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The Planning Inspectorate

Shropshire Council
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Date: 25 July 2025

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Dear Matthew,

Withdrawal of the Shropshire Local Plan (2016-2028) from Examination

In accordance with section 22(1) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 (the Act), Shropshire Council submitted its Local Plan to the Secretary of State in September 2021 to allow the examination to commence.

Further to the correspondence from the Inspectors dated 17th February 2025 (ID48), and following agreement of Council on 17th July 2025, Shropshire Council now confirms it formally withdraws the draft Local Plan 2016-2038 from the Examination.

Following your confirmation of the formal withdrawal of the Local Plan from the examination, the Council will comply with section 27 of the Act.

The Council would therefore be grateful for confirmation from the Planning Inspectorate that you recognise the formal withdrawal of the Local Plan.

Kind regards,

Eddie West
Planning Policy and Strategy Manager
Shropshire Council

