

## **Deddington Parish Council**

## Application to Prepare a Neighbourhood Plan

Submitted to

## **Cherwell District Council**

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In keeping with recent government legislation, (specifically the Localism Act 2011, the National Planning Policy Framework published in March 2012 and the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012) Deddington Parish Council wishes to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan that will form part of the Cherwell Local Plan.

In preparing a Neighbourhood Plan, the Deddington Parish Council will be guided by Cherwell District Council's "Protocol for Preparing Neighbourhood Plan". We also draw attention to the fact that several Deddington Parish Councillors have had several meetings with of the planning team since April 2013 wherein Deddington Parish Council declared its desire to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan.

The Deddington Parish Council now seeks to "apply for designation of a neighbourhood area" in accordance with Part 2 Paragraph 5 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012. This application includes and makes the following statements:

- (a) A map that defines the area and boundary of the Deddington Parish
- (b) This area is considered appropriate to be designated as a neighbourhood area since this is the area the constitutes the Deddington Parish
- (c) The Deddington Parish Council is a relevant body for the purposes of section 61G of the 1990 Act (inserted by paragraph 2 of Schedule 9 to the Localism Act 2011)

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