



North Essex Authorities

Mr Roger Clews
Planning Inspector
Examination Office

Sent by email

3rd June 2019

Dear Sir,

Re: NEAs' May update on Local Plan progress

Further to our previous monthly update, the NEAs are pleased to inform you that the revised evidence base is being finalised prior to be taken through each authority's respective governance process. This monthly update therefore does not include the table previously reported to you as a result of the evidence base documents all being in a similar state of completion.

Whilst the evidence base documents are subject to approval, the NEAs anticipate public consultation on the revised evidence base and proposed modifications to Section 1 of their shared Local Plans, taking place from mid-August to late September. Following the consultation, the NEAs will then submit the revised evidence base, proposed modifications, and representations to the consultation, to you for your consideration. We then hope that hearing sessions can be reconvened at the earliest opportunity.

As ever, we would appreciate any comments you may have on the content of this update. If you do have any comments, then please get in touch via the Programme Officer and we will be pleased to respond.

Yours sincerely,

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