Neighbourhood Planning Regulation 14 Public Consultation – Roecliffe & Westwick Neighbourhood Development Plan

Dear Sir/Madam,

I am writing to inform you that in accordance with Neighbourhood Planning Regulation 14, Roecliffe & Westwick parish Council is undertaking a public consultation and would like to invite comments from organisations and Companies on its Pre-Submission Neighbourhood Development Plan.

The public consultation closes on Friday June 28th. 2019

Proposed Roecliffe & Westwick Neighbourhood Development Plan

Roecliffe & Westwick parish Council has produced a Neighborhood Development Plan which covers the whole of the area of Roecliffe & Westwick, including the Village of Roecliffe and the surrounding countryside. The Plan contains a vision for Roecliffe & Westwick along with a set of aims, planning policies and proposals and community actions to achieve the vision. The planning policies within the Plan seek to protect the character of Roecliffe & Westwick, with policies guiding new development, notably for housing, business, and greenspace.

Following this consultation, the Plan will be amended and then submitted to the Harrogate Borough Council, as required, for a further "Regulation 16" consultation and independent examination. The Plan, if successful at examination, will then proceed to a local referendum. If the Plan receives a majority vote, the Plan will then be 'made' and become part of the statutory development plan – the Local Plan - for Harrogate Borough. Any planning applications submitted within the boundary of the Neighborhood Development Plan will be determined in accordance with this plan.

Aim of this consultation

This consultation seeks your views on the content of the proposed Roecliffe & Westwick Neighborhood Development Plan, together with the supporting Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) and Habitats Regulations Assessment (HRA) Screening Report.

Availability of Documents

The proposed Roecliffe & Westwick Neighborhood Development Plan, supporting documents and evidence base can be viewed on the website at:

www.roecliffewestwickvillage.co.uk

Deposit Locations

Hard copies of the consultation documents are also available for inspection at the following deposit location: The disconnected Telephone Box (now used as a book changing platform) and at Boroughbridge Library.

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How to Comment

The Parish Council welcomes your comments. Comments should be submitted by completing a paper questionnaire, also obtainable from the website, or by sending a letter with written representations sent to either of the following addresses:

Email: neighbourhoodplanrw@gmail.com

Post: to Holmeside Farm, Roecliffe, YO51 9LY.

The deadline for comments: 28th. June, 2019 The Council cannot accept any late comments.

Further Information

Should you have any further queries about the Roecliffe & Westwick Neighbourhood Development Plan, please contact Dave Siswick at the above e-mail address.

David R Siswick.