

Silsoe

Neighbourhood Plan

Referendum Information

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Information on Neighbourhood Plan Process

After working to produce a Neighbourhood Plan, the relevant Town or Parish Council formally submits the Plan and associated documents to Central Bedfordshire Council. A final consultation is held, followed by a formal examination of the Plan by an independent Examiner. Through this process the Examiner proposed a series of modifications which needed to be made in order for the Neighbourhood Plan to meet the 'basic conditions' as set out in the National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF). CBC and Silsoe Parish Council have accepted these modifications and they have been actioned. Once the Plan passes examination, Central Bedfordshire Council must organise a referendum to be held in the parish where residents can vote either Yes/No to support the Neighbourhood Plan. If there is a majority Yes vote, then the Neighbourhood Plan is made and becomes part of the statutory development plan for Central Bedfordshire.

Information on Neighbourhood Plan Referendum

Central Bedfordshire Council can confirm that a referendum will be held for the Silsoe Neighbourhood Plan.

This referendum will be held on **Thursday 3rd October**

The relevant Polling Stations will be **Silsoe Village Hall, High Street, Silsoe, MK45 4DY**

The question to be asked when voting is:

Do you want Central Bedfordshire Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Silsoe to help it decide planning applications in the Neighbourhood Area? YES / NO

Referendum Area

Those registered to vote within the area shown below are eligible to vote

