

VALE OF WHITE HORSE DISTRICT COUNCIL

PLANNING AND COMPULSORY PURCHASE ACT 2004 (AS AMENDED)

**TOWN AND COUNTY PLANNING (LOCAL PLANNING) (ENGLAND)
REGULATIONS 2012**

LOCAL PLAN 2031 PART 1

**NOTICE OF THE ADOPTION OF THE VALE OF WHITE HORSE LOCAL PLAN
2031 PART 1: STRATEGIC SITES AND POLICIES**

In accordance with Regulation 25 (Publication of the Recommendations of the Appointed Person), Regulation 26 (Adoption of a Local Plan) and Regulation 35 (Availability of Documents) of the Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012 (as amended), Vale of White Horse District Council hereby give notice of the formal adoption of the Vale of White Horse Local Plan 2031 Part 1: Strategic Sites and Policies on 14 December 2016.

The Local Plan 2031 Part 1 sets out the Spatial Strategy and strategic policies for the district to deliver sustainable development. It identifies the number of new homes and jobs to be provided in the area for the plan period up to 2031. It makes provision for retail, leisure and commercial development and for the infrastructure needed to support them. The Local Plan 2031 Part 1 sets out the Spatial Strategy for the location of development across the district and allocates strategic development sites. It includes district-wide policies to ensure that development contributes to meeting the Strategic Objectives of the plan, such as policies relating to sustainable construction and conservation of the built, historic and natural environment. These district wide policies will replace some of the Saved Local Plan 2011.

The Local Plan was subject to an independent examination conducted by an Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State. The Adopted Local Plan incorporates modifications recommended by Inspector as set out within the Appendix to the Inspector's Report pursuant to Section 23 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

The Local Plan 2031 Part 1, associated Sustainability Appraisal and Adoption Statement, Policies Map and this Adoption Statement are available on the Council's website www.whitehorsedc.gov.uk/localplan and for inspection at the following locations:

- 135 Eastern Avenue, Milton Park, Milton, OX14 4SB (Monday to Thursday 8.30am to 5.00pm and Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm)
- All libraries in the district (please see details below)

Any person aggrieved by the Local Plan may make an application under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 to the High Court on the grounds that the document is not within the appropriate powers and/or a procedural requirement has not been complied with. Any such application must be made before the end of the period of six weeks beginning 15 December 2016.

Further information is available by contacting the planning department at Vale of White Horse District Council on 01235 422600, or e-mail planning.policy@whitehorsedc.gov.uk

Library Opening Times

Library	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Abingdon	9am to 7pm	9am to 7pm	9am to 7pm	9am to 1pm	9am to 7pm	9am to 4pm	Closed
Botley	9.30am to 5.30pm	9.30am to 5.30pm	Closed	9.30am to 5.30pm	9.30am to 7pm	9.30am to 1pm	Closed
Didcot	1pm to 7pm	9am to 7pm	9am to 5.30pm	9am to 5.30pm	9am to 7pm	9am to 4.30pm	Closed
Faringdon	2pm to 5.30pm	10am to 1pm & 2pm to 5.30pm	2pm to 5.30pm	Closed	10am to 1pm & 2pm to 7pm	9.30am to 1pm	Closed
Grove	2pm to 7pm	10am to 12.30pm & 2pm to 5pm	Closed	10am to 12.30pm & 2pm to 5pm	2pm to 5pm	9.30am to 12.30pm	Closed
Kennington	2pm to 5.30pm	Closed	10am to 12.30pm	Closed	2pm to 7pm	10am to 1pm	Closed
Wantage	9am to 8pm	9am to 5.30pm	9am to 5.30pm	9am to 1pm	9am to 8pm	9am to 4.30pm	Closed