

**TONBRIDGE & MALLING LOCAL DEVELOPMENT FRAMEWORK  
Public Examinations**

**Development Land Allocation DPD**

**Matters & Issues**

12/09/07

The nature of the DLADPD is such that it lends itself more to a site-by-site, rather than issue-based, analysis.

My examination will consider all the tests of soundness (paragraph 4.24 of PPS12), but the key matters which those making further submissions should address are:

- test 6 (in particular, are the changes proposed consistent with the provisions of the Core Strategy);
- test 7 (are the policies/allocations the most appropriate in all the circumstances); and
- test 9 (are the policies/allocations reasonably flexible).

I will also be pursuing matters relating to test 8 (implementation and monitoring) with the Council. I intend to deal with these matters initially through written exchanges. Depending on the outcome of those exchanges, a hearing session may be necessary. All correspondence will be open to view through the Programme Officer.

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