Lazonby Neighbourhood Plan Consultation opens

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LAZONBY'S draft neighbourhood plan, which has been developed by a working group set up by Lazonby Parish Council, is now open for consultation.

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Neighbourhood planning is a way for local communities to set out how they wish their area to develop in the future and allows them to write their own plan which, once adopted, is used to help determine planning applications.

The draft plan for Lazonby covers the period 2014–2029 and includes matters such as design and conservation, the protection of open spaces, housing and rural business development and micro-energy schemes.

The geographical area covered by the plan (the "neighbourhood area") is the same as the Lazonby parish boundary and includes the village and all surrounding countryside within the parish.

Consultation drop-in sessions are at Lazonby viltage half on Wednesday from 7pm to 9pm and on Saturday, 12th August, from 10am to noon.

Copies of the plan and accompanying design guide may be viewed online at www.lazonbyparishcouncil.org. Paper copies of the documents are also available for inspection at Penrith Town Hall, Mansion House, Penrith, Penrith library, Lazonby village hall, Lakes and Dales Co-op, Lazonby, and at St. Nicholas Church, Lazonby.

Comments on the plan can be made at the drop-in sessions or submitted by e-mail to lazonbyneighbourhoodplan@googlemail.com or in writing to: Clerk to Lazonby Parish Council.

ends on Sunday, 27 August.

The results of the consuitation will be submitted to Eden Council and to an independent examiner for consideration. If the plan is approved by the examiner, it will then be put to a local referendum.