



THE SOUTH DOWNS NATIONAL PARK AUTHORITY PUBLIC NOTICE OF PUBLICATION OF THE LEWES NEIGHBOURHOOD DEVELOPMENT PLAN

CONSULTATION FROM MONDAY 11 JUNE 2018 TO MONDAY 23 JULY 2018

REGULATION 16 – THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING (GENERAL) REGULATIONS 2012 AND THE LOCALISM ACT 2011

Lewes Town Council has submitted its Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) for independent Examination. Lewes as the county town of East Sussex and the largest market town in the National Park is a key part of the development part of the South Downs National Park. The NDP includes planning policies on housing, including allocations for at least 220 new homes in Lewes, as well as policies on Low Cost Housing, Ecosystems Services, Heritage, the Environment, Sustainability, Design, Working & Shopping, Getting Around and Local Green Spaces. Once adopted, these policies will be used to determine planning applications locally along with the South Downs Local Plan.

Consultation on the Submission (Regulation 16) version of the Neighbourhood Plan is taking place for 6 weeks from **9:00am MONDAY 11 JUNE 2018 TO 11:59pm MONDAY 23 JULY 2018**. All representations received from this consultation will be forwarded to an independent Examiner appointed to consider the Neighbourhood Plan.

WHERE THE PLAN CAN BE INSPECTED

Copies of the Neighbourhood Development Plan and supporting documents are available to view on the South Downs National Park Authority website:

[Lewes Neighbourhood Plan - South Downs National Park Authority](#)

<http://www.lewes4all.uk/>

Hard copies are available for inspection between 09.00 and 17.00 Monday to Thursday and 16.30 on a Friday at the South Downs National Park Authority offices and Lewes Town Council offices (please check with the Town Council for opening times)

South Downs National Park Authority, South Downs Centre, North Street, Midhurst, West Sussex, GU29 9DH.

Lewes Town Council offices, Town Hall, High Street, Lewes, East Sussex, BN7 2QS

HOW TO MAKE REPRESENTATIONS

If you would like to make a representation on the neighbourhood plan, please send your representation to neighbourhood@southdowns.gov.uk or in writing to: Neighbourhood Planning at the South Downs National Park Authority address above.

For more information on what your representation should cover please see the attached guidance note.

NOTIFICATION

Any representations may include a request to be notified regarding the SDNPA's decision under Regulation 19 to make the submitted neighbourhood development plan for Lewes.

PLEASE BE AWARE THAT ALL REPRESENTATIONS RECEIVED BY THE SDNPA WILL BE PUBLICLY AVAILABLE (personal contact details will not be published)