CITY OF WOLVERHAMPTON COUNCIL

## **Response to Request for Information**

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 FOI 003449

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## Local Plan Update

## **Request:**

Under the freedom of information act we would like to request the following information.

1. Please could you confirm when your local plan or Shlaa was last updated? The Wolverhampton Local Plan was last updated when the Wolverhampton City Centre Area Action Plan was adopted in 2014.

The last SHLAA was published in April 2018

- 2. Please can you confirm when you will next update your local plan? The Black Country Plan is currently under review and due to be adopted in 2022.
- 3. Please can you provide a link to your local plan? We can confirm that the department holds information that you have asked for in relation to the above. However, the information is exempt under section 21 of the FOI Act because it is reasonably accessible to you, and I am pleased to inform you that you can access it on our website via the following link:

https://www.wolverhampton.gov.uk/planning/planning-policies

Section 21(1) of the Freedom of Information Act exempts disclosure of information that is reasonably accessible by other means, and the terms of the exemption mean that we do not have to consider whether or not it would be in the public interest for you to have the information.

You can find out more about Section 21 by reading the extract from the Act, available at: <u>http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2000/36/section/21</u>