

Email from: C Edwards, Programme Officer
To: Liam Toland (Heaton Planning)
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Dear Mr Toland,

Thank you for your email of 2 May 2018. The Inspector notes that it attaches unrequested late evidence which the Inspector's examination guidance notes discourages and so he has advised that he is not accepting it at this stage.

The Inspector reiterates that the process is for the Council to finalise the main modifications it wishes to formally submit, following additional evidence that the Council is currently working on. If the Council finds itself in a position where it wishes to change or depart from any main modifications as discussed at the hearings, and there may be sound planning reasons for doing so, that would need to come from the Council in advance of any main modifications consultation.

This would enable the Inspector to take a view on whether any further action would be necessary in the interest of fairness to all affected examination parties.

Kind regards

Carmel Edwards
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