



Notice of a public meeting of

Local Plan Working Group

- To: Councillors Merrett (Chair), Ayre, Barnes, D'Agorne, Funnell, Healey, Horton, Reid, Simpson-Laing, Steward (Vice-Chair) and Warters
- **Date:** Thursday, 29 January 2015
- **Time:** 5.00 pm
- Venue: The George Hudson Board Room 1st Floor West Offices (F045)

<u>AGENDA</u>

1. Declarations of Interest

At this point in the meeting, Members are asked to declare:

- any personal interests not included on the Register of Interests
- any prejudicial interests or
- any disclosable pecuniary interests

which they may have in respect of business on this agenda.

2. Minutes (Pages 1 - 6)

To approve and sign the minutes of the meeting of the Local Plan Working Group held on 17th December 2014.



3. Public Participation

At this point in the meeting, members of the public who have registered their wish to speak, regarding an item on the agenda or an issue within the remit of the Working Group, may do so. The deadline for registering is **5.00 pm on Wednesday 28th January 2015.**

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4. Wheldrake Village Design Statement/Supplementary Planning Document. (Pages 7 - 86)

This report presents a summary of the responses received following a consultation on Wheldrake Village Design Statement. A number of amendments are proposed as a result of the consultation. Subject to Members' views, it is intended that the amended document becomes draft Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) to the emerging Local Plan.

5. Strensall with Towthorpe Village Design Statement/Supplementary Planning Document. (Pages 87 -202)

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6. Changes to Affordable Housing National Planning Guidance (Pages 203 - 212)

The purpose of this report is to update Members on new National Planning Policy Guidance that relates to affordable housing.

7. City of York Local Plan - Safeguarded Land (Pages 213 - 254)

This report provides further information on the role of safeguarded land and the reasons for the draft Local Plan including such a designation for some sites. It makes reference to a legal opinion sought from John Hobson QC on how the Local Plan should address this matter. Both the instructions to Counsel and the legal opinion on the matter of the opinion are included as Annex A and Annex B to this report.

8. Any other business which the Chair considers urgent under the Local Government Act 1972.

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