

## Sites Exhibition August 2016 - Berkswell Parish data only

Ranking	Criterion	Average importance	Standard Deviation
1st	B10 Encourage re-use of land which has been previously developed (brownfield)	1.56	0.56
2nd	B11 Development in greenbelt should not be permitted except in very special circumstances	1.52	0.59
3rd	C15 Development must not cause harm to the landscape: Hedgerows; Woodland; Priority habitats; Nature reserves	1.38	0.54
4th	A5 Locate houses where the access is safe for existing and new users (by foot, bicycle, car or public transport)	1.27	0.47
5th	B8 Maintain rural gaps between settlements	1.27	0.54
6th	B13 Preference to be given to sites which protect the greenbelt by including community green space (eg woodland) between new development and fields	1.21	0.50
7th	A4 Preference to be given to sites which provide community green space (eg woodland) to screen existing residents from new development	1.21	0.49
8th	A3 Locate sites only where amenity of existing and new residents is respected Loss of existing facilities will not be permitted where of value to the community for recreation, visual amenity, nature conservation, contribution to	1.18	0.46
9th	B14 quality of environment or green infrastructure network, unless deemed to be surplus	1.20	0.47
10th	A2 Density of new development must maintain the character of nearby existing housing	1.27	0.61
11th	D18 Preference to be given to sites which provide facilities and green space for the community Preference to be given to sites that have defensible boundaries which prevent encroachment into the greenbelt such as railways, roads and water	1.20	0.58
12th	B12 courses	1.14	0.54
13th	A6 Avoid locating development which will result in delays for pedestrians, cyclists or drivers	1.03	0.52
14th	C16 Sites with the potential to positively impact the natural environment to be viewed more favourably	1.04	0.42
15th	B9 Preserve the character of the rural approaches	1.05	0.38
16th	A1 Where there is a locally defined need, housing should be provided	1.01	0.55
17th	D20 Locate houses within 800m of Medical Centre(~15 mins walk)	0.78	0.51
18th	A7 Do not locate sites where noise is an issue	0.78	0.56
19th	D19 Locate houses within 800m of primary school (~15 mins walk)	0.77	0.54
20th	D22 Locate houses within 800m of Railway station(~15 mins walk)	0.71	0.55
21st	D23 Locate houses within 400m of bus stop (~8 mins walk)	0.64	0.49
22nd	D21 Locate houses within 800m of Fresh food shop(~15 mins walk)	0.69	0.50
23rd	C17 Do not locate sites where the dark sky would be compromised	0.62	0.59

**Key:** **Average importance = arithmetic mean of responses** where:  
 Most important scores 2  
 Blank scores 1  
 Least important scores 0

**Standard Deviation = a measure of the consistency of the responses**  
 A small value indicates less scatter in the responses, a big value indicates more scatter