

**PLANNING AND COMPULSORY PURCHASE ACT 2004  
PUBLIC NOTICE INVITING REPRESENTATIONS**

**Local Plan  
Local Green Space consultation**

This notice is issued by Gravesham Borough Council to invite representations on the emerging Local Plan - Local Green Space consultation.

This notice sets out how the public and stakeholders can view and make comments on the draft document.

**The purpose of the Local Green Space consultation**

The purpose of this document is to seek from residents of the Borough and other stakeholders nominations for Local Green Space designations and to comment on the criteria used to assess the nominations for formal designation through the emerging Local Plan. The designations are a means by which communities can identify and protect green spaces that are of importance to them.

The emerging Local Plan will be subject of further public consultation later this year, with the next consultation being a Regulation 18 Stage 2 Consultation. As part of this consultation, local residents and other stakeholders will be able to give further views on Local Green Space as part of the emerging plan.

**Period of Public Consultation**

The Local Green Space consultation will be the subject of a 4-week period of public consultation from Tuesday 1 September 2020 00:00 until 1700 on Tuesday 29 September 2020. Representations received after this deadline will not be taken into consideration.

**Inspecting the Documents**

**The consultation document can be downloaded on the Council's website:**  
<https://localplan.gravesham.gov.uk/>. Details of the consultation period and how to make representations are also featured.

In accordance with the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) (Coronavirus) (Amendment) Regulations 2020 the documents will not be available for inspection at Gravesham Gateway, Gravesham Borough Council offices, Civic Centre, Windmill Street, DA12 1AU.

If you wish to view the documents, you can book a PC at [www.kent.gov.uk/libs](http://www.kent.gov.uk/libs)

Due to the current situation we are encouraging people not to come to the Civic Centre, in the interest of trying to prevent the spread of Coronavirus (COVID-19)

## **Making Representations**

Comments should be submitted online via the Council's consultation portal:

Online via the Council's Consultation Portal: <https://localplan.gravesham.gov.uk/>

If you are unable to use the consultation portal, please submit your comments in writing using any of the following methods:

Email to: [planning.consultation@gravesham.gov.uk](mailto:planning.consultation@gravesham.gov.uk)

or by post to: Planning Policy, Gravesham Borough Council, Civic Centre,  
Gravesend, Kent, DA12 1AU

Representations cannot be made anonymously. Please provide your name, company name (if applicable) and your client's name/company (if applicable), address and email. Please note that representations will be made public, along with your name.

At the end of the consultation period, all representations will be considered. We will publish a statement, which summarises the main issues raised, along with the Council's response to these issues and any resulting changes.

When submitting your representation you can also ask to be notified of any resulting changes.

Should you have any queries relating to this consultation you can email Planning Policy on: [planning.consultation@gravesham.gov.uk](mailto:planning.consultation@gravesham.gov.uk)

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