

**NOTICE OF PRE-INQUIRY CHANGES TO THE
FINALISED WEST LOTHIAN LOCAL PLAN 2005**

Town and Country Planning (Scotland) Act 1997

Finalised West Lothian Local Plan 2005

On 22 November 2005 West Lothian Council's Enterprise and Development Committee approved changes to the Finalised West Lothian Local Plan 2005 (originally approved on 19 April 2005). The council is now making these changes available for inspection to allow the submission of objections.

The statutory requirement is to place the local plan pre-inquiry changes "on deposit" for six weeks to allow for the submission of objections to these changes. However, an additional period is being allowed due to the Christmas and New Year holiday period. The closing date for objections is therefore 20 January 2006.

From the week beginning 28 November 2005, the proposed pre-inquiry changes to the finalised local plan can be viewed at all libraries in West Lothian, and all Council Information Services (CIS) offices, as well as at County Buildings, Linlithgow, and West Lothian House, Almondvale Boulevard, Livingston (Monday to Thursday 0830-1700 & Friday 0830-1600). Alternatively, the local plan itself and the pre-inquiry changes can be viewed on the council's web-page. The address is provided below.

Objection forms are available at the above locations. Additional copies of the forms can be obtained from the contacts listed below, or from downloading directly from the web-page address.

Forms and responses can be sent to **Head of Development and Regulatory Services, FREEPOST SCO 4880, County Buildings, Linlithgow EH49 0BR**

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To view the web-page for the Finalised West Lothian Local Plan 2005 and the pre-inquiry changes; please go to www.westlothianonline.info, then "Obtain a Publication" then select "L" from the alphabet option.

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