

Have your say on Green Belt boundary changes

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This is your opportunity to comment on the Core Strategy amendments. These include proposals to allocate strategic sites for development on the edge of Bath, Keynsham and at Whitchurch. Your comments will be considered by the Planning Inspector before the Core Strategy is finalised.

Find out more and respond online at
www.bathnes.gov.uk/corestrategy

A public consultation on the Core Strategy amendments is taking place between 11th November and 20th December 2013

Background

Earlier this year the Council consulted on proposed changes to the Core Strategy including the identification of broad strategic locations where land should be removed from the Green Belt for development.

The Core Strategy Examination has now resumed and the Inspector has raised a number of points which have led to the Council suggesting some amendments to the Core Strategy.

Sites are being suggested for allocation in five strategic locations currently referred to in the Core Strategy on the edge of Bath (Odd Down and Weston), on the edge of Keynsham (east and south west) and at Whitchurch.

These amendments do not relate to the principle of releasing land in these locations. Comments are invited on the strategic site allocations and the placemaking principles relating to their development and to the related Green Belt boundary changes. You may also wish to comment on alternative site and boundary options. All changes will be tested through the Examination process.

This consultation is your chance to submit your views for consideration by the Planning Inspector to inform the next stage of the examination.

Consultation Events

Come to any one of our events to find out more about the proposals and how to comment. The same material will be available at each event.

- **South Stoke Parish Hall**
Wednesday 13th November,
3.00pm–5.00pm
- **Odd Down, St Gregory's College**
Wednesday 13th November
6.00pm–8.00pm
- **Weston All Saints Centre***
Thursday 14th November,
3.00pm–7.00pm
- **Whitchurch United Reformed Church**
Tuesday 19th November,
3.00pm–7.00pm
- **Keynsham Key Centre***
Thursday 21st November,
3.00pm–7.00pm

* Confirmed step-free access venues

You can make comments and find out more online at www.bathnes.gov.uk/corestrategy or call Council Connect 01225 394041