



## Oulton Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

### Information Statement

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

### Referendum Date: Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023

A Neighbourhood Planning Referendum will be held for the Oulton Neighbourhood Plan on 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023. The question asked in the referendum will be

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

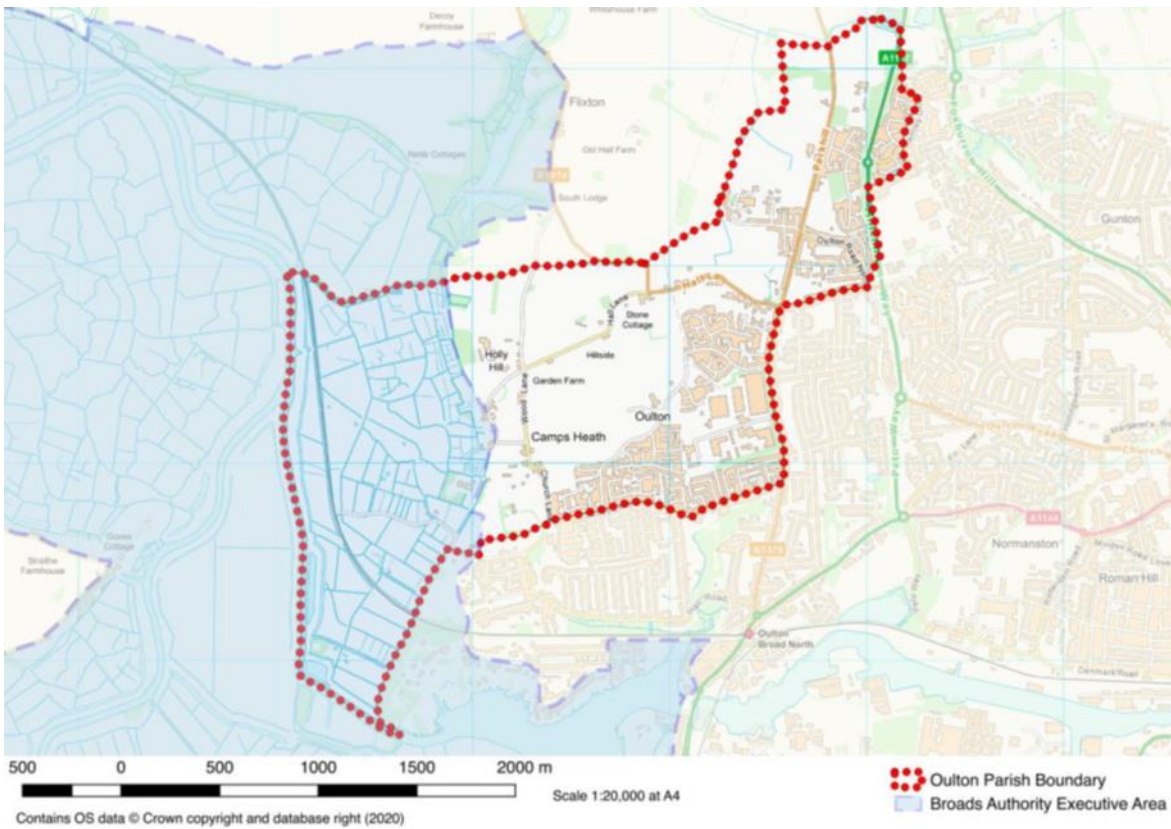
### The Referendum Area

The referendum area is the same as the neighbourhood plan area, which was designated by (former) Waveney District Council on 7<sup>th</sup> December 2018.

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A person is entitled to vote in the referendum on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2023 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 £2,601.46. This limit has been calculated based on the number of people entitled to vote in the referendum being 3,940.

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:

- Oulton Neighbourhood Plan 2021-2036 (Referendum Version, October 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:

<https://www.eastsuffolk.gov.uk/planning/neighbourhood-planning/neighbourhood-plans-in-the-area/oulton-neighbourhood-area/>

The Specified Documents are also available to view at:

Lowestoft Library  
Clapham Road South,  
Lowestoft  
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Or

Customer Service  
Marina Centre  
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