

Report of Consultation
Supplementary Planning Guidance (see Table below)
to the Pembrokeshire Coast National Park Local Development Plan
Adopted September 2010

The following draft Supplementary Planning Guidance was approved for public consultation by the National Park Authority on 12 December 2012.

Low Impact Development

The consultation began in February 2013 and ended on 3 May 2013 at 5pm.

About 800 letters were sent to consultees on the Local Development Plan database, and an email consultation for those expressing this preference. The consultees were informed that a CD of the consultation documents could be made available free of charge and the documents were available for download from the Authority's web site. Paper copies of the Supplementary Planning Guidance were made available on request at a minimum fee.

Letters and CDs of the consultation documents were provided to libraries within Pembrokeshire and at St Clears and Cardigan as follows

Cardigan	Pembroke	St Davids	Newport
Crymych	Haverfordwest	Saundersfoot	Neyland
Fishguard	Milford Haven	Tenby	
Narberth	Pembroke Dock	St Clears	

They were also provided to the National Park Authority centres at Newport, St Davids and Tenby. Paper copies of the documents were available to view at the National Park Offices in Llanion Park, Pembroke Dock.

The opportunity was also provided to City, Town and Community Councils to request a free CD or paper copy of the guidance. A freepost envelope was provided to encourage this. Any documents were subsequently provided to City, Town and Community Councils at no cost to the Councils.

The consultation was advertised via the Authority's web site and via a public notice in the Western Telegraph on 6 February 2013.

Written responses to the consultation could be submitted to the Authority by 5pm on 3 May 2013.

All responses were acknowledged, and are publicly available - see web link below. A total of 2 organisations responded with only one making a detailed response. As a result some minor amendments were made to the guidance.

The officer responses to the consultation on the Supplementary Planning Guidance were reported to the National Park Authority at its meeting on 26 June 2013. A report of the officer responses to the supplementary planning guidance consultation can be viewed using the following weblink:

http://www.pembrokeshirecoast.org.uk/Files/files/Committee/NPA/13_06_26_Ordinary/33_13%20SPG%20LID%20and%20Accessibility%20RoC.pdf

The Authority agreed the amendments be made to the guidance in accordance with the officer recommendations set out in the report subject to adding a sentence to the effect that native planting may not be appropriate in all instances, for example, at a historic site.

The Guidance has been uploaded on the website at
<http://www.pembrokeshirecoast.org.uk/default.asp?pid=183>