

05/03/2020

**Representation to Derry City & Strabane District Council Local Development Plan (LDP)
Draft Plan Strategy.**

Dear Sir/Madam,

The Local Development Plan draft Plan Strategy (dPS) was published for a formal 8 week public consultation period on Monday 2nd December 2019 and closed on Monday 27th January 2020.

In accordance with Regulation 17 (1) (e) of the Planning (Local Development Plan) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 2015, the Representations received in response to the public consultation on the LDP draft Plan Strategy and associated Sustainability Appraisal are now available for inspection on the Council's website:

www.derrystrabane.com/ldp

They will also be available to view, during normal opening hours, from 5th March to 30th April 2020 at the following Council Offices:

Derry – Council Offices, 98 Strand Rd, Derry, BT48 7NN;

Strabane – Council Offices, 47 Derry Rd, Strabane, BT82 8DY.

Please also be aware that there is now the opportunity for the submission of Counter Representations. The consultation period for the submission of Counter Representations will run from Thursday 5th March to Thursday 30th April 2020. Counter Representations submitted outside of this period will not be considered. A Counter Representation may be made on any site specific representation (defined as those that seek change by adding a site specific policy, or altering or deleting any site specific policy contained in the LDP Draft Plan Strategy).

Each Counter Representation must relate to a site specific Representation and quote its reference number and must not in itself propose any change to the LDP draft Plan Strategy document.

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All Counter Representations submitted to the Council will be required to be submitted to the Department for Infrastructure, and hence the Planning Appeals Commission (PAC) where they will be considered as part of the Independent Examination process.

Counter Representations should be made using the Counter Representation response form, available on the Council's website www.derrystrabane.com/ldp, or in hard copy at the above Council office addresses. Completed forms should be returned as follows:

Email: LDP@derrystrabane.com

In writing to: The LDP Team, Planning Department, 98 Strand Rd, Derry, BT48 7NN.

I look forward to your continued interest and input to the LDP process. You can stay updated on LDP progress by visiting www.derrystrabane.com/ldp

If you have already submitted a Representation and have received an acknowledgement letter today, I apologise for any duplication.

Yours sincerely

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