

STRETTON GRANDISON GROUP PARISH COUNCIL

Dear Consultee

Notification of Formal Public Consultation on the Stretton Grandison, Eggleton, Canon Frome and Castle Frome Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) (Regulation 14 Town and Country Planning, England, Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012)

I am writing to advise you that the Stretton Grandison, Eggleton, Canon Frome and Castle Frome Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) has been published for formal consultation by Stretton Grandison Group Parish Council.

The Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan has been prepared by a neighbourhood plan steering group of interested residents and representatives of local organisations on behalf of the Parish Council building on extensive informal public consultation and engagement undertaken since 2017 including consultation on Issues and Options, and then publication of the emerging First Draft Plan with Site Options.

The consultation period runs for 6 weeks from 4th November to 16th December 2019

The Draft Plan and other supporting documents can be viewed and downloaded from the Parish website: http://strettongrandisongpc.org.uk/neighbourhood-development-plan/

Hard copies of the proposed Neighbourhood Plan can be viewed at the consultation meeting we will be holding at The Stables, Canon Frome on Friday 22nd November 7.00pm - 9.00pm.

Hard copies of the Draft Plan will be provided on request from the Parish Clerk, Emma Thomas Call: 01885 490414 or email pcgroupclerk@gmail.com

A Representation Form is provided for comments, but the Parish Council also welcomes comments by email or in writing.

Please submit all comments on the Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan to:

Emma Thomas, Parish Clerk, Hadleigh, Bishops Frome, Worcester, WR6 5AP email pcgroupclerk@gmail.com

Following the public consultation process on the Draft Neighbourhood Development Plan, the Plan will be amended and submitted to Herefordshire Council together with supporting documentation, including a Basic Conditions Statement demonstrating how the NDP meets the required Basic Conditions, and a Consultation Statement setting out who has been consulted, how the consultation has been undertaken and how the representations received have informed the revised Plan.

Herefordshire Council will then re-consult, before the Plan is subjected to an Examination by an independent Examiner. If the Examiner is satisfied that, subject to any recommended changes, the NDP meets the required Basic Conditions, then the amended Plan will be subjected to a local

Referendum. If there is a Yes vote, then the NDP will be made (adopted) by Herefordshire Council and used to help determine planning applications in the designated NDP area.

When we submit the plan, personal information, including your name, address and email may be shared with Herefordshire Council to enable them to discharge their legal duties in relation to publicising and consulting on the submission version of the plan and for organising the examination in accordance with the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations. To comply with the requirements of the recent Data Protection legislation, please confirm you have read and understood this statement and give your consent for your details to be passed on to Herefordshire Council. If you respond using the Response Form there is a box to tick to indicate your consent. If you respond by email or letter please indicate that you consent for your personal details being provided to Herefordshire Council to enable them to perform their duties.

If you require any further information, please contact

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Yours Sincerely

Stretton Grandison Group Parish Council