

Consultation on Main Modifications to the Fareham Local Plan

If you have already taken part in a consultation about the Local Plan you may be wondering why we are seeking your views again.

After the previous consultation Fareham's Local Plan was submitted to the Secretary of State and is undergoing an independent examination by an Inspector.

This consultation is seeking your views on changes to the plan (known as main modifications) that have been requested by the Inspector. The Inspector will only consider comments relating to these changes. Comments on other aspects of the Local Plan e.g. supporting documents, can also be submitted using this survey however these responses will not be passed to the Inspector but will be read and considered by the Council.

You can find out more by reading the Notice of Consultation Letter which outlines the scope of the consultation and how you can submit responses.

You can submit responses to this consultation until 12 December 2022.

Below we have outlined the progress of Fareham's Local Plan so far:

2015- 2021- Preparing Fareham's Local Plan

This process included a series of public consultations to ensure resident's views informed the final version of the Plan. More details on our Plan's development can be found on our website.

September 2021- Plan submitted to the Secretary of State

This included the Local Plan, all the supporting documents as well as the representations submitted during public consultations.

October 2021- Inspector Appointed

The Secretary of State appointed an Inspector to carry out an independent examination of the Plan.

March- April 2022- Local Plan Hearings

Hearings were held to help the Inspector assess whether the Plan is sound and to allow interested parties, including members of the public, to be heard.

Now- Main Modifications Consultation

The Inspector has considered the Plan and supporting evidence and recommended some changes (main modifications) that are necessary for the Plan to be found sound. We are now consulting on these changes.

What is the purpose of this consultation?

Why are you consulting on the Local Plan again?

After reviewing Fareham's Local Plan the Inspector has now proposed some amendments to the Plan, these are known as main modifications. These are considered necessary for the plan to be found sound and legally compliant.

What can I comment on?

You can comment on any aspect of the Plan or supporting evidence. However **the Inspector will only consider comments (known as representations) relating to the main modifications** listed in the Schedule of Main Modifications.

Remember that this consultation is focussed on the main modifications to the Local Plan 2037. It is not an opportunity to raise new issues or re-open previous issues already dealt with.

How can I find the modification I want to comment on?

You can find them all on the Schedule of Main Modifications and are labelled within the Local Plan document.

Each modification will have a:

- Reference number beginning with MM e.g. MM001
- Policy or paragraph number e.g. 1.35. This number tells you which chapter it is in e.g. 1.35 is in chapter 1, Introduction.
- An outline of the proposed main modification and the reasons for the changes.

MM Ref	Policy or Paragraph reference	Page number	Proposed Main Modification New (bold and underlined) and deleted (strikethrough) text.	Reason for Change
MM001	1.35	7	To amend as follows: The NPPF requires that the Local Plan includes strategic policies to address the priorities for the development and use of land in the Borough. The Fareham Local Plan Strategic Policies are identified throughout the plan and for ease are listed below: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• DS1 - Development in the Countryside• DS2 - Development in Strategic Gaps• DS3 - Landscape• H1 - Housing Provision• E1 - Employment Land Provision• R1 - Retail Hierarchy and Protecting the Vitality and Viability of Centres• R4 - Community and Leisure Facilities• CC1 - Climate Change• NF1 – Protection of Nature Conservation, Biodiversity and the Local Ecological Network	From the examination hearings to improve the effectiveness of the policy and be consistent with national policy.

What will happen to my comments?

Following the consultation all the representations relating to the main modifications will be sent to the Inspector who will consider them before submitting her final examination report. Any comments not related to the main modifications will be read by the Council.

How do I comment on things other than the main modifications e.g. additional modifications or supporting documents?

You can submit a comment not relating to a main modification using this survey. These comments will not be passed on to the Inspector but will be read and considered by the Council. You can find out more in the Notice of Consultation Letter.

Personal Details

Data Protection Privacy Statement – Consultation on the Main Modifications to the submitted Local Plan in accordance with regulation 19 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012

In order to deliver services to the citizens and communities in Fareham Borough, it is necessary for the Council to collect, gather and process personal data.

In relation to the consultation on the Main Modifications to the submitted Local Plan, which in accordance with the Local Plan procedure guide (2022) is being run to reflect regulation 19 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012, Fareham Borough Council will collect and process personal data for the following processing purposes:

- Receiving representations to the consultation and submitting them to the Secretary of State's appointed Planning Inspector as part of the examination in public.

The Council is processing this personal data by virtue of the following Lawful Basis:

- Compliance with a legal obligation
- Performance of a task carried out in the public interest.

The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 requires that, when the Council submits the representations to the Secretary of State's appointed Planning Inspector, the responses made to the consultation must include the personal data collected, such as name, address and contact details. This is so that the Inspector can invite further comment from those parties if she chooses to.

In addition, any representations submitted will be made available on the Fareham Borough Council website. Addresses, email addresses and phone numbers will not be published.

Representations linked to plan making will be retained for no more than 5 years following adoption of the Local Plan. We will not keep this information for longer than is necessary.

You have certain rights under the General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) in respect of your personal information. More information about your rights can be found on the Council's website or on request.

Q1 Is the agent appointed?

*An agent can be appointed by a landowner to act on their behalf

Yes

No

Q2 Please provide your details below:

Title:

First Name:

Last Name:

Organisation: (where relevant)

Address

Postcode

Telephone Number

Email Address

Q3 If Agent Appointed please provide their details:

Title

First Name:

Last Name:

Job Title (where relevant)

Organisation: (where relevant)

Address:

Postcode:

Telephone Number:

Email Address:

You can find all main modifications and their references in the Schedule of Main Modifications.

Q4 Is your response related to a main modification?

- Yes Go to Q5
 No Go to Q7

Q5 Which main modification do you wish to comment on? E.g. MM005
All main modification references can be found in the Schedule of Main Modifications.

Q6 Please enter any comments you have about this main modification

Note: You will need to complete a separate form for each Main Modification you wish to comment on.

Q7 What part of the Local Plan do you wish to comment on? E.g. the additional modification reference or supporting document title

Q8 Please enter any comments you would like the Council to consider

Thank you for taking part and having your say.

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