

Local Green Space Consultation – June 2015 Response Form

Your name / organisation:

MARSHFIELD PARISH COUNCIL

Address and contact details (please include phone number & email address):

[Redacted address and contact details]

In order to be able to proceed with the protection of the green spaces that have been put forward for designation as Local Green Spaces we must have for each space:

- details of the ownership of the land (if at all possible)
- a map of the boundaries
- an explanation of how it meets the criteria for designation and
- specific justification for why it is demonstrably special to the local community

Therefore please first check the List of Nominated Local Green Spaces and maps which can be viewed at: www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15 which identifies where further information on any of the above is still needed and then provide us with the additional information where necessary using this form:

PLEASE USE A SEPARATE FORM FOR EACH GREEN SPACE

Name and code of nominated space:

Please clearly reference the individual Local Green Space's code provided in both the List of nominated Local Green Spaces and the maps, available from www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15

LGSD219 ALLOTMENTS ON TORMARTON ROAD OPPOSITE MARSHFIELD CEMETERY

A) Ownership of Local Green Space

Please indicate if you or your organisation are the landowner:

SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNCIL

If you are not the landowner can you provide their name and contact details?

SOUTH GLOUCESTERSHIRE COUNCIL
MARSHFIELD OUTDOOR RECREATION ASSOCIATION ARE IN THE FINAL STAGES OF PURCHASING A 99yr LEASE FROM SOUTH-GLOS.

Is the land owner aware of the proposal to designate their land?

UNKNOWN

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(If you are not the landowner please now continue to Section B)

If you are the landowner, are you in support of or objecting to the proposals to designate this land?

If you are objecting to the proposals to designate your land, what are your reasons? (please refer to criteria in sections C and D below in particular)

B) Map of proposed Local Green Space

PLEASE PROVIDE A MAP WHICH SHOWS THE BOUNDARIES OF THE PROPOSED LOCAL GREEN SPACE

If not previously provided. Please see List of Nominated Local Green Spaces and Mapped, nominated Local Green Spaces to check if this is required. www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15

IF YOU ARE THE LANDOWNER PLEASE PROVIDE A MAP OF YOUR OWNERSHIP

This is particularly important if this differs from the area proposed for designation e.g. if you own only part of the proposed Local Green Space, see the Mapped, nominated Local Green Spaces: www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15

C) Does the space meet the national criteria for designation as a Local Green Space?

Please provide a response to each of the following 5 criteria - where information has not already been provided or is incorrect in the List of nominated Local Green Spaces. (Table 1 of the Local Green Space Designation Updated Guidance Note (June 2015) www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15 provides further details of the criteria and guidance on what sort of information you may wish to submit):

1. Is the proposed space subject to a planning permission for development? (See Criteria 1 in the guidance note)

No

2. Is the proposed space the subject of an allocation, or proposal to allocate, for development in the Local Plan? (See Criteria 2 in the guidance note)

NO

3. Is the proposed space an extensive tract of land and is it local in character? (See Criteria 3 in the guidance note)

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IT HAS BEEN USED AS ALLOTMENTS FOR THE VILLAGE SINCE BEFORE
WORLD WAR TWO

4. Is the space within close proximity to the community it serves? (See Criteria 4 in the guidance note)

YES

5. Is the specific space demonstrably special to the local community? e.g. not a blanket designation (see Criteria 5 in the guidance note)

The allotments are well used and cherished by all the allotment holder which includes many families.

D) Why is the space of particular local significance?

Please use the following response box to provide specific evidence as to how at least one of the following criteria is relevant:

Please state which criterion, 6-11, are relevant to the nominated space. Table 2 of the Local Green Space Designation Updated Guidance Note (June 2015) www.southglos.gov.uk/lgsd15 provides further details on the criteria and guidance on what sort of information you may wish to submit to justify how the space is of particular local significance and demonstrably special to the community that use it:

6. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of its beauty
7. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of its historic significance
8. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of its recreational value
9. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of its tranquillity
10. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of its richness of wildlife
11. The proposed space is of particular local significance because of another reason not covered by criteria 6-10.

These allotments have been in existence for over 80 years and are well used by residents who are maybe not sports orientated and prefer gardening as a form of exercise and/or recreation.

All plots are in use, often on a daily basis.

The Allotment Association Management Committee organise social events and have also arranged hedge planting which screens the area from the road.

There is a communal composting area and wildflower seeds have been sown.

There is not a waiting list at present however there has been until recently. The area is split into 30 allotments. However we have 47 allotment holder as some are half size.

Marshfield Parish

Green Space Code	Name of Nominated Space	Ward
LGSD219	Allotments on Tormarton Road, opposite Marshfield Cemetery	Boyd Valley Ward

