

## APPENDIX 6

The table below shows the total number of comments (120) split by the specific area of saving they relate to. In some areas comments received have a reoccurring theme if so these have been mentioned.

<b>Proposed savings</b>	<b>Number of comments</b>	<b>Themes of comments</b>
Alternative service delivery models	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Combine back office functions</li> <li>• If moving away from face to face contact your website and emails must be more effective</li> <li>• Bring Six Town Housing back to Council control</li> <li>• Move Housing stock to Housing Association</li> <li>• Cut free transport to over 60's</li> <li>• A paper about a specific service re-design was submitted</li> </ul>
External funding optimisation	0	
Grants to Voluntary sector	38	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Making cuts is false economy as will result in further strain on Council services</li> <li>• Would pay more Council Tax to keep the voluntary sector funded</li> <li>• Stop grants to Voluntary Sector and instead help them to access central grant schemes</li> <li>• More help to Voluntary sector to access funding/grants</li> <li>• Concerns from clients of 3 Voluntary groups/charities about the effects of reducing/stopping funding to their lives</li> </ul>
Income generation (Invest to save)	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Charge residents to have a drop kerb rather than parking on grass verges</li> <li>• Lend out more art pieces</li> </ul>
Increased recycling (Invest to Save)	10	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Brown bins don't need recycling every 2 weeks in Winter</li> <li>• Continue to educate/ promote recycling</li> <li>• Enlist 'recycling' volunteers</li> <li>• Subsidise a recycling nappy scheme to help recycling</li> <li>• New bin service is excellent</li> <li>• Allow us to recycle more plastics</li> </ul>
Managing assets (Invest to	3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sell off buildings that are empty</li> </ul>

Save)		
Procurement savings	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Join forces more often with other GM Authorities</li> </ul>
Reduced provision	2	Not enough detail supplied to comment on this
Staff restructures	0	
Elected Members	6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Delete position of Mayor</li> <li>• Cut number of Councillors per ward</li> <li>• Reduce expenses received</li> </ul>
Stop funding the 20mph schemes	4	
Radcliffe does not need a new bus station	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Other areas have more buses but manage</li> </ul>
Get rid of Bury in Bloom	2	
Need more detail in consultation document	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Show us where money is currently spent as well as proposed cuts</li> </ul>
Street lighting	2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Turn off after midnight</li> <li>• Do not put in extra street lights</li> </ul>
Council Tax	5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increase the Council Tax</li> <li>• Questions around if Bury had taken the assistance offered from Government to increase Council Tax</li> </ul>
Recruit volunteers	2	
Other comments	28	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A mixture of comments</li> </ul>
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