

## SOUTHAMPTON CITY COUNCIL LOCAL PLAN

## **ADOPTION STATEMENT**

## CITY CENTRE ACTION PLAN AND CORE STRATEGY PARTIAL REVIEW

In accordance with Regulations 26 of the Town and Country Planning (Local Development) (England) Regulations 2012, notice is hereby given that Southampton City Council adopted the City Centre Action Plan and Core Strategy Partial Review on 18<sup>th</sup> March 2015.

Christina Downes, an Independent Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government, considered the City Centre Action Plan and Core Strategy Partial Review at a joint Examination in Public held between 31<sup>st</sup> March and 4<sup>th</sup> April 2014. The Inspector's Report, with its recommendations, was published on 1<sup>st</sup> December 2014. The adopted plans contains the Inspector's recommendations that are binding on the Council.

Any person aggrieved by the City Centre Action Plan or Core Strategy Partial Review may make an application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the ground that:-

- a) the document is not within the appropriate powers;
- b) and/or a procedural requirement has not been complied with.

Any such application must be made no later than the end of the period of 6 weeks starting from 18<sup>th</sup> March 2015 (i.e. by 29<sup>th</sup> April 2015).

Copies of the adopted City Centre Action Plan and Core Strategy Partial Review, the adoption statement, the Sustainability Appraisal report and the Inspector's Report are available for inspection on the Council's website at: <a href="https://www.southampton.gov.uk/planning/planning-policy/">www.southampton.gov.uk/planning/planning-policy/</a>

The plans can also be inspected at Gateway, near the Civic Centre (open Monday, Tuesday and Friday 8.30am – 5.30pm, Wednesday 9.30am – 5.30pm and Thursday 8.30am-7pm) and at the Central Library (open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday 10am – 7pm, Wednesday 10am – 6pm, Friday 10am-5pm and Saturday 10am – 4pm).

For further information about the City Centre Action Plan and Core Strategy Partial Review please contact Planning Policy on 023 8083 3919 or 023 8083 3828 or email city.plan@southampton.gov.uk