

# SHEEPY PARISH



## SHEEPY PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN APPROVED AT REFERENDUM – 14<sup>th</sup> March 2019

### Referendum results

**318** Parishioners voted with **90%** supporting the Neighbourhood Plan, which is higher than the national average

### What does the outcome mean going forward?

Now that the plan has been approved, it legally forms part of the Development Plan for Hinckley and Bosworth Borough. The policies in the plan must be given full weight when assessing planning applications in the Parish.

### How will the Parish Council use the Neighbourhood Plan?

The Parish Council is consulted on all planning applications and the policies in the Neighbourhood Plan will now provide the basis of the Parish Council's response.

During the development of the plan, Parishioners also told us how they'd like to see the Parish develop more generally in terms of better community facilities and protection of our environment. Some of the ideas are reflected in the policies but others have been added to a list that the Parish Council is now reviewing. In fact, some are already being taken forward with the support of community groups, and the Parish Council intends to take forward other ideas as resources allow. The final plan can be found on the website: [www.SheepyParishNeighbourhoodPlan.com/neighbourhoodplan](http://www.SheepyParishNeighbourhoodPlan.com/neighbourhoodplan).

### Here's a quick reminder of the vision statement which forms the basis of the policies within the Neighbourhood Plan.

Through the various consultation stages Parishioners views, priorities and aspirations were captured and reflected in this vision statement within the Neighbourhood Plan.

## Sheepy Parish in 2036

The unique character and heritage of Sheepy Parish's settlements is conserved

New developments will take full account of flood risk

Development reflects local needs

Important views and valued landscapes are protected

A prosperous local economy

The character and beauty of the countryside and its natural environment are safeguarded

Important green spaces are protected

An accessible countryside

Local services and facilities are retained

A huge **THANK YOU** to Parishioners and Stakeholders for your input, support, votes and patience over 4 years in the creation of your Neighbourhood Plan. **Sheepy Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group**