

Joint Local Plan Timetable

Stage		Progress/ Timeframe/ What it involves
Stage 1	Assembly of evidence base	Work on-going
Stage 2	SCI and stakeholder engagement	Statement of Community Involvement has been adopted and is available to view on our website.
Stage 3	Sustainability Appraisal (SA) Scoping Report	Draft SA Scoping Report consultation with statutory consultees completed in August/September 2015
Stage 4a	Issues Papers Consultation	Consultation completed February/ March 2016. The Issues consultation set out some of the key local and regional matters which could have a significant influence on how the area might change in the future.
		The consultation was accompanied by a series of technical papers which summarised the policy background and evidence driving the strategic issues.
Stage 4b	Strategic Options Consultation	This takes into account representations received as part of the Issues consultation and sets out the potential options and spatial requirements based on a range of issues including housing need and employment. Consultation July/August 2017
Stage 5	Preferred Option(s)	Prepare preferred option (s) which will take account of representations received as part of Strategic Options consultation and will reflect the preferred spatial options for the Joint Local Plan. Consultation February 2018
Stage 6	Full Draft Joint Local Plan	Prepare full draft joint local plan which will take into account representations received as part of Preferred Option(s) and will set out fully the spatial proposals along with supporting planning policies. Consultation on the Full Draft Plan during November/December 2018.
Stage 7	Publication of draft Joint Local Plan-in accordance with Regulation 19 and 35 of the 2012 Regulations	Finalisation of the Full Draft Joint Local Plan by Cabinet which will have taken into account representations received as part of the Full Draft Joint Local Plan consultation and will set out the final plan to be submitted to Council for approval for formal publication. The Full Draft Joint Local Plan will then be submitted to full council for publication and consultation. Publication consultation will take place during October/November 2019
Stage 8	Final Submission	Following publication period both the City Council and Borough Council will review the responses received before submitting the Draft Joint Local Plan

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	<p>version of the (and other documents) to the Secretary of State pursuant to Section 20 of Joint Local Plan the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 and Regulation 22 of the and submission 2012 Regulations. This will include copies of any representations received to the Secretary as a result of publication of the draft joint local plan and formal statement of of State representations made including those dealt with by the City Council and Borough Council and any main modifications automatically referred to the Secretary of State and to be dealt with as part of the examination process.</p> <p>This is provisionally timetabled for completion in April 2020.</p>
Stage 9	<p>Public examination of joint local plan Starts April 2020 (dependent on date of submission)</p>
Stage 10	<p>Adoption of Joint Local Plan Dependent on Stage 9.</p>