	South Staffordshire Local Plan	Date Received:
	Strategic Housing and Economic Land Availability	Date Acknowledged:
rya	Assessment (SHELAA) CALL FOR SITES Suggestion Form	FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

Please use this form to provide supporting information on sites suggested for development. <u>A</u> <u>separate form should be completed for each site suggested</u>. You may photocopy this form or obtain more copies free of charge on request. **Please provide a site plan identifying the land suggested at a scale of no less than 1:2500.**

1. Personal Detai	ls				
Title	Mr.	Initials	Ν.		
Surname	Jones				
Job Title (where relevant)	Regional Director (Midl	Regional Director (Midlands)			
Organisation (where relevant)	Richborough Estates				
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Email address	myles.wild-smith@lichfiel	lds.uk			

2. Agent's Details (if applicable)				
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Surname	Wild-Smith			
Job Title (where relevant)	Associate Director			
Organisation (where relevant)	Lichfields			
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		Post Code	B3 2DX	
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3. Status (please tick all that apply)		
Owner of the site	Planning Consultant	
Parish Council	Land Agent X	
Local Resident	Developer	
Amenity/Community Group	Registered Social Landlord	
Other (please specify):		

4. Site Ownership					
I (or my client) is					
The sole, or part owner of the site?		Sole Owner		Owner x	
If you are not the landowner or the site is in multiple ownership, please submit the name, address and 					
If not the landowner, I confirm that the landowner/s have been informed of this site submission			Yes X	No	
Does the owner(s) support the development of the site? Yes No			No		

5. Site Characteristics		
Site location - include Grid Reference and postcode if known	ST19 5PT Grid Reference: SJ935107 Easting 393589 Northing 310738	
Site Area (hectares)	87	
Current Land Use(s) e.g. agriculture, employment, unused/vacant etc.	A mixture of agricultural fields, agricultural farms and associated buildings.	
Type of site e.g. greenfield, previously developed land/brownfield	A mixture of greenfield and brownfield land.	

6. Proposed Future Uses & Potential Site Capacity			
Use (please specify)	Yes	Basic Capacity Information – area/number of dwellings/number of units/proposed floorspace	
Housing (please specify types)			

Employment (B1, B2 and B8 uses)	x	c.228,000 square meters of high-quality B8/Logistics floorspace.
Mixed use (please specify uses)		
Self or Custom build housing		
Other (please specify uses)		

7. Market Interest

Please choose the most appropriate category below and indicate what level of market interest there is/has recently been in the site.

	Yes	Comments
Site is owned by a developer		
Site is under option to a developer	X	The site is under option by Richborough Estates who have in place an agreement with the landowner to promote the site.
Enquiries received		
Site is currently being marketed		
None		
Not Known		

8. Utilities					
Please tell us which of the following utilities are available to the site					
	Yes	No	Unsure		
Mains water supply	X				
Mains sewerage	X				
Electric supply	X				
Gas supply	x				
Public highway	X				
Landline telephone/broadband internet	X				
Public Transport			X		
Other (please specify):					

9. Constraints

Please tell us which of the following constraints are applicable to the site

		Yes	No	Unsure	
Land in other ownership must be acquired to enable the site to be developed			X		
Restrictive covenants exist			X		
Current land use(s) need to be relocated			X		
Physical constraints (topography trees, other)	',		X		
Flood Risk			X		
Infrastructure required		X			
Public rights of way cross or adjoin the site		X			
Land contamination				X	
Access constraints			X		
Please provide any relevant information of likely measures to overcome the above constraints that you have answered "YES" to:		A Public Right of Way [PRoW] passes along the eastern boundary of the site and through a small part of the south eastern part of the site. However, development could be located in such a way that it would not impede on the existing PRoW. Access to the site is provided via Gailey Lea Lane, which connects to the A5 to the south of the site, however, improvements to this access would be required.			
10. Timescale for Delivera		•			
Please indicate the approximate development:	timesca	le for when the	site will become ava	ilable for	
			particularly if you hain immediately availab		
Immediately					
Up to 5 years	X				
5 - 10 years					
10 – 15 years					
Beyond 15 years					

11. Other Relevant Information – Please use the space below for additional information relating to the questions on this form only. You are not required to provide lengthy supporting information at this stage (any additional information should be limited to 1 side of A4):

In due course, a Vision Document will be submitted to the Council to identify how the Site could deliver Richborough's proposals. However, in the interim and in support of this Call for Sites Form, an indicative masterplan has been prepared, which demonstrates how the Site could deliver approximately c.228,000 square meters of high-quality B8/Logistics floorspace, together with attractive open space, other supporting infrastructure and a visual buffer of planting along the northern Site edge to create a defensible boundary.

The Site is located adjacent to the M6 J12, the A5, and has easy access to the M54 to the south. To the south-west of the site, and beyond the M6, is the site for the forthcoming West Midlands Interchange [WMI], which comprises an open access intermodal strategic rail freight interchange terminal ("SRFI"), c.743,200 sq. m of rail-served warehousing floor space, a small amount of space for ancillary buildings and storage areas, along with at least c.108 ha of on-site Green Infrastructure. The Site is therefore located in a crucial area within the District, which will act as a key employment corridor within this part of the District. It is also well placed to meet the Black Country Authorities' [BCAs] unmet employment needs in close proximity to where they arise, given its proximity to Wolverhampton. In essence, the Site is a highly sustainable and logical location for employment growth.

Whilst the Site is within the Green Belt, it is considered that the Site has a weak contribution to the five purposes of the Green Belt, and the harm from its release would be considered to be 'Very low harm/Low harm' by virtue of the significantly urbanising impacts that the consented WMI and M6 will have on this area of the Green Belt. In any event, given the unmet employment land needs of the BCAs, there is a cogent need to release the Site from the Green Belt to assist in meeting these needs. Therefore, it is considered that the release of the Site from the Green Belt, and allocation of the site for employment in the emerging Local Plan Review, would unlock the Site's position along this key employment corridor on the SRN and next to the SRFI and secure long term success and economic growth in South Staffordshire and across the FEMA more widely.

When completed, please send this form to:

Local Plans Team, South Staffordshire Council, Council Offices, Codsall, South Staffordshire, WV8 1PX Or email: localplans@sstaffs.gov.uk

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Signature:	Male
Date:	13 December 2021





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