

Murton Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

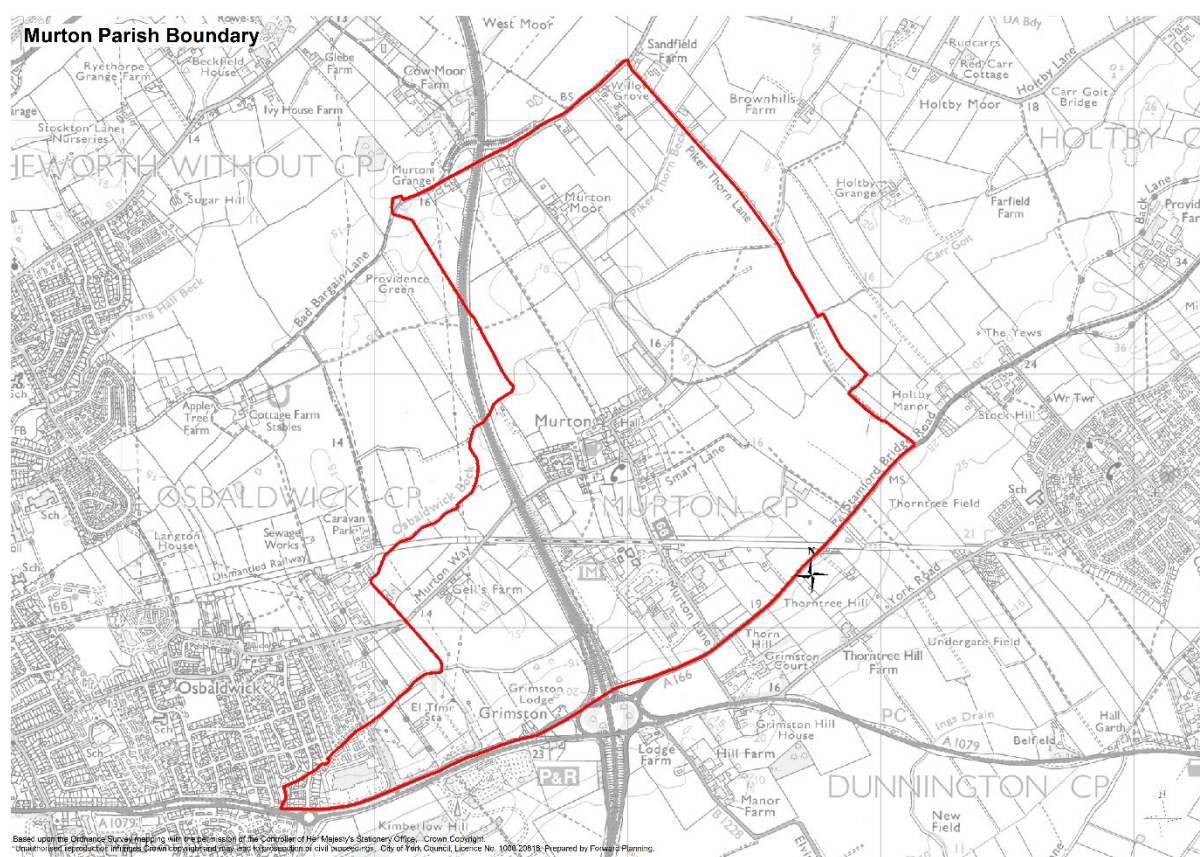
Information Statement

A Referendum relating to the adoption of the Murton Neighbourhood Plan will be held on Thursday 10 July 2025. Notice of Referendum attached.

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is:

“Do you want City of York Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Murton to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?”

The Referendum area is identified on the map which is included below, with this Information Statement.



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

A person is entitled to vote in the Referendum if on Tuesday 24 June 2025

- 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. A person's qualifying address is, in relation to a person registered in the register of electors, the address in respect of which he or she is entitled to be registered.

The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £2,362 + (0.059p x number of entries on the relevant register) The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 506.

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 documents listed below, may be inspected online

<https://www.york.gov.uk/planning-policy/murton-neighbourhood-plan>

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

- West Offices, Station Rise, York YO1 6GA (Mon-Fri 9:00-17:00, Sat and Sun closed).
Contact the Strategic Planning Policy Team to arrange an appointment to view on (01904) 552255 or neighbourhoodplanning@york.gov.uk
- **York Explore Library**, Library Square, York, YO1 7DS:
Monday – Thursday: 9am to 8pm;
Friday: 10am to 6pm;
Saturday: 9am to 5pm;
Sunday: 11am to 4pm.
- **Dunnington Library**, The Reading Room, Church Street, Dunnington, York, YO19 5PW:
Monday: 10am to 1.30pm;
Tuesday: 2pm to 5.30pm;
Wednesday: Closed;
Thursday: 2pm to 5pm;
Friday: Closed;
Saturday: 9am to 12.30pm;
Sunday: Closed.
- **Tang Hall Explore Café**, The Centre @ Burnholme, Mossdale Avenue, York, YO31 0HA:
Monday – Friday: 9am to 4pm;
Saturday: 9am to 3.30pm;
Sunday: Closed.
- **Mobile Library**;
See <https://explore.york.org.uk/libraries/mobile-library/> for specific locations & dates / times.

- **St James Church**, Murton Way, Murton, York, YO19 5UJ (during normal church opening hours)

The specified documents are:

- Murton Neighbourhood Development Plan and Appendices
- 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 the relevant legislation
- this Information Statement
and
- a Statement that sets out General information about Town and Country Planning including Neighbourhood Planning and the Referendum.

Dated: 2 June 2025

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