

#### What is the Local Plan?

The Local Plan sets out what type of development is and isn't acceptable in the National Park. The Local Plan is our first consideration when we make a decision on a planning application and its policies are likely to affect you, your community, the businesses you use and land in your area.



# Newsletter #3 September 2018

#### The Local Plan Review

The Local Plan must be kept up to date. A lot has changed since we adopted our current Local Plan and we are now going through the process of reviewing it.

# When will we publish a draft Local Plan?

The draft Local Plan will be published on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2018**, with the consultation period running until **Monday 4<sup>th</sup> February 2019**.

## Where will it be published?

We will publish the draft Local Plan online on our website:

dartmoor.gov.uk/localplanreview

It will also be available to view at the following locations across Dartmoor:

- Libraries: Ashburton, Bovey Tracey, Buckfastleigh, Chagford, Ivybridge, Moretonhampstead, Okehampton and Tavistock.
- Dartmoor Visitor Centres: Haytor, Princetown and Postbridge.
- Visitor Information Centres: Ashburton and Moretonhampstead.
- **Local Authority HQs:** Dartmoor Parke, South Hams - Follaton House, Teignbridge -Forde House, West Devon - Kilworthy Park, Devon - County Hall).
- Parish and Town Council Offices (all those that fall within or partly within Dartmoor National Park).

# How can I get involved in the Local Plan Consultation?

# 1. Come and see us at one of our public drop-in events

Throughout December we will be hosting the following public drop-in events. We encourage you to come along to find out more about the consultation and chat to us about the draft Local Plan. Please see our <u>website</u> or social media for more details.

South East Dartmoor Ashburton Christmas Fayre

6 December from 4pm until 7pm

South West Dartmoor Meeting Room, Yelverton War Memorial Hall

11 December from 3pm until 6pm

North Dartmoor Whiddon Down Village Hall

13 December from 3pm until 6pm

• East Dartmoor Moretonhampstead Community Club

18 December from 3pm until 6pm

These events are designed to raise awareness and generate discussion, but will not involve any presentations nor act as a means of formally commenting on the draft Local Plan.

In addition to these events, we will also run Local Plan workshops for Parish Councils, local organisations and professionals in December and January, with further details to follow by email.

## 2. Send us your comments

Send us your comments via the online feedback form or alternatively complete a feedback form and email or post it to us. Both will be available on our website from 3<sup>rd</sup> December.

#### **Quick links**

Consultation schedule Evidence 'quick guide'

<u>Background evidence and research</u>
<u>Housing sites 'quick guide'</u>

Summary report: winter 2017 consultation Current Local Plan for Dartmoor

#### How can I find out more?

We publish as much information as we can on our website. We will keep you informed of progress, and opportunities to get involved through newsletters, and our website:

www.dartmoor.gov.uk/localplanreview



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