

Maldon Visitor Information Centre Relocation – Consultation Summary

STAKEHOLDER GROUP	LEVEL AND METHODOLOGY (AS PER COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FRAMEWORK)	OUTCOMES
Visitor Information Centre (VIC) staff and volunteers	Collaborate – architects met with staff and volunteers in January 2014, December 2014 and January 2015.	Feedback about practical operating considerations informed development of detailed design and internal layouts to ensure optimum useability of space.
Maldon Focus	Consult – architects met with representatives in January 2014 and January 2015. Local Economy officers meeting with representatives in March 2015.	Supportive of VIC relocation and mixed views about merits of potential multi-function building at rear of site; some Committee members believe it would be beneficial and others are opposed as they believe adequate facilities already exist in Maldon.
Maldon Inc.	Consult – architects met with representatives in January 2014 and January 2015. Local Economy officers have had several conversations with different Committee members.	Supportive of VIC relocation. Formal written submission received regarding potential multi-function building at rear of site which states Maldon Inc. does not support.
Maldon Museum and Archives	Involve – architects met with representatives in January 2014.	Feedback about heritage provenance of site highly valuable and informed development of concept design and Conservation Management Plan.
Tarrengower Community Planning Leadership Group	Consult – architects met with representatives in January 2015.	Supportive of VIC relocation with mixed views on potential multi-function building. The representatives involved also sit on Committees of Maldon Inc. and Maldon Focus.
General community	Consult – architects held drop-in session in January 2014. Approximately 40 people attended.	Feedback helped inform development of concept design and Conservation Management Plan.
Maldon Neighbourhood Centre	Consult – Local Economy officers met with representatives in March 2015.	Supportive of VIC relocation, however felt that their organisation would be unlikely to utilise the multi-function building significantly.