

East Staffordshire Borough Council

Open Space and Playing Pitch Supplementary Planning Document

Adoption Statement

19th March 2019

This statement is prepared in accordance with The Town and Country Planning (Local Planning) (England) Regulations 2012.

On 18th March 2019 the Council adopted the Open Space and Playing Pitch Supplementary Planning Document.

The Council published its draft Supplementary Planning Document on 13th November 2018 and invited representations by 2nd January 2019. In total 24 representations were received.

The SPD was modified as follows to take account of representations made, pursuant to Section 23(1) of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004:

- Consideration of the connectivity, topography and available parking arrangements for open spaces
- A flexible approach towards SuDS
- Expected process for agreeing open space management plans
- Update on the delivery of the sports hubs sites
- Expected use of the playing pitch calculator
- Reference to the future update of playing pitch costs

The Council made these modifications to address representations and provide further clarity to the document.

Any person with sufficient interest in the decision to adopt the supplementary planning document may apply to the High Court for permission to apply for judicial review of that decision. Any such application must be made promptly and in any event not later than 3 months after the date on which revision of the supplementary planning document was adopted.