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Draft New Forest National Park Design Guide Supplementary Planning Document (SPD)

Statement of Representations Procedure

Title of Document:

New Forest National Park Design Guide (Incorporating the National Park Design Code) Supplementary Planning Document – Consultation Draft.

Subject Matter and area covered by the document:

The Design Guide SPD provides guidance to help achieve high standards of design in development proposals while retaining and enhancing the distinctive character of the New Forest National Park. It applies across the whole of the designated New Forest National Park. The Design Guide SPD incorporates the relevant design code elements for the National Park area and supplements the policies in the adopted New Forest National Park Local Plan 2016 – 2036 (adopted August 2019).

Period of public consultation for representations:

Representations are invited on the draft Design Guide SPD between **Friday 10 September 2021 and 5pm on Friday 22 October 2021**. Comments received outside of these dates will not be considered.

How to view the draft Design Guide SPD:

The consultation material is available at www.newforestnpa.gov.uk/consultations

The consultation material is also available to view at the New Forest National Park Authority office at Lymington Town Hall, Avenue Road, Lymington, S041 9ZG between the hours of 9am to 4pm Monday to Friday.

How to make representations:

The response form can be completed at www.newforestnpa.gov.uk/consultations

Comments can also be submitted in writing to the Policy Team at the New Forest National Park Authority, Lymington Town Hall, Avenue Road, Lymington SO41 9ZG or emailed to policy@newforestnpa.gov.uk

All of the representations made during the 6-week consultation period will be considered and any amendments will be made before the revised Design Guide SPD is considered at a full National Park Authority meeting for formal adoption.

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