Land adjacent to Woodside Farm, Harbury Lane, Warwickshire

Presentation to the Proposed Review Development Forum

November 2012





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The Applicant and its Consultant Team

- Thomas Bates and Son Limited is a family run company that has owned land adjacent to Woodside Farm for over 60 years. Since established back in 1927 the company has delivered a variety of residential, commercial and industrial projects
- To prepare a planning application including Environmental Impact Assessment, the Company has appointed a team of specialist consultants:
 - Andrew Martin Planning -Town Planning, Environmental Impact Assessment co-ordination,
 Design and Access Statement including Masterplanning
 - Transport Planning Consultants Highways and Transportation
 - RSK Environmental Noise and Vibration, Air and Climate and Utilities
 - Catherine Bickmore Associates Ecology
 - Capita Symonds Landscape and Visual Impact Assessment
 - KM Heritage Cultural Heritage
 - EPDS Consultants Education and Health
 - WSP Flood Risk and Drainage Strategy, and Lighting
 - Colchester Archaeological Trust Archaeology
 - Local Dialogue Stakeholder Communications

Planning Policy Context

- In Warwick District there is a limited availability of urban brownfield land and extensions to the urban area are therefore seen to offer the most sustainable location for growth
- Land adjacent to Woodside Farm has been allocated for 250 houses and open space, to be developed in Phase 1 of the plan period – 2011-2019
- The Council propose to work with developers and the local community to bring forward new developments in attractive surroundings under the principles of Garden Suburbs
- Mindful of the fact that the Council does not have a five-year supply of land for housing as national planning policy requires, and the lead-in times for actual delivery, the applicants have begun the preparation of an outline planning application and environmental impact assessment, in parallel with the emerging Local Plan

Planning Policy Context

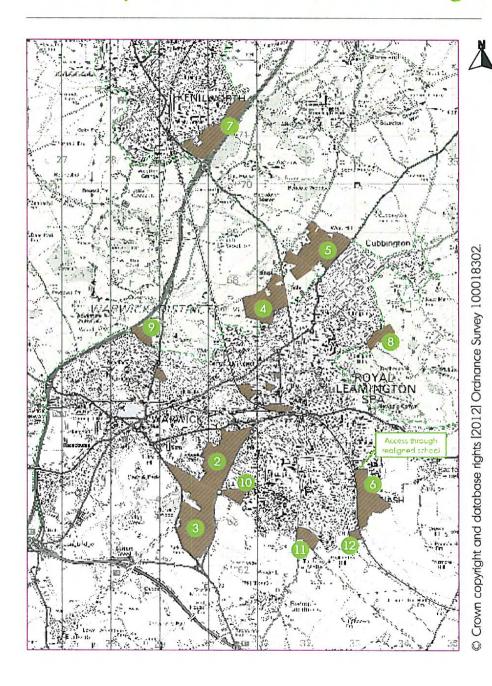
 The following map and schedule represent extracts from the Local Plan, Preferred Options, May 2012

PO4 Preferred Option: Distribution of Sites for Housing

Our preferred option is to allocate land for housing, employment, open space and community facilities in the following locations:

Location	Scale and Range of Uses
Sites within existing towns (see full report for details)	480 houses
Myton Garden Suburb (North of Gallows Hill/ West of Europa Way), Warwick	1100 houses, plus employment, open space and community facilities
South of Gallows Hill/ West of Europa Way, Warwick	1600 houses plus employment, open space and community facilities
Milverton Gardens (North of Milverton), Leamington	810 houses plus employment, open space and community facilities
Slackdown	1170 houses plus employment, open space and community facilities
Whitnash East/South of Sydenham	650 houses plus open space and community facilities
Thickthorn, Kenilworth	770 houses plus employment, open space and community facilities
Red House Farm, Lillington	200 houses plus open space
Loes Farm, Warwick	180 houses plus open space
Warwick Gates Employment Land	200 houses, plus open space
Woodside Farm, Tachbrook Rd	250 houses, plus open space
Fieldgate Lane/Golf Lane, Whitnash	90 house, plus open space
Category 1 villages	500 houses
Category 2 villages	About 350 houses

Development Sites - (Urban Fringe)



The Emerging Proposals

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Constraints and Opportunities

