

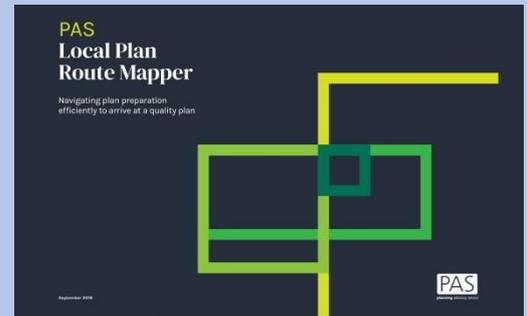
2019 has been our most successful year to date. We have undertaken a wide range of work providing support to local authorities across the country, providing neighbourhood planning support to local communities, and producing national advice on local plan making, review, and update on behalf of the Planning Advisory Service. We have also moved to new offices in Chelmsford and hope to expand our planning team further next year. Please see below a summary of projects we have undertaken in 2019. Thank you for your support this year, we look forward to working with you again in 2020.

Our projects in 2019

Planning Advisory Service Local Plan Route Mapper and Toolkit

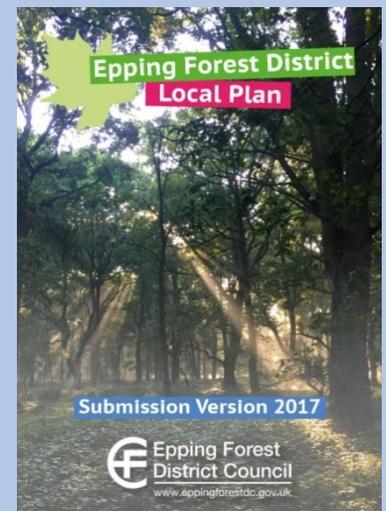
DAC Planning and Citiesmode were commissioned by the Planning Advisory Service to produce the [Local Plan Route Mapper and Toolkit](#), which provides practical advice on local plan making and guidance on undertaking a review of local plan policies. The Route Mapper and Toolkit were published in October and are available through the Planning Advisory Service website. They are free to use for local planning authorities across the country and are being well received.

We are now providing support and advice to local authorities across the country on local plan production on behalf of PAS. The support being provided utilises the Route Mapper and Toolkit but is tailored to meet the specific needs of the local authorities that we are working with. To date we have assisted the Central Lincolnshire authorities, Canterbury City Council, Torbay Council, Salford City Council, Newcastle City Council, Gateshead Borough Council, Middlesbrough Council, Amber Valley Borough Council, Rother District Council, Chichester District Council, and the Royal Borough of Kensington and Chelsea.



Supporting the production and implementation of local plans, supplementary planning documents, and evidence base documents

- Progressing the Epping Forest District Council Local Plan through independent examination.
- Supporting the planning and delivery of future growth and infrastructure requirements for the Harlow and Gilston Garden Town.
- Supporting the progression of the Castle Point Borough Council Local Plan to Regulation 19 consultation.
- Producing the Castle Point Borough Infrastructure Delivery Plan.
- Supporting Cambridge City Council and South Cambridgeshire District Council in the production of a new Greater Cambridge Local Plan.
- Providing critical friend assistance to Brentwood Borough Council on the production of an Infrastructure Delivery Plan.
- Supporting East Herts District Council to progress the Gilston Area Charter SPD.



Neighbourhood Planning

We have continued to successfully support the production of a range of Neighbourhood plans this year. The [Bradwell with Pattiswick Neighbourhood Plan](#) was made in July, becoming the first made neighbourhood plan in Braintree District, and one of only nine completed plans within the whole of Essex. The [Cressing Parish Neighbourhood Plan](#) was examined in September and will be subject to a referendum in early 2020. We have also provided neighbourhood planning support to the parishes of Feering, Coggeshall, Ramsden Bellhouse, Ingatestone and Fryerning, and Stansted Mountfitchet.



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