

Newcastle-under-Lyme Borough Council Bradwell, May Bank, Porthill and Wolstanton Neighbourhood Forum and Neighbourhood Area

Decision Statement published pursuant to the Town and Country Planning Act (1990), the Localism Act 2011, and the Neighbourhood Planning (General)

Regulations 2012 (as amended)

Notice of the designation of the Neighbourhood Area and Neighbourhood Forum for Bradwell, May Bank, Porthill and Wolstanton.

Decision

Newcastle-under-Lyme Borough Council decided by delegated authority of Simon McEneny, Deputy Chief Executive, in consultation with Councillor Andrew Fear - Portfolio Holder for Strategic Planning on the 25th April 2023 to designate the Bradwell, May Bank, Porthill and Wolstanton Neighbourhood Area and Neighbourhood Forum for neighbourhood planning purposes.

Reasons for decision:

On the 30 November 2022, the Council, as Local Planning Authority ("LPA"), received an application to designate the Bradwell, May Bank, Porthill and Wolstanton Neighbourhood Area and Neighbourhood Forum. Consultation on the neighbourhood forum and neighbourhood area designation applications commenced on the 25 January 2023 and ran until 8th March 2023. Comments received to the consultation have been considered by the LPA who have determined that the applications submitted are valid and appropriate for the purposes of establishing a neighbourhood forum and for preparing a Neighbourhood Plan.

As required under the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 Part 2 Regulation 7 (2), the decision document and a map of the designated area can be viewed on the Council's Neighbourhood Planning webpages.

As required under the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 Part 2 Regulation 10 (1), the name of the neighbourhood forum, a copy of the written constitution, the name of the neighbourhood area to which the designation relates and contact details for at least one member of the neighbourhood forum can be viewed on the Council's Neighbourhood Planning webpages.

These documents can also be viewed on computer screens at:

Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, ST5 1BL – Monday to Friday

9am to 4.30pm

Kidsgrove Customer Service Centre, Town Hall, Kidsgrove, ST7 4EL Monday to Friday 9am to 1pm and 2pm to 5pm

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Physical copies of the decision statement can also be requested at: Castle House, Barracks Road, Newcastle-under-Lyme, ST5 1BL Monday to Friday 9am to 4.30pm

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In consultation with

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Portfolio Holder - Strategic Planning

Dated: 25 April 2023