

Joint Planning Committee

Membership

One elected member from Cumbria County Council, Lake District National Park Authority, Allerdale Borough Council, Barrow in Furness Borough Council, Carlisle City Council, Copeland Borough Council, Eden District Council and South Lakeland District Council. Each elected member representative on the joint committee should currently hold a responsibility for town and country planning within their own authority. Each authority will in addition appoint two named substitutes (on a first reserve and second reserve basis)

Terms of Reference

- (a) To act as the Local Planning Authority for the area within the county of Cumbria covered by the jurisdiction of the member planning authorities for the sole purpose of preparing, approving and reviewing joint supplementary planning documents under the provisions of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004 and the Town and Country (Local Development) (England) Regulations 2004*
- (b) Decisions of the Joint Planning Committee will be binding on all member planning authorities*
- (c) The quorum for the Committee will be 5, which must include a representative from the County Council, together with at least 4 other member authority representatives*
- (d) The Joint Planning Committee can be wound up by its own resolution*