Summary - Allocation ideas – working list from CSG14

Principles from Policy Selection Criteria	Best options to meet each principle
Recognise efforts made	Another way e.g. capped grandparenting up
	to average
Realistic to implement, monitor, enforce	Averaging cheaper than rest
Flexibility for future	Natural capital – no presumption of current
	land use
	Another way – trading/ allocation set aside
	for this
Minimise social disruption	Best – historical grandparenting. Worst –
	average/ha.
	Another way:
	Grandparent and good management
	Hybrid that recognises natural factors
	Plus % ramp back – except those who can't –
	could do extra to allow for new entrants.
	Plus market to trade
Exhibits proportionality	Not a grandparent or average per hectare
	Maybe average per sector or natural capital
	Another way – need to bring in GMP's
Takes account of complexity	Best - natural capital
	Worst - average/hectare
	Another way - trading
	Pragmatic approach, different farm systems
	have different issues – hybrid
Important additional principles	
Transition from where things are to	
where you want to get to (to meet	
the limit)	
Be cautious about compensating for	
lost future opportunity - Make	
exception for special cases	
separately	

## Most promising options: (Needs to be a hybrid or a hybrid of a hybrid)

- Not average/per hectare
- Need to have a GMP/efficiency element
- Innovative ideas to look at: capped grandparenting within sector
- Grandparenting transitioning to a natural capital approach (What would be a suitable natural capital measure, and how closely matched is current land use to that?)
- Noted that if you want flexibility, must have trading
  - Then the allocation to high class land under a natural capital system may move (which defeats the purpose of a natural capital approach)