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Chief Executive: Laura Church

Please ask for Housing Consultations

E-mail: HousingConsultations@bedford.gov.uk

Date: 11th February 2026

Ref: AR/AH

Bedford Borough Allocations Scheme Consultation

Dear Sir/Madam,

Bedford Borough Council is currently reviewing the Social Housing Allocations Scheme. This scheme is a vital document which sets out how applicants are assessed when they approach the council for housing. It also identifies the housing legislation the council has to adhere to.

It is good practice to review the scheme regularly and it was last updated in April 2021. Copies of the current and proposed schemes can be found here.
www.bedford.gov.uk/allocation-consultation

The council is seeking feedback on the intended changes to the scheme so that this can be considered fully before publishing a final version. We would welcome your feedback and comments on the intended changes to the scheme. You can submit your views on the link below.
<https://online1.snapsurveys.com/kpz49y>

If you prefer you can email your views to HousingConsultations@bedford.gov.uk or you can post your views to Mrs A Henderson at the address below.
Borough Hall
Cauldwell Street
Bedford MK42 9AP

Staff at the Bedford Borough Hub on Horne Lane are happy to help. Housing staff will be available to discuss the scheme, answer any enquiries and help you give feedback at the following Drop In sessions;

Date	Time	Venue
17 th February 2026	2.00pm – 3.30pm	Bromham Library
18 th February 2026	2.00pm – 3.30pm	Kempston Library
19 th February 2026	11.00am – 12.30pm	Bedford Central Library

This survey will close at 12 noon on Wednesday 25th March 2026.

Thank you for your feedback.

Yours sincerely

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