neighbour no 59. I have flagged to KSA that I found this an illogical boundary and know they looked at it.

I understand that the new owners of no 55 are considering putting in a planning application for demolition.

Kind regards  
Amy Sharpe

Sent from my iPhone  
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**Subject:** FW: Stamford New Road CAA  
**Date:** 29 April 2014 14:00:44

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Chris

Can you code up this rep for CAAs and print and save in appropriate file.

Thanks

Lesley

Lesley Franklin

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-----Original Message-----

From: Lewis, Elisabeth  
Sent: 29 April 2014 13:58  
To: Franklin, Lesley; Taylor-Russell, Clare  
Subject: FW: Stamford New Road CAA

Amy makes some useful comments and probably things I realised however rather disheartening at the prospect of having to re-write sections of the document..

-----Original Message-----

From: Amy Sharpe  
Sent: 29 April 2014 13:42  
To: Lewis, Elisabeth  
Cc: judieco@hotmail.com; suenichols100@gmail.com; david.eastwood35@talktalk.net  
Subject: Stamford New Road CAA

Lis

I've spent a few hours going through the above CAA as it is the area I got to know through doing the Local List research last year.

I have a number of specific comments but overall I don't think the CAA captures the essence of the place, although it is very detailed and descriptive. It is very long and would benefit from a fuller 'Summary of Special Interest' and a lot of the, duplicated in other CAAs, historic material and the positive contributors section p53-77 being placed in an appendix.

There are three / four distinct character areas in the CA, Railway Street, the transitional area from Regent Road to Grafton St, then the grandiose Victorian sweep of buildings on Stamford New Road to Moss Lane, then the railway area. These areas are historical sequential and quite distinct in character.

Railway Street is much more domestic in scale, with what were originally dwellings dating from the

early 1800s, the classical, restrained proportions of buildings from the Georgian and early Victorian era, such as no 50 The Downs, mixed with later and loftier mock Tudor facades, the arts and crafts elegance of the listed former bank now art shop, etc. These all contribute to a very varied and mixed streetscape spanning over 100 years plus.

In contrast the the new Stamford New Road from Grafton Street to Moss Lane, built from 1881 at the same time as Stamford Park and the market, is a homogeneous and grand scale of architecture for a market town. I always thought it would be interesting to get the Victorian Society's view on this stretch as it seems so much more city than town in its scale, representing the wealth and importance of the town at the time. Furthermore the buildings were all constructed within a tight timeframe 1885-1899 and display such a wealth of different architectural styles, decoration and influences whilst still having cohesion as a group, due to their similar scale and massing - different from Railway Street which is characterised by a variety of styles and an interesting skyline.

Detail comments as follows:

4.1.2 Location and Setting - includes paras 5-9 on rock type and stone used, far too much detail for here

4.1.12 sense?

4.1.14 stories - storeys

The 10 pages in general history / then 13 on Stamford New Road should be massively edited so it refers to how the history has shaped the form of the area today, as per EH guidelines.

4.2.38 Historic development - this just describes what's on the 1897 map, what about building dates and styles, eg it's clear Goose Green to Grafton St predates rest of SNR from more domestic scale and less decorative nature.

This is where a character area description, referring to sequential development would be useful.

4.3.1 sense?

4.3.2 Dating from maps only when so many buildings have date stones on them

4.3.3 should refer to very different but mostly unified brick used in SNR Grafton to Moss Lane stretch

4.3.14 refers to brick decoration on Mossburn blogs, it's fine terracotta mouldings

4.3.15 says there are many splayed corners I would say most corners are splayed and it's such a dominant feature that it's replicated in the more recent buildings, the montague burton building and the 1950s former gas showrooms

4.3.27 15 Regent Road landmark quality? 32-34 Railway St not on the map. What is the definition of landmark, it seems to be that they are listed. I understand landmark to mean a dominate feature or structure in townscape terms and if that is the case then I'd include 63 Stamford New Road and perhaps The Downs hotel and 14 Railway Street. It may be worth cross referencing with the Planite public realm / townscape work.

Positive contributors - I think this should all go in appendix, it is largely a description of the photos and repeats criteria for inclusion many times. The opportunity is not taken to give important historic information about buildings, for example that Mossburn buildings which were built by JH Broun, a prolific local builder who also built Station Buildings and Willowtree Road and designed by John Macnamara, the town planner of Hale. This level of detail though is perhaps too much for a CAA.

Boundary recommendations need justifications.

I hope these comments are useful. They are not exhaustive as I just gave myself a couple of hours to go through it. If anything is unclear we can talk about it on Thursday but really I wanted to leave the time clear for the Civic Society to focus on their priority of the Market Place CA.

All the best

Amy Sharpe

Sent from my iPad