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**Attachments:** Group\_ASPRA\_response\_repform-Addiscombe-v1.pdf

Please find attached the response on behalf of our Residents' Association.

Your Response form differs from the instructions in one of your online documents which states:

**2.11** The Croydon Local Plan: Detailed Policies and Proposals (Preferred and Alternative Options draft) is being published for a six week period. During this time the Council is inviting comments on the preferred options that are presented in this document. In particular the Council is seeking comments on the seven key questions opposite.

### **Key Questions**

- a. Do you think that the preferred options are the most appropriate for Croydon to help us meet our Strategic Objectives set out in section 3?
- b. Do you think that the preferred option for each site is deliverable?
- c. Do you think the preferred options enable sustainable development?
- d. Do you think that the Council's preferred approach to the protection of existing, and enabling the development of new community facilities, as detailed in Policy DM18: *'Providing and protecting community facilities'*, is the most appropriate?
- e. Are there any other locations in the Borough that you think should be designated as a Restaurant Quarter as described in Policy DM7?
- f. Are you aware of any other sites within the borough that should be considered as a proposed allocation because they are either bigger than 0.25 hectares, would provide ten or more homes or would meet a development need identified by the Croydon Local Plan: Strategic Policies?
- g. Do you agree with the Council's methodology for undertaking a Health Impact Assessment of the Detailed Policies and Proposals?

I have attempted to add answers to these Key Questions but find this whole process too complicated for a full and reasoned response from a cross section of our members.

The response may not be as clear as you would wish, but with so many documents only available on-screen it is exceptionally difficult to cross-reference Policies, maps and the partial review.

There are too many new items "hidden" in the CLP documents, for example the reasons for the selection of Traveller Sites, the reason for de-registering metropolitan Open Land, the resultant plans for building new homes and the detailed maps relating to "intensification".

I formally request an extension of the consultation period to 31<sup>st</sup> January 2015.

Regards,

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