

A planning appeal has been submitted by Barratt David Wilson Homes (Mercia) regarding land west of **Hither Green Lane, Redditch**. Planning 21/01830/FUL and Appeal Reference APP/Q1825/W/24/3350905

The appeal is being determined by a Public Inquiry which opens at 10.00am on Tuesday 21st January 2025 and will last approximately four days, from the 21st - 24th. The appeal will open at 9:30am on the second and following days and will be held at the Woodrow Meeting Rooms, Woodrow Centre, Studley Road, Redditch, B98 7RY. (A fifth and sixth day has been reserved for the 28th and 29th January 2025. If required, these days will also be held in person at the above venue. Please note that the sitting days are at the Inspector's discretion and may be changed once the Inquiry has opened)

The original application attracted significant public interest, and the council has therefore sought to provide an appeal venue that reasonably reflects the likely interest in the case. Interested parties have been notified directly about arrangements for registering their attendance, and subject to the Inspectors discretion, to the giving of their views.

To support the proceedings further, the Inquiry will be livestreamed via the Council's YouTube channel. Interested parties are reminded this provides an opportunity to observe the inquiry, in full, without physically attending the venue.

As of 09:00 hours Monday 20th January 2025, there will be a dedicated Public Inquiry Webpage on the Councils website where you should view the application and appeal information. This is also where the link to the livestream will be published. The address for this dedicated Webpage is <https://www.redditchbc.gov.uk/publicinquiry/> This page will be taken down at 09:00 hours Thursday 30th January 2025.