West Berkshire Council Neighbourhood Area Designation Application form

Application to designate a Neighbourhood Area
Town and Country Planning Act 1990
Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

Please note that the information provided on this application form will be published on the Council's website. If you require further clarification, please email <u>planningpolicy@westberks.gov.uk</u>

1. Single point of contact regarding the Neighbourhood Plan:

Title:	Mrs	First Name:	Claire	Surname:	Barnes		
Address (inc. postcode):	Hungerford Town Council, The Library, Church St, Hungerford, RG17 0JG						
Telephone:	01488 68	01488 686195					
Email:	townclerk@hungerford-tc.gov.uk						
Position in relation to Neighbourhood area application: Town Clerk							

2. Parish Clerk Details (if different from above):

Title:	First Name:	Surname:	
Address			
(inc.			
postcode):			
Telephone:			
Email:			

3. Relevant Body:

Please confirm that you are the relevant body to undertake neighbourhood planning in your area in accordance with section 61G of the 1990 Act¹ and section 5C of the 2012 Regulations²

Yes	√	No	
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Note: in areas covered by a town or parish council, the town or parish council is the relevant body. For applications covering more than one parish area, please nominate a lead parish to act as the Relevant Body. If your area is not covered by a parish council (only a parish meeting), please contact the Planning Policy Team before making your application.

¹ http://www.legislation.gov.uk/ukpga/2011/20/schedule/9/enacted

² http://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2012/637/part/2/made

4.	Name	of	Nei	igh	bοι	urh	ood	Area	1:
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The Civil Parish of Hungerford		

5. Extent of area:

Please attach an OS plan showing the extent of the proposed Neighbourhood Area and indicate below the relationship of the proposed area to parish boundaries.

Proposed Area covers the whole of a single parish boundary area:	✓
Proposed area covers part of a single parish boundary area:	
Proposed area covers multiple parish boundary areas:	

6. Areas covering more than one parish area:

If the proposed Neighbourhood Area covers more than one parish, please list the parishes covered by the area application, the extent of the parish included and obtain consent from the parish by getting them to sign below:

Name of Town/Parish Council	
Extent of parish included in	
Neighbourhood Area	
Name and Position	
Signature	

Please add additional boxes if required

7. Intention of neighbourhood area:

Please indicate which of the following you intend to undertake within your neighbourhood area

Neighbourhood Development Plan	✓
Neighbourhood Development Order	
Community Right to Build Order	

8. Reasons for considering the area appropriate:

Please describe below why you consider this area is appropriate to be designated as a Neighbourhood Area:

Please continue on separate sheet if necessary

The area indicated on the map by the blue line follows the lines of the parish boundary and is considered to be appropriate to be designated as a Neighbourhood Area.

9. Supporting Information

Please provide details of why you would like to carry out a Neighbourhood Plan and what you would like the Neighbourhood Plan to deliver for the Neighbourhood Area

Please continue on separate sheet if necessary

Hungerford is in the Heart of the North Wessex Downs within an AONB and surrounded by the Common and Freemans Marsh with natural boundaries from the River Dunn and Kennet, the Kennet & Avon Canal and railway line.

The Town's desire is to play a leading role in ensuring Hungerford continues to be a thriving, sustainable community which fulfils the needs and aspirations of all its residents through the next 20 years.

We would not wish to pre-empt the NP process as a set of aims and objectives will be established which would be expected to cover environmental, housing, transport, leisure and social issues.

Independent shops, the town's history, the High St and community facilities are highly valued, and we wish to the people of Hungerford to have the chance to influence the future of the town, building on the Town Plan policies and creating new ones.

We have had a good turnout to our Neighbourhood Plan meetings and have a steering group ready to proceed with developing a NP

10. Declaration:

I/We hereby apply to designate a Neighbourhood Area as described on this form and the accompanying plan

Name	Claire Barnes
Date	27/3/2018
Signature	Claire Barnes

Please return your application form to:

Planning Policy, Development and Planning, West Berkshire Council, Market Street, Newbury, RG14 5LD

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