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## Examination of the Bristol Local Plan 2022-2040

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### HEARING AGENDA

**Tuesday 1 April, 2025 9.30am start**

#### Inspectors' opening announcements

##### **Matter 5: Green Belt**

Issue 5.3: Whether the Green Belt allocations are justified, consistent with national policy and whether the policies would be effective in delivering sustainable forms of development.

- Q5.9 – Q5.14 – Policy DS11
- Q5.15 – Q5.24 – Policy DS12

##### **Matter 8: Economy and Inclusive Growth**

Issue 8.1: Whether policies E1 – E8 are justified, effective and consistent with national policy.

- Q8.1 - Policy E1: Inclusive economic development
- Q8.2 - Policy E2: Economic development land strategy
- Q8.3 - Policy E3: Location of office development
- Q8.4 - Policy E4: Avonmouth industrial area and Bristol Port
- Q8.5 - Policy E5: Industry and distribution areas
- Q8.6 - Policy E6A: New workspace within mixed use development
- Q8.7 - Policy E6: Affordable workspace
- Q8.8 - Policy E8: Digital connectivity and inclusion

#### Inspectors' closing remarks

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