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# Wyre Local Plan Issues and Options 2024

The purpose of a local plan is to guide how the borough physically develops over the next 15 years. It will establish a vision for Wyre, and the strategy for delivering that vision. It will identify the overall amount of different types of development needed to sustain the borough and where that development should, and should not, take place. It will also identify land that should be protected for its environmental or social use and encourage high quality design and a regard for our valued heritage and landscape. Your input into this early stage of local plan preparation is important and we would value your comments on how Wyre plans for the future.

### Issues and Options Public Consultation

We are holding a public consultation from **29 July to 10 September 2024** on the first stage in developing a new Wyre Local Plan. This is called Issues and Options. The full Issues and Options document is available to view during the consultation dates at the Civic Centre reception during normal office hours and at libraries across Wyre (except the mobile library). Paper response forms and summary leaflets will also be available.

You can also view all of the consultation materials at **www.wyre.gov.uk/local-plan** 

### Staffed exhibitions will take place at

Thornton YMCA Mon 5 August, 2.30pm to 7pmGarstang Library Thurs 8 August, 1.30pm to 6.30pmForton Village Hall Mon 12 August, 2.30pm to 7pm

**Great Eccleston Village Centre** Tues 13 August, 2.30pm to 7pm

**Stalmine Village Hall** Wed 14 August, 2.30pm to 7pm **Fleetwood Marine Hall** Thurs 15 August, 2.30pm to 7pm

**Poulton-le-Fylde Community Hall** Sat 17 August, 10am to 2.30pm

The unstaffed exhibition will also be available to view at Wyre Civic Centre, Breck Road, Poulton-le-Fylde FY6 7PU from Wednesday 21 August to Tuesday 10 September during normal office hours.

## What happens next?

The Council will consider all of the comments received and publish a summary with its response. We are also continuing to gather the evidence we need to support the Plan. The next key stage will be the publication of a Draft Local Plan in early 2025 which will contain draft policies and draft site allocations and will be the subject of a further public consultation.

For more information and to give your feedback, visit **www.wyre.gov.uk/local-plan** 

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