

BLPG Agenda – DRAFT - 7 April 19.00

Apologies

Conflicts of interest

Minutes and actions from last meeting

Chair's report of activities

Comments from members of the public

Discussion with Wilmcote

Developer proposal for BW site (See Herald article below)

Possible activity - Local elections, Mary Arden Farm, monthly councillor emails (See below)

Planned meeting with George Cowcher (Jim)

Bearley Wildlife project (Dave)

Date of next meeting – 19 May

Topics for Councillor emails

These would be fairly light on text, with photos, maps and video to make our points clearly.

- Green Belt / quality of agricultural land/ Proximity to Stratford.
- Transport – roads, rail.
- Heritage – Mark Arden, listed buildings, conservation area.
- Flooding

- Biodiversity / SSSI
- Sustainability – ranking
- Recommendation seems more based on developer wishes than consultants council reports
- Summary

South Warwickshire Local Plan Preferred Options consultation – response statistics

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Stratford-on-Avon and Warwick District Councils would like to thank residents, Parish Councils, landowners, businesses, developers and agents for responding to the South Warwickshire Local Plan consultation which ended on the 7 March 2025.

The Councils received a total of **19,367 representations** via the South Warwickshire Local Plan online portal from **4,682 respondents** during the consultation period.

There are a further **1,402 respondent submissions** which need adding to the online portal system, which were received as emails and handwritten responses via the post. The exact number of representations this will create, will be established in a few weeks' time once the information has been inputted.

Accordingly, a grand total of **6,084 respondent submissions** were received from the consultation exercise.

In terms of the next steps, once all the information has been logged, the team will be reviewing the responses in detail to help inform the next stage of the South Warwickshire Local Plan.

A consultation summary statement will also be prepared later on in the year which will provide more information.

