
Bath & North East Somerset Council

**PLANNING AND COMPULSORY PURCHASE ACT 2004
THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (LOCAL PLANNING) (ENGLAND)
REGULATIONS 2012 (REGULATION 26)**

**ADOPTION STATEMENT
Bath & North East Somerset Core Strategy**

Notice is hereby given that Bath and North East Somerset Council adopted its Core Strategy on 10th July 2014 in accordance with the above regulations.

The Bath & North East Somerset Core Strategy is the first part of the Local Plan and replaces those 'saved' policies of the Bath & North East Somerset Local Plan 2007 listed in Appendix 1 of the adopted Core Strategy.

The Core Strategy sets out the strategic policy framework for the district to 2029 and comprises a long-term spatial vision and strategic objectives, a spatial strategy, core policies and a monitoring and implementation framework with clear objectives for achieving its delivery.

The Core Strategy has been subject to Examination by an independent Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State. The adopted Core Strategy incorporates modifications recommended by the Inspector.

Copies of this Adoption Statement, the Core Strategy, Sustainability Appraisal, Inspector's Report and other associated documents are available at www.bathnes.gov.uk/corestrategy and are available for public inspection, free of charge at the following locations Mondays –Thursdays (9am – 5pm), Fridays (9am - 4.30pm):

- Council offices:
 - The One Stop Shop, Manvers Street, Bath, BA1 1JG
 - The Hollies, Midsomer Norton, Bath, BA3 2DP
 - Riverside, Temple Street, Keynsham, Bristol, BS31 1LA
- At all public libraries in the District during opening hours, including the mobile libraries

Any person who is aggrieved by the Bath & North East Somerset Core Strategy may make an application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the grounds that the document is not within the appropriate power and/or procedural requirements have not been complied with. Any such application must be made no later than the end of a period of six weeks after the date on which the Core Strategy was adopted.

For further information please contact the Planning Policy team at Planning Services, PO Box 5006, BATH, BA1 1JG, telephone 01225 477548 or email corestrategy@bathnes.gov.uk.

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