



## Buckinghamshire Council

### Stewkley Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

#### Information Statement

#### Referendum: Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2021

A neighbourhood planning referendum will be held for the Stewkley Neighbourhood Plan 2013 – 2033 on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2021.

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is:

**‘Do you want Buckinghamshire Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Stewkley to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?’**

The referendum area and the neighbourhood plan area covers the same area as the parish of Stewkley (see map below).

#### Can I Vote?

- You can vote in the referendum if you live in the parish of Stewkley and;
- You are registered to vote in local council elections, and
- You are 18 years of age or over on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2021
- You have to be registered to vote by 28 September 2021 to vote in the referendum. You can check if you are registered to vote by calling 01296 798141 or emailing [elections@buckinghamshire.gov.uk](mailto:elections@buckinghamshire.gov.uk)

The expenses limit that will apply in relation to the referendum is  $£2,362 + (1462 \times £0.059) = \mathbf{£2,448.26}$

The number of persons entitled to vote in the referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 1462.

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

Copies of the specified documents namely those documents listed below, can be found online at: <https://www.aylesburyvaledc.gov.uk/stewkley-neighbourhood-plan>

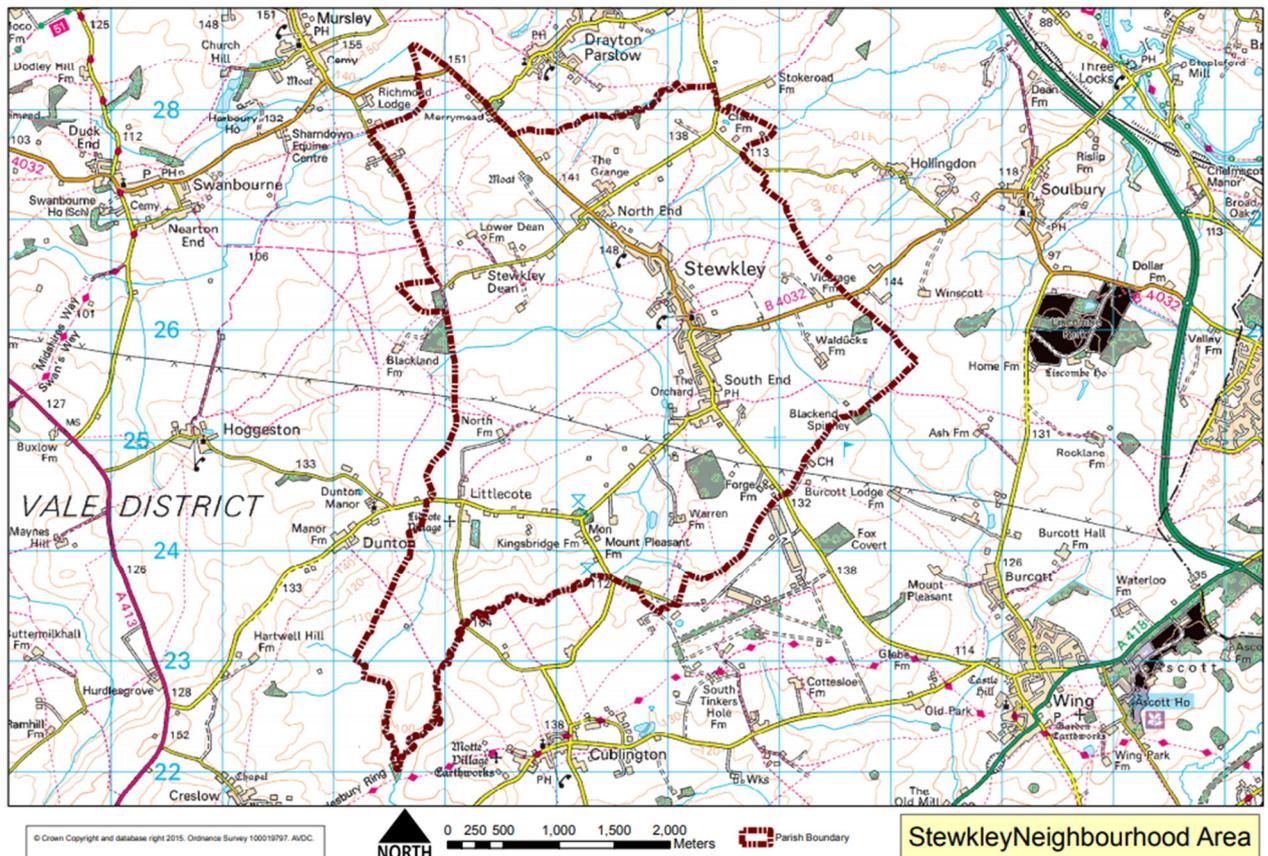
Paper copies of the specified documents are also available to view at Buckinghamshire Council, The Gateway, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury, HP19 8FF during normal opening hours.

The specified documents are:

- Stewkley Neighbourhood Development Plan
- The report of the independent examiner
- A summary of the representations submitted to the independent examiner
- The statement by the local planning authority that the draft plan meets the basic conditions specified by statute and complies with the provision made by or under sections 38A and 38B of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004;
- This information statement

- A statement that sets out general information about town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum

Stewkley Neighbourhood Area map



Dated: 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2021

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