

Neighbourhood Planning review

Herefordshire Council's Neighbourhood Planning team have provide support and technical assistance to parish councils since 2012.

The first Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) was adopted in May 2016 and many parish councils with an adopted plan are now considering a possible review.

With this in mind we would welcome your feedback on your previous experiences of neighbourhood planning or future intentions.

Please could you complete thid questionnaire for your parish council and return to: neighbourhoodplanning@herefordshire.gov.uk by **22 January 2020**

Name of Parish Council:

Section A: Current status of your parishes NDP:

- Plan is Made/Adopted: *(Go to Section B, C & D)*
- Plan is awaiting a referendum: *(Go to Section C & D)*
- Plan is at examination: *(Go to Section C & D)*
- Plan is at Regulation 16 consultation stage: *(Go to Section C & D)*
- Plan is at Regulation 14 draft plan consultation stage: *(Go to Section C & D)*
- Plan is currently being drafted: *(Go to Section C & D)*
- Plan has yet to be started: *(Go to Section E)*
- Decided not to produce a plan: *(Go to Section E)*

Section B: Reviewing your NDP:

Are you currently monitoring the effectiveness of you plans policies?

Yes: No:

How are you undertaking this monitoring?

Are you considering undertaking a review of your NDP?

Yes:

No:

If yes, what are your reasons for undertaking a review?

If no, what are your reasons for not undertaking a review?

If you are considering doing a review, when are you likely to commence?

Immediately:

Within the next 6 months:

Within the next 12 months:

Awaiting the outcome of the Core Strategy review:

Section C: Neighbourhood Planning Process:

What have been the biggest challenges your Parish has faced during the Neighbourhood Development Plan process so far?

How would you rate the help and support provided to you by Herefordshire Council from 1 to 10?

1 (*very bad*) → 10 (*excellent*)

What additional assistance do you require either now or when you commence your plan review?

Are there any gaps within the guidance notes that Herefordshire Council provide?

Do you have any specific training needs?

Yes: No:

If yes, what are they?

Section D: Content of your plan:

If you have a made plan, are there any specific policies you would include in a possible review that you didn't include first time around?

Yes: No:

If yes, what are they?

Would you prefer your Neighbourhood Development Plan or the Core Strategy to contain either of the following?

Settlement Boundaries: Core Strategy: NDP's:

Site Allocations: Core Strategy: NDP's:

Is there anything else about your experience of Neighbourhood Planning that you would like to share with us?

Section E: Getting started: *(only complete if your Plan hasn't progressed to Regulation 14 stage yet, or you have no designated Neighbourhood Area)*

Does your Parish Council have a designated Neighbourhood Area?:

Yes: No:

If yes, what have been the obstacle(s) to your Parish producing an NDP?

Is it the intention of your Parish Council to continue with the production of your NDP?

Yes: No:

If you intend to carry on with your NDP, is there any help or advice you need from Herefordshire Council in order to progress to the next stage?

If you have not yet designated a Neighbourhood Area, or have chosen to stop production on your NDP, could you tell us the main reasons behind this?:

If the reasons you stated above could be overcome, is producing an NDP something that your Parish would then consider doing?

Yes: No:

Thank you for providing us with your feedback.

We will share the results with you in due course. We are aiming to improve the service provided to you from Herefordshire Council and understand the possible extent of parishes wishing to review their plans.

Please return all completed feedback forms by the 22 January 2020.

If you have any queries please contact: neighbourhoodplanning@herefordshire.gov.uk