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**To all participating councillors and members of the public who are welcome to attend -
Joint Parish Council Neighbourhood Plan Meeting for Pelton Electoral Division**

DATE Monday 15th May 2023
TIME 6.00pm
VENUE Pelton Community Centre

The Chair advises members of Council and the public that the meeting, or part of same, may be recorded by both audio and video.

Agenda

1. Agree Notice of Motion to call the meeting to be held on 15th May 2023
2. Chair's Remarks –
3. Neighbourhood Plan- To receive and discuss information from Stuart Carter, Spatial Policy Team, Durham County Council and agree the next steps for the Neighbourhood Plan.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Joanne Dickinson'.

Joanne Dickinson,
Clerk and Responsible Financial Officer,
3rd May 2023

Information for the meeting on 15.5.23

Pelton Parish Council agreed the following at a meeting on 27.7.22 to progress a Neighbourhood Plan- **'To set a Neighbourhood Plan Area alongside/with neighbouring Parish Councils if they would also like to be part of it. The three key priorities of Settlement Boundaries, framed in a positive way, Green Spaces and Regeneration of vacant sites to be the focus of the working group.'**

Urpeth and Ouston Parish Council subsequently agreed to be part of the Neighbourhood Plan Area and the request was submitted to Durham County Council. The Durham County Council public consultation to advise of the proposed Neighbourhood Plan Area will end on 5th May 2023.

This meeting is to discuss the next steps forward to progress the Neighbourhood Plan. The Pelton Parish Clerk has started the process of applying for the available Neighbourhood Planning Funding now the consultation has ended.

Stuart Carter will be in attendance to provide invaluable information on the next steps in the process.

The Durham County Council Neighbourhood Planning page has the documents listed for each stage of the various Neighbourhood Plan Areas that have been adopted or are in the other stages.

[Neighbourhood planning - what's happening? - Durham County Council](#)



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