



Gosport Borough Council
Local Plan 2011-2029 Publication Version Consultation
Schedule of representations made of behalf of PUSH
September 2014

Policy number	Support or object	Detailed comments
		<p>The Partnership for Urban South Hampshire (PUSH) comprises the twelve local authorities which are wholly or partly within South Hampshire. PUSH recognises that the house building targets and other policies in the South East Plan remain part of the statutory Development Plan for each Authority until finally revoked. However, PUSH notes the Government's intention to revoke Regional Strategies can be a material planning consideration in certain circumstances.</p> <p>At its meeting held on 2 October 2012, the PUSH Joint Committee adopted a revised South Hampshire Strategy which takes account of the development and other changes since 2006, including the reduced prospects for economic growth resulting from the recession. As a consequence, the revised South Hampshire Strategy includes updated policies and a reduced overall housing requirement. The revised Strategy also sets out house building provision and employment floorspace requirements for individual authorities, over the remaining period of the strategy, i.e. from 2011 to 2026. To download the South Hampshire strategy and the suite of supplementary documents please visit the PUSH website at: http://www.push.gov.uk/work/housing-and-planning/south_hampshire_strategy.htm</p> <p>The comments below are therefore made in the context of the revised South Hampshire Strategy October 2012 (A framework to guide sustainable development and change to 2026).</p>
LP3	Support	<p>The policy sets out the development needs of the area up to 2029 which are all broadly in line with the South Hampshire Strategy 2012.</p> <p>The housing figure in the policy is in line with the South Hampshire Strategy. The South Hampshire Strategy (SHS), provides a sub-regional basis for the local authorities</p>

		<p>housing requirements necessary to deliver the former PUSH Economic Growth Strategy. The Gosport Local Plan housing target is consistent with the South Hampshire Strategy and these figures remain valid until they are replaced by a new spatial strategy 2016-2036. Therefore PUSH supports the housing targets set out in the Gosport Local Plan.</p>
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