

The programme for the plan going forward is as follows:

January 2017

A desktop review conducted by consultants will provide an independent view of the Neighbourhood Plan.

February 2017

A detailed summary of the Neighbourhood Plan will be delivered to all parishioners and stakeholders and the full draft will be available for examination.

A final public meeting will be held to present the draft Neighbourhood Plan.

March 2017

The Neighbourhood Plan and all supporting documents will be submitted to Eden District to conduct the final stages.

May 2017

An Independent Examiner will undertake an independent examination of the Neighbourhood Plan.

June 2017

A referendum will be held in the parish to give you the chance to vote for approval of the Neighbourhood Plan.

July 2017

The final version of the Neighbourhood Plan will be adopted and will become effective.

Job done!

If you would like to ask any questions, or provide feedback please get in touch with the Steering Group Chair

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LAZONBY

Neighbourhood Plan



This is the latest update from the Steering Group working on the Lazonby Parish Neighbourhood Plan ('LNP').

LNP provides an opportunity to have a significant involvement in the planning process and to influence the future development of the area at the start of a planning application. Our consultation process has allowed all parishioners and other stakeholders to have their say. You told us what was expected of the LNP, we listened and now are in the final stages of preparation.

Unfortunately, our work has been delayed whilst the Eden Local Plan (ELP) has been under scrutiny and revised. The Neighbourhood Plan must be in 'general conformity' with the National Planning Policy Framework and the adopted Eden Core Strategy and **we** now **believe** that this has been achieved.