

Lound with Ashby Herringfleet and Somerleyton Neighbourhood Plan Report for the Annual Parish Meeting 2019

After many months (years) of work the Neighbourhood Plan is completed with maps, supporting evidence, and other information needed.

The Design consultant commissioned from AECOM visited both Lound and Somerleyton earlier in the year, and was able to view the Forge and Mill Farm Field development sites in Somerleyton and the site east of The Street in Lound. This together with familiarising himself with the villages, the policies shown in the plan which reflect the communities views and the very thorough background information contained in the plan should ensure the Design Code will be appropriate for these very special development sites. The Design Code is due to be delivered in early May. Our next Steering Group meeting will be held to appraise the code and finalise the entire Neighbourhood Plan.

We will then meet with East Suffolk Planning Officers to review the final document.

After that it will be over to East Suffolk to organise an independent appraisal by a Planning Inspector and a referendum for the community to vote on the plan and we hope endorse it.

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