

Barrow Borough Local Plan 2016-2031 Adoption Statement

The Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 - Regulation 26

The Environmental Assessment of Plans and Programmes Regulations 2004 – Regulation 16

Notice is given that on 4th June 2019 Barrow Borough Council adopted the Barrow Borough Local Plan 2016-2031.

Subject matter and area covered: The Barrow Borough Local Plan 2016-2031 (the Local Plan) covers the whole of the Borough for the period 2016-2031. It provides the statutory planning framework for the Borough for non-minerals and waste matters. It replaces the saved policies of the Local Plan Review 2001 and the Housing Chapter Alteration 2006 and parts of the Barrow Port Area Action Plan 2010.

Examination: The Submission Barrow Borough Local Plan 2016-2031 was submitted to the Secretary of State on the 2nd February 2018. An independent inspector was appointed by the Secretary of State to conduct an Examination into the soundness and legal compliance of the Local Plan, including the Duty to Co-operate.

Modifications: The Inspector's Report of the Examination was issued on 20th March 2019. The Report concluded that the Local Plan is legally compliant and, with specific Main Modifications, is sound. The adopted Local Plan incorporates the Main Modifications recommended by the Inspector, together with additional (minor) modifications made by the council that do not materially affect the policies in the Local Plan. The Inspector's Report and full list of Main Modifications made to the Submitted Local Plan has been published on the Council's website and can be accessed at <https://www.barrowbc.gov.uk/residents/planning/planning-policy/examination-of-local-plan>

Availability: The adopted Barrow Borough Local Plan 2016-2031, the Sustainability Appraisal, Sustainability Appraisal Update January 2018 and Sustainability Appraisal August 2018 can be viewed at www.barrowbc.gov.uk. Paper copies of the adopted Local Plan and above documents can also be inspected free of charge at Barrow Town Hall, Duke Street Barrow in Furness LA14 2LD, Dalton Town Hall, Station Road, Dalton in Furness LA15 8DT and at local libraries. Library opening times can be viewed at www.cumbria.gov.uk/libraries/locations/libraryLocations.

Challenge: Any person who is aggrieved by the adoption of the Local Plan may make an application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the grounds that:

- a) The document is not within the appropriate power; and/or
- b) A procedural requirement has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made no later than six weeks from the date on which the Local Plan was adopted.

Queries: Further information on the Local Plan can be obtained by contacting 01229 876398 or by emailing developmentplans@barrowbc.gov.uk