FELSTED PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD AREA – designated 4 December 2014

Felsted Neighbourhood Plan Information Statement

A Referendum relating to the Felsted Neighbourhood Plan will be held on **Thursday 30 January 2020**.

The question which will be asked in the Referendum is "Do you want Uttlesford District Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Felsted to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"

The Referendum area is identified on the map which is included with this information statement. The Referendum area is identical to the area which has been designated as the Felsted Neighbourhood Plan Area.

A person is entitled to vote in the Referendum if:

- He or she is entitled to vote in an election of any Councillor of Uttlesford Council whose area is in the Referendum area; and
- His or her qualifying address for the election is in the Referendum area. A person's
 qualifying address is, in relation to a person registered in the register of electors, the
 address in respect of which he or she is entitled to be so registered.

The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £2,502.78. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 2,386 electors. (£2,362 + 0.059 x number of electors at 1 December).

The Referendum will be conducted in accordance with procedures which are similar to those used at local government elections.

A copy of the specified documents, that is those documents listed below, may be inspected during normal office opening hours at:

- Uttlesford District Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden CB11 4ER
 (Office Hours: Monday Thursday 8:30am 5:00pm and Friday 8:30 am 4:30pm)
- Felsted Parish Council, URC Hall, Stebbing Road, Felsted, Essex CM6 3JD
 (Office Hours: Monday 10:00am 12:30pm and Wednesday 4:00pm 6:30pm)

The documents are also available for public viewing on the Council's website at: https://www.uttlesford.gov.uk/felstednp

The specified documents are:

- The Referendum Version Felsted Neighbourhood Plan
- The report of the independent examiner into the draft Felsted Neighbourhood Plan
- A summary of written representations submitted to the independent examiner
- A Decision Statement of the Local Planning Authority's satisfaction that the draft Neighbourhood Plan meets the basic conditions specified by statute and complies with the provisions made by or under sections 38A and 38B of the Planning and Compulsory Purchase Act 2004;

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- A statement that sets out general information as to town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum;
- Map of Felsted Neighbourhood Plan area is attached below

Dated: 17 December 2019

Counting Officer: Dawn French

Uttlesford District Council, Council Offices, London Road, Saffron Walden, Essex, CB11

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