

BAKEWELL NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN WITHDRAWAL STATEMENT

Bakewell Town Council submitted their Neighbourhood Plan to the Peak District National Park Authority 15th June 2020. The Peak District National Park Authority then undertook a public consultation on the draft (Submission) Plan between 27th August 2020 and 4th December 2020.

Following the consultation, Mr Nigel McGurk was appointed by Peak District National Park Authority in December 2021 to carry out the independent examination of the Bakewell Neighbourhood Plan. The examination was undertaken by written representations.

Mr McGurk published his report on the Bakewell Neighbourhood Plan on 16th May 2021. It concluded that, subject to a series of recommended modifications, the Neighbourhood Plan meets all the necessary legal requirements and should proceed to referendum. Having considered the Examiner's recommendations, Bakewell Town Council, at its meeting on 2nd August 2021, resolved to withdraw its Neighbourhood Plan. A formal notice to the Peak District National Park Authority is appended to this Notice.

The Town Council now intends to work with the Peak District National Park Authority to include the aims and aspirations of the Neighbourhood Plan within the Peak District National Park Local Plan Review.

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Further general information can be found at www.peakdistrict.gov.uk/planning/neighbourhood-planning/neighbourhood-planning/neighbourhood-plan

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