Newport City Council has submitted proposals for the above Local Development Plan (LDP) to the Welsh Government for examination. If, and when, these plan proposals are adopted they will form the development plan for Newport and will be the basis for decisions on land use planning affecting that area.

Copies of the LDP documents are available for public inspection during their normal opening hours at the following locations:

- Newport City Council Information Station, Old Station Building, Queensway, Newport, NP20 4AX
- All Newport Libraries

The documents are also available on the Council’s website at: [www.newport.gov.uk/planningpolicy](http://www.newport.gov.uk/planningpolicy).

The documents comprise the Revised Deposit LDP, a Sustainability Appraisal Report, the Community Involvement Scheme, a Consultation Report, copies of representations and other supporting documents.

An independent Inspector will conduct the examination to determine whether the plan is sound. Only those making representations seeking to change the Revised Deposit LDP (i.e. objectors) whose representations were ‘duly made’ (i.e. in accordance with earlier notices), have the right to appear before and be heard by the Inspector at the examination. (Section 64(6) of the 2004 Act).

Notice will be given at least 6 weeks before the opening of the examination. The format of the hearing will be a matter for the Inspector.

Further information is available from the Planning Policy Team on 01633 656656 or from the Council’s website at [www.newport.gov.uk/planningpolicy](http://www.newport.gov.uk/planningpolicy).