

NOTICE OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION UNDER REGULATION 24 OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (LOCAL PLANNING) (ENGLAND) REGULATIONS 2012

North Norfolk District Council submitted its proposed Local Plan for independent Examination in May 2023. The Secretary of State has appointed Mr David Reed BSc DipTP DMS to undertake an independent examination as to the soundness and legal compliance of the Plan and to issue a report with his conclusions. This notice sets out the matters which must be published in accordance with Regulation 24.

Date and time of hearings

As part of the Examination process, hearings sessions will be held as follows:

- WEEK 1: 23 25 January 2024
- WEEK 2: 13 15 February 2024
- WEEK 3: 5 7 March 2024 *Reserve days on 26 January, 16 February, 8 March 2024.

Place

The hearing sessions will commence on Tuesday 23 January 2024 and shall be held in the Committee Room, North Norfolk Council Offices, Holt Road, Cromer NR27 9EN. All morning sessions will commence at 10.00 am and afternoon sessions at 2pm unless detailed otherwise on the North Norfolk District Council website. The hearing sessions will not be livestreamed or recorded but can be attended by interested members of the public who wish to observe proceedings.

Availability of documents

The Inspectors Matters, Issues & Questions for the examination, accompanying Guidance Note, this notice, and the entire suite of Examination Library documents can be viewed at: <u>www.north-norfolk.gov.uk/localplanexamination</u>. These documents are available for inspection at North Norfolk District Council, Holt Road, Cromer, NR27 9EN during normal office opening hours. Prior notice should be given by email to <u>planningpolicy@north-</u> <u>norfolk.gov.uk</u> or 01263 516318 in order that the relevant documents can be made available to you at an agreed time.

Further information

Additional information about the examination including latest news, can be viewed at: <u>www.north-norfolk.gov.uk/localplanexamination</u>. A more detailed programme for the hearing sessions will be published on our website as soon as it is available.

An independent Programme Officer, Mrs Annette Feeney, has been appointed to administer the examination, including organisation of the public hearing sessions, and dealing with procedural matters. The Programme Officer is independent from North Norfolk District Council and reports to the appointed inspector.

All procedural queries or other matters relating to the North Norfolk Local Plan Examination (including appearing at the examination hearings) should be sent to the Programme Officer using the following details:

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