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Subject: RE: Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan - Consultation on submitted plan
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FAO Sarah O'Driscoll

Good morning

Thank you for consulting Highways England on the proposed Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan. Highways England is responsible for operating, maintaining and improving the Strategic Road Network (SRN) which in this location comprises the M5 and the M49. It is on the basis of these responsibilities that our comments on the plan submission are made.

There is no part of the SRN that runs directly through the plan area, but it is immediately adjacent to it. Highways England provided comments on the Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan pre-submission report in March 2015 and were broadly supportive of the proposed overarching vision and objectives of the plan.

We note that the current document makes reference at paragraph 12.4.3 to background noise from the adjacent motorways and the need to speak to the local authority and us as the highway authority about possible mitigation. The section of M5 motorway around junction 18 has not been identified as a Noise Important Area meaning that it is not due for any additional noise mitigation measures at this time. When the section of motorway is next resurfaced consideration will be given to the use of lower noise surfacing materials, however, there are currently no resurfacing schemes planned for this location.

Regards

Jacqui

From:
Sent: 05 May 2016 13:35
To: Bristol Local Plan
Subject: Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan - Consultation on submitted plan

Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan - Consultation on submitted plan

I am writing to inform you that the Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan has been formally submitted to Bristol City Council by the Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Planning Group and to invite you to make comments on the document on behalf of the council.

Neighbourhood Development Plans are planning policy documents prepared by local communities. Before the Lawrence Weston Neighbourhood Development Plan can become a statutory planning document, it must be published for consultation and passed to an independent examiner for scrutiny. If successful at examination, the Neighbourhood Development Plan will proceed to a local referendum to decide whether it should become part

of the development plan for Bristol and be used alongside the Bristol Local Plan to determine planning applications in Lawrence Weston.

The local community and stakeholders have already been involved in the preparation of the plan, but there is now a further opportunity for you to comment and have your views passed to the examiner for consideration. **Representations can be made for a six-week period from Friday 6th May 2016 to Friday 17th June 2016.** Please be aware that all representations will be publicly available.

The deadline for representations is **Friday 17th June 2016**. Representations should be sent:

- By e-mail to: blp@bristol.gov.uk
- By post to: **Strategic City Planning Team**, Brunel House, Floor 2, Brunel Wing, Bristol City Council, PO Box 3176, Bristol, BS3 9FS

In making your representation, please let us know whether you would like to be notified of the final decision on the Neighbourhood Development Plan.

The proposed Neighbourhood Development Plan, along with details of the consultation undertaken to date and other supporting information, is available to download on the council's web site <https://www.bristol.gov.uk/planning-and-building-regulations/neighbourhood-planning>.

Copies are also available to inspect in the foyer of Brunel House, St. George's Road, Bristol BS1 5UY (Mon-Frid 8:30am-5:00pm) and Ridingleaze Citizen Service Point, Ridingleaze House, Ridingleaze, Lawrence Weston, BS11 0QE (Mon: Closed, Tues & Thurs: 9am to 5pm, Wed: 10.30am to 5pm, Frid: 9am to 4.30pm).

In addition the plan and details of previous consultation undertaken will be made available at a number of other venues in Lawrence Weston. Please visit the Ambition Lawrence Weston web site for details <http://www.ambitionlw.org/ambitionlworg/link/main/one/wordpress/>.

If you have any questions about the process please contact Simon Fletcher on _____ or
by email at _____

Yours faithfully

Sarah O'Driscoll
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