

ROTHERWICK PARISH COUNCIL

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Neighbourhood Plan Designated Area

Dear Mr Bonner

I write both to inform you that Rotherwick Parish Council has resolved to undertake a Neighbourhood Plan, and formally to submit a request to Hart District Council for the parish of Rotherwick to be designated as the neighbourhood area.

It is the parish council's intention to lead the production of the plan by means of a steering group comprised of councillors and residents.

We conclude that it is appropriate for Hart to designate the parish boundary as the appropriate area, since the parish is made up of 3 main settled areas – Rotherwick Village, Stroud Green and Lyde Green and there are areas of special interest ecologically within the parish boundary that Members would like to be able to include in the plan. The relationship of all settled areas to the countryside in the parish, and the economic and employment relationship of all settled areas to each other leads us to conclude that the parish boundary is the logical neighbourhood unit.

We look forward to receiving Hart's confirmation of the neighbourhood area

Yours sincerely

Karyn Reid
Clerk to Rotherwick Parish Council