

# Appendix III

## Sustainability Appraisal – Leading in Design: Shopfronts & Signs

Policy Reference: 4. General considerations

Date Completed: 5/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural				
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	<	<	<	<	*	*	Will have a direct impact on how the maintenance and enhancement of shopfronts are carried out and hence on the character and distinctiveness of the Borough's towns and villages
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	The design of shopfronts and signs is crucial to the conservation and enhancement of the historic environment.

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	←	←	←	←	←	←	Individual design solutions required to achieve the aims of this policy will provide greater opportunity for the re-use of existing buildings
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	←	←	←	←	←	←	To ensure that where possible the existing resources in the form of shopfronts are retained and restored.
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	Could help to reduce the loss of embodied energy in existing buildings and materials.
Ensure the population of Chamwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	←	←	←	←	←	←	Good shopfront design makes a vital contribution to the creation of a safe, sustainable and livable community.
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	←	←	←	←	←	←	Promotes attractive towns, villages and local centres.
To promote sustainable design and construction	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	←	←	←	←	←	←	Encourage the retention of a wider range of shop unit types.

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	*	*	

Policy Reference: 5. Design Principles

Date Completed: 5/01/05

Objective	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural				
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	←	←	←	←	←	←	Will have a direct impact on how the maintenance and enhancement of shopfronts are carried out and hence on the character and distinctiveness of the Borough's towns and villages
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	The design of shopfronts and signs is crucial to the conservation and enhancement of the historic environment.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	←	←	←	←	←	←	Individual design solutions required to achieve the aims of this policy will provide greater opportunity for the re-use of existing buildings

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	←	←	←	←	←	←	Encouraging only necessary alterations will lead to less waste
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	Well designed shopfronts will add quality and vitality to the street scene.
To promote sustainable design and construction	←	←	←	←	←	←	Encourage the incorporation of existing built fabric as part of the new design.  Appropriate materials for any new work are likely to be from a sustainable source.
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



Policy Reference: 6. Style and Design

Date Completed: 5/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural				
Objective							
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	←	←	←	←	←	←	Will have a direct impact on how the maintenance and enhancement of shopfronts are carried out and hence on the character and distinctiveness of the Borough's towns and villages
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	The design of shopfronts is crucial to the conservation and enhancement of the historic environment.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	←	←	←	←	←	←	Individual design solutions required to achieve the aims of this policy will provide greater opportunity for the re-use of existing buildings

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	←	←	←	←	-	-	Avoiding a deadening of the street scene will reduce the opportunity for crime.
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote sustainable design and construction	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



Policy Reference: 8. Signs

Date Completed: 6/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	-	-	Good signage can improve individual buildings and may enhance the appearance of the street, by adding variety.
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	-	-	Traditional signs are an important part of the historic environment and as features can be historically significant.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote sustainable design and construction	↔	↔	↔	↔	-	-	Use of sustainable materials could be a requirement.
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



Policy Reference: 9. Security

Date Completed: 5/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	←	←	←	←	←	←	Will have a direct impact on how security measures to shopfronts are carried out and hence on the character of the street
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	The design of shopfront security measures will need to respect existing historic features.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	-	-	The installation of suitable security will reduce the opportunity for crime and increase community safety while maintaining the character and vitality of the street.
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	↔	Well designed shopfront security will not detract from the quality and vitality of the street scene.
To promote sustainable design and construction	←	←	←	←	←	←	Appropriate materials for any new work are likely to be from a sustainable source.
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	*	*	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	*	*	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	*	*	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



Policy Reference: 10. Over the shop

Date Completed: 6/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	←	←	←	←	←	←	Will encourage the maintenance, repair and use of the upper floors. Less neglect of the upper facades of buildings.
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	←	←	←	←	-	-	Reduce the need to travel.
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	Continual use of upper floors is crucial to the conservation and enhancement of the historic street.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	←	←	←	←	←	←	To encourage the use of all floors of the building.

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	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	←	←	←	←	-	-	Provide a variety of small residential accommodation
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	←	←	←	←	-	-	Encourage mixed use of buildings will lead to a more vibrant street.
To promote sustainable design and construction	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



Policy Reference: 11. Access for all

Date Completed: 6/01/05

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	← ←	The design of shopfronts is crucial to the conservation and enhancement of the historic environment.
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	←	←	←	←	←	←	Individual design solutions required to achieve the aims of this policy will provide greater opportunity for the re-use of existing buildings

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	←	←	←	←	-	-	Access improvements will provide more choice and opportunities for people with disabilities.
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote sustainable design and construction	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							



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Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To maintain and enhance the landscape and townscape character (whilst minimising visual impacts of proposed developments)	←	←	←	←	-	-	This will help to increase the town centre's attractiveness at night and in the winter months.
To protect and improve surface and groundwater quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise water consumption	*	*	*	*	-	-	

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	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To protect and improve air quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve soil resources and quality	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce contributions to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce vulnerability to climate change	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic and cultural environment	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To increase the (appropriate) re-use of previously developed land and buildings	*	*	*	*	-	-	

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	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To support the sustainable extraction, re use and recycling of minerals and aggregates resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To manage waste in accordance with the waste hierarchy in all sectors (i.e. household, commercial and industrial)	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To minimise the use of energy and optimise the use of renewable resources	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Ensure the population of Charnwood can have access to a full range of appropriate public, private, community and voluntary services	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage appropriate access to the countryside, open spaces and semi urban environments (eg parks)	*	*	*	*	-	-	

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	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
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Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
Promote a strong community where people feel they have a say in the future	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce crime, anti social behaviour and promote community safety	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the people of Charnwood have an opportunity to participate in culture, media and sport in Charnwood Borough	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To ensure that the housing stock meets the housing needs of all parts of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To reduce poverty and social exclusion	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To improve learning, skills and employability for all sectors of the community	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote vibrant and viable settlements	-	-	-	-	-	-	This will help to increase the town centre's attractiveness at night and in the winter months.
To promote sustainable design and construction	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To promote healthy life styles	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	
To encourage efficient patterns of movement to support sustainable economic growth	*	*	*	*	-	-	

	Geographic Scale						Comment
	Within the Plan Area				Regional	National/ Internat'l	
	Within the period Plan period		Beyond the Plan period				
Objective	Urban	Rural	Urban	Rural			
To reduce disparities in economic performance	*	*	*	*	-	-	
Overall Commentary [including suggestions for mitigation and enhancement]:							

### Key to Matrix

→ →	Significant negative effect (i.e. a move away from the objective)	← ←	Significant positive effect (i.e. a move towards the objective)	↔	Effect depends on how the policy is implemented (one form of uncertainty)	*	There is no relationship or no significant relationship between the objective and the policy
→	Marginal negative effect (i.e. a move away from the objective)	←	Marginal positive effect (i.e. a move towards the objective)	?	It is not known whether the policy will move towards or away from the objective (another form of uncertainty)	T	Denotes a temporary effect  Effects are permanent if this symbol is not used.