

## **Paddock Wood Neighbourhood Plan**

**We are updating our Neighbourhood Plan and now need your help to shape the future of our town.**

Since employing a new consultant in June 2020 things have moved on quickly and we have now consulted with the residents of Paddock Wood using an information leaflet and questionnaire, about the vision and areas of focus for the draft Neighbourhood Plan.

We are using the results of the consultation to update existing draft policies and develop new additional areas of focus.

We will seek further public feedback on these before submitting the draft Neighbourhood Plan for examination and finally referendum when the people of Paddock Wood will have a chance to vote on whether the Plan should come into force. If more than 50% of people who turn out to vote are in favour of the Plan it will then be used to inform and determine planning applications.

**WE NEED YOU** – the people of Paddock Wood – to come along to our meetings and have an active say in the Plan going forward. We welcome and encourage members of the public to speak if they want to – or you can just come along, listen in and learn about what we are doing.

Meetings are easy to attend, currently via Zoom, on the third Wednesday of the month at 7.00pm. If you'd like to come along, the invitation link is on each agenda, which is published on the PWTC website, as well as on Social Media detailed below. All you need is an Internet connection or telephone line.

### **Questions?**

We are happy to chat to you through the Paddock Wood Neighbourhood Plan Facebook page or you can email [paddockwoodplan@gmail.com](mailto:paddockwoodplan@gmail.com)

Further information about the Neighbourhood Plan and its draft policies can also be found on the Town Council website: <https://paddockwood-tc.gov.uk/neighbourhood-plan/>

**We look forward to hearing from you!**

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