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Rotherham Metropolitan Borough Council

Dear Mr Duncan,

A Neighbourhood Plan for Wickersley - Application for designation as a Neighbourhood Area

Further to recent discussions with yourself and Rachel Overfield, Wickersley Parish Council resolved on 18 September to produce a Neighbourhood Plan.

As a first step we are therefore applying to Rotherham MBC for the Parish of Wickersley to be designated as a Neighbourhood Area in accordance with Part 2 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012.

I can confirm that Wickersley Parish Council is a 'relevant body' under Section 61G of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended) by the Localism Act 2011.

The area to be covered by the Neighbourhood Plan is the whole of the Parish of Wickersley. We believe this is the most appropriate area because it encompasses the entire community of Wickersley and represents the area with which the local people closely identify. It will allow the Neighbourhood Plan to include policies that are relevant to everyone who lives and works within the Wickersley area and enable a full cross section of the community to be involved in the process.

The Plan is likely to be called the Wickersley Neighbourhood Plan and I attach a plan which shows the area to be included.

At the present time I should be the point of contact for members of the public although this might change in the future as the plan preparation progresses.

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me and I look forward to receiving the formal designation of the Neighbourhood Area.

Yours sincerely
On Behalf of Wickersley Parish Council

