

NP Report Update – March 2019

The SHDC six-week consultation phase commencing 08/02/2019 finished on 22/03/2019.

The Neighbourhood Planning Independent Examiner Referral Service (NPIERS) provided CVs for three potential examiners.

Steering Group members selected examiner Mrs Deborah McCann BSc, DipArchCon, MRICS, MRTPI who lives in North Huish, South Brent. This was submitted to SHDC on 27/02/2019.

SHDC confirmed the appointment of Mrs McCann on 21/03/2019 and have advised all necessary paperwork will be passed to her on 26/03/2019.

Once the examiner has completed the necessary checks a date for the referendum can be agreed. One month before the agreed referendum date, advertising can begin with public notices, etc.

Hard copies of SNP are to be made available to view in public places. In addition, 300 A4 full-colour leaflets are to be designed outlining details of SNP together with details for voting in the referendum. These are to be delivered to every registered elector's home to inform and encourage members of the community to vote in support of the plan.

The examination and referendum period is likely to be two to three months before it is complete.

The Final Inspector's Report on the Plymouth and South West Devon Joint Local Plan (JLP) has been received. The report confirms that the JLP, as amended by the Main Modifications, is sound and can proceed to adoption. The Inspectors' Report marks the final stage of the Examination of the JLP and means that SHDC can proceed to adoption. This took place on Thursday 21st March 2019.