

**Welwyn Hatfield Borough Council Local Plan Examination  
Draft Programme (V11) 4.8.20**

**Stage 1: 21 - 22 September 2017**

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| Thur 21 Sept             | 10:00-13:00<br>14:00-17:00 | Session 1<br><br>Session 2 | Inspector's Opening Statement<br>Council's Opening Statement<br>Legal Soundness & Duty to Co-operate |
| Fri 22 Sept<br>(Reserve) | 10:00-13:00                | Session 3                  | Legal Soundness & Duty to Co-operate   |

**Stage 2: 24 October - 27 October 2017**

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| Tues 24 Oct | 10:00-17:00<br>14:00-17:00 | Session 4<br>Session 5               | Housing Market Area<br>Objectively Assessed Housing Need<br>Employment Forecasts      |
| Wed 25 Oct  | 10:00-17:00<br>14:00-17:00 | Session 6<br>Session 7               | Green Belt<br>Green Belt  |
| Thur 26 Oct | 10:00-13:00<br>14:00-17:00 | Session 8<br>Session 9<br>Session 10 | Spatial vision and Targets<br>Spatial Vision and Targets<br>Housing Land Availability |
| Fri 27 Oct  | 10.00-13.00                | Session 11                           | Reserve   |

**Joint Session - Birchall Garden Suburb: 30 January 2018**

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| Tues 30 Jan | 10.00-17.00 | Joint Session<br>WHBC & EHDC | Site Allocation: SDS2 and EWEL 1 |
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**Stage 3: 20 February - 22 February 2018**

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| Tues 20 Feb | 10.00-17.00  | Session 12 | SP4 Transport & Travel & SADM 2-3 inc<br>SP5 Retail development & SADM 4-6 inc<br>SP6 Community services and facilities &<br>SADM 6-8 inc<br>SP 7 Type & Mix of Housing & SADM 9   |
| Wed 21 Feb  | 10.00- 17.00 | Session 13 | SP8 Local economy & SADM 10<br>SP9 Place Making & High Quality Design &<br>SADM 11-12 inc<br>SP10 Sustainable Design & Construction &<br>SADM 13-14 inc<br>SP11 Protection and enhancement of<br>Critical environmental assets |
| Thur 22 Feb | 10.00-13.00  | Session 14 | SP12 Strategic Green Infrastructure & SADM<br>15-18 inc<br>SP13 Infrastructure delivery<br>SP14 New Schools  |

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| Thur 22 Feb                            | 14.00-17.00                          | Session 15               | Reserve/round up   |
| <b>Stage 4: 26 June - 29 June 2018</b> |                                      |                          |  |
| Tues 26 June                           | 10:00-17:00                          | Session 16               | WGC Town Centre SP16<br>SADM 17, 19-21 inclusive<br>HS1, HS2, HS6 and HS7<br>SP17 Broadwater Road West |
| Wed 27 June                            | 10:00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 17<br>Session 18 | SP18 Panshanger<br>Reserve   |
| Thur 28 June                           | 10:00-13:00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 19<br>Session 20 | Hatfield SP20:,SP22;HS9;SADM22 & 26<br>Reserve   |
| Fri 29 June                            | 10:00-13:00                          | Session 21               | Reserve  |
| <b>Stage 5: 6 - 7 November 2018</b>    |                                      |                          |  |
| Tues 6 Nov                             | 10.00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 22<br>Session 23 | Green Belt Review<br>Green Belt Review   |
| Wed 7 Nov                              | 10.00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 24<br>Session 25 | Green Belt Review<br>Green Belt Review   |
| <b>Stage 6: 16 - 18 December 2019</b>  |                                      |                          |  |
| Mon 16 Dec                             | <b>13.00-17.00</b>                   | Session 26               | Birchall Garden Suburb   |
| Tues 17 Dec                            | <b>09.30</b> -13.00<br>14.00 - 17.00 | Session 27<br>Session 28 | Housing need forecasts<br>Employment land need   |
| Wed 18 Dec                             | <b>09.30</b> - 13.00                 | Session 29               | Reserve and round-up   |
| <b>Stage 7: 10 - 16 March 2020</b>     |                                      |                          |  |
| Tues 10 March                          | 10.00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 30<br>Session 31 | Birchall Garden Suburb<br>Birchall Garden Suburb   |
| Wed 11 March                           | 10.00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 32<br>Session 33 | Symondshyde New Village<br>Symondshyde New Village   |
| Thur 12 March                          | 10.00-13.00<br>14.00-17.00           | Session 34<br>Session 35 | Reserve<br>Reserve and round-up  |

| <b>Stage 8: 28 July – 26 August</b> |             |            |   |
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| Tues 28 July                        | 09.30-13.00 | Session 36 | University of Hertfordshire SADM 34 SP2   |
| Wed 29 July                         | 9.30-13.00  | Session 37 | Welwyn Parish SADM 29, Sites HS 18 (Wel 11), HS 19 (Wel14) & HS 20 (Wel 11)<br>SADM 28, Sites HS 16 (OMH8) and HS 17 (OHMS) |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 38 | Woolmer Green SADM27 Site HS25 (WGr1) and SADM 10, (EA10)   |
| Thurs 30 July                       | 9.30-13.00  | Session 39 | Welham Green: Development South of South Road, SADM 26, Site HS11 (Hat 11) and SADM8 Hatfield Cemetery                      |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 40 | Marshmoor : SADM 30 (Site SDS7 (WeG4b) and SADM 30 Site HS35 (GTA01)  |
| Tues 18 Aug                         | 9.30-13.00  | Session 41 | Brookmans Park: SADM 31 Site HS21 (BrP13) and Site HS23 (BrP14)   |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 42 | Brookmans Park: SADM 31 Site HS22(BrP4)   |
| Wed 19 Aug                          | 9.30-13.00  | Session 43 | Little Heath: SADM 32 Sites HS24 (Brp7) and HS25 (LHe1)   |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 44 | SP3 New Barnfield Resource Centre and Roehyde Waste Site  |
| Tues 25 Aug                         | 9.30-13.00  | Session 45 | Cuffley: SADM 33 Site HS26 (Cuf 02) HS27 (Cuf 01)   |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 46 | Cuffley: SADM 33 Sites HS 28 (Cuf 6)  |
| Wed 26 Aug                          | 9.30-13.00  | Session 47 | Cuffley: SADM 33 Sites HS29 (Cuf12), HS30 (Cuf 7) and HS31 (No 10)  |
|                                     | 14.00-17.00 | Session 48 | Taking Stock  |

*Every effort will be made to keep to this draft timetable, but late changes may be unavoidable. Updated programmes will be published on the hearings sessions page of the examination webpages:-*

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