Statement of Deposit Matters

Caerphilly County Borough 2nd Replacement Local Development Plan 2020-2035 (2RLDP)

Deposit Plan Public Consultation - 28th October - 16th December, 2026

The Public Consultation

The Deposit Plan sets out:

- The issues and objectives that underpin the vision for the Plan;
- The vision that the Council has for the County Borough; and the strategy that seeks to deliver the vision;
- Strategic and issue or topic-based policies that are derived from the strategy;
- Site-based allocations and designations for specific land uses, which are consistent with the strategy and the policies set out within the Plan.

Further details are set out in the appendices which accompany the Plan, and in the Integrated Sustainability Appraisal (ISA) and Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA) documentation.

The Deposit Plan will be available to view online, in Penallta House and all libraries. Officers will be available on an appointment basis at Penallta House throughout the consultation period.

Planning Aid Wales has been commissioned to facilitate a series of community engagement workshop events. The details of these events are as follows:

- Wednesday 11 November 2026, 6 - 8pm Bargoed YMCA, 12, Aeron Place, Bargoed CF81 8JA
- Thursday 12 November 2026, 6 - 8pm Penallta House, Tredomen Park, Ystrad Mynach CF82 7PG
- Tuesday 17 November 2026, 6 - 8pm Risca Primary School, Dan-y-Graig Road, Risca NP11 6DB
- Wednesday 18 November 2026, 6 - 8pm Blackwood Miners Institute, High St, Blackwood NP12 1BB
- Thursday 26 November 2026, 6 - 8pm Twyn Community Centre, Twyn Square, Caerphilly CF83 1JL
- Tuesday 1 December 2026, 6 - 8pm Online

The events are not solely to discuss the area of the venue but will be looking at the County Borough as a whole and you are welcome to attend any of these events. To allow us an indication of numbers please can you reserve / book a place by using the following link and selecting your preferred date here:

https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/caerphilly-county-borough-2nd-rldp-up-to-2035-3883423/

How to Comment on the 2RLDP

Comments on the 2RLDP consultation can be made in the following ways:

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<tr><td>• Using the online consultation portal – For further information and to make comments online, please visit
https://caerphilly.oc2.uk</td><td rowspan="2"></td></tr>
<tr><td>• Email – ldp@caerphilly.gov.uk</td></tr>
<tr><td colspan="2">• Post - LDP Team, Caerphilly County Borough Council, Ty Penallta, Tredomen Park, Ystrad Mynach, Hengoed, CF82 7PG.</td></tr>
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THE DEADLINE FOR COMMENTS IS 16th DECEMBER 2026.