New Planning Guidance for Hot Food Takeaways

Public Consultation 28 May – 9 July 2013
DRAFT Hot Food Takeaway ‘Supplementary Planning Document’ (SPD)

The draft planning guidance has been written to help with future planning decisions on hot food takeaways. The document sets out principles on:

the LOCATION of new hot food takeaways

…where the city council will encourage and support new takeaways, as well as locations where the city council will not want new takeaways to open.

the IMPACT of new takeaways on:

- Opening hours
- Highway safety
- Litter and waste disposal
- Odours and cooking smells
- Crime and anti-social behaviour

…to help protect the living conditions of nearby residents.

to promote HEALTHY EATING OPTIONS

…to support the city’s health objectives and help residents to live independent and healthy lives under our Mandate for Change.
Consultation on the draft planning guidance will take place between 28 May and 9 July 2013. The document is still draft and we now want to know what you think and whether any changes should be made. All comments and feedback will be considered and will help shape the final document.

How you can give us your views:

A questionnaire is also available online at stoke.gov.uk/ldf
To request copies of the questionnaire or for help in completing the questionnaire, please contact us:
By phone: 01782 236153
By email: stoke.ldf@stoke.gov.uk
By post: Planning and Transportation Policy
City Renewal Services
City of Stoke-on-Trent
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Stoke-on-Trent
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If you would like a copy of either the planning guidance or questionnaire in another format, call 01782 236153 or email stoke.ldf@stoke.gov.uk. Please let us know your views before 9 July 2013.

The guidance will be used by Stoke-on-Trent City Council to decide future planning applications for new hot food takeaways. The guidance will not apply to takeaways that are already operating.

To view the draft planning guidance and to find out more, please visit stoke.gov.uk/ldf

Copies of the document are also available to view at:
• Civic Centre, Glebe Street, Stoke-on-Trent, ST4 1HH
• all Stoke-on-Trent libraries