
Fareham Borough Council Local Plan Examination

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12th January 2022

Representor:

Organisation:

Dear

Further to my previous correspondence in late November 2021 regarding Fareham Borough Council's Local Plan Examination, I am writing to inform you that the Examination hearing sessions will commence on **Tuesday 8th March 2022**.

The Examination is likely to be held virtually. More information regarding the format and instructions on how to participate virtually will be provided to all participants in due course. Instructions on how to view the Examination hearing sessions will be made available on the Examination website nearer the time.

The Inspector has published the following documents concerning the examination, including the hearing sessions:

- [INSP003 Examination Guidance Note](#)
- [INSP004 Inspector's Matters, Issues and Questions \(MIQs\)](#)
- [INSP005 Draft Hearing Programme](#)

I would ask that you familiarise yourself with these documents:

http://www.fareham.gov.uk/planning/local_plan/examination/examinationlibrary.aspx

The Inspector's Examination Guidance Note explains the procedures which will be followed during the examination. It also sets out the arrangements for submitting hearing statements if you wish to do so and asks you to inform me which sessions you wish to participate in by 28th January 2022.

The Inspector's MIQs identify the main issues of soundness and legal compliance upon which the examination will focus, including during the hearing sessions; and the Draft Hearing Programme sets out the expected dates for the hearing sessions. However, this is subject to change and you should refer regularly to the examination website.

Hopefully you have already informed me if you wish to participate in the hearing sessions, **but can you please now refer to the MIQs & Draft Hearing Programme and let me know which sessions you wish to participate in by emailing programmeofficer@fareham.gov.uk, no later than 17:00 28th January 2022**. Please note

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that representors can only participate in a session if they have made a relevant representation and are seeking a change to the plan.

All representations, whether made at a hearing session or in writing, will be given the same weight. If you wish to rely on your written submission only and had previously informed me you wish to participate, please let me know as soon as possible.

Please regularly check the examination website for updates during the examination process. It is your responsibility to keep yourself up to date with the arrangements and programme.

http://www.fareham.gov.uk/planning/local_plan/examination/news.aspx

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Please find below the key dates for the examination:

- **28th January 2022 17:00:** Deadline to advise me which sessions you wish to participate in at the hearings.
- **18th February 2022 17:00:** Week 1 and Week 2 deadline for the submission of hearing statements
- **8th March 2022:** Date of first hearing. For subsequent hearing dates, please refer to the Draft Hearing Programme.
- **11th March 2022 17:00:** Week 3 and Week 4 deadline for the submission of hearing statements

Please do let me know if you have any questions or need any further assistance.

Yours sincerely

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