

Sawtry Village Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

Information Statement

A Referendum relating to the adoption of Sawtry Village Neighbourhood Plan 2022-2036 will be held on **9 November 2023.**

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is:

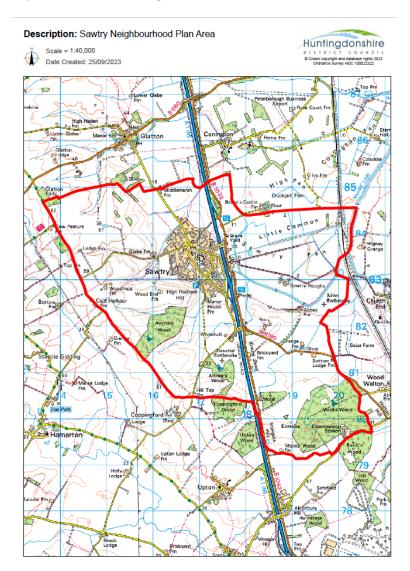
"Do you want Huntingdonshire District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Sawtry to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"

The Referendum area is identified on the map which is included in the information statement.

The Referendum area is identical to the area which has been designated as Sawtry Neighbourhood area.

A person is entitled to vote in the Referendum if on 9 November 2023.

- they are entitled to vote in a local government election in the Referendum area; and
- their qualifying address for the election is in the Referendum area. A person's qualifying address is, in relation to a person registered in the Register of Electors, the address in respect of which they are entitled to be registered.



Sawtry Designated Neighbourhood Plan Area
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The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £2,630.16. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 4,545.

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

A copy of the specified documents, that is those listed below, may be accessed on the Council's <u>Neighbourhood Planning webpage</u> as well as the <u>Council's Upcoming Elections</u> webpage.

Paper copies of the specified documents are also available to view at:

- Huntingdonshire District Council, Pathfinder House, St Mary's Street, Huntingdon, PE29 3TN
 - Open Monday to Thursday from 8.45am to 5pm and Friday from 8.45am to 4.30pm.
 - o Contact details: Tel: 01480 388388, email: mail@huntingdonshire.go.uk
- The Old School House, 37 Green End Road, Sawtry, PE28 5UY. (Off-road parking area is available behind the Parish Office.)
 - Opening hours: Mon to Fri 9:30 am to 1 pm.
 - The Parish Office may also be available on Wednesday evenings when other Parish meetings are scheduled, please contact the Parish for confirmation in advance.
 - Contact details: Tel: 01487-831771; email: clerk@sawtry-pc.gov.uk

The specified documents are:

- Sawtry Village Neighbourhood Plan 2022-2036;
- Report of the independent examiner;
- Summary of the representations submitted to the independent examiner;
- Statement by the local planning authority that the draft plan meets the basic conditions and complies with relevant legislation;
- This information statement;
- A statement that sets out general information about town and country planning and the referendum; and
- Decision statement.

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Michelle Sacks
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