## **BODICOTE PARISH COUNCIL**

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For the attention of:

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Dear Sirs

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2 November 2015

**Bodicote Parish Council:** 

Application for Designation of a Neighbourhood Plan Area

In accordance with the Localism Act 2011, the National Planning Policy Framework 2012 and Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012, as a relevant body as defined in Section 61G of the Town and County Planning Act 1990, Bodicote Parish Council seeks to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan (Resolution: Item 6 of the Council Minutes of Oct. 2015).

In accordance with Part 2 Para. 5 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012, Bodicote Parish Council seeks to apply for a designation of a Neighbourhood Area, being that of the Area and Boundary of Bodicote Parish (map attached).

Bodicote Parish Council is mindful of and will be guided by Cherwell District Council's "Protocol for preparing a Neighbourhood Plan".

Bodicote Parish Council wishes to ensure that any future development within the Parish Boundary is in line with the needs of the residents of the village whilst ensuring that such development is suitable for the area, bearing in mind the current development pressures within and around our Parish boundary.

Bodicote Parish Council is also mindful of the need to ensure that the NP for Bodicote integrates with the Cherwell District Council Local Plan.

Yours faithfully

Valerie J Russell (Mrs) Clerk to the Council

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cc: Cty Cllr A Fatemian; Dist Cllr Miss L Thirzie Smart; Dist Cllr Mrs C Heath Bodicote Parish Councillors

