

**North Lincolnshire Local Development Framework
Housing & Employment Land Allocations DPD – Independent Examination
Inspector’s Requests for Information – Day 6: Development Limits
Proposals Map – Saved Policy Notations**

Introduction

During the examination hearings on development limits, the Inspector highlighted that a number of the “saved” North Lincolnshire Local Plan (NLLP) policy notations appeared on the Proposals Map (including settlement insets) that accompanied the Housing & Employment Land Allocations DPD: Revised Submission Draft. It was highlighted that as set out in the DPD this may appear confusing and requested clarification regarding their status and their future.

Background

Since 2007, a number of the policies in the North Lincolnshire Local Plan (May 2003) have been “saved” for development management purposes. Several were replaced by policies in the Core Strategy DPD, however the remainder are still in use. It was considered important to retain these policies in order to provide full development plan coverage for the area. They are shown on the Proposals Map for the DPD for this purpose.

Once adopted, the policies and proposals of the Housing & Employment Allocations DPD will replace those of the NLLP in relation to housing and employment allocations, town/district shopping centres, and settlement development limits. The policies to be replaced are set out in Appendix 4 of the DPD. The other “saved” NLLP policies will be replaced by those set out in the General Policies DPD as well as the Minerals & Waste DPD.

It was suggested that the DPD should be clear about the status and longevity of the NLLP “saved” policies. Therefore, it is suggested that the wording set out below is added to the DPD and the key for the Proposals Map, as a minor amendment.

Suggested Wording for DPD Introduction & Proposals Map Key***“North Lincolnshire Local Plan (May 2003) – Saved Policies***

The remaining saved policies of the North Lincolnshire Local Plan (NLLP) continue to form part of the statutory development plan for North Lincolnshire until such time as they are replaced. They are shown on the Proposals Map accompanying this DPD to provide full and up to date policy mapping for the development management purposes.

This DPD should be read alongside the adopted Core Strategy DPD and the text of the saved NLLP policies.

The remaining “saved” NLLP policies will be replaced in due course by those set out in the General Policies DPD and the Minerals & Waste DPD.”