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WHITTLESEY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN REFERENDUM – INFORMATION STATEMENT

A neighbourhood planning referendum will be held for the Whittlesey Neighbourhood Plan on 23 February 2023. The question asked in the referendum will be:

'Do you want Fenland District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Whittlesey to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?'

The referendum area is identical to the area which has been designated as the Whittlesey Neighbourhood Area and covers the parish of Whittlesey. A person is entitled to vote in the referendum if on 7 February 2023 they were registered as a local government elector within the referendum area and he or she is 18 years or over on the date of the referendum.

The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £3,171.60. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which the limit has been calculated is 13,722.

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

A number of documents may be inspected at:

- Fenland District Council, Fenland Hall, County Road, March, Cambs, PE15 8NQ, between the hours of 9.00am and 4.00pm Monday to Friday (excluding bank holidays) by appointment only by calling 01354 654321;
- On the Fenland District Council website at www.fenland.gov.uk/WhittleseyNeighbourhoodPlan

These documents are:

- Whittlesey Neighbourhood Plan, incorporating the modifications set out in the Decision Statement;
- Report of the Independent Examiner;
- Summary of the representations received during the Publication Consultation submitted to the Independent Examiner;
- Decision Statement of the Local Planning Authority that the Neighbourhood Plan meets the basic conditions specified in paragraph 8(2) of Schedule 4B of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.

The referendum area is identified on the map below as Whittlesey Parish area and is identical to the designated Whittlesey Neighbourhood Plan Area. (Map not to scale)

Legend

Whittlesey Neighbourhood Area boundary (also Whittlesey parish boundary)

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