

FAREHAM

BOROUGH COUNCIL

Fareham Local Plan Part 2: Development Sites and Policies (LP2) - Examination

Fareham Local Plan Part 3: The Welborne Plan (LP3) – Examination

Inspector's Question 2: Where in the Evidence base can I find a detailed timetable for the review of the South Hampshire Strategy?

Council's response

Paragraph 1.29 of the Submitted Welborne Plan contains the following information on the proposed review of the South Hampshire Strategy –

PUSH has committed to undertake a review and update of the South Hampshire Strategy, to take account of the most up-to-date background evidence, including the Strategic Housing Market Assessment (SHMA), and to extend the timeline of the Strategy to 2036. At their meeting of 25th March, the PUSH Joint Committee resolved to commence a proposed programme of work on the update commencing in April 2014, with publication of the final Strategy predicted for early 2016. The Council's commitment to an early review of the Local Plan is reiterated in the Local Development Scheme.

Similar information is contained within Paragraphs 1.9 and 1.11 of the submitted Development Sites and Policies Plan.

Since then, at their meeting of 23 September 2014 the PUSH Joint Committee considered a report on the status of the Spatial Strategy and provided an update on the progress of this work. This report included a detailed timetable for the production of the new PUSH Spatial Strategy. The report is available on the PUSH website at http://www.push.gov.uk/item_10_-_push_spatial_strategy_update_report_23_09_14.pdf.

The PUSH report has been added to the Examination library for the Welborne Plan (LD23) and the Development sites and Policies Plan (DPH03).