

## Gosport Waterfront and Town Centre Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) Consultation Draft

PLANNING SERVICES GOSPORT

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We are seeking your views on the Gosport Waterfront and Town Centre SPD which provides the planning framework for this part of the Borough.

A copy of the document is available on the Council's website:

[www.gosport.gov.uk/waterfrontspd](http://www.gosport.gov.uk/waterfrontspd)

If you have any queries regarding the SPD or about making any representations please contact the Planning Policy Section at [planning.policy@gosport.gov.uk](mailto:planning.policy@gosport.gov.uk) or telephone **023 9254 5458**

The Comments Form is divided into sections to assist with structuring any comments you may have.

There is a section near the end of the Comments Form (Question11) which can be used if you require additional space or make comments not covered by the questions included on the form.



Comments will need to be submitted to Gosport Borough Council by ~~19th September 2017~~

Consultation deadline now extended to **midnight 29th September 2017.**

### Vision *(page 5 of the SPD)*

1. Do you have any comments regarding the Vision?

### Strengths, Weakness, Opportunities and Challenges *(page 10 of the SPD)*

2. Do you have any comments regarding the **strengths** of the Waterfront and Town Centre area identified in the SPD? (eg. agree, disagree, any additional ones?)

3. Do you have any comments regarding the **weaknesses** of the Waterfront and Town Centre area identified in the SPD? (eg. agree, disagree, any additional ones?)

**Strengths, Weakness, Opportunities and Challenges** (page in SPD)

4. Do you have any comments regarding the **opportunities** of the Waterfront and Town Centre area identified in the SPD? (eg. agree, disagree, any additional ones?)

5. Do you have any comments regarding the **challenges** of the Waterfront and Town Centre area identified in the SPD? (eg. agree, disagree, any additional ones?)

**Themes** (including the objectives, principles and examples given)

6. Please include any comments you may have regarding:

**Theme A: Creating an Attractive Townscape** (page 19 of the SPD)

**Theme B: Creating New Employment Opportunities** (page 26 of the SPD)

**Theme C: Enhancing the Shopping and Leisure Experience** (page 29 of the SPD)

*NOT NEAR WATERFRONT*

**Theme D: Providing New Homes** (page 32 of the SPD)

*NOT ON WATERFRONT BY HARBOUR AND SEAWARD TOWERS  
KEEP ALL GREEN SPACES HERE*

**Theme E: Improving Accessibility** (page 34 of the SPD)

**Theme F: Improving Public Realm and Green Infrastructure Provision** (page 40 of the SPD)

**Themes** (including the objectives, principles and examples given)

Please include any comments you may have regarding:

**Theme G: Managing Flood Risk** (page 44 of the SPD)
**Theme H: Providing Appropriate Infrastructure** (page 49 of the SPD)
**Theme J: Creating a Healthier Town** (page 50 of the SPD)
**Character Areas**

7. Please include any comments you may have regarding the proposals for the Character areas (including: What else would you like to see? Additional opportunities? Issues not covered? Concerns or queries?)

**The Bus Station and Falkland Gardens** (page 55 of the SPD)

Requires complete new build and Public Toilet Block  
Falkland gardens should remain as is, and in 'Bloom'.  
A much used popular place with exceptional harbour views

**Gosport Waterfront North of Mumby Road** (page 60 of the SPD)
**Royal Clarence Yard and the Retained Area** (page 61 of the SPD)
**North of the High Street** (page 64 of the SPD)
**The High Street and associated areas** (page 67 of the SPD)

Need fewer 'cheap' shops and more quality trading.  
Decent Restaurant, maybe with entertainment (evenings)  
to attract visitors.

## Character Areas

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### South Street (page 70 of the SPD)

### Trinity Green area (page 73 of the SPD)

? New Housing to be built Between Blake Court right down to Harbour Tower? Would use all the green landscape which enhances the area. There aren't even enough parking spaces. The area would be turned into Concrete Jungle not attractive so close to the waterfront.

### Haslar Marina (page 77 of the SPD)

### The Gosport Lines (page 79 of the SPD)

## Overall comments

8. Is there anything in the SPD that particularly concerns you and why?

Lack of maintenance at focal points waterfront area. ie Timespace needs cleaning and repairs. Not attractive also The tall clock situated by Sea Wall Falkland Gardens is not working! These things matter.

9. Are there any other sites within the Waterfront and Town Centre area which have potential for development?

10. Please can you give any suggestions of what else the Council should consider to include in the final version of the SPD?

**Any further comments?**

11. Please include any comments you may have

Don't want Pop up Shops Near tower Block creating food smells litter, noise from groups of youths loitering.

NO NEED FOR PLAY AREAS. THERE ARE PLENTY OF LOCAL WELL EQUIPPED AREAS FOR CHILDREN IN EXCELLENT SITUATIONS.

KEEP THE WATERFRONT AREA FREE FROM CLUTTER IT IS UNIQUE AS IT IS. PEACEFUL AND PLEASANT.

*\*More space available on the back page.*

**Contact details**

12. Please could you complete your contact details.

Name:

Mrs M Kirby

Organisation (if applicable):

Address:

Postcode:

Email:

**Data protection:** Gosport Borough Council is registered under the Data Protection Act 1998. The information that you provide in completing this form will only be used by the Council in the development of Planning documents. Please note that private individuals will not be named when we report comments to the Council's Board. However hard copies of each comments form will be available for inspection at the Town Hall once the consultation period is completed (address, and e-mail details will be redacted).

**Returning responses**

Comments can either be sent to Deputy Head of Planning Services (Policy)  
Gosport Borough Council  
Town Hall  
High Street  
Gosport  
PO12 1EB

or emailed to [planning.policy@gosport.gov.uk](mailto:planning.policy@gosport.gov.uk)

**What happens next?**

All comments received will be reported to the relevant Council Board together with any proposed actions and/or amendments to the SPD as a result of the consultation process. The SPD will then be recommended for adoption and will become a key consideration when determining future planning applications. Future planning applications will also be subject to public consultation.

Additional space for comments.

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