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## **MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS: APPLICATIONS CURRENTLY BEING ASSESSED AND OTHER DEVELOPMENTS AT PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATION STAGE**

Report by Head of Communities and Economy

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### **1 PURPOSE OF REPORT**

- 1.1 This report updates the Committee with regard to 'major' planning applications, formal pre-application consultations by prospective applicants, and the expected programme of applications due for reporting to the Committee.

### **2 BACKGROUND**

- 2.1 A major application is defined by regulations and constitutes proposed developments over a specified size. For example; a development comprising 50 or more dwellings, a business/industry use with a gross floor space exceeding 10,000 square metres, a retail development with a gross floor space exceeding 5,000 square metres and sites exceeding 2 hectares. A major application (with the exception of a Section 42 application to amend a previous grant of planning permission) cannot be submitted to the planning authority for determination without undertaking a formal pre application consultation (PAC) with local communities.
- 2.2 At its meeting of 8 June 2010 the Planning Committee instructed that it be provided with updated information on the procedural progress of major applications on a regular basis.
- 2.3 The current position with regard to 'major' planning applications and formal pre-application consultations by prospective applicants is outlined in Appendices A and B attached to this report.

### **3 DEVELOPMENT PLAN UPDATE**

- 3.1 The development plan is comprised of the Edinburgh and South East Scotland Strategic Development Plan June 2013 (SDP1) and the Midlothian Local Development Plan 2017 (MLDP). The MLDP was adopted by the Council at its meeting of 7 November 2017. The proposed Strategic Development Plan (SDP2) is currently subject to examination by Scottish Government Reporters. The Reporter's findings were originally scheduled to be published in April 2018,

however to date they have not been published and are now anticipated in June 2018.

#### **4 RECOMMENDATION**

- 4.1 The Committee is recommended to note the major planning application proposals which are likely to be considered by the Committee in 2018 and the updates for each of the applications.

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**Background Papers:** Planning Committee Report entitled 'Major Developments: Applications currently being assessed and other developments at Pre-Application Consultation stage' 8 June 2010.

## APPENDIX A

### MAJOR APPLICATIONS CURRENTLY BEING ASSESSED

Ref	Location	Proposal	Expected date of reporting to Committee	Comment
16/00893/PPP	Land at Salter's Park, Dalkeith	Application for Planning Permission in Principle for residential development, employment uses and associated works	June 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (14/00833/PAC) carried out by the applicants in November 2014 - January 2015.  This application is reported to this meeting of the Committee.
17/00408/DPP	Land at Old Craighall Road, Millerhill	Erection of 125 residential units; formation of access roads, SUDs features and associated works	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (14/00415/PAC) carried out by the applicants in June - September 2014.
17/00409/DPP	Land at Wellington Farm, Old Craighall Road, Millerhill	Erection of 116 residential units; formation of access roads, SUDs features and associated works	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (14/00415/PAC) carried out by the applicants in June - September 2014.
17/00435/DPP	Land at Newbyres, River Gore Road, Gorebridge	Erection of 125 residential units; formation of access roads, SUDs features and associated works	Being held in abeyance	Pre-Application Consultation (13/00609/PAC) carried out by the applicants in August - November 2013.  The applicant is currently reviewing their layout following advice from officers that the layout and form of the development is unacceptable and contrary to the development plan.
17/00980/PPP	Land adjacent former Rosslynlee Hospital, Roslin (Site AHs1)	Residential development and associated works and ancillary commercial use	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (16/00266/PAC) carried out by the applicants in April - June 2016  The site is identified as an additional housing opportunity in the adopted MLDP with an indicative 120 – 300 units.
17/01001/DPP	Land at the former Rosslynlee Hospital, Roslin (Site AHs1)	Alterations and conversion of former hospital and buildings to form 71 dwellings, erection of 30 dwellinghouses and associated works	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (16/00267/PAC) carried out by the applicants in April - June 2016  The site is identified as an additional housing opportunity in the adopted MLDP with an indicative 120 – 300 units.

18/00081/DPP	Land south west of Upper Dalhousie Sand Quarry, Rosewell	Extension to existing sand quarry	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (17/00565/PAC) carried out by the applicants in July - October 2017.
18/00086/S42	Millerhill, Marshalling Yard, Whitehill Road, Millerhill	Section 42 application to amend condition 2 (landscaping) of planning permission 15/00884/DPP	Being held in abeyance at the applicants request	<p>Section 42 applications do not require to go through the Pre-Application Consultation process.</p> <p>This application is seeking to change the landscaping requirements set out by planning condition associated with the application (15/00884/DPP) to form a train cleaning and stabling depot. The applicant is currently reviewing their landscaping proposals following advice from officers that the initial scheme submitted is unacceptable.</p>
18/00099/DPP	Land at Gore Avenue and Newbyres Crescent, Gorebridge	Erection of 46 flatted dwellings; 17 dwellinghouses and 12 extra care units; formation of access roads and car parking; SUDS features and associated works	August 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (17/00913/PAC) carried out by the applicants in November 2017 – February 2018.
18/00155/DPP	Shawfair Site F Monktonhall Colliery Road, Dalkeith	Use of land for the storage of soil (top soil and sub soil) for a temporary period of 5 years.	October 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (17/00859/PAC) carried out by the applicants in October 2017 – January 2018.
17/00559/S42 <i>New addition to the table</i>	Land south west of Newtonloan Toll, Gorebridge	Section 42 application to amend condition 8 (zero and/or low carbon equipment) of planning permission 07/00556/OUT	June 2018	<p>Section 42 applications do not require to go through the Pre-Application Consultation process.</p> <p>This application is seeking to change the zero carbon technology requirements set out by planning condition associated with the application (07/00556/OUT) for Class 4 and 5 (business and industry) development.</p> <p>This application is reported to this meeting of the Committee.</p>
18/00308/DPP <i>New addition to the table</i>	Land south west of Newbattle Community High School, Newtongrange	Erection of 79 residential units; formation of access roads, car parking and associated works	October 2018	Pre-Application Consultation (18/00102/PAC) carried out by the applicants in February 2018 – May 2018.

## APPENDIX B

### NOTICE OF PRE-APPLICATION CONSULTATIONS RECEIVED AND NO APPLICATION HAS BEEN SUBMITTED

Ref	Location	Proposal	Date of PAC submission	Earliest date for receipt of planning application and current position
15/00774/PAC	Site Hs14, Rosewell North, Rosewell	Residential development  The site is identified for an indicative 60 residential units.	22 September 2015	15/12/15 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the November 2015 meeting of the Committee.
16/00830/PAC	Land east of junction with Greenhall Road Barleyknowe Road Gorebridge	Residential development  This site is not allocated for housing	24 November 2016	10/02/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the January 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00296/PAC	Land to the east of Lawfield Road and to the north of Ash Grove, Mayfield	Residential development  This site is not allocated for housing	19 April 2017	06/07/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the June 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00367/PAC	Site Hs12 Hopefield Farm 2 Bonnyrigg	Residential development  The site is identified for an indicative 375 residential units.	9 May 2017	02/08/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the August 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00402/PAC	Site Hs11 Dalhousie South Bonnyrigg	Residential development  The site is identified for an indicative 360 residential units.	19 May 2017	12/08/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the August 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00606/PAC	Land south east of Auchendinny, The Brae, Auchendinny (Site Hs20)	Residential development  The site is identified for an indicative 350 residential units.	27 July 2017	20/10/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the November 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00663/PAC	Land bounded by A7, Stobhill Road and Pentland Avenue, Gorebridge	Mixed use development comprising residential and commercial land uses	16 August 2017	09/11/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the October 2017 meeting of the Committee.

17/00670/PAC	Land to the north of Hardengreen House, Dalkeith	Mixed use development including Class 1 (Shops); Class 2 (Financial, Professional and Other Services); Class 3 (Food and Drink); Class 4 (Business); Class 9 (Houses); and Class 10 (Non-Residential Institutions).	22 August 2017	15/11/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the October 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00693/PAC	Land 65M west of Rosslyn Bowling Club, Main Street, Roslin (Site Hs19)	Residential development  The site forms part of (approximately 25%) a larger development site identified for an indicative 260 residential units.	30 August 2017	23/11/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the November 2017 meeting of the Committee.
17/00721/PAC	Land west of Burnbrae Terrace Bonnyrigg	Mixed use development including offices, stores, garage and workshops, enterprise business units, parking and ancillary facilities	12 September 2017	06/12/17 - no application yet received. A pre-application report was reported to the January 2018 meeting of the Committee.
18/00102/PAC	Land south west of Newbattle Community High School, Newtongrange	Residential development  The applicant is considering an indicative 79 residential units.	9 February 2018	05/05/18 - A pre-application report was reported to the April 2018 meeting of the Committee.
18/00139/PAC	Land north west of Moat View, Roslin	Residential development	28 February 2018	24/05/2018 - A pre-application report was reported to the May 2018 meeting of the Committee.
18/00350/PAC  <i>New addition to the table</i>	Land at Danderhall Primary School and Danderhall Recreation Ground Edmonstone Road. Danderhall	Erection of a community facility incorporating primary school; early years provision; library and leisure facilities.	18 May 2018	11/08/2018