



National Planning  
Framework 4



 Scottish Government  
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# Development Planning & LDP2

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# Overview

- What is Development Planning – NPF4?
- What makes up Fife's Development Plan?
- The Local Development Plan process
- Where are we now
- What comes next

# Transforming Planning

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## A forward-looking planning system that works for everyone

From new ways to get involved in shaping great places, to the creation of the next national plan for Scotland, learn about our work to date and the next steps.



### National Planning Framework

The National Planning Framework (NPF) is a long-term plan for Scotland to 2045 that sets out where development and infrastructure is needed.



### Planning Reform

The legislation which gives direction to our planning processes and decision-making is changing. We have a new Planning Act, but there's plenty still happening to design and implement the



### Digital Planning

The Digital Planning programme is working towards the delivery of new services and systems, putting data and technology at the heart of planning.

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# What is NPF4





# Fife's Development Plan



This collage features several key planning documents:

- National Planning Framework 4:** Includes the Scottish Government logo and a map of Scotland composed of colored dots.
- FIFEplan:** Multiple covers featuring the Fife Council logo and the slogan "PEOPLE | ECONOMY | PLACE". One cover shows a construction site, another shows a modern residential development.
- Making Fife's Places:** A document with a blue cover and white text, featuring images of various housing types.
- Housing Guidance:** A document with a white cover and blue/green accents, featuring images of houses.
- Local Development Plan:** A dark blue cover with white and yellow text, featuring images of a modern building and a coastal landscape. It is dated "Adopted Plan September 2017".

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# What's changed



# What it means for LDP2

- Game changers -
  - Climate
  - Biodiversity
- Expectations –
  - Local (place)
  - Requirements, guides, & principles
- Local Place Plans

## Policies 1 to 3

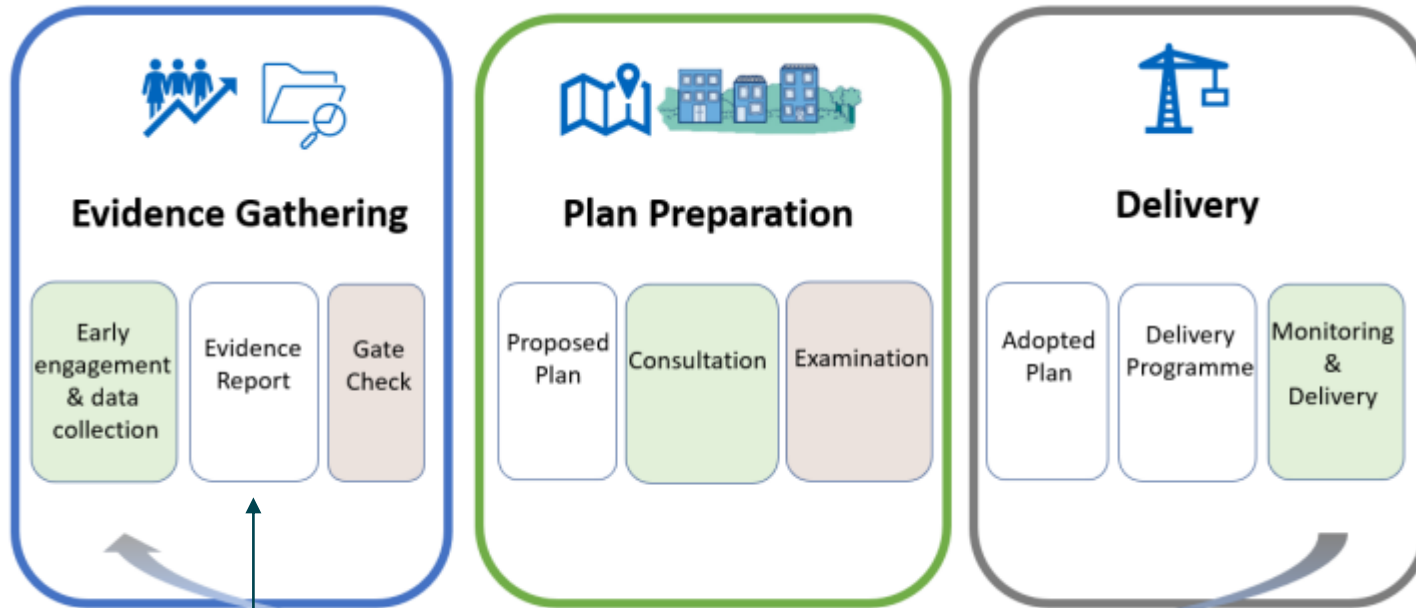
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# LDP2 Process- Key Stages



Where we are now



# Where we are now- Evidence Report Stage

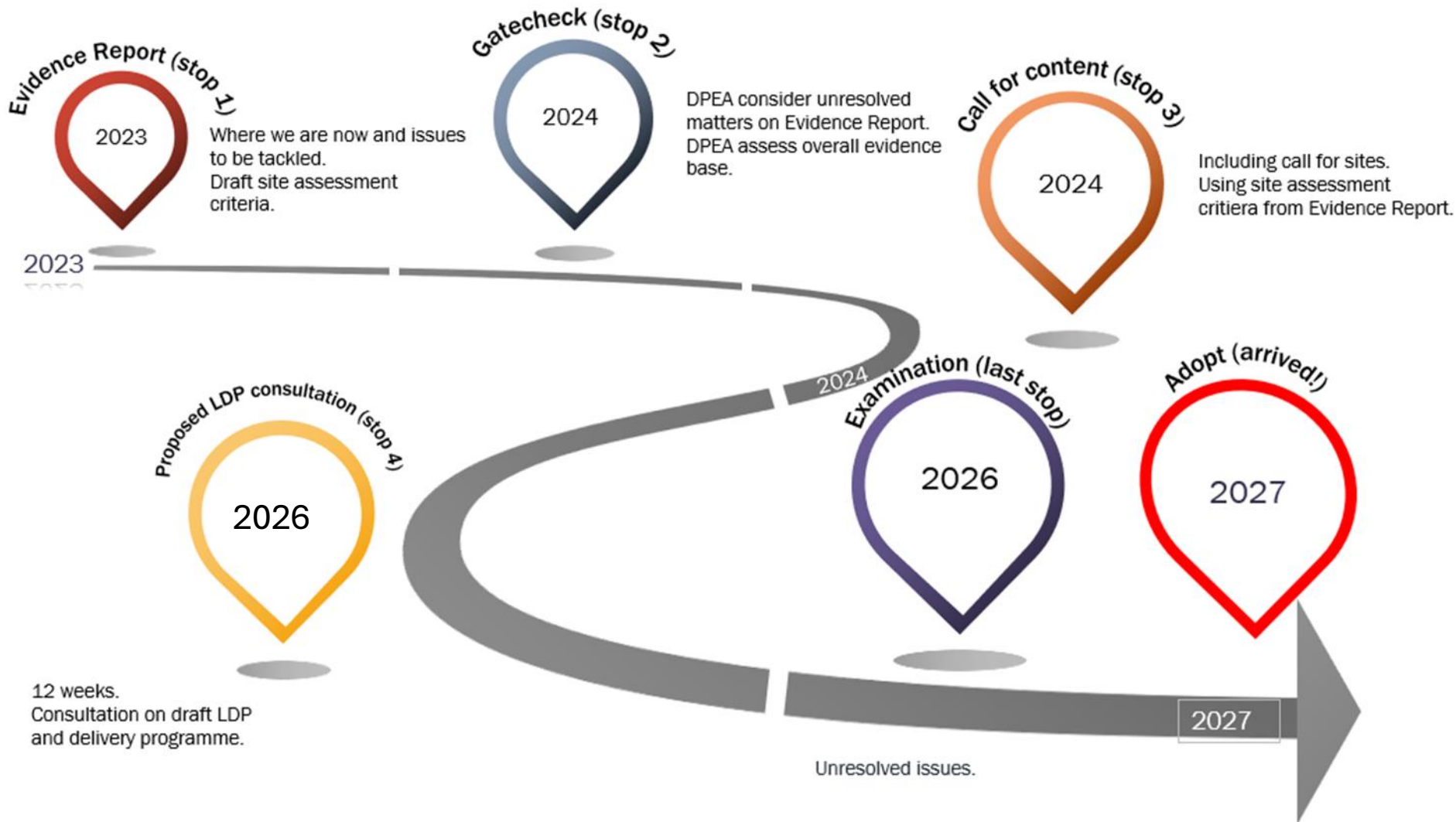
- Planning authorities are required to prepare an Evidence Report that contains sufficient information to enable the planning authority to prepare a Local Development Plan.
- Planning authorities must undertake engagement with various groups and have regard to their views when preparing the Evidence Report.
- The Evidence Report must include a statement on how the planning authority has sought stakeholders' views and how these have been taken into account.

# Evidence Report



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# Looking ahead



# Local Place Plans

- Deadline for submission of LPPs – End of June 2024