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- Biddle, M. and Hill, D. (1971) 'Late Saxon planned towns', *Antiquaries Journal* 51, 70-85.
- Conzen, M. R. G. (1968) 'The use of town plans in the study of urban history', in Dyos, H. J. (ed.) *The study of urban history* (Edward Arnold, London) 113-30.
- English Heritage (2010) *Understanding place: an introduction* (<http://www.english-heritage.org.uk/Publications>) accessed 23 June 2010.
- Hillier, B. (1996) *Space is the machine* (Cambridge University Press, Cambridge).
- Kropf, K. S. (1993) 'An inquiry into the definition of built form in urban morphology', unpublished PhD thesis, University of Birmingham, UK.
- Thompson, F. M. L. (ed.) (1982) *The rise of suburbia* (Leicester University Press, Leicester).

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