Reg. 14 External Consultees – Draft Morton Neighbourhood Plan – Friday 17th January 2020

Email (09:58) (attached: Draft Plan, Proposals Map, Newsletter, Questionnaire & Policy Summary)

Good morning, I am writing to you on behalf of the Morton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group to invite your comments on the Draft Morton Neighbourhood Plan. This is a formal consultation in accordance with the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 (Regulation 14) and it will run for just over six weeks from today (Friday 17th January 2020) until Monday 2nd March 2020. The plan area is shown in the Plan document on the policy summary sheet.

The completion of the Draft Neighbourhood Plan follows two previous informal consultations with statutory bodies and other interested parties in July 2019 (a general notification) and November 2019 (on the Draft Purpose and Objectives). If you commented at either of these stages your views will have been considered and reflected in the Draft Plan. However, if you did not comment then, it does not affect your rights to comment at this formal stage.

I attach a PDF version of the Draft Plan, including a simple Proposals Map, it can also be viewed at or downloaded from the Parish Council website, along with a series of background/evidence documents

- https://www.mortonparishcouncil-lincs.co.uk/sample-page/morton-neighbourhood-plan/ - see the blue tab (8 - bottom right) for the Plan Document and blues tabs (1 to 7) for the related documents. In addition, I attach a policy summary sheet for easy cross-reference.

The external consultation is running in parallel with a local community consultation, including a newsletter/questionnaire and two exhibitions, (see attachments, for information). You would be welcome to attend these sessions if you wish. You may use the questionnaire but a written email response (addressed to me) is preferred. Please do contact hesitate to contact me with any general questions or technical queries either by email or phone on
I look forward to hearing from you.
Kind Regards, Clive Keble (MRTPI): Clive Keble Consulting, for the Morton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group.
Recipients (35)

Local Authorities West Lindsey District Council -Central Lincs. Local Plan Unit - | Lincolnshire County Council -Bassetlaw District Council – Nottinghamshire County Council -Adjoining Town/Parish Councils Gainsborough TC -Blyton PC -Scotton PC -East Stockwith -**Politicians** MP – Sir Edward Leigh -County Councillor (Scotter Rural) -District Councillors (Scotter & Blyton) -**Government Departments and Agencies** The Coal Authority The Homes and Communities Agency Natural England The Environment Agency Historic England The Highways Agency The Marine Management Organisation Sport England -Mobile Operators Three -02 – Orange – T-Mobile - I Vodafone -Services Gas providers National Grid -Sewerage Anglian Water – Water Anglian Water – Police -Health Authority -Others Lincolnshire Wildlife Trust -Greater Lincolnshire Local Enterprise Partnership -Morton Trentside Primary School -

External Consultees (List may be added to).

Email to External Consultees

Good morning,

Morton Parish Council is preparing the Morton Neighbourhood Plan, covering all of the Parish Area (see attached plan). The work is being managed by a Steering Group comprising Parish Councillors and members of the community. As a Neighbourhood Plan expert, I have been appointed to provide professional planning support for this process.

The Steering Group has undertaken initial consultation with the local community and is now in the process of evidence gathering. However, in addition to finding out the opinions and aspirations of local people, the Steering Group wants to obtain the views of statutory bodies and other interested organisations at each stage of plan making. I am, therefore, contacting you to make you/your organisation aware of the process and to invite any input you wish to make .

It is intended to move to a full Draft Plan, which will include a formal 6-week consultation, later in 2019. In the meantime, the SG would welcome any comments that you wish to make on any matters which you think should be included in the plan. If do not wish to comment at this stage, but you want to be included in formal consultation on the Draft Plan later in 2019, please let me know. Alternatively, if you do not wish to be contacted again concerning the Morton Neighbourhood Plan, a short letter, email or telephone call to that effect would be appreciated.

If you wish to discuss technical aspects of the	Neighbourhood Plan, please contact me on
or by email at	

I look forward to hearing from you, if possible, within 3 weeks, but if you need to consult colleagues or take comments through committees/boards, the end of August will be acceptable.

Kind Regards,

Clive Keble (MRTPI): Clive Keble Consulting, for the Morton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group.