

Invitation - Planning Forum

A series of five Planning Forums have been organised across North Ayrshire. The purpose of the events is to get local people, businesses, developers and various community organisations together to talk about the Main Issues Report (MIR). The MIR is the first stage in the process of preparing a new Local Development Plan. The Local Development Plan will cover a period of 20 years, and will make decisions on where development such as new housing and shops should go, and where greenspace should be protected. It will also guide decisions on planning applications in the area.

The MIR focuses on key areas of change at this early stage, and sets out big ideas for future development. We are looking for involvement from as many people as possible to shape this early stage of the plan and establish the right direction for the next stage - the Proposed Local Development Plan. The Proposed Plan will make detailed, site specific decisions about where development should and should not occur. To view an electronic copy of the MIR and background documents, visit www.north-ayrshire.gov.uk/localplans. To obtain a paper copy, contact us using the details overleaf.



At the Planning Forum, a short introduction to the contents of the MIR will be provided, with attendees then breaking into groups to discuss the Main Issues further in an informal setting.



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You are formally invited to attend your nearest Planning Forum:

Irvine & Kilwinning Planning Forum
Wednesday 3rd March 2010
Vineburgh Community Centre
Quarry Road
Irvine KA12 0PS
6.00pm to 8.00pm

3 Towns Planning Forum
Monday 22nd February 2010
Ardrossan Civic Centre
150 Glasgow Street
Ardrossan KA22 8EP
5.00pm to 7.00pm

Garnock Valley Planning Forum
Thursday 25th February 2010
Bridgend Community Centre
Bridgend
Kilbirnie KA25 6DJ
4.30pm to 6.30pm

North Coast & Cumbraes Planning Forum
Wednesday 17th February 2010
Brisbane Centre
30 Bath Street
Largs KA30 8BL
5.00pm to 7.00pm

Isle of Arran Planning Forum
Monday 8th March 2010
Brodict Public Hall
Brodict
Isle of Arran KA27 8DL
5.00pm to 7.00pm

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