

## FOI Request - Local Development Plan Progress Update - 101003868062

### Local Development Plan Timescales - Update to Scottish Ministers

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| <b>Planning Authority</b> | <b>Moray Council</b>  |
| <b>Date</b>               | <b>8 October 2025</b> |

### Proposed Timetable

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| <b>Evidence Report publication / (Submission for Gate Check)</b>          | <b>Evidence Report submitted to DPEA in May 2024 (2024-25, Q1). Passed Gatecheck in August 2024 (2024-25, Q2).</b> |
| <b>Proposed Plan publication</b>                                          | <b>June 2026</b>                                                                                                   |
| <b>Proposed Plan submission to the Scottish Ministers for Examination</b> | <b>February 2027</b>                                                                                               |
| <b>Adoption – expected adoption of the LDP</b>                            | <b>December 2027</b>                                                                                               |
| <b>Adoption by May 2028</b>                                               | <b>Yes</b>                                                                                                         |

### Actions by the Council/ Park Authority to accelerate LDP timescales

*These concise actions may include allocation of additional resource, greater use of digital or how a proportionate approach is being achieved etc.*

| <b>Summary / theme</b> | <b>Details of action/ anticipated impact on timescales</b>                                                                        |
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| Proportionality        | Proportionate/pragmatic approach to assessment of sites for Proposed Plan and SEA (e.g. sites under construction are scoped out). |
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