



Bungay Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

Information Statement

Town and Country Planning, England | Town and Country Planning (Referendums) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

Note: this document was updated on 11th October 2022 to correct a minor wording error.

This document was updated on 27th October 2022 to update the arrangements for viewing the documents at the Marina Centre, Lowestoft.

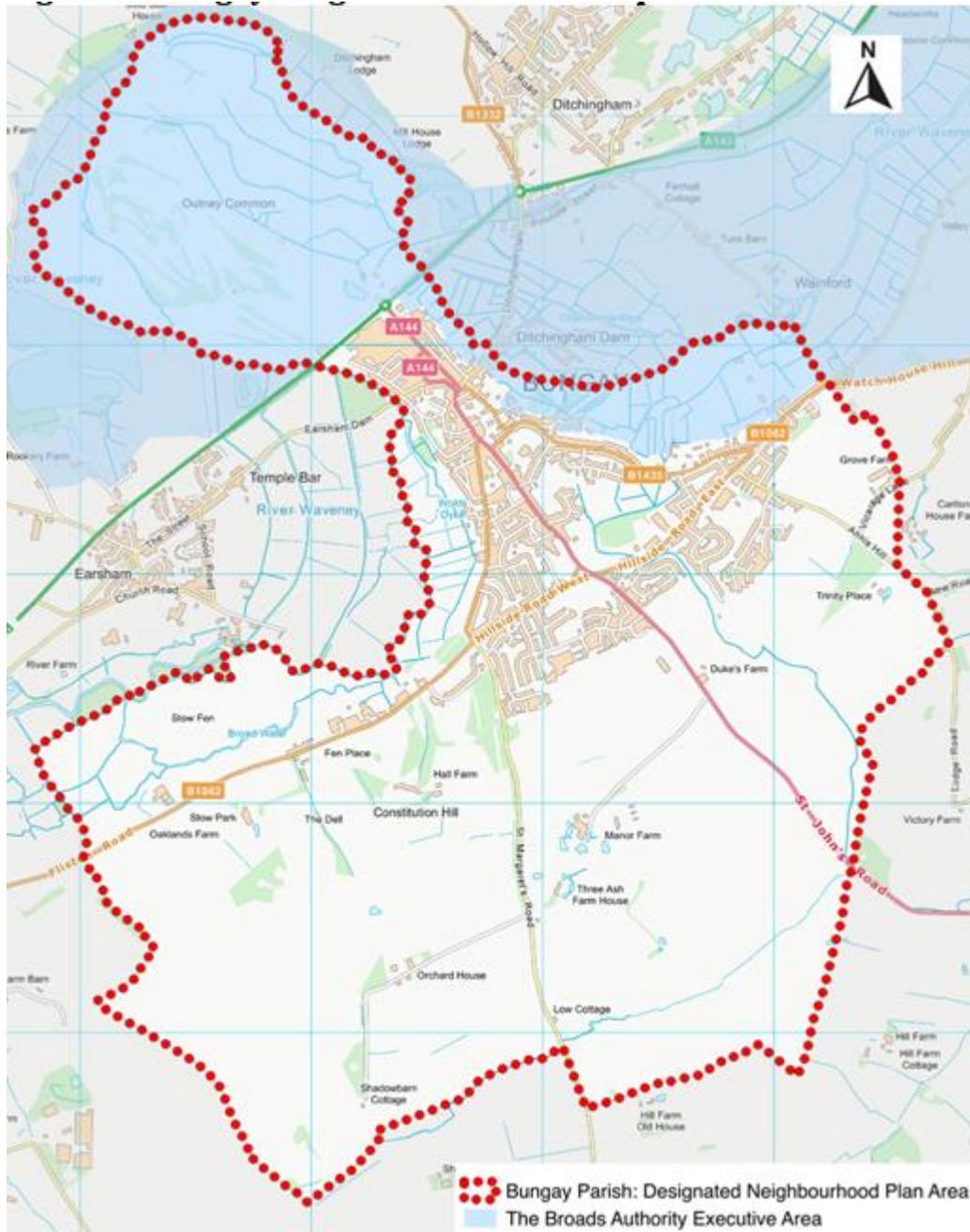
Referendum Date: Thursday 17th November 2022

A Neighbourhood Planning Referendum will be held for the Bungay Neighbourhood Plan on **17th November 2022**. The question asked in the referendum will be:

Do you want the Broads Authority and East Suffolk Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Bungay to help them decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?

The Referendum Area

The referendum area is the same as the neighbourhood plan area, which was designated by (former) Waveney District Council on 13th April 2016.



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A person is entitled to vote in the referendum on Thursday 17th November 2022 if:

- 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 for this referendum is £2,602.35. This limit has been calculated based on the number of people entitled to vote in the referendum being 3,955.

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:

- The draft Bungay Neighbourhood Plan 2020-2039 (Referendum Draft, September 2022);
- The report of the independent examiner;
- A summary of representations submitted to the independent examiner;
- A statement by East Suffolk Council that the draft plan meets the basic conditions and Convention rights (Decision Statement);
- A statement that sets out general information as to town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum (this Information for voters); and,
- A statement containing basic information about the referendum (Information Statement).

These documents can be viewed online at:

www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/neighbourhood-planning/neighbourhood-plans-in-the-area/bungay-neighbourhood-area/

The Specified Documents are also available to view at:

Bungay Library
Wharton Street
Bungay
NR35 1EL

The Specified Documents are also available at:

East Suffolk Customer Service Centre
Marina Centre
Marina
Lowestoft
NR32 1HH

Please note: from 31st October 2022 the Marina Centre will be temporarily closed for refurbishment. The work is expected to take three weeks. During this period the Specified Documents will be available to view at: Lowestoft Library, Clapham Road South, Lowestoft NR32 1DR.

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