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Fw: Local Green Space Designations

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Subj: Local Green Space Designations

Dear Clerk,

Local Green Space Designations

As part of our preparation of a new Local Plan[i] we are writing to Parish and Town Councils to invite you to identify areas within your community which you would like to have considered for designation as a Local Green Space (LGS).

Introduced through the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) LGS designation is a way to provide special protection against development for green areas of particular importance to local communities. LGS can only be designated through the Council's Local Plan review or through Neighbourhood Plans. National policy states that any designation of LGS will need to be consistent with local planning for sustainable development and not be used to prevent development but to protect those areas of particular importance to the community.

We would therefore be grateful if you would give this matter your consideration at your next available meeting and submit to us details of any areas that you feel are demonstrably special to your community and would like the planning policy team to assess for inclusion as LGS in the emerging Local Plan. We will need to be able to accurately identify where the areas of land that you submit are located, so inclusion of a highlighted map would be most helpful, along with a short description of why you feel the land should be designated.

Please could you submit details of your nominated areas (or advise us that you have not identified any areas) by 11 August 2017. Contact details are provided at the end of this letter.

The Proposals Map for the existing Local Plan (2008) already identifies many green spaces which you can view at: <https://www.north-norfolk.gov.uk/tasks/planning-policy/view-proposals-map>.

The intention is that these areas will also be subject to review as part of the emerging Local Plan, however please feel free to identify to us all areas that you wish to be considered.

What happens next?

Any spaces which are nominated will be assessed by the Council in accordance with the below criteria. Qualifying spaces will then be

