

Winchester City Council
Winchester District Gypsy and Traveller
and Travelling Showpeople DPD

Inspector's query re Main Modifications

I have reviewed the Council's main modifications and given further thought to the fact that the plan, as submitted, is unable to provide for a 5 year supply of travelling showpersons pitches. At the recent hearing sessions the Council explained that they are in the process of preparing a new Local Plan. I would like the Council to formulate a main modification that would commit it to reviewing the position in relation to travelling showpeople pitch provision as part of this new Local Plan, in the event that there is still a shortfall in pitch provision, despite the criteria based policy.

I am keen that the above matter is resolved promptly, I therefore request a response by close of play on Friday 28 September 2018. If you have any queries regarding the above then I can be contacted via the Programme Officer. A copy of this note and the Council's response should be placed on the examination website.

Louise Crosby

Planning Inspector

20 September

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