### Welcome



Meeting Chairman Councillor Nick Walker

### Local Police Update



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### Local Police Update

- **Recent Successes:**
- ASB issues within Portchester Precinct
- Burglary in Portchester
- Theft of bikes at Cams Hill School

Any questions?

### Councillor Seán Woodward



Executive Leader of Fareham Borough Council

- Fareham Innovation Centre extension officially launched
- Six new business hangars
- New fuelling facilities complete
- Awards success
- Daedalus Vision refreshed



- Vision for Ferneham Hall
   increased capacity
- Free events for children and young people
- Youth clubs receive funding

### AVISION: FAREHAM'S NEW ENTERTAINMENT VENUE

- Gold awards at the South and South East in Bloom Awards
- Fareham in Bloom received highest marked entry in the county
- Fareham's parks and gardens also received top awards



- 15,000 attend D-Day 75 Celebrations
- World War 1 Centenary
  - Civic Event
  - Memorial Stone
  - Silent Soldiers

- Let's Clear the Air consultation
- Received almost £1.4 million to improve air quality
- National Clean Air Day



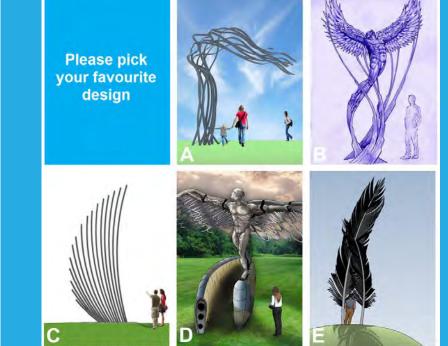
- First rough sleeping conference hosted
- Fareham StreetAid:
  - Website launched
  - Encourage donations to local charities
  - Closer partnership working
- Drug misuse meeting

### FAREHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL

### FAREHAM STREETAID Helping people off our streets

## What's happening now?

- Titchfield Referendum
- Daedalus Common
  - Gate Guardian
  - Play Area



## What's happening now?

- Local plan issues and options consultation
- Affordable housing strategy consultation



Any questions?

# Local Plan Update

## What is a Local Plan?

- Every council has a Local Plan which it uses to:
- Allocate space for future development
- Plan for facilities and infrastructure
- Protect natural environment and green spaces

### FAREHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL

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LOCAL PLAN

2036

UPDATE

## Why are we consulting again?

- Draft Local Plan consultation
  in 2017
- Change in the National
  Planning Policy Framework
- New housing numbers
  - At least 520 new homes each year
- Obligation to help other areas



### **Recent developments**

- Solent Airport at Daedalus
- Transport network
  improvements
- Improving air quality
- Welborne planning application
- Appeals defended



## The Key Issues

- Changing demographics
- Affordable housing
- Ensuring good home design
- Investigating self-build
- Large or small developments
- Encourage brownfield sites
- Protecting green space
- Strengthening retail health



## **Changing demographics**

- Growing population
- Popular place to live and work
- Long life expectancy
- Relationship breakups



## Affordable housing

- Current Local Plan:
  - Up to 40% of homes on larger developments should be affordable
- Range of tenancies:
  - Social rents
  - Affordable rents
  - Intermediate housing



## Ensuring good home design

- Nationally Described Space Standards:
  - Adequate living and bedroom space
  - Sufficient storage
  - Floor to ceiling heights



## Investigating self-build

- Can be more affordable
- Could stipulate that large sites must offer a small number of serviced plots
- Draft policy suggesting 5% of home on sites of 100+ should be self/custom build
- Please visit: <u>www.fareham.gov.uk/selfbuild</u>



## Large or small developments

- At least 10% of developments must be on small to medium sites
- Large 'cluster sites' approach
- Infrastructure improvements:
  - Schools
  - Road improvements
  - Medical and healthcare facilities
- Developers are responsible for delivery of suitable infrastructure



## Encourage brownfield sites

- Important to continue to encourage development on brownfield sites
- Government policy looks to increase densities of development
  - Taller buildings
  - Apartment blocks



## Protecting green space

- NPPF allows councils to highlight small area of open space to be protected
- The Council is keen for residents to highlight local areas of green space that should be protected



## Strengthening retail health

- Important to bolster local centres
- Make them attractive for residents to shop, live and spend leisure time
- More leisure attractions and new homes



## Planning from now until 2036



## Land between Fareham and Stubbington:

- Large area of open countryside
- Identified as a strategic gap
- Stubbington bypass will run through the area
- Extensive land promoted for development, careful planning could prevent two settlements joining up & support good growth



#### Land west of Portchester:

- To the north-west, land known as 'Land west of Downend Road' promoted for development
- Access and capacity issues
- Could support good growth
- Undeveloped valuable landscape along coastal area to the southwest



### **Meon Valley:**

- Some areas of land have been put forward for development
- Highly valued landscape
- Designated as a strategic gap
- The Council could protect this area from development



## Land south of Locks Heath:

- Rural landscape
- Valued coastal scape
- Difficult to support large development
- May support limited smallscale development



#### Land around Welborne Garden Village:

- Not promoted for housing development
- Considered a valued landscape
- Limited scope for large scale development



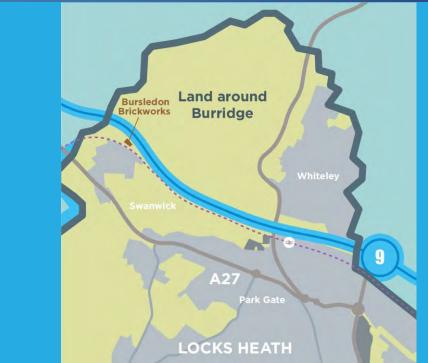
## Land around Swanwick station:

- Significant areas of land promoted north and south of the motorway within reasonable proximity to Swanwick railway station
- May support small-scale development or larger scale close to the railway station



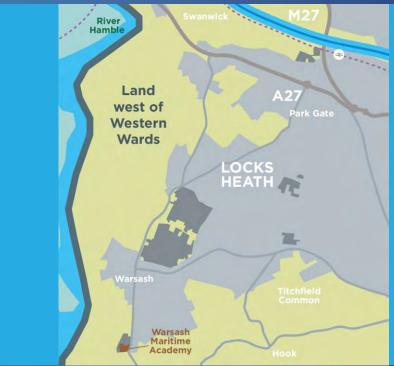
### Land around Burridge:

- Not identified for large scale development
- Limited access to services
- Could support smallscale development



## Land to the west of Western Wards:

- Smaller areas promoted for development
- Important stretch of rural landscape
- May support limited small-scale development, where lie close to the urban area



### What Next?

- Spring Summer 2019: Issues and options consultation
- Autumn 2019 Winter 19/20: Development strategy consultation
- Spring 2020: Publication of Local Plan
- Autumn 2020 Winter 20/21: Estimated examination
- 2021: Estimated adoption of the Local Plan

## Have Your Say

- You can give your views until Friday 26 July by:
  - Filling in a comments form at: <u>www.fareham.gov.uk/localplanconsultation</u>
  - Emailing:

localplanconsultation@fareham.gov.uk

Completing a paper survey

Any questions?