

**To which part of the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 – 2038) as set out in the Development Strategy Topic Paper Addendum does this representation relate?**

5.0 Transport related matters

**Which part of the plan does your comment relate?**

Paragraph

**What is the reference number?**

PS-041

**Do you consider the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 – 2038) would make it:**

Yes No

**Legally Compliant** Not Selected Selected

**Sound** Selected Not Selected

**Please give details of why you consider the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 - 2038)(as set out in the Development Strategy Topic Paper Addendum) are not legally compliant or are unsound. Please be as precise as possible. If you wish to support the legal compliance or soundness of the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 – 2038) (as set out in the Development Strategy Topic Paper Addendum) please also use this box to set out your comments.**

Clarification required as to the route for the Number 6 bus .

This bus currently runs from Paddock Wood through Matfield and onto Tunbridge Wells and visa versa

From the revised plan it does not mention coming through Matfield

This leaves a very reduced bus service for the residents of Matfield as the 297 is only every two hours

**Please set out what modification(s) you consider necessary to the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 – 2038) Incorporating the Proposed Changes set out in the Development Strategy Topic Paper Addendum, legally compliant or sound, having regard to the Matter you have identified at Section 5 (above) where this relates to legal compliance or soundness. You will need to say why this modification will make the Proposed Changes to the Borough Local Plan Submission Version (2020 – 2038) legally compliant or sound. It will be helpful if you are able to put forward your suggested revised wording of any policy or text. Please be as precise as possible.**

Ensure the Number 6 bus does run through Matfield

**Please use this box for any other comments you wish to make.**

When we are being encouraged to use public transport to reduce traffic congestion this seems as if residents in Matfield will have less choice to use public transport.

**If your representation is seeking a modification, do you consider it necessary to participate at the examination hearings stage when it resumes?**

No, I do not wish to participate at the examination hearings