

PROGRESS

- A 'face to face' meeting took place on the 12th August between Steering Group members, Sheepy borough councillor and HBBC senior Planning Policy and discussed the current status and plan re Sheepy's Neighbourhood Plan refresh project and the HBBC Local Plan refresh
- It was agreed that Sheepy would make a proposal for consideration by HBBC as to a way forward to allow the NP project to complete whilst recognising the emerging Local Plan update project through to 2023/4
- A proposal has subsequently been submitted by the NP SG and is being considered by HBBC
- Final Screening Assessment received from the remaining public body statutory consultees; no concerns raised
- The small number of responses received during our Pre-submission Consultation have been considered by the Steering Group. A few, minor modifications resulted to the latest Pre-submission version of the Neighbourhood Plan and the first draft of a Submission version generated. Completion of the draft is dependent on reaching consensus with HBBC on a way forward
- Agreement with HBBC is still critical to the way forward and timescales will be dependent on the outcomes.

FINANCE

- On budget

NEXT STEPS

- Continue negotiations with HBBC to reach agreement
- Re-estimate timescales

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