

Rye Neighbourhood Plan

The Town Council, as the qualifying body, under the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012 has prepared a Pre-Submission Neighbourhood Plan (The Plan) for Rye Parish with the help of the local community. The Plan sets out a vision for the future of the Parish and has policies and aims, which if passed at referendum later in 2018, will be adopted by Rother District Council and used to determine future planning applications locally.

Those who live work and study in Rye are invited to give their views on The Plan before it is submitted to Rother District Council for formal consideration and wider consultation.

In accordance with Town and Country Planning, England: The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012, Regulation 14 Pre-submission Consultation will take place over a six-week period:

Beginning on at9am and Ending onat 5pm.

ONLINE: www.ryeneighbourhoodplan.org.uk to view The Plan and all supporting documents. Download a Comment Form:

(1) for printing; (2) MS Word doc; (3) MS Word docx.

PRINTED COPY and Comment Forms may be found at the following locations:

- The Town Hall Office
- The Rye Library
- The Tilling Green Centre
- Each Parish Councillor will have a printed copy and may be

consulted in the usual way.

Contact details are on the Rye Town Council Website and the Rye Neighbourhood Plan Website

Anyone with difficulty accessing The Plan via the methods mentioned or with questions on the Regulation 14 Consultation, please contact the Rye Town Council Office the Town Clerk during office hours

HOW TO COMMENT: Please download a Comment Form: (1) for [printing](#); (2) [MS Word doc](#); (3) [MS Word docx](#). Or ask for one from the Town Hall. Comments can be E Mailed or posted to the Rye Town Hall for attention of the Town Clerk.

IMPORTANT: Your comments will not be taken into account unless your Name and Postcode are included. If you are commenting on behalf of a body or organisation, please state your interest and who you represent. If you are a voluntary organisation please describe your membership and how you have consulted them.

All comments will be publicly available on the Rye Neighbourhood Plan website after the consultation period. Comments will be identifiable by name, organisation or body. All other personal information provided will be protected according to the Data Protection Act 1998 and will not be made available online or otherwise.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT?

All comments (representations) will be reviewed by the Steering Group and the Plan amended as necessary. Rye Town Council will be consulted as required. Once reviewed, the Plan with supporting documents will then be submitted to Rother District Council for a further period of consultation, prior to being passed to an Independent (Planning) Examiner.

If found “sound” (satisfactory), the Plan will be presented to those on the Rye electoral register to vote either FOR or AGAINST in a referendum. Arrangements for this will come later.

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