

Charing Parish Neighbourhood Plan

Information Statement for

Referendum on 14th March 2023

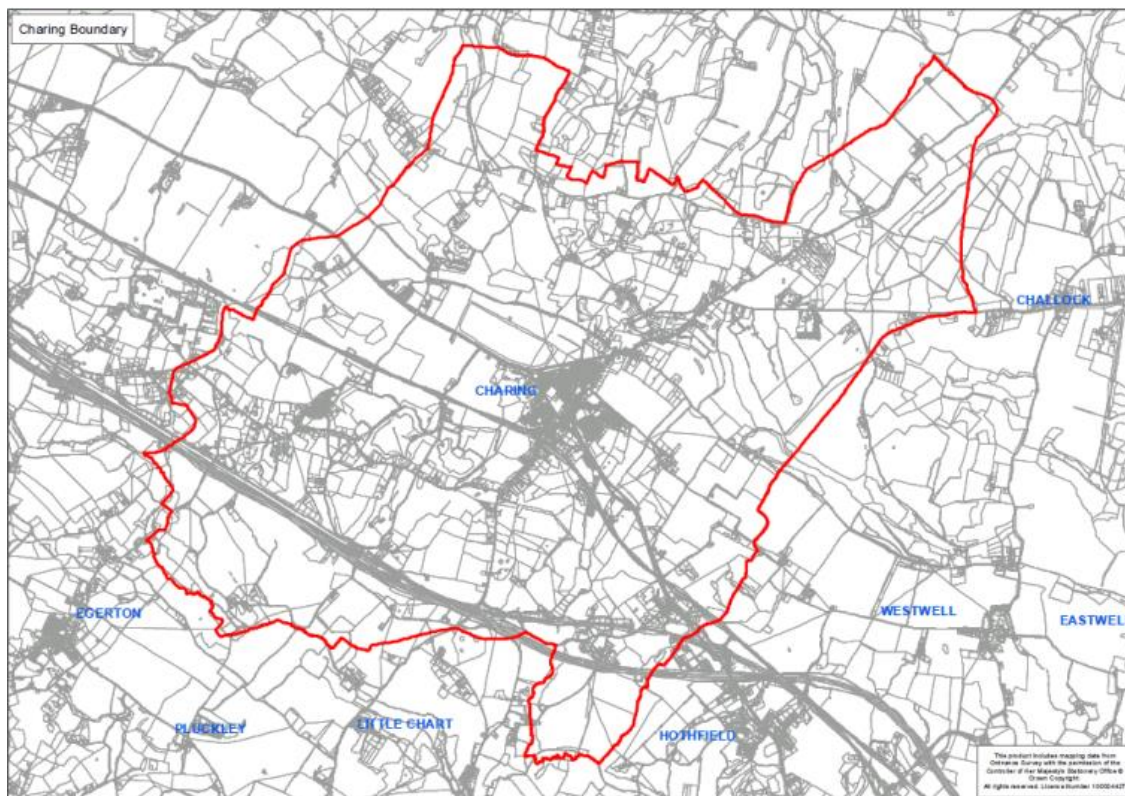
Introduction

A referendum on the Charing Parish Neighbourhood Plan 2011 to 2030 will be held on Tuesday 14th March 2023. The referendum will be conducted based on procedures which are similar to local government elections.

The question to be asked in the referendum is:

“Do you want Ashford Borough Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Charing Parish to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?”

The neighbourhood area is the entire parish of Charing and is marked on the map below:



Can I vote?

You can vote in the referendum if you live in Charing Parish and:

- You are registered to vote in local council elections; and
- You are 18 years of age or over on Tuesday 14th March 2023

You have to be registered to vote by Friday 24th February 2023 to vote in the referendum. You can check if you are registered to vote by calling our Helpline on 01233 330402

Referendum expenses

The Referendum expenses limit that will apply in relation to the Referendum is £2,512.74. The number of persons entitled to vote in the Referendum by reference to which the limit has been calculated is 2,555.