

London Borough of Lewisham Core Strategy Adoption Statement

This Adoption Statement gives notice that Lewisham Council resolved to adopt its Core Strategy on the 29 June 2011. The Core Strategy is the principal document in the Lewisham Local Development Framework (LDF) and provides the vision, objectives, spatial strategy and policies to guide development in the Borough to the period 2026 and beyond. The Core Strategy will replace, in part, the Lewisham Unitary Development Plan (2004), as saved under the provisions laid out in Section 38 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.

Any person aggrieved by the adoption of the Core Strategy may make an application to the High Court under Section 113 of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 on the grounds that the document is not within the appropriate power and / or a procedural requirement has not been complied with. Any such application must be made within six weeks from the date of adoption of the Core Strategy which is **9 August 2011**.

The Core Strategy has been subject to an Examination in Public by an independent Planning Inspector appointed by the Secretary of State. The Inspector's Report was received on 28th March 2011. The Inspector's report, Core Strategy, Sustainability Appraisal, amendments to the Proposals Map, and all material relating to the examination process can be viewed on the Council's website

<http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/Environment/Planning/PlanningPolicy/LocalDevelopmentFramework/CoreStrategy.htm>. Hard copies are also available to view at the Business Centre planning desk at Laurence House, 1 Catford Road Catford and the Lewisham and Catford libraries during normal opening hours

<http://www.lewisham.gov.uk/LeisureAndCulture/Libraries/OurServices/OpeningHours.htm>

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