

Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

Information Statement

A Referendum relating to the adoption of the Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Neighbourhood Plan will be held on **Thursday 2 May 2019**. Notice of Referendum attached.

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is:

"Do you want Tewkesbury Borough Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"

The referendum area is identified on the map, which is included in the information statement.

The referendum area is identical to the Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Neighbourhood Area, which has been designated.

A person is entitled to vote in the referendum if on 2 May 2019

- he or she is entitled to vote in local government elections in the referendum area; and
- his or her qualifying address for the election is in the referendum area. A persons 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 £2,426.49. The number of persons entitled to vote in the referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 1,093.

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

A copy of the specified documents, that is those listed below, may be accessed on the council's website using the following links:

https://www.tewkesbury.gov.uk/neighbourhood-development-plans/neighbourhoodplanning-in-tewkesbury

https://www.tewkesbury.gov.uk/elections-2019

Paper copies of the specified documents are also available to view at:

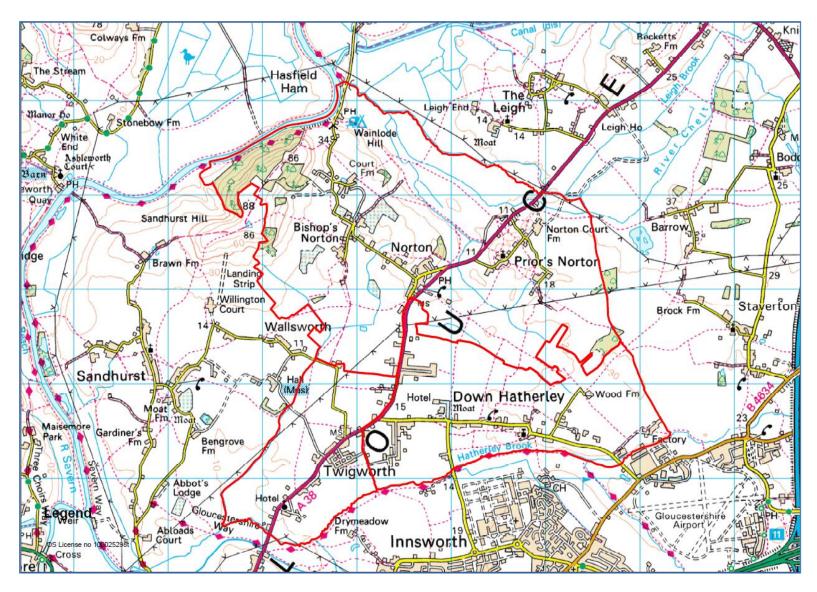
- Tewkesbury Borough Council, Council Offices, Gloucester Road, Tewkesbury, Gloucestershire, GL20 5TT.
 Available: Monday - Thursday 8.30am to 5pm and Friday 8.30am to 4pm.
- Saint Mary & Corpus Christs (Down Hatherley Church), Down Hatherley Lane, Down Hatherley, Gloucestershire. Available: 9.30am to 5pm
- Norton Garden Centre, Tewkesbury Road, Down Hatherley, Gloucester, GL2 9PU. Available: 9am to 5pm.
- For residents living in Norton: Please contact the Norton Parish Council Chair Eirwyn Jenkins on 01452 731743

The specified documents are as follows:

- Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Referendum Version Neighbourhood Development Plan
- Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Independent Examiner's Report
- Summary of the Representations Submitted to the Independent Examiner
- Basic Conditions and Legal Requirements Statement
- General Planning Statement
- This Information Statement

Dated: 21 March 2019

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Down Hatherley, Norton & Twigworth Designated Neighbourhood Area