

COUNCIL

WEDNESDAY, 23RD OCTOBER, 2019

At 7.30 pm

in the

DESBOROUGH SUITE - TOWN HALL,

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

PART I

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ROYAL BOROUGH OF WINDSOR & MAIDENHEAD: Examination of the Borough Local Plan, 2013- 2033

Inspector: Louise Phillips MA (Cantab) MSc MRTPI

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Dear Mrs Jackson,

COUNCIL'S PROGRESS LETTER 26 JULY 2019

1. Thank you for your letter dated 26 July in response to my note ID10 "Review of Progress 2019". I am now able to reply to you formally.
2. I note that you are working towards consulting on proposed changes to the submitted Plan before the end of this year. I understand that you wish to carry out this consultation before I hold further hearings, including in relation to those aspects of the Plan which are not proposed to be amended. It seems to me that if I were to re-open the examination while consultation is in progress, this could cause confusion.
3. On this basis, your intention to carry out a Regulation 19 style consultation, open to all, but focussed on the proposed changes seems reasonable. However, in addition to summarising the representations and sending them to me, you should review the representations carefully and indicate any further proposed alterations or amendments you consider necessary in light of them. This way, upon resumption, my examination can proceed having regard to the most up to date and well-informed position possible.
4. Notwithstanding the above, no formal mechanism is available for changes to be made to the Plan following its submission for examination other than through the Main Modifications process. I will therefore continue to base my examination upon the submitted plan, but the changes proposed and the need for them to be made shall be discussed at the hearing sessions. If the need for further changes arises as a result of the hearing sessions, these must be consulted upon at the Main Modifications stage. The form and extent of any future consultation is a matter which can be discussed at the hearings.
5. Turning to the consultation itself, you should prepare a document to accompany the "amended plan" which clearly and succinctly explains the following in addition to anything else you consider important:
 - The purpose of the consultation and how it relates to the examination underway (having regard to the above);
 - A summary of the main proposed changes and the reasons for them;
 - A list of site allocations proposed to be added and of those proposed to be removed;
 - A list of any new evidence documents available for consideration;
 - An indication of the "next steps" following consultation.

Please keep me up to date with progress and inform me of key dates, particularly when I can expect to receive the revised Plan.

Yours sincerely,

Louise Phillips
INSPECTOR

7 October 2019.