

2017 February

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING REPORT: - Mr T Lockley had written the following report and circulated it to the members prior to the meeting:

Neighbourhood Planning Update 5th February 2017

Submission to Hinckley & Bosworth Borough Council

As agreed at the December PC meeting, the draft plan boundary and supporting document was submitted to the borough council. When acknowledging their receipt the borough council asked that MPC provide the following information:

- Confirmation that Groby PC is happy for Field Head to be incorporated within proposed NP boundary
- Confirmation that Newtown Linford PC is happy for the finger of land, between Leicester Road/Whitwick Road and the A50, be incorporated within the proposed NP boundary
- Confirmation that Charnwood Borough Council is happy for the above-mentioned finger of land being incorporated into the MPC NP.

I emailed both Newtown Linford and Groby Parish Councils to seek their approval of the proposed boundary. Newtown Linford replied to say they didn't want that part of their parish including. We will thus amend our draft plan accordingly. I have notified Charnwood Borough Council of that change and thanked them for their support.

I met the Groby PC chair and the new parish clerk last Thursday. We had a productive discussion. They are looking to arrange a presentation on Neighbourhood Planning from the LRCC (just as Markfield had last year). Thereafter the council will discuss how it wants to proceed on this matter. Thus, for the time being, they aren't in a position to provide the confirmation, we're seeking concerning the inclusion of Field Head within the Markfield Neighbourhood Plan boundary.

Resolved, revise the Parish Council's draft boundary to that of Markfield Parish only and to inform H&BC of the amendment, so they could then advertise it.