

**PLANNING AND COMPULSORY PURCHASE ACT 2004**

**THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (LOCAL DEVELOPMENT) (ENGLAND)  
REGULATIONS 2004 – REGULATION 34**

**SWINDON CENTRAL AREA ACTION PLAN DEVELOPMENT PLAN DOCUMENT**

**NOTICE OF COMMENCEMENT OF INDEPENDENT EXAMINATION**

**April 2008**

Swindon Borough Council has submitted its Swindon Central Area Action Plan to the Secretary of State for Independent Examination.

The Central Area Action Plan is a document that sets out a framework for the regeneration of Central Swindon. When adopted the Central Area Action Plan will form part of the Swindon Borough Local Development Framework.

The Central Area Action Plan is being scrutinised independently by Linda Wride Dip TP MRTPI of the Planning Inspectorate who has been appointed by the Secretary of State to conduct the Examination.

The purpose of the Examination is to hear representations on the soundness of the Swindon Central Area Action Plan.

A Pre-Examination meeting will open at 10.00am on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April to discuss the management of the Examination. This meeting will be held at Swindon Borough Council's Council Chamber, Civic Offices, Euclid Street, Swindon, SN1 2JH.

The Hearing part of the Examination will formally open at 10.00am on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2008 in the Pilgrim Centre, Regent Circus, Swindon SN1 1PX.

Anyone with an interest in attending the Examination or Pre-Examination Meeting should notify the Examination Programme Officer, Ian Kemp on Telephone 01788 562864 or email [jdkemp@ntlworld.com](mailto:jdkemp@ntlworld.com)

Copies of the Central Area Action Plan and associated documentation are available for public inspection at Swindon Borough Council Customer Services at Premier House, Station Road, Swindon or Wat Tyler House, Beckhampton Street, Swindon. The documents may also be viewed at all libraries within Swindon Borough, during normal opening hours of those libraries, and can also be viewed on the Borough's website:

<http://www.swindon.gov.uk/centralareaactionplan-examination>

Further information is available by contacting the Forward Planning team at the Borough Council on 01793 466613, or e-mail [forwardplanning@swindon.gov.uk](mailto:forwardplanning@swindon.gov.uk)

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