

QPC BRIEFING NOTE (7 February 2017)

Quorndon Neighbourhood Plan

Following the January report to the Parish Council it soon became apparent that the PSG target to apply and submit a bid to Locality for remaining 2016-17 programme funding was not possible within the timeframe. To apply for the Locality grant and to comply with the Council Finance Regulations it would be necessary to go to tender.

The tender process has now commenced and three established providers of Neighbourhood Plan services have been invited to tender for Stage 1 and Stage 2. In addition, the requests for tenders have been published within the village in the normal way.

An application will now be submitted for a Locality grant for the year 2017-18.

An article about the Quorn Neighbourhood Plan has been prepared and sent for inclusion in the Quorndon magazine and to the Loughborough Echo.

On 6 January Cllr Marchant and Paul Goodman met with the Clerk of Thurcaston and Cropston PC who was very helpful in providing details of the processes that they followed in becoming the first PC in Charnwood to have a plan approved. An offer to provide further assistance if required was made and accepted.