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Dear Sir/ Madam

Re: Neighbourhood Plan for Ashby Town Council

I am writing to you as a stakeholder who has an interest in Ashby to advise you that the Town Council has taken the decision to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan.

The Council wards of Ashby Holywell, Ashby Ivanhoe and Ashby Castle which cover the town of Ashby de la Zouch and excludes Blackfordby, has been designated by North West Leicestershire District Council as a 'Neighbourhood Area' in accordance with Part 2 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012.

It is anticipated that this process will run for about a further 18 months and over the coming weeks and months we will be promoting the Plan with the local community and arranging consultation events to which you can take part and be involved in.

The Neighbourhood Plan will establish policies that will help to determine how Ashby will look in the future and will cover issues such as the Town Centre; housing; environment; economic development; heritage; leisure and transport.

At this stage, I would be grateful for your acknowledgement of this letter; to receive an early indication from you as to whether you have any issues that you would like the Neighbourhood Plan to specifically address and confirmation that you are the most appropriate person to contact within your organisation for Neighbourhood Planning purposes.

I look forward to hearing from you in relation to these issues and to keeping you in touch with developments as the process continues. Should you require any further help or clarification, please contact myself at the above address.

Yours faithfully

Karen Edwards
Deputy Town Clerk

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Dear Colleague

Planning Ashby's Future – Stakeholder meeting 25th November 2014

I am writing to you as a stakeholder who has an interest in Ashby to invite you to a Drop In Session on Tuesday 25th November 2014. The purpose of the meeting is to provide stakeholders with an update on progress with the Neighbourhood Plan and the themes that are emerging from the Focus Group phase.

The meeting will also provide an opportunity for businesses with an interest in Ashby to inform the Neighbourhood Planning team of their long term plans for their business in Ashby. This information can then be used to inform the Neighbourhood Planning process as we move on to the phase of drafting the actual plan.

The Neighbourhood Plan is a planning document that is being developed by the Town Council with support from residents and stakeholders and which will establish policies that will help to determine how Ashby will look in the future. It will cover issues such as the Town Centre, housing, economic development, environment, heritage, leisure and transport.

The Drop In session is being held on **Tuesday 25th November 2014 from 3:30pm to 7pm in the Council Chamber at Legion House, South Street, Ashby, LE65 1BQ.** You are welcome to attend at any time during that period.

Should you require any further help or clarification, please contact myself at the above address or email: karedwards@ashbytowncouncil.org.uk.

Yours sincerely

Karen Edwards
Deputy Town Clerk