



## Saxilby with Ingleby Neighbourhood Plan Review (Working) Steering Group

### Update for Planning and Development Committee

Wednesday 20 May 2026

#### Update

The referendum was held on Wednesday 6 May. 700 ballot papers were issued with 635 votes for 'Yes' 91% and 64 votes 9% for 'No'.

<b>DECLARATION OF RESULT OF POLL</b>		
<b>West Lindsey District Council</b>		
<b>Saxilby with Ingleby Neighbourhood Planning Referendum</b>		
I, Eleanor Chorlton, being the Deputy Counting Officer at the above referendum held on Wednesday 6 May 2026, do hereby give notice that the results of the votes cast is as follows:		
<b>Question</b>		
Do you want West Lindsey District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Saxilby with Ingleby to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?		
	<b>Votes Recorded</b>	<b>Percentage</b>
Number cast in favour of a Yes	635	90.71%
Number cast in favour of a No	64	9.14%
<b>The number of ballot papers rejected was as follows:</b>		<b>Number of ballot papers</b>
A	want of an official mark	1
B	voting for more answers than required	0
C	writing or mark by which voter could be identified	0
D	being unmarked or wholly void for uncertainty	0
E	rejected in part	0
		<b>Total</b>
		1
Electorate: 3099	Ballot Papers Issued: 700	Turnout: 17.95 %
and I do hereby declare that more than half of those voting <b>HAVE</b> voted in favour of the Neighbourhood Plan.		
Dated: 6 May 2026	Eleanor Chorlton Deputy Counting Officer	
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**Nev Brown**, Senior Neighbourhood Planning Policy Officer has provided an update on the process following the referendum.

- There is only one stage to go now. That is the official making (adoption) of your plan.
- This is undertaken by West Lindsey District Council (WLDC) Full Council. Once made the plan will formally become part of the development plan.
- It will be given full weight in future planning decisions in the parish.
- The 'made'<sup>1</sup> review plan will replace the current one.

The next available WLDC Full Council meeting is on **29 June 2026**. Nev Brown will be submitting a report for the agenda. It will confirm the successful referendum result and recommend that the plan be made. WLDC will then notify Saxilby with Ingleby Parish Council of their decision.

He has advised that representatives are likely to be invited by our Democratic Services and Elections Team Manager to attend that meeting as members would like to celebrate the plan's success. Clarification has been sought on who this should be e.g. NDP Working Group member or chair etc, which will be fed back to committee.

## **NDP Steering Group**

The NDP Steering Group's Terms of Reference set out the responsibilities of the group to the point of agreeing that a final submission version of the Plan be ratified by the parish Council (6.7.8) and to deliver its plan making functions up to and including the publication of the draft Plan (6.9.1). The groups core objective has now been accomplished.

## **7. Recommendations**

- a) Record the committees thanks to those who sat on the NDP Steering Group, the Planning Consultant, and the WLDC Senior Neighbourhood Planning Policy Planning Policy Officer for their involvement in successful delivery of the reviewed NDP and for the clerk to pass on these thanks.
- b) Bring back to committee a review of the end of project expenditure and dispose of any remaining funds in accordance with any conditions imposed by the grant funders and in the best interests of the parish in-line with the terms of reference.
- c) Dissolve the NDP Steering Group on 30 June 2026 following the WLDC Full Council meeting to 'make' the Plan.

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<sup>1</sup> 'Made' is the term given to an approved neighbourhood development plan.