From: Bambridge, Gordon Sent: 31 August 2018 14:18

To:

Cc: Berry, Jon; Susan Warren; Programme Officer; Mann, James

Subject: Re: Local Plan Queries

Hi Richard,

I have replied to this as although I was only copied in, rather than a principle recipient, it appears to have been sent to an Alan Mann and a James Winter. Would this have been correct? As it appears to be a response to James Mann's response to your earlier mail? (Apologies if I am wrong)

No doubt James and Charlotte will respond to the specific questions and comments, but I would point out that the planning inspector works entirely outside of Breckland and produces his own timetable. Also that the Local Plan has no effect until it is adopted, and that this cannot happen until it is approved by the inspector. Until that time, as I understand the rules, the old Local Development Framework is the primary decider on what happens to a planning application, and also that until the Local Plan is in place Breckland is unlikely to have a five year land supply.

Because I have a number of meetings on Tuesday, and one of those has an urgent matter, I may not be back to attend the parish meeting before you finish, but I will try. I will then be able to answer your questions. Failing that I will always make myself available for a meeting with your chairman and other councillors at another time.

Best regards, *Gordon* 

Gordon Bambridge Executive Member Growth Upper Wensum Ward