ADOPTION STATEMENT: BARNSLEY LOCAL PLAN 2019

Following public consultation and examination by an Independent Planning Inspector Barnsley’s Local Plan was adopted by Full Council on 3rd January 2019.

Following the Examination process a number of modifications were made to the Local Plan.

The Inspectors Report and its appendix set out the Inspectors recommendations for main modifications and the reasons for them. A number of the modifications require corresponding changes to the Policies Map. The Inspector’s Report and the associated map changes are available to view online at www.barnsley.gov.uk/LocalPlan and paper copies are available in Central, Penistone and Goldthorpe libraries.

The Council has also made a number of additional changes and further additional changes that provide minor updates and clarification. These do not materially affect the policies in the plan. These include minor changes to the Policies Map. The changes are available to view online at www.barnsley.gov.uk/LocalPlan and paper copies are available in Central, Penistone and Goldthorpe libraries.

All of the modifications have been incorporated into the adopted Local Plan and Policies Map.

The adopted Local Plan and Policies Map, together with the Joint Waste Plan adopted in March 2012 now form the statutory development plan for Barnsley.

Any person aggrieved by 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 the Barnsley Local Plan is not within the powers conferred by Part 2 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 and/or a procedural requirement of the Act or its associated Regulations has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made promptly and in any event not later than the 15th February 2019 (six weeks from the date of adoption).

All of the documents are available to view online at www.barnsley.gov.uk/LocalPlan
Paper copies of the adopted Local Plan and Policies Map and the Adoption Statement can be viewed at Barnsley Central Library in Wellington House and branch libraries across the borough during normal opening hours. The Sustainability Appraisal is available to view at Barnsley Central Library.

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