

KIRKLEES LOCAL PLAN
STAGE 4 HEARINGS

AGENDA

Thursday 22nd March 2018 at 9.30am
Reception Room, Dewsbury Town Hall,
Wakefield Old Road, Dewsbury, WF12 8DG

MATTER 37 – BATLEY AND SPEN HOUSING ALLOCATIONS: GREEN BELT RELEASES

Please note:

- All participants are encouraged to familiarise themselves with the hearing statements produced by the Council and other parties in respect of the issues addressed at this session. These are available on the Examination website.
- The agenda is based on questions posed by the Inspector in the Stage 4 Matters Issues and Questions (MIQs) document. This has already been circulated and can be viewed on the Examination website.
- Please see the Hearings Programme for a list of the participants at each session.

Morning session – commencing at 9.30am

1. Inspector's opening remarks

MATTER 37 – BATLEY AND SPEN¹ HOUSING ALLOCATIONS: GREEN BELT RELEASES

Are the proposed Green Belt release housing allocations in the Batley and Spen Sub-Area justified, effective, developable/deliverable and consistent with national policy?

2. Allocation sites in the following order:

- H442 – land between Richmond Park & Sunnyside Avenues, Roberttown (250 dwellings)
- H49a – land adjacent to Brick Hill Farm, Oddfellows Street, Scholes (34 dwellings)
- H69 – Merchant Fields, Hunsworth Lane, Cleckheaton (413 dwellings)

Afternoon session – commencing at some point between 1pm and 2pm²

- H508 – land west of Whitechapel Middle School, Whitechapel Road, Cleckheaton (170 dwellings)
- H198 – land south of Second Avenue, Hightown, Liversedge (125 dwellings)
- H489 – land at 7 Church Lane, Gomersal, Cleckheaton (22 dwellings)
- H591 – land west of Cliffe Mount, Ferrand Lane, Gomersal (135 dwellings)
- H2537 – land adjacent Halifax Road, Hightown, Liversedge (23 dwellings)
- H662 – land rear of 52 Upper Batley Low Lane, Batley (33 dwellings)

¹ Batley and Spen Sub-Area, but excluding Green Belt release site MX1905 which is covered in the Dewsbury and Mirfield Sub-Area session on Day 5. Also note that site H2667 (land at former Gomersal Primary School) is being dealt with at the hearing session on Wednesday 14th March.

² Participants for the afternoon session are requested to arrive by 1pm.