

South Lakeland District Council is inviting your comments on the **Issues and Options** stage of its Local Plan Review. The Local Plan covers the parts of South Lakeland District which lie outside the Lake District and Yorkshire Dales National Parks.

Following an extended period of **early engagement** in 2020, we have considered the views and comments received and are now seeking your further views on a range of policy options and approaches to a series of key issues. These are set out in our Issues and Options report. These are grouped around 8 main 'themes', under the overarching theme of Climate Change. They set out ways in which the Local Plan Review can deliver on the Council's strong commitment to action on climate change and biodiversity, while at the same time carefully considering other matters including the housing and economic growth that our area needs to continue to thrive.

Please let us have your views **by 30 September 2021**. You can get involved in the consultation in several ways:

- **Visit our virtual consultation room** to see our exhibition boards and find links to our **online survey** and consultation documents:  
[https://lucmaps.co.uk/South\\_Lakeland\\_Local\\_Plan\\_Consultation/](https://lucmaps.co.uk/South_Lakeland_Local_Plan_Consultation/)
- Browse our **Document Library** on our **website**, or in person at Kendal Town Hall and libraries in Kendal, Ulverston, Kirkby Lonsdale, Grange-over-Sands, Milnthorpe and Arnside.  
[www.southlakeland.gov.uk/LocalPlanReviewIO](http://www.southlakeland.gov.uk/LocalPlanReviewIO)
- **Talk to a planning officer** online or phone - see our website for details and times.
- Respond to our **online survey** (our preferred way to receive comments, as it reduces administrative costs)  
<https://cumbria.citizenspace.com/south-lakeland-district-council/south-lakeland-local-plan-review-issues-and-option>
- You can also request a paper **response form or write** to us: Strategy Team, South Lakeland District Council, South Lakeland House, Lowther Street, Kendal LA9 4DQ.
- We hope to arrange **in-person drop-in events in September** subject to guidance on the covid-19 situation, if it's safe to do so. We'll publicise them on our website and on social media and with local posters and flyers.

We hope you will want to get involved in the review of our Local Plan and help us plan for the future.

We have written to you because you previously requested to be kept informed about the Local Plan, or because we have identified you as a key stakeholder. As you are on our Local Plan mailing list, we will continue to update you on progress with the Local Plan review and advise you of forthcoming consultation opportunities.

However if you would prefer us not to contact you further on this, or if you want us to update your contact details, then please email us at [development.plans@southlakeland.gov.uk](mailto:development.plans@southlakeland.gov.uk) , or write to the address above, or call the Strategy Team on 01539 733333.

Yours faithfully

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