



Sharing material with the Town and Parish Council of the Neighbourhood Plan area

Background

This is an introductory note about the material that will be shared with the Parish and Town Councils as the Plan is progressed through to formal stages of consultation (known as Regulation 14) and submission for examination. The Town and Parish Councils are the authorised local community organisations, known as qualifying bodies in the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations, and are responsible for the CCNP.

The existing Neighbourhood plan is current until 2026, so a new one needs to be published before then to ensure the community can still influence planning decisions. Since we made our last plan there has been a lot of learning about how to get the most out of having one and so the new one will be stronger and be even more effective.

The revised plan

As the Steering Group progress on researching and drafting the revised plan, updates and information will continue be shared with Calne Without Parish Council and Calne Town Council.

This first pack of information includes:

- Working draft of the Introduction
- Natural Environment Summary
- Getting Around Summary
- Climate Change and Sustainability summary

These documents are being used to show what the revised plan will include in a way that can be used in publicity and to engage the public.

Next steps

Over the coming months, the Steering Group will share the remaining three summaries plus the full chapters as they are finalised along with updates on plan progress ahead of Regulation 14 Consultation. The Steering Group are taking this approach so that Councillors have the opportunity to feedback on the plan in sections rather than waiting for the whole draft document.

The final draft document is anticipated to be finalised in the Autumn. The Town and Parish Councils will be asked to sign the Plan off for Consultation and Submission.

Councillor input and involvement is valued and also necessary for the plan to be successful.

Contact the Steering Group

Please send any comments or questions to ccnpadmin@calne.gov.uk so all feedback can be collated.