

The Deepings Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

Information Statement

A Referendum relating to the adoption of The Deepings Neighbourhood Plan will be held on **Thursday 6th May 2021**.

The question that will be asked in the Referendum is:

Do you want South Kesteven District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for The Deepings to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?

The Referendum area is identified on the plan included at the end of this information. The Referendum area is identical to the area which has been designated as The Deepings Neighbourhood area.

A person is entitled to vote in the Referendum on 6th May 2021 if:

- he or she is entitled to vote in a local government election in the Referendum area;
 and
- his or her qualifying address is in the Referendum area. A person's qualifying address is, in relation to a person registered in the register of electors, the address in respect of which he or she is entitled to be registered.

The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £3,008.82. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 10,963.

The Referendum will be conducted in accordance with procedures which are similar to those used at local government elections.

A copy of the specified documents, that is those documents listed below, may be accessed on the Councils website using the following link: http://www.southkesteven.gov.uk/TheDeepingsPlan Alternatively, you can contact the Planning Policy Team to request a hard copy of the documents:

Email: planningpolicy@southkesteven.gov.uk

Telephone: 01476 406080

Address: Planning Policy, South Kesteven District Council Offices, St Peter's Hill, Grantham,

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The specified documents are:

- The Deepings Neighbourhood Development Plan;
- Report of the independent examiner;
- Summary of the representations submitted to the independent examiner;
- Statement by the local planning authority that the draft plan meets the basic conditions and complies with the relevant legislation;
- This information statement
- A statement that sets out general information about town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum.

Dated: 24th March 2021

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THE DEEPINGS NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN AREA

