

Planning Consultation (DPD)

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Hello,

Consultation Response.

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Design should be leveraged entirely as a response to climate change; solar passive design, Brise soleil, lots of on-site renewables, lots of on-site biodiversity. Materials chosen on the basis of their capital and operational carbon cost, and we should accept the resulting design (that accommodates these features & materials) as the new norm.

Once upon a time we built with straw and cob, that was nice, but now is a new era, and the design of buildings should reflect that, this document *could* be a catalyst for change. The fabric of each chapter should be addressing the urgent problem presented by climate change.

Climate change will change everything over the next 100 years. So any past notions of preservation, should be abandoned in the pursuit of adaptation.

Kind regards,

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