

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLANNING (GENERAL) REGULATIONS 2012 (AS AMENDED)

Neighbourhood Planning

Notice of Designation

Middleport Neighbourhood Forum (including Longport and Dalehall) and Middleport, Longport and Dalehall Neighbourhood Area.

Name of Designated Neighbourhood Planning Forum: Middleport Neighbourhood Forum (including Longport and Dalehall)

Name of Designated Neighbourhood Area: Middleport, Longport and Dalehall Neighbourhood Area

Consultation Period: 10th November 2017 to 22nd December 2017.

Decision: Notice is hereby given that Stoke-on-Trent City Council, pursuant to the decision made on 28th May 2018 by the Director of Place, Growth and Prosperity, has designated the Middleport Neighbourhood Forum (including Longport and Dalehall) and Middleport, Longport and Dalehall Neighbourhood Area. This decision was made in response to the submission of an application under the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 (as amended) for the purposes of producing a neighbourhood plan, and has been decided pursuant to Section 61F and 61G of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended).

Reasons for the decision:

- The application submitted is valid
- The application was subject to a six week publicising period between 10th November and 22nd December 2017. Four representations were received during this period but none raised any matters that would affect the designation of the Neighbourhood Forum or Area.
- The application submitted to designate the forum and area is appropriate for the purposes of preparing a Neighbourhood Plan
- The application meets the criteria set out in The Town and Country Planning Act 1990 (as amended), The Localism Act 2011 and the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 (as amended)

Designated Neighbourhood Area & Forum:

As required under The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 Regulation 7 (1) and Regulation 10 (1), the following information will be made available on the City Council's website at www.stoke.gov.uk and at Burslem Local Centre:

• The name of the neighbourhood area

- The map of the area and the name of the relevant body who applied for the designation
- The name of the Neighbourhood Forum
- A copy of the written constitution
- Contact details for at least one member of the Neighbourhood Forum.

For further information please contact the Planning Policy Team, using the details provided below.

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