



Melton Borough Council

Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004; Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations (as amended)

STATEMENT OF REPRESENTATIONS PROCEDURE

Notice is given in accordance with the above Regulations that Melton Borough Council is inviting representations on the proposed **Main Modifications** to the **Melton Local Plan Partial Update to 2036**. The consultation will run for six weeks from **Friday 30th October** to **Monday 14th December 2026**.

Purpose of the Consultation

The Melton Local Plan Partial Update was submitted for independent examination in March 2026. Following consideration of the evidence and conclusion of the public hearing sessions in September 2026, the appointed Planning Inspectors have identified a Schedule of proposed Main Modifications.

Main Modifications are changes that the Inspectors consider are necessary to make the Plan sound and/or legally compliant. The consultation provides an opportunity for interested parties to comment on the proposed Main Modifications before the Inspectors reach a final conclusion on the Plan.

Consultation Documents

The following documents have been published for consultation:

- Schedule of Main Modifications
- Schedule of Policies Map Modifications
- Sustainability Appraisal Addendum
- Habitats Regulations Assessment Addendum

This consultation does not offer the opportunity to repeat or raise further representations about other parts of the Plan, or seek wider changes, which are not relevant to a Main Modification. Comments made during the previous public consultations and during the

examination process are in front of the Inspectors and will be considered by them in their final report to the council.

Document Access

Online copies of the consultation documents can be viewed on the council's consultation website: haveyoursay.melton.gov.uk. Hard copies are available for inspection at Melton Borough Council Parkside Office Reception, Station Approach, Melton Mowbray, LE13 1GH (9am to 5pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; and 9am to 4pm Wednesday), or at Bottesford and Melton Mowbray Libraries during normal opening times.

Officers will also be holding online and in person information sessions. Full details are available on the consultation website.

How to Respond

You can respond online via the council's consultation website. Alternatively, you can respond by email or by post.

If you choose to respond by email or post, please provide your name and a contact address (email or postal). Please note that anonymous or confidential comments cannot be accepted and responses will be made available to view on the council's website, with personal contact details removed. Data will be processed and held in accordance with the Data Protection Act 2018.

- **Email:** planningpolicy@melton.gov.uk
- **Post:** Planning Policy, Melton Borough Council, Parkside, Station Approach, Burton Street, Melton Mowbray, LE13 1GH.

All comments must be submitted by 11:59pm on Monday 14 December 2026.

What Happens Next?

All representations received during the consultation period will be submitted directly to the independent Planning Inspectors for consideration before they prepare their final report on the examination of the Plan.

Further information on the examination process can be found on our Local Plan Update examination website: www.meltonplan.co.uk/lpupdate-examination.

If you have any questions or require assistance, please contact the Planning Policy Team at planningpolicy@melton.gov.uk or 01664 502502.