## HP Plan Pre-submission Consultation (2<sup>nd</sup> July to 13<sup>th</sup> August 2018) – Statutory Consultees – Comments & Responses

Statutory Consultee	Comment	Response
LB Redbridge	Click here to view comments	There were no comments on the content of the draft plan, so no action required.
Natural England	Click here to view comments	There were no comments on the content of draft plan. The recommendations made were considered and we shall adjust policy SUS1 to include suggestion of increase in biodiversity assets where possible.
Transport for London	Click here to view comments	We shall amend policy TPR 2 to ensure compliance with the London Plan.
National Grid	Click here to view comments	There were no comments on the content of the draft plan, so no action required. Contact details will be added to the consultation database as requested.
The Environment Agency	<u>Click here to view comments</u> <u>Click here to view appendix to</u> <u>comments</u>	Flood risk areas are covered in the LBWF Local Plan and we see no need to replicate this in the HP Plan. We do not propose to add the River Ching as a designated Green Space but have included reference to it as an important green corridor and sought to provide protection to its environment in Policy SUS1. We have also now made reference to its designation under the water framework directive. Whilst we recognise the value of improvements to the Ching Brook it is our understanding that CIL monies are for improvements to the infrastructure and these suggestions will not be eligible. The suggested additions with regards to Policy GDS1 are already covered adequately under the London Plan and we see no reason to duplicate them in the neighbourhood plan.
Historic England	Click here to view comments	We shall amend policies sections 9.1 and 9.2 as suggested. We shall include identifying areas where street clutter and shopfronts could be improved as a project in Annexe 1.

Link to consultation draft of The Highams Park Plan <u>http://highamsparkplan.org/consultation-draft-of-the-highams-park-plan/</u>