## **Buckinghamshire Council**



## Wooburn and Bourne End Neighbourhood Plan Information Statement for Referendum

A neighbourhood planning referendum will be held for the Wooburn and Bourn End Neighbourhood Plan on Thursday 7th September 2023.

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is:

'Do you want Buckinghamshire Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Wooburn and Bourne End to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?'

The referendum area and the neighbourhood plan areas cover the same area as the parish of Wooburn and Bourne End (see map below).

## Can I vote?

- You can vote in the referendum if you live in the parish of Wooburn and Bourne End.
- You are registered to vote in local council elections.
- You are 18 years of age or over on Thursday 7th September 2023.
- You have to be registered to vote by 21 August 2023 to vote in the referendum. You can check if you are registered to vote by calling 01296 798141 or emailing elections@buckinghamshire.gov.uk
- You have relevant ID by the day of the referendum if you are voting in person. Further information: https://www.gov.uk/how-to-vote/photo-id-youll-need

The expense limit that will apply in relation to the referendum is £2,362 +  $(8437 \times £0.059) = £2,859.78$ 

The number of persons entitled to vote in the referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 8437.

The referendum will be conducted in accordance with procedures similar to those used at local government elections.

Copies of the specified documents namely those documents listed below, can be found online at: <a href="https://www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/planning-and-building-control/planning-policy/neighbourhood-planning/the-plans/">https://www.buckinghamshire.gov.uk/planning-and-building-control/planning-policy/neighbourhood-planning/the-plans/</a>

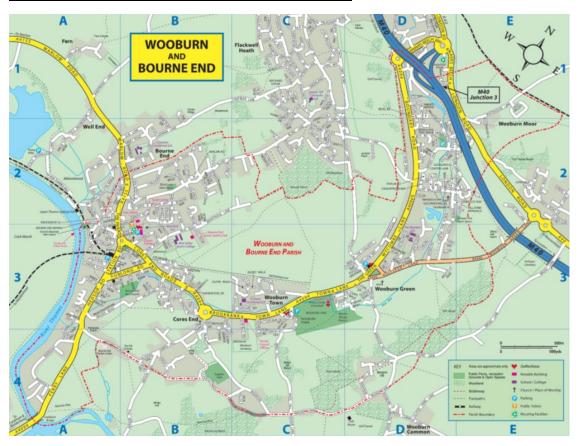
Paper copies of the specified documents are also available to view at Buckinghamshire Council, The Gateway, Gatehouse Road, Aylesbury, HP19 8FF during normal opening hours.

The specified documents are:

Wooburn and Bourne End Neighbourhood Plan.

- The report of the independent examiner.
- A summary of the representations submitted to the independent examiner.
- The statement by the local planning authority that the draft plan meets the basic conditions specified by statute and complies with the provision make by or under sections 38A and 38B of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004.
- This information statement.
- A statement that sets out general information about town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum.

## Wooburn and Bourne End Neighbourhood Area Map



Dated 28<sup>th</sup> July 2023