

Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Planning Area Designation Statement – Corrected Boundary

<u>Designated Neighbourhood Planning Area:</u> Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Planning Area <u>Designated Neighbourhood Planning Forum:</u> Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Forum <u>Original Consultation Period:</u> 11 November to 23 December 2016

Tower Hamlets Council, through a decision made by the Mayor in Cabinet on 30 June 2021, has amended the boundaries of the designated Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Planning Area to fix an error that was made in the original designation.

As required under the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012, this designation statement is being made available to view on the Council's neighbourhood planning web pages.

The original designation was approved by the Mayor on 6 February 2017 through a Mayoral Executive Decision. During the Regulation 14 consultation on the Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Plan it was noted that the designated neighbourhood area included a small amount of land that is part of the London Legacy Development Corporation planning authority. The Council did not have the authority to designate this land for planning purposes – this was done in error, and was not raised in any consultation responses at the time of the original application for designation.

Legal advice has stated that as this was clearly an error, it can be corrected through a decision made at an equivalent level of authority – in this case, the Mayor in Cabinet. There is no need for an additional consultation to be held on this decision, as it is the correction of an error and only alters the boundaries of the neighbourhood area so far as is necessary to remove land that the Council did not have the authority to designate.

The corrected boundary of the Roman Road Bow Neighbourhood Planning Area can be seen overleaf.

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