## **GOSPORT BOROUGH COUNCIL**

## **Design Guidance: Supplementary Planning Document Statement of Consultation**

The public consultation for the Design Guidance Supplementary Planning Document (SPD) was carried out in accordance with the process outlined in the draft Statement of Community Involvement in accordance with the Town and Country Planning (Local Development) (England) Regulations 2012.

The consultation period ran for six weeks between 26<sup>th</sup> June to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2013. The Borough Council conducted consultation in relation to the Design Guidance SPD: Consultation Draft and the accompanying Habitat Regulation Assessment: Screening Report. This included:

- letters to 218 organisations and individuals in its contact database;
- press releases;
- features on the Gosport Borough Council website;
- posters on the Council's borough wide notice boards;
- the SPD and supporting documents being available to view at the
  - Town Hall
  - Gosport Discovery Centre
  - Lee-on-the-Solent Library
  - Bridgemary Library
  - Elson Library

The Council received 13 responses from a variety of organisations as well as local residents. Each representation has been summarised and considered to inform the final version of the SPD and is included in 'Design Guidance SPD: Summary and Analysis of Consultation Responses'. This document can be at viewed at <a href="www.gosport.gov.uk/spd">www.gosport.gov.uk/spd</a> under the Design SPD heading.