

Pembrokeshire County Council Local Development Plan: Sustainability Appraisal Report

Screening of Inspector's Binding Recommendations and Additional Matters Arising Changes January 2013

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Overview

The Council has screened the Inspector's Binding Recommendations and additional Matters Arising Changes (MACs) to determine whether the changes are significant and whether the changes would result in significant sustainability effects. The screening process identified those changes that needed to be reconsidered against the SA objectives in order to further determine the potential for significant effects. This document sets out the screening process for each of the Inspector's Binding Recommendations and additional MACs.

This document should be read in conjunction with the SA Report – Post Deposit Changes and Appendices (2012), HRA Report – Post Deposit Changes and Appendices (2012) and SA Screening and SA of Matters Arising Changes (2012), HRA Screening and HRA of Matters Arising Changes (2012) and the published Pembrokeshire County Council Local Development Plan: Adoption – 2021 (Adopted 28 February 2013).

It is concluded that none of the changes would result in significant sustainability effects.

SA Screening of Inspector's Binding Recommendations and Additional MACs

Change No.	Significa nt / Minor	Policy No.	Para No.	Map Change	Proposed Change	SA/SEA Screening	SA needed?	
Whole do	cument							
MAC A	M	N/A	N/A	N/A	Replace all references in LDP to Planning Policy Wales to refer to Edition 5 instead of Edition 4.	Change to Plan to provide clarity, no further SA/SEA required.	N/A	
Chapter 1	: Introductio	n						
No recomr	nendations p	roposed in re	elation to this	s section.		N/A	N/A	
Chapter 2	: Key Plans	& Strategies	s affecting F	Pembrokeshire				
No recomm	No recommendations proposed in relation to this section.							
Chapter 3	Chapter 3: Key Economic, Social and Environmental Trends and Issues							
No recomr	nendations p	roposed in re	elation to this	s section.		N/A	N/A	

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Chapter 4	: Vision and	Objectives					
IC01	M	N/A	Key diagram, Fig 3	N/A	Delete Martletwy from Key Diagram	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
Chapter 5	: LDP Strate	gy					
MAC B	M	SP 1	5.6	N/A	Amend paragraph 5.6 to read: "The planning system provides for a presumption in favour of sustainable development and national planning policy provides a definition of sustainable development in Wales ⁴⁴ . The overarching aim of the Plan is to ensure that Sustainable Development is achieved. This means ensuring that the types of development that take	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A

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					place are appropriate for their location and built and designed in such a way as to achieve positive economic, social and environmental impacts. Detailed policies such as General Policies GN.1 to GN.4 and GN.33 to GN.37 of the Plan will be critical in ensuring that this Strategic Policy is met. These policies focus on ensuring that proposals are appropriate in scale and nature for different locations, that the design achieves safe, attractive and inclusive environments which are sustainable and optimise energy use and efficiency and incorporate renewable energy technologies where feasible, whilst addressing landscaping and infrastructure requirements of any development." New footnote 44 to read: "44 See sections 4.1 and 4.2 of Planning Policy Wales (Edition 5)"		
MAC 21 (ALREA	М	SP 7	5.38	N/A	MAC21 (policy SP 7, paragraph 5.38) is being further revised, with the	Change to supporting	N/A

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DY BEEN DONE)					reference to 1,524 dwellings changing to 1,614 dwellings (to correct a drafting error)	text to provide clarity, no further SA/SEA required.			
IC01	M	SP 12	Table 2c and 2e	N/A	Policy SP12 – Delete Martletwy from list of 2c Service Villages and include as 2e Small Local Village	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A		
IC01	M	SP 12	Footnote 61	N/A	Delete final sentence of Footnote 61	Change to text to provide clarity, no further SA required.	N/A		
Chapter 6: General Policies									
MAC C	М	GN.7	6.37c	N/A	Insert a new paragraph after paragraph	Change is consistent	N/A		

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					"6.37c Mixed-use proposals on non- allocated sites will be considered against the relevant General policies contained within the Plan for the combination of uses proposed. The Council is supportive of mixed-use proposals, live-work units and home working where the location proposed is appropriate for that combination of use. Applicants will be required to demonstrate compliance with all relevant policies, for example, mixed-use proposals containing an element of residential use will only be considered suitable in locations where residential use would be considered appropriate. The Council recognises that small-scale employment premises can often coexist within or adjacent to residential development and that such co-location may in many instances bring sustainability benefits, provided that issues such	with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	

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					as amenity can be satisfactorily addressed."		
IC02	M	GN.39 ¹	N/A	N/A	Policy GN.39 – Delete Energy from Waste Plant allocation adjoining the Milford Haven (Murco) Refinery - Reference: WST/LDP/086/01	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
IC02	M	GN.39	Paragrap h 6.160	N/A	Delete Paragraph 6.160 ²	Change to text to provide clarity, no further SA required.	N/A
IC03	М	GN.31 ³	N/A	N/A	Amend policy to read: The development, or extension, of specialist residential accommodation will be permitted where a need for	Change is consistent with the SA	N/A

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¹ Note that Policy GN.39 is now GN.40 in the final LDP document

² Note that paragraph 6.160 is now 6.162 in the final LDP document

³ Note that Policy GN.31 is now GN.30 in the final LDP document

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					such a facility has and the following of the case of ne development is with immediately adjoint Settlement Boundar adaptation or conversation	riteria a w facili nin or w ning to ry, or ir ersion o g buildir tension location ccess v for the destriar elivery a	are met: ties the vell-related a nvolves the of an ng; or as, the scale development n is n; and e safe ns, cars, and service	report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	
					Site Name/Proposed Use	Area (Ha)	Reference		
					Park House, New Hedges	1.65	SSA/089/01		

Change No.	Significa nt / Minor	Policy No.	Para No.	Map Change	Proposed Change	SA/SEA Screening	SA needed?
IC04	M	GN.28 ⁴	N/A	N/A	Policy GN.28 - Delete housing allocation at Martletwy, west of Post Office Farm, Reference: HSG/083/LDP/01 and amend columns relating to Number of Units and Site Areas	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
IC05	M	GN.28	N/A	N/A	Policy GN.28 - Amend housing allocation at Simpson Cross, east of Hill Lane, Reference: HSG/119/LDP/01 to delete that part north-west of the minor road which splits the allocation. Amend columns relating to Number of Units and Site Areas to reflect reduced site area	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
MAC 99	М	GN.34	N/A	N/A	MAC99 is being amended, because item B (including points 1, 2 and 3 that	Change to supporting	N/A

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⁴ Note that Policy GN.28 is now GN.27 in the final LDP document

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					follow it) is erroneously repeated in the original document.	text to provide clarity, no further SA/SEA required.	
Chapter 7							
No recomi	mendations p	roposed in re	elation to this	s section.		N/A	N/A
Glossary							
No recomi	mendations p	roposed in re	elation to this	s section.		N/A	N/A
Appendic	es						
IC04	M	N/A	Table 2 in Appendix 3	N/A	Amend Table 2 in Appendix 3 to reflect deletion of allocation (Martletwy, west of Post Office Farm, Reference: HSG/083/LDP/01)	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A

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IC05	M	N/A	Table 2 in Appendix 3	N/A	Amend Table 2 in Appendix 3 to reflect amendment to allocation (Simpson Cross, east of Hill Lane, Reference: HSG/119/LDP/01 to delete that part north-west of the minor road which splits the allocation).	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
Map Chan	ges						
IC01	M	SP 12	N/A	Proposals Map Document	Change the position of Martletwy in the Proposals Map Document to reflect the above changes	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
IC02	М	GN.39	N/A	Proposals Map	Delete New Waste Management Facility from Proposals Map PM26	Change is consistent	N/A

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						with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	
IC04	M	GN.28	N/A	Proposals Map Document	Delete housing allocation Reference: HSG/083/LDP/01 and revise settlement boundary to follow southern edge of minor road on Proposals Map Document Inset Map 38 for Martletwy (see also IC01)	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain unchanged, no further SA required.	N/A
IC05	M	GN.28	N/A	Proposals Map Document	Amend housing allocation Reference: HSG/119/LDP/01 and revise settlement boundary to follow rear boundary of existing dwellings and northern boundary of minor road on Proposals Map Document Inset Map	Change is consistent with the SA report, assessment of Policy would remain	N/A

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					49 for Simpson Cross	unchanged, no further SA required.	