

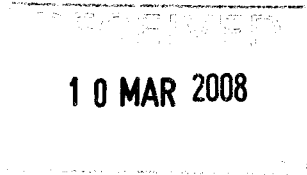
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Dear Sirs,

We are writing on behalf of the Highways Agency to inform you of works that are due to take place on the A259 Fishmarket Road in Rye, East Sussex.

This scheme is scheduled to take place from Monday 31 March 2008 until Monday 07 April 2008 between 8.00am and 6.00pm and involves replacing drainage channels to prevent the carriageway flooding on a 0.1km section on the northbound carriageway of the A259 at Fishmarket Road, Rye.

For the safety of road users and the workforce there will be a northbound lane closure with 24 hour temporary traffic lights in place, which will be manned during daytime peak hours. Access will be maintained to residences whilst works are carried out.

If you have any queries with regards to these works, please contact our Customer Care Line on 0845 6000414 or the Highways Agency (Area 4) c/o InterRoute, InterRoute House, Bailey Drive, Gillingham Business Park, Gillingham, Kent, ME8 0TT.

Yours faithfully,

Zoe Murzell  
On behalf of the Highways Agency

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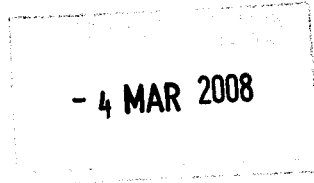


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## Joint Waste & Minerals Planning



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Dear Mr Farhall

### **East Sussex and Brighton & Hove Waste and Minerals Development Framework**

#### **Waste and Minerals Core Strategy and Minerals Sites Development Plan Document: Consultation on Issues and Options**

This is your opportunity to influence how and where waste is managed and minerals are extracted in East Sussex and Brighton & Hove.

East Sussex and Brighton & Hove Councils are required to prepare new waste and minerals planning policy, which will be known as the Waste and Minerals Development Framework, or WMDF. The role of the WMDF is to set out planning policy for waste and minerals planning for the area that covers both East Sussex and Brighton & Hove, which will support key decisions on where new waste facilities will go and how minerals will be provided for. The WMDF will replace existing waste and minerals policy (the Waste Local Plan and the Minerals Local Plan).

The two councils are jointly preparing two development plan documents (DPD) as the first stage of developing the WMDF:

- the 'Core Strategy (Development Plan Document)'; and
- the 'Minerals Sites Development Plan Document'.

Following several stages of public consultation, and an independent examination, the Core Strategy will set out strategic spatial policies for dealing with waste and minerals and will identify broad strategic locations for major waste facilities. The Minerals Sites Development Plan Document (DPD) will consider more detailed site-specific issues relating to the future allocations for minerals development. Issues and options for both DPDs are incorporated into one consultation document for your consideration.

#### **What is an Issues and Options consultation?**

The 'Issues and Options' document is the first stage of drafting the Waste and Minerals Core Strategy and identifying new minerals sites.

The main purpose of the 'Issues and Options' consultation is to ensure that the Councils identify all of the key issues to consider when planning for waste and minerals in East Sussex and Brighton & Hove, and consider all appropriate options for dealing with the issues that are raised.

### **How can I get involved?**

The Councils are now seeking your views on whether we have considered the relevant, strategic waste and minerals issues that should be considered when developing the new policies, and whether we have identified all of the alternative options for dealing with these issues.

There is an eight week consultation period from **29 February 2008 to 24 April 2008**, during which you can make written comments on the issues and options. During this time we will also be holding workshops and exhibitions that you are welcome to attend.

### **How do I make written comments?**

In the consultation document, each issue is explained briefly along with possible option(s) for addressing it. The document also contains background and contextual information relevant to the issues and options. Further, more detailed, background information and evidence is provided in a series of information papers.

We ask you to consider whether all of the issues and options have been identified, and whether there are additional issues or options that should be considered. You can submit your views online, by email, or by post or fax. To help you, a response form has been produced to accompany the consultation document.

The consultation document, response form, and information papers will be available online (to view or to download) from 29 February at <http://consult.eastsussex.gov.uk>

Paper copies of the document, response form, and information papers are also in deposit points across East Sussex and Brighton & Hove.

Please note, we are now using new software to make commenting online easier for stakeholders and it will now ask you to register and sign-into the website if you wish to submit comments. If you have previously given us your email address then you will receive an email shortly with your sign-in details.

### **Where and when can I attend a workshop?**

The Councils are also holding a number of participative workshops across East Sussex and Brighton & Hove where you can:

- find out more about the Issues and Options consultation and the broader WMDF;
- share views with a variety of stakeholders from different sectors; and
- help the Councils to understand your views about the Issues and Options through discussion in small groups.

You are welcome to attend any of the following workshops:

**Tuesday 25 March in Uckfield:** Weald Hall Uckfield Civic Centre, Bell Farm Lane, Uckfield, TN22 1AE

**Monday 31 March in Eastbourne:** Cuckmere Rooms, East Sussex Training and Development Centre, St Mary's House, 52 St Leonards Road, Eastbourne, BN21 3UU

**Wednesday 2 April in Hastings:** Council Chamber, Hastings Town Hall, Queens Road, Hastings, TN34 1QR

**Monday 7 April in Brighton:** Conference Hall, Jubilee Library, Brighton, BN1 1GE

All workshops run from 2pm to 5pm, with registration and coffee from 1.40pm. Following each workshop, there will be an exhibition open to anyone from 6-8pm.

If you wish to attend a workshop **please reserve your place by contacting us** using the details below, at least one week before the date of the event. Please let us know if you have special access requirements. Please also note due to limited resources, the workshops are restricted to **invitation only** and we will normally ask groups or organisations to send **just one representative**.

Our contact details for any queries and for reserving your place at a workshop are:

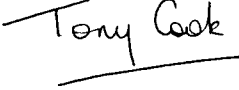

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We look forward to receiving your comments and meeting you soon.

Yours faithfully

	
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