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Dear

**Breckland Local Plan and Policies Maps - The Town and Country Planning
(Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012.
Notification of extension to public consultation on Main Modifications MM18,
MM119 and MM148 to the Breckland Local Plan
3rd April 2019 - 5pm 15th May 2019**

The new Local Plan is currently subject to independent examination by the Planning Inspector Jonathan Manning BSc (Hons) MA MRTPI, who will determine whether the plan is sound and legally compliant. The Inspector has reviewed written representations and explored Matters and Issues through a series of public hearing sessions held last year. As a result, the Inspector proposed amendments to the plan, known as Main Modifications. Main Modifications materially alter the Plan or its policies and can only be recommended by the Inspector to resolve problems that would otherwise make the submitted Plan unsound or not legally compliant.

The Council consulted on the Main Modifications to the Local Plan between 18th February 2019 and by 5pm on 1st April 2019. This consultation has now closed.

This letter is to notify you that the Council is extending the main modifications consultation for a further six weeks, with regard to MM18, MM119 and MM148 only.

It has been noted that the track change version of the Local Plan (EX.125) and the consultation portal contained errors within the text, with regards to MM18, MM119 and MM148. The amended text did not accurately reflect the main modifications as listed in the main modifications schedule (EX.123).

As a result the Inspector has recommended the consultation on these modifications be extended to 5pm Wednesday 15th May 2019.

Only representations which relate to MM18, MM119 and MM148 will be accepted during the extension period.

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The relevant documents are all available, alongside a frequently asked questions notes on the Council's website

<https://www.breckland.gov.uk/article/10585/Consultation-on-the-Main-Modifications-to-the-Local-Plan>

The documents may also be viewed at the Council's main office: Breckland Council, Elizabeth House, Walpole Loke, Dereham, Norfolk, NR19 1EE. Further information can be obtained by contacting the Programme Officer (email preferred: programme.officer@breckland.gov.uk or Tel: 01362 656296).

Representations should be submitted using the Council's online representation portal where possible, which can be found here:

<https://www.breckland.gov.uk/consultations>.

If you don't have access to a computer, representations can be made using the consultation response form provided by the Council. Please contact the Programme Officer or visit the Council's main office in Dereham for paper forms.

Representations on MM18, MM119 and MM148 must be received by **5pm 15th May 2019**, representations made after this date will not be accepted. Representations not relating to these modifications will not be accepted.

Yours

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