

Dunnington Parish Council, York

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11th April 2013

Our Ref: DPC/NP/1/APP

Dear Mr. Richardson,

DUNNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL: APPLICATION FOR DESIGNATION OF NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN AREA.

I have the pleasure of enclosing a formal application to permit Dunnington Parish Council, York to commence with the formation of its Neighbourhood Plan in conjunction with the awaited relevant parts of the City of York Local Plan 2013.

The application should be non controversial since it confines the scope of plan to that of existing parish boundaries. It is also realized that the process through your departments and formal channels shall take a minimum of 6 weeks from this date.

Should there be any matters requiring attention within this submission then please do not hesitate to contact me.

Kind regards.

Yours sincerely,

ALF DEUCHARS

DUNNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL, YORK

APPLICATION TO CITY OF YORK FOR DESIGNATION OF NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN AREA.

11th April 2013

1 INTRODUCTION

Dunnington Parish has recognized official boundaries within the City of York and there are no changes proposed to such boundaries for the purpose of this application.

A plan entitled Dunnington Parish Boundary Map is attached as Appendix A to this application.

2 STATEMENT - EXPLAINING WHY IT IS CONSIDERED TO BE AN APPROPRIATE NEIGHBOURHOOD AREA

Dunnington is a parish with strong views upon the retention of its heritage combined with the need to conform with the change in government legislation relative to planning aspects that were introduced in March 2013.

The Parish Council has been proactive with the local community during recent months which canvassed the benefits of having a Neighbourhood Plan for our community. This, coupled with our locality of reaching very prominent status nationally (Annual Awards every year plus being 14th Best Place to Live in the national survey of some 2400 locations), it comes as no surprise to be given overwhelming support from the residents.

3 DUNNINGTON PARISH COUNCIL AS THE RELEVANT BODY

Our Parish Council is already the recognized representatives for the Parish and prepared to engage and lead the way forward establishing a Neighbourhood Plan in conjunction with the City of York and other government/professional parties as is likely to be required.

4 CONCLUSION

Progress through the government Neighbourhood Plan process formally starts with this application. We strive to work in harmony with the City of York Council to achieve our goal of having such plan in place within 12 months from this date.

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