THURSTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN 2018 - 2036

Reg 14 Pre-Submission Draft – Historic England

Colour used	Meaning
	Agree/straightforward change
	To be passed onto stakeholders
	No further action required

Page / Policy Number	Comment	Comments by NP	Action to be taken
	We welcome this neighbourhood plan, which has a consideration for Thurston's character throughout. We were pleased to note the informative yet succinct consideration of the history and character of Thurston from page 6 onwards, and also welcome the detailed information and requirements set out in the Residential Design section found on p33 onwards, which will aid in maintaining Thurston's existing qualities.		
	Specifically, we welcome the requirement for developments to follow the principles set out in the Suffolk Design Guide for Residential Areas. Other useful urban design guidance can be found in the most recent good practice guidance - the government's Manual for Streets and Manual for Streets 2 and Historic England's own Streets for All documents.	Whilst all guidance is helpful, the most relevant for the context of a Suffolk Village such as Thurston and the specific matters in the plan is that provided by the Suffolk Design Guide.	
	For further advice, we would refer you to our detailed		

environment considerations into your neighbourhood plan, which can be found here: https://historicengland.org.uk/advice/planning/plan-	
making/improve-your-neighbourhood/>. This also includes exemplar neighbourhood plans, where we consider that the historic environment has been particularly well considered.	