

**STATEMENT OF INFORMED CONSENT
AND PERMISSION TO USE INFORMATION**

Project: Designing Out Fatness: The Built Environment in Anti-Obesity Policy

Information:

The purpose of this agreement is to ensure that your contribution to the above research project and any subsequent usage is in strict accordance with your wishes. You may withdraw from the project at any time.

This project 'Designing Out Fatness' is being conducted by research teams at Durham University and The University of Birmingham. It is funded entirely by the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC).

Please see the information sheet provided and the project website for more information.

All data will be treated as personal under the 1998 Data Protection Act, and will be stored securely.

Interviews will be recorded by the research team and transcribed by an independent transcriber who has signed a confidentiality agreement. Data collected may be processed manually and with the aid of computer software.

A copy of your interview transcript will be provided, free of charge, if you wish to see it.

1. USE OF INTERVIEW DATA FOR THIS PROJECT

If you are happy for us to quote your words in publications, please indicate below whether you are happy to be identified or if you want to remain anonymous. Please tick ONE of the following boxes:

I am happy for my words to be quoted in publications and am happy for my name and/or my employer to be revealed (please delete as appropriate). ☒

I am happy for my words to be quoted in publications but request that my name and my employer remain anonymous. ☐

In order to include your words in reports and publications, we need copyright:

I hereby assign the copyright in my contributions to Dr Bethan Evans and Prof. Jon Coaffee (Research Investigators). ☒

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2. DATA STORAGE AND USE BY OTHER RESEARCHERS

We would also like to make an **anonymised** transcript available on the UK Data Archive so other researchers can use the information you provide in their research.

If you are happy for us to do this please read through the following and indicate your consent or not:

Please tick if you agree to the following:

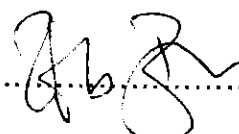
I agree for the transcript of my interview to be archived at the UK Data Archive. ☒

I understand that other researchers will have access to this data only if they agree to preserve the confidentiality of that data and if they agree to the terms I have specified in this form. ☐

I understand that other researchers may use my words in publications, reports, web pages, and other research outputs according to the terms I have specified in this form. ☐

OR

I do NOT give consent for the transcript of my interview to be stored in the UK Data Archive ☐

Signed  Date 28/06/11

Please print your name Rob Buens

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