MORAY LOCAL DEVELOPMENT PLAN 2015

UPDATE – 03 FEBRUARY 2014

PROPOSED PLAN APPROVED FOR CONSULTATION

The Proposed Plan was considered at a Special Meeting of the Planning and Regulatory Services Committee on the 10th December 2014. A decision made to remove reference to the Elgin Western Link Road was in conflict with decisions of the Economic Development and Infrastructure Services Committee and was therefore referred to Full Council to resolve. This delayed the start of consultation on the Proposed Plan, which was timetabled in the Development Plan Scheme for February 2014.

A Special Meeting of Full Council was held on 29th January 2014. At that meeting Councillors voted to keep the Elgin Western Link Road in the Proposed Plan. This allows the Proposed Plan to now be published for consultation.

We are now progressing with printing/publication of the Proposed Plan and associated documents for consultation in March. A revised timetable will be posted in the next update with firmer dates for the consultation period.

The Proposed Plan represents the settled view of Moray Council on the form and content for the new Local Development Plan. Once adopted the Local Development Plan will replace the Moray Structure Plan 2007 and Moray Local Plan 2008, and will provide a single forward planning document that presents a vision and spatial strategy for directing growth in Moray for the next 10-20 years. It includes settlement statements with development allocations and policies that will guide decision making on planning applications.

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