

**Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004
The Town and Country Planning (Local Development) (England)
Regulations 2004**

LEICESTERSHIRE MINERALS DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK

**LEICESTERSHIRE AND LEICESTER WASTE DEVELOPMENT
FRAMEWORK**

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC PARTICIPATION ON A FURTHER CONSULTATION
OF THE PREFERRED OPTIONS**

Leicestershire County Council has previously prepared and consulted on the Preferred Options version of its Minerals Development Framework and, in conjunction with Leicester City Council the Preferred Options version of its Waste Development Framework. The Development Frameworks set out the plan for future minerals development in Leicestershire and waste in Leicester and Leicestershire.

The Minerals and Waste Development Frameworks contain the following documents:

- Minerals Core Strategy and Development Control Policies;
- Minerals Site Allocations;
- Waste Core Strategy and Development Control Policies; and
- Waste Site Allocations.

The frameworks also contain sustainability reports assessing the potential social, environmental, and economic effects of the documents.

This further consultation is on the Spatial Strategies for the Minerals and Waste Development Frameworks. Comments are now sought on these two newly prepared Preferred Options documents. These comments will be taken into account in the preparation of the next stage of the frameworks which will be submitted to the Secretary of State and subject to an independent public examination.

Copies of the Preferred Options documents and representation forms are available at the following places as well as on the County Council's website (www.leics.gov.uk) and via a link from the City Council's website (www.leicester.gov.uk):

Minerals and Waste Documents

All County Council libraries during library opening hours and Service Shops in Leicestershire, and County Council offices at the **Department of Community Services, County Hall, Glenfield, Leicester, LE3 8TE** during normal office hours;

Waste Documents Only

All Leicester City Council libraries during library opening hours and Service Centres and City Council offices at **New Walk Centre, Welford Place, Leicester, LE1 6ZG** during normal office hours.

Comments should be made on the representation forms and sent to the Director of Community Services for the County Council at the above address. Comments can be made between **19th October 2007** and **5pm on 30th November 2007**. Representations received after this time do not have the right to be considered.

Any representations may be accompanied by a request to be notified at a specific address when a) the Development Plan Document (DPD) has been submitted to the Secretary of State for independent examination under section 20 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 and b) of the adoption of the DPD.

For further information please telephone 0116 3057041 or e-mail planningcontrol@leics.gov.uk