

Oldham

Local Plan

Log of Collaboration

August 2026



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Council

The table below sets out specific activities undertaken in liaison with the relevant Local Planning Authorities (LPAs) and prescribed bodies from the start of the preparation of the plan (initial regulation 18 consultation) up until the date on which it was submitted for examination.

The table does not include details of regular meetings with neighbouring LPAs that take place such as GM Planning Officers Group/ Joint Planning, GM Local Nature Recovery Group and South Pennine Authorities meetings.

Organisation / Local Authority	Issues Considered	Date	Outcome of discussion
Neighbouring Local Planning Authorities			
Kirklees Council	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	13 th July 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Calderdale Council	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	19 th July 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Peak District National Park Authority	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	26 th July 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Rochdale Council	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	9 th August 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Manchester City Council	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	15 th August 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Tameside Council	Regulation 18 Notification - Meeting to discuss possible Issues and Options	30 th August 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on Local Plan progress.
Manchester City Council	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	10 th August 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Rochdale Council	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	10 th August 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
High Peak Council	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	9 th September 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Kirklees Council	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	14 th September 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Peak District National Park Authority	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	16 th September 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.

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Calderdale Council	Local Plan Issues and Options and cross boundary issues	17 th September 2021	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Calderdale Council	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	8 th February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Peak District National Park Authority	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	9 th February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Rochdale Council	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	13 th February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Manchester City Council	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	14 th February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Tameside Council	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	21 st February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
High Peak Borough Council and Staffordshire Moorlands District Council	Draft Local Plan and cross boundary issues	29 th February 2024	To continue liaising on Local Plan and any cross-boundary issues.
Environment Agency			
Environment Agency	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan progress and Development Management matters	25 th April 2018	To continue to keep each other informed on EA policy, Local Plan progress and development management issues.
Environment Agency	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan progress and Development Management matters	31 st July 2019	To continue to keep each other informed on EA policy, Local Plan progress and development management issues.
Environment Agency	Meeting to discuss Environment Agency's comments on the Draft Local Plan and work needed in preparation for the Publication Plan	9 th April 2024	To continue liaising as the Local Plan progresses.

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Environment Agency	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan progress and Development Management matters	14 th January 2025	To continue liaising as the Local Plan progresses.
Environment Agency	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation. Meeting included Natural England and United Utilities.	11 th July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
Environment Agency	Meeting to discuss Oldham SFRA Sequential Test	26 November 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
Historic England			
Historic England	General heritage matters	27 th June 2018	To consider how mills can be promoted in Oldham.
Historic England	General heritage matters	16 th August 2018	To start developing a tender for a Mills Strategy.
Historic England	Ongoing meetings and liaison regarding Mills Strategy	Throughout 2020 and 2021	To discuss on-going work on the Mills Strategy.
Historic England	Ongoing meetings and liaison regarding Mills Strategy	Throughout 2021 and 2022	To finalise Mills Strategy and look at its implementation.
Historic England	Historic environment policies	13 th May 2022	To help refine draft historic environment policies in Draft Local Plan.
Historic England	Meeting to discuss Historic England's comments on the Draft Local Plan and work needed in preparation for the Publication Plan	5 th April 2024	To continue liaising as the Local Plan progresses.
Historic England	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation.	1 st July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.

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National Highways			
National Highways	Transport evidence needed to progress the plan to Publication Stage. Meeting included TfGM.	14 th March 2024	To continue liaising as the Local Plan progresses
National Highways	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation. Meeting included TfGM.	9 th July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
National Highways	Meeting to discuss Statement of Co-operation.	15 th June 2026	To continue engagement and collaboration.
Natural England			
Natural England	Review of Natural Environment related policies.	10 th May 2022	To help refine draft natural environment policies in Draft Local Plan and ensure continued engagement and collaboration
Natural England	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation. Meeting included United Utilities and Environment Agency.	11 th July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
Sport England			
Sport England	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation.	26 th June 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
United Utilities (UU)			
United Utilities	Planning Liaison Meeting	7 th February 2018	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan progress and Development Management matters

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United Utilities	Planning Liaison Meeting	4 th April 2019	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan and Development Management matters
United Utilities	GMSF, Local Plan and water drainage issues	30 th June 2020	To progress GMSF and Local Plan work with UU.
United Utilities	Planning Liaison Meeting	24 th September 2020	Liaison Meeting on Local Plan and Development Management matters
United Utilities	Drainage and Wastewater Management Plan in GM	14 th September 2021	To build an understanding of shared drivers / outcomes to feed into Plan.
United Utilities	Meeting to discuss United Utilities comments on the Draft Local Plan and work needed in preparation for the Publication Plan	18 th April 2024	To continue liaising as the Local Plan progresses.
United Utilities	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation.	9 th July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.
United Utilities	Meeting to discuss amendments that had been made to policies prior to Publication Plan consultation. Meeting included Environment Agency and Natural England.	11 th July 2025	To continue engagement and collaboration.