

**NOMINATION FORM FOR ELECTION TO THE
BRAUNTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP**

Nominations are invited for membership of the Braunton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group.

- Nominees must be proposed and seconded by two residents of Braunton.
- The nominee, the proposer and the seconder should complete and sign the form below.
- The completed form should be returned to **The Braunton Parish Council Clerk** by email with attached scan/PDF or by post.
- **Please note nominations as emails cannot be accepted without a scanned and signed form attached.**

NAME AND SIGNATURE OF NOMINEE
Name _____ <small>(Please print in block capitals)</small>
Address: _____
Telephone No. _____ Email: _____
Proposed for post of: BRAUNTON NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP MEMBER
I agree to being nominated and will stand for election for this post. I understand and accept the responsibilities that will result if I am elected.

PLEASE PROVIDE A BRIEF EXPLANATION OF THE SKILLS AND EXPERTISE YOU WOULD BE ABLE TO PROVIDE AS A MEMBER OF THE BRAUNTON NPSG.

NAME AND SIGNATURE OF PERSON PROPOSING NOMINATION
I propose the above nomination.
Name _____ Address: _____ <small>(Please print in block capitals)</small>
Signature _____ Date _____

NAME AND SIGNATURE OF PERSON SECONDING NOMINATION
I second the above nomination
Name _____ Address: _____ <small>(Please print in block capitals)</small>
Signature _____ Date _____

Once the form has been completed by the nominee, the proposer and the seconder for the nomination, please send a copy by email with scanned attachment or by post to The Parish Clerk, contact details below.

Post to: The Parish Clerk, Braunton Parish Council, Chaloners Road, Braunton, Devon, EX33 2ES.
Email to: clerk@brauntonparishcouncil.gov.uk

Neighbourhood Plan for Braunton

The Neighbourhood Plan is the recognised way for local residents to guide the future development, regeneration and conservation of the village and surrounding area based upon community needs.

It is how, as part of the localism agenda, decision making is passed from government to local communities and residents.

This is a positive opportunity for us to shape our neighbourhood.

So far, the following steps have been taken:

- It was agreed by Braunton Parish Council and North Devon Council in June 2016, for the entire parish boundary to be designated as a Neighbourhood Plan area. Please refer embedded document below for a plan of the area.



- The “Terms of Reference” (constitution) for a Steering Group to develop the Neighbourhood Plan was unanimously agreed by Braunton Parish Council in July 2016.

It is now time to develop the Neighbourhood Plan and this requires community support. There are a number of options residents have depending upon their level of interest and commitment:

- Standing for election to the Steering Group. Members of the Steering Group will need to be able to commit to an 18 month period of activity culminating in the publication of Braunton’s Neighbourhood Plan
- Joining our working groups on specific topics. This option has far less commitment, shorter time periods, but is very important to establishing the basis of community needs e.g. health, traffic concerns, air quality, flooding, schools, sustainable development, provision for elderly care etc.
- Attending or responding to the various consultation activities that have to be undertaken during the plan’s development.

How To Get Involved

There will be a Public Meeting at 7pm, 31st August at the Parish Hall, and will include:

- A presentation of the Braunton Neighbourhood Plan.
- Open forum to discuss ideas.
- Elections for residents nominated for membership of the Steering Group.

Nominations for the Steering Group

If you wish to stand for election:

- Nomination forms are available on request from the Parish Council at info@brauntonparishcouncil.gov.uk
- Please submit your nomination to the Clerk of the Parish Council by 24th August 2016.

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