

# **Easton Neighbourhood Plan Referendum**

# **Information Statement**

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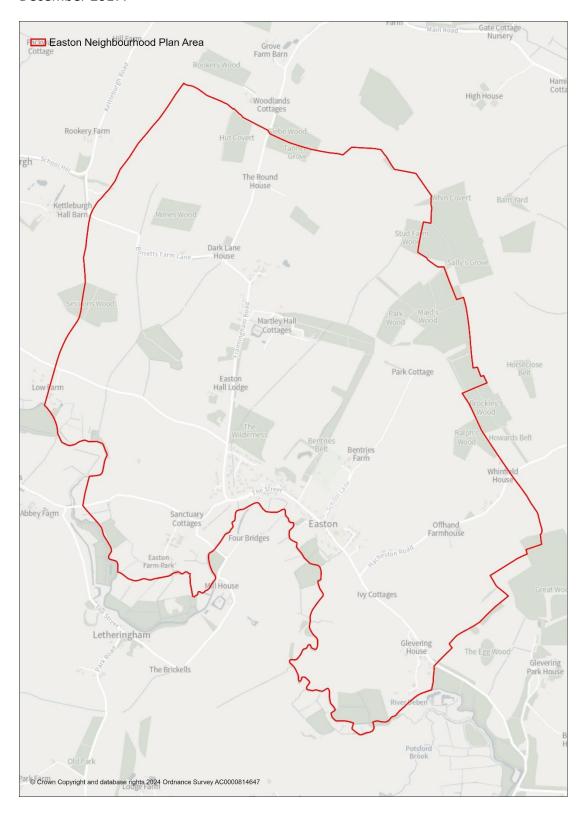
## Referendum Date: Thursday 13th June 2024

A Neighbourhood Planning Referendum will be held for the Easton Neighbourhood Plan on **Thursday 13**<sup>th</sup> **June 2024**. The question asked in the referendum will be:

Do you want East Suffolk Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Easton to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?

### **The Referendum Area**

The referendum area is the same as the area covered by the neighbourhood plan as shown below. The neighbourhood area was designated by (former) Suffolk Coastal Council on 19<sup>th</sup> December 2017:



A person is entitled to vote in the referendum if, on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2024:

- He or she is entitled to vote in a local government election in the referendum area; and,
- His or her qualifying address for the election is in the referendum area.

The referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to this referendum is £2,380.00. The number of persons on the relevant register (1 December 2023) used to calculate this limit is 305.

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

The Specified Documents, which are required to be made available through the referendum period, are:

- Easton Neighbourhood Plan (Referendum Version);
- Comments Summary: A summary of representations submitted to the independent examiner;
- East Suffolk Council Decision Statement: A statement by East Suffolk Council that the draft plan meets the basic conditions and Convention rights;
- Information for Voters (this document) which is a statement that sets out general information as to town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum; and,
- Information Statement: A statement containing basic information about the referendum
- Examiner's Report: Sets out the findings of the independent examination of the neighbourhood plan.
- Conceptual Development Approach to Allocated Site
- Easton Design Guide

These documents can be viewed online at:

https://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/neighbourhood-planning/neighbourhood-plans-in-the-area/easton-neighbourhood-plan/

The Specified Documents are also available to view at:
Wickham Market Library
Resource Centre
Chapel Lane
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