Dear Resident,

## An opportunity to influence planning decisions made in your Parish

We are pleased to present the Neighbourhood Plan for the Parish of Heslington which has been based on the results of our earlier survey and subsequent consultations. We have also taken guidance from both CYC Planning Department and professionals specialising in this field. It has been our sole objective to produce a Plan that represents the views of the community as a whole and, to this end, it's important for you to review the Plan before it is finally submitted.

Please let us have your views:

On the enclosed hardcopy feedback form, by post, to Parish Clerk at: The Byre, Field House Farm, Thornton-le-Clay, York YO60 7QA (add extra pages if required).

Or drop it off at Sinclair Properties office on Main Street, Heslington.

Or you can download the feedback form in *Word* from: <a href="heslington.org.uk/neighbourhood-plan/">heslington.org.uk/neighbourhood-plan/</a>. Scroll down to Feedback Form and download the form in *Word*. Add your comments and save it as a new document. You can then e-mail it and/or other comments to <a href="heslingtonpcnplan@outlook.com">heslingtonpcnplan@outlook.com</a>. Or you can print it out and post or drop it off as above.

We really need your opinions, so please respond by 5pm Tuesday, 12 March 2019.

The attached leaflet contains the reasons for the Plan and its policies. A full version of the Draft Neighbourhood Plan, along with environmental reports and earlier questionnaire responses can be viewed at heslington.org.uk/neighbourhood-plan/.

Hard copies of the Plan are available from the Parish Clerk or collect from Sinclair Properties Office, Main Street, Heslington.

The Neighbourhood Plan is also available to review at local libraries in Fulford and Tang Hall and the Morrell library at the University.

If you want to say anything in person, or just want more information, we are holding a Residents' event in the Village Meeting Room on Monday, 11 February 2019. There will be a short introduction at: 10.30am, 2pm and 7pm followed by your chance to ask any questions and express any views you may have on the Plan. Alternatively you can drop in at any time between 10:30am and 8pm to discuss the plan.

Following this period of consultation, the Plan will be adapted to take account of responses received from residents, stakeholders and official bodies before being submitted to City of York Council. They will conduct a final, formal consultation where you will have another opportunity to comment, before putting the Plan to examination. This is conducted by an independent examiner with the primary aim of ensuring that the Plan complies with all relevant legislation and guidelines. It will then come back for a referendum in the Parish and, if you approve it, will become a statutory document.

This is the opportunity for us all to have a say in the future of our community so do please get involved to help us finalise a document which really is OUR PLAN. We hope you enjoy reading it.

Pauline Bramley
Chair, Heslington Parish Council

## **Heslington Parish Neighbourhood Plan Feedback Form**

Before the Plan is finalised, we are asking three all-important questions –

## WHAT DO YOU THINK? HOW COULD THE PLAN BE IMPROVED? OVERALL WHAT IS YOUR OPINION OF THIS PLAN?

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Please give us your opinion here, or on extra pages, and referring to a specific Policy where appropriate. If you wish to reply electronically there is a copy of this form on the website
at: heslington.org.uk/neighbourhood-plan/.
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