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My records show that you/your organisation have submitted representations on the Allerdale Local Plan (Part 1) Pre-Submission Draft - May 2013 during the consultation period 3rd May to 12th July 2013. This document is now subject to Independent Examination. I am the Programme Officer assisting the Inspector with all aspects of the Examination.

The Secretary of State has appointed Inspector Susan Holland MA DipTP MRTPI DipPollCon of the Planning Inspectorate to conduct the Examination.

The Hearings sessions for the Examination will begin the week of 27th January 2014 and last for approximately two weeks. The venue for these hearings will be at Allerdale House Workington CA14 3YJ.

Before the hearings begin, a Pre-Hearing Meeting will be held on 27th November 2013 so that the Inspector can explain the examination procedure and discuss the arrangements for the hearing sessions with those wishing to attend. This pre-hearing meeting will take place at Allerdale House Workington CA14 3YJ starting promptly at 2pm. As a representor you are invited to attend.

To help make practical arrangements, please let me know no later than the 13th November 2013 if you will be attending the Pre-Hearing Meeting on 27th November 2013 by either:

- Completing and returning the attached reply slip
- E-mailing me on: kerry.trueman@allerdale.gov.uk
- Telephoning me on: 07582 310 364

The Inspector has asked me to point out that representations made in writing carry the same weight as those pursued by a personal appearance at any of the Hearing sessions. Under the Local Development Regulations, only those who have made a duly-made representation seeking a change to the Allerdale Local Plan (part one) Pre-Submission Draft – May 2013 are normally entitled to take part in the Hearing sessions. However, any member of the public may attend to observe.

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Further information is available on the Council’s website. This website will be updated during the course of the Examination and it may be worth visiting it regularly so that you are aware of the latest information.

During the Examination there will be deadlines and much information for me to provide you with, so in the interest of sustainability it is intended to run the Examination on an electronic basis as far as possible. Please therefore could you regularly check the website for up to date information. If you gave the Council an email address this is quoted on the reply slip of this letter. All future correspondence will be sent to that address unless you advise me otherwise.

Enclosed with this letter is an agenda for the Pre-Hearing Meeting. An Initial List of Main Matters, likely to form the basis for the Hearing sessions, will be available at the Pre-Hearing Meeting.

I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours faithfully

Kerry Trueman
Programme Officer

Reply Slip

Please return this completed slip to Kerry Trueman, Programme Officer, Allerdale Borough Council, Allerdale House, Workington, Cumbria, CA14 3YJ by 13 November 2013.

Name of Individual/Organisation: ____________________________________________

E-mail address: _____________________________________________________________
(Please provide an email address if the above is blank and you are happy to use this for further communications.)

I confirm that I will/will not* be attending the Pre-Hearing Meeting for the Examination of the Allerdale Local Plan (part one) at 2pm on 27th November 2013 at Allerdale House Workington CA14 3YJ

*Please delete as appropriate