

Pre- Examination Meeting

A Pre- Examination Meeting took place on 23 October 2008 in Committee Room A in County Hall at 10.00.

The purpose of the meeting was to provide an opportunity for procedural and administrative matters relating to the public examinations to be explained and discussed.

It was not for the purpose of hearing evidence – that is a matter for the examination itself. The issues discussed at the meeting will help to ensure that the examination runs smoothly and efficiently, saving time and expense for all concerned.

Hearing Sessions

The hearings sessions for the Central Wakefield Area Action Plan DPD will start at 10.00 on the 3rd February 2009, following a short opening by the Inspector at 09.30. The hearings will continue on the 4th 5th and 6th February 2009. All sessions will be held in Committee Room A at County Hall.

The Planning Inspectorate has revised its guidance to Inspectors carrying out examinations in progress when PPS12 (2008) was published. It is now expected that they should reflect the revised soundness tests. The Inspector therefore amended the Matters and Issues paper for session 1 to reflect this and the new Revised Agenda can be found on the Core Document List number 514.