

WOKINGHAM BOROUGH COUNCIL

Wokingham Borough Local Plan Update 2023-2040

Notice of Examination Hearings under Regulation 24 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

On 28 February 2025 Wokingham Borough Council submitted the Local Plan Update 2023-2040 to the Secretary of State for Housing, Communities and Local Government for independent examination.

The Secretary of State has appointed T Hatfield BA(Hons) MPLAN MRTPI and M Philpott BA(Hons) MA MRTPI to undertake an independent examination into the soundness and legal compliance of the Plan and subsequently issue a report with their conclusions.

As part of the examination process, hearing sessions will be held as follows:

Place

The hearing sessions shall be held on the First Floor at the Wokingham Borough Council Civic Offices, Shute End, Wokingham, RG40 1BN (unless detailed otherwise on the <u>examination</u> <u>website</u>).

Date and time

The hearing sessions will be held on the following days and at the following times (unless detailed otherwise on the <u>examination website</u>).

Tuesday 18 November 10am Wednesday 19 November 9.30am Thursday 20 November 9.30am Friday 21 November (reserve day)

Reserve days and times to be confirmed on the <u>examination website</u> if required. Hearing sessions can be attended by interested members of the public who wish to observe proceedings.

Further information

Additional information about the examination including guidance notes, the hearings programme, background information and any other news can be viewed on the <u>examination website</u>. The hearing sessions are all in person and will not be livestreamed or recorded.

All queries relating to the examination should be directed to Ian Kemp, the Programme Officer at:

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