

# **Examination of the Dartford Borough Local Plan**

## **Examination Hearing Programme Stage 1**

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**Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State**

**Date: 10<sup>th</sup> June 2022 (v3)**

## **Hearing Day 1: Thursday 9 June 2022 (Week 1)**

Virtual Hearing – Conducted via Zoom

### **Matter 1 – Procedural and legal requirements including the Duty to Co-operate**

#### **Morning Session – 10:00 – 13:00**

- 1) Introduction and Inspector's Opening Announcements
- 2) Opening Statement on behalf of Dartford Borough Council
- 3) Matter 1 Issue 1 – Duty to Cooperate

#### **Afternoon Session – 14.00 – 17:00**

- 4) Matter 1 Issue 1 – Duty to Cooperate continued...

#### **Participants**

Dartford Borough Council  
Barton Willmore now Stantec for Storefield Group  
DPV Consult for PMG Regeneration  
Gravesham Borough Council  
Home Builders Federation  
Savills for Countryside Properties  
Turley for Taylor Wimpey

## **Hearing Day 2: Friday 10 June 2022 (Week 1)**

Virtual Hearing – Conducted via Zoom

**Matter 1 – Procedural and legal requirements including the Duty to Co-operate continued...**

### **Morning Session – 10:00 – 13:00**

- 1) Matter 1 Issue 2
  - a. Plan preparation
  - b. Habitats Regulations Assessment
  - c. Sustainability Appraisal
- 2) Matter 1 Issue 2
  - a. Climate change
  - b. Equality and diversity
  - c. Other matters

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