



South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan

Referendum Information Statement

6 December 2024

Referendum on the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan

A referendum on the 'making' (adoption) of the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan will be held on **Thursday 16 January 2025** at the **St Mark's Church, Barton Road, Cambridge CB3 9JZ**.

The question that will be asked in the referendum is: **"Do you want Cambridge City Council to use the neighbourhood plan for South Newnham to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"**

The referendum area is identified on the map in Figure 1 included at the end of this Information Statement. The referendum area is identical to the neighbourhood area designated in January 2017 for the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan.

A person is entitled to vote in the referendum if on 16 January 2025:

- he or she is registered and entitled to vote in local elections
- he or she is over 18 years old; and
- his or her qualifying address is in the referendum area (shown at Figure 1).

The referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the referendum is **£2,473.04**. This figure has been calculated based on the electorate for the specified neighbourhood area as at 2 December 2024. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which that limit has been calculated is 1,882.

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

The documents are also available for public viewing on Cambridge City Council's website: <https://www.cambridge.gov.uk/neighbourhood-plans>

A copy of the specified documents, that is those listed below, may be inspected (by appointment only) by visiting our offices during normal opening hours at:

- Elections Team, Cambridge City Council, Mandela House, 4, Regent Street, Cambridge CB2 2 1BY.

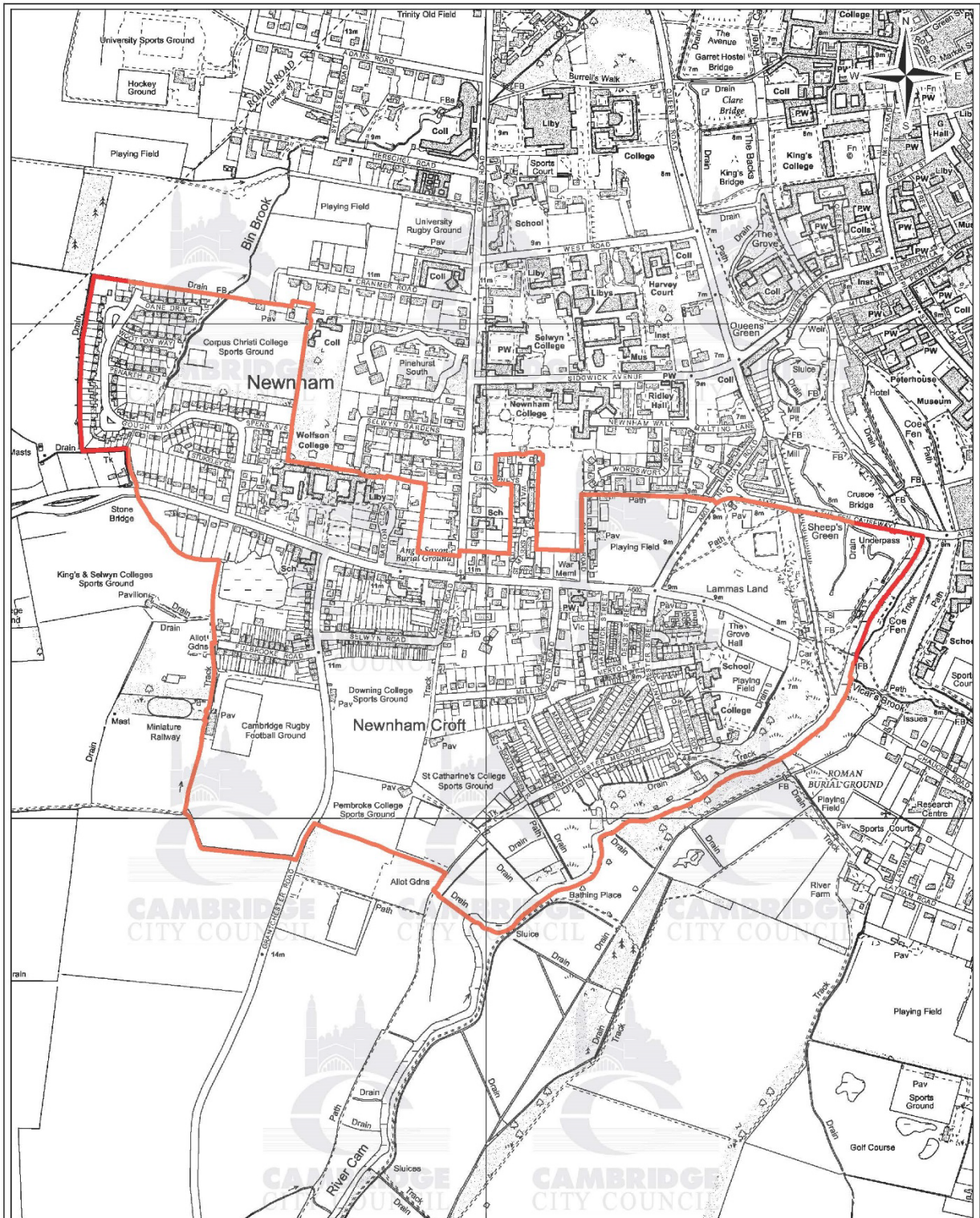
To make an appointment to inspect the specified documents email: elections@cambridge.gov.uk

The specified documents are:

- the 'Referendum' version of the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan, which includes a map of South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan area
- the Examiner's Report on the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan
- the written representations on the submission version of the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan, that were submitted to the independent Examiner

- Cambridge City Council's Decision Statement on the receipt of the Examiner's Report and its decision to proceed to referendum, including a statement of satisfaction that the 'Referendum' version of the Neighbourhood Plan meets the Basic Conditions and is legally compliant; and
- a statement that sets out general information as to town and country planning including neighbourhood planning and the referendum.

Figure 1: Map of the South Newnham Neighbourhood Plan area and referendum area



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South Newnham Neighbourhood Area

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