## **Appendix 2: Consultation Programme**

## **Status of Planning Briefs**

Planning Briefs are not subject to independent examination, but do require Council agreement before adoption. Upon adoption they become a material consideration in determining planning applications on land affected by the Brief.

## Community involvement in preparation of the Planning Brief

There is usually just one stage of public consultation in the production of a Planning Brief. Comments received through the consultation process will be taken into consideration when drafting the final document and this process will be documented in a Consultation Statement. The Consultation Statement will set out the main issues raised and how these have been addressed.

- The Council will carry out a public consultation exercise on the draft Planning Brief for a period of three weeks commencing in February 2016.
- The draft Planning Brief will be published online on the Council's consultation pages.
- Copies of the draft Planning Brief will be available in Chipping Barnet Library and at the Planning Reception in Barnet House
- Engagement with local groups in Chipping Barnet including the Town Team,
  Barnet Society and Barnet Residents Association
- A drop in exhibition in Chipping Barnet Town Centre during the consultation period
- Briefings on the draft Planning Brief for local councillors.