

WEST HORSLEY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

ON 29 JANUARY the Steering Group hosted an Open House at the Village Hall. The event was attended by approximately 200 residents and was part of a short informal community consultation on the first draft of the Neighbourhood Plan. The Open House provided us with an opportunity to get direct feedback on the 15 land use policies in our first Draft Plan and will now give us a very good chance of finalising a Neighbourhood Plan that will be approved by the village at a referendum.



The community's response to the first Draft Plan was overwhelmingly positive, with the policies receiving an average of 96% support. The Steering Group will now analyse all the comments received through the consultation and will decide if any amendments need to be made, or if any further evidence or detail to clarify policies is required before finalising the Draft Plan.

At this point the West Horsley Neighbourhood Plan will enter a regulated process of consultation, as set out through the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012, before it is submitted for examination. The first stage of this regulated process is for West Horsley Parish Council to carry out a Pre-Submission Consultation. This will last for six weeks and is likely to begin in March/April.

It is essential for us to bring this Pre-Submission Consultation to the attention of people who live, work or carry on business in West Horsley. If you have not already done so, visit our website at www.westhorsleyneighbourhoodplan.org and join our e-mailing list. You can also follow us on Facebook and Twitter @WestHorsleyNP.



West Horsley Neighbourhood Plan's Open Event