

Dear Sir/Madam

Application to designate Midsomer Norton Neighbourhood Area

An application for the designation of Midsomer Norton as a neighbourhood area has been received from Midsomer Norton Town Council.

Please note this is a formal regulatory stage on the designation of the neighbourhood area and not consultation on the neighbourhood plan itself which may follow in due course.

Comments can be made on the application during the consultation period starting **on Thursday 19th September 2013 until 5pm on Monday 31st October 2013.**

Following this consultation period Bath & North East Somerset Council will consider the comments received in determining the application to ensure that the area is appropriate. The decision will be published on the Council's website.

To make a representation on the proposed neighbourhood area we encourage people to view the consultation on-line www.bathnes.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplanning

You can respond to the consultation by emailing us at planning_policy@bathnes.gov.uk or write to us at the address above. Please note that your comments will be kept on a public file and they may be reproduced publicly.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to get in contact.

Yours faithfully,



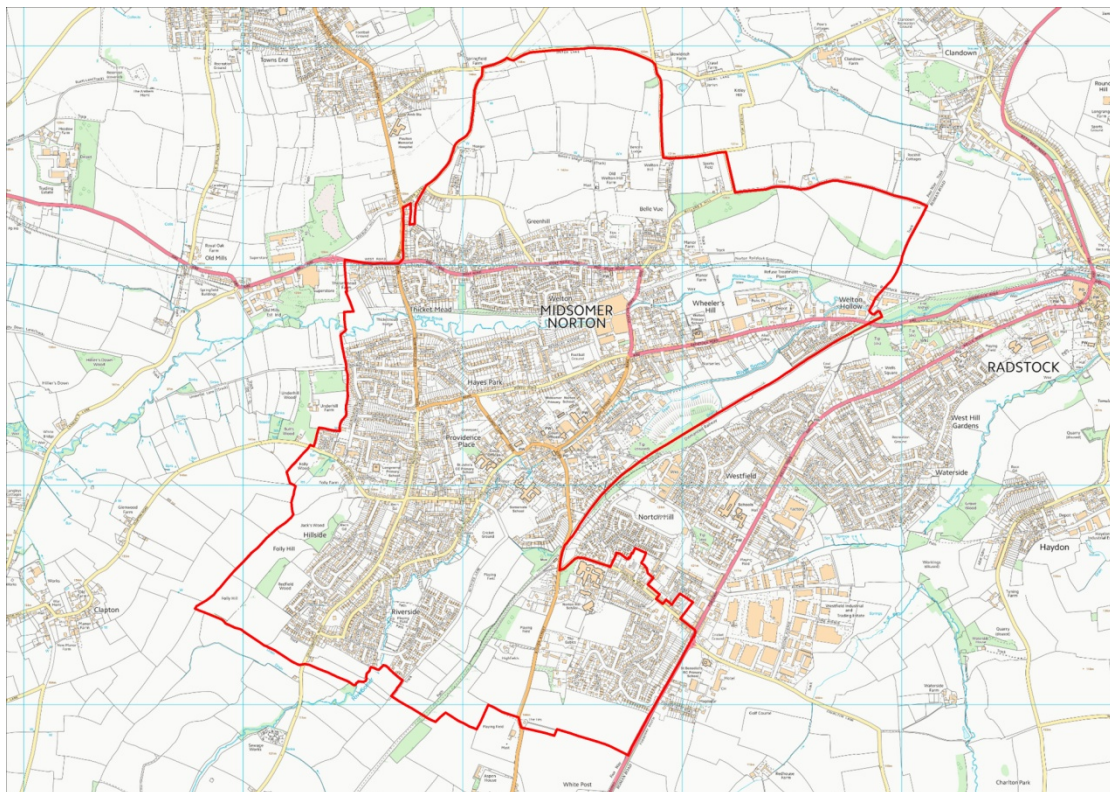
David Trigwell

Divisional Director Planning and Transport Development

The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012

Application for Designation of Midsomer Norton Neighbourhood Area

We have received an application for the designation of the Midsomer Norton Town Council as a neighbourhood area from the Town Council.



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Proposed Clutton Neighbourhood Area

You can view and make comments on this proposal on our website at:
www.bathnes.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplanning

You can also make comments by email (planning_policy@bathnes.gov.uk) or by writing to us at Planning Policy (Neighbourhood Planning), PO Box 5006, Bath, BA1 1JG.

THE CLOSING DATE FOR COMMENTS IS: 17:00 MONDAY 21TH OCTOBER 2013

**Application to Designate a Neighbourhood Area
(for Parish / Town Councils)
Localism Act 2011
Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012**

Please Note: Before completing this application, all groups are urged to consult Bath & North East Somerset's Neighbourhood Planning Protocol (available [online](#) and from the One-Stop-Shop on Manvers Street, Bath). This document sets out the purpose of and procedure for designating a neighbourhood area and drafting a neighbourhood plan or neighbourhood development order. It is important that you read this guidance as incorrect completion will delay the processing of your application.

Please note that all the information provided on this application form and in supporting documents will be published on the Authority's website. If you require any assistance, advice or clarification, please contact the Planning Policy team.

[Please write in block capitals and black ink]

1) Name of Neighbourhood Area			
Midsomer Norton			
2) Parish / Town Council Chair Details			
Title:	Mr	First Name:	Paul
Surname:	Myers		
House / Flat:	117		
Address 1:	Redfield Road		
Address 2:	Midsomer Norton		
Address 3:			
Town:	BATH		
County:	B&NES		
Postcode:	BA3 2JH		
Daytime Number:			
Mobile Number:	07530042627		
Email:	paul.myers@bathasu.com		
3) Relevant Body: Please confirm that you are the relevant body to undertake neighbourhood planning in your area in accordance with section 61G of the 1990 Act and 5C of the 2012 Regulations			
Yes:	√	Name of Parish / Town Council:	Midsomer Norton Town Council
No:			

4) Extent of Area: Please indicate below and attach an OS plan showing the intended extent of the area.

Whole Parish / Town Boundary area:	√
Part of Parish / Town Boundary area:	
Joint with neighbouring Parish within B&NES: (Please complete details in section 7 below if applying as joint parishes)	

Please describe below why you considered the extent of the neighbourhood area is appropriate (100 words max)

It should encourage a joined up approach between the elected Councils, its residents, business and community groups towards strategic planning and ensure the delivery of our aspirations within the policy framework. It is important that the area's diversity, historical character and natural environment are recognised and maintained and that a balance is met between development for economic and employment purposes and the amenities, facilities and infrastructure to be enjoyed by the community. A neighbourhood plan bordered by the town boundary would seem to be the best way to reflect all interests.

5) Intention of Neighbourhood Area:

Please indicate which of the following you intend to undertake within your neighbourhood area.

Neighbourhood Development Plan:	√
Neighbourhood Development Order:	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community Right to Build Order:	<input type="checkbox"/>

6) Additional joint Parish Details:

If you are applying with an adjoining parish or parishes please give the clerk's details for each parish.

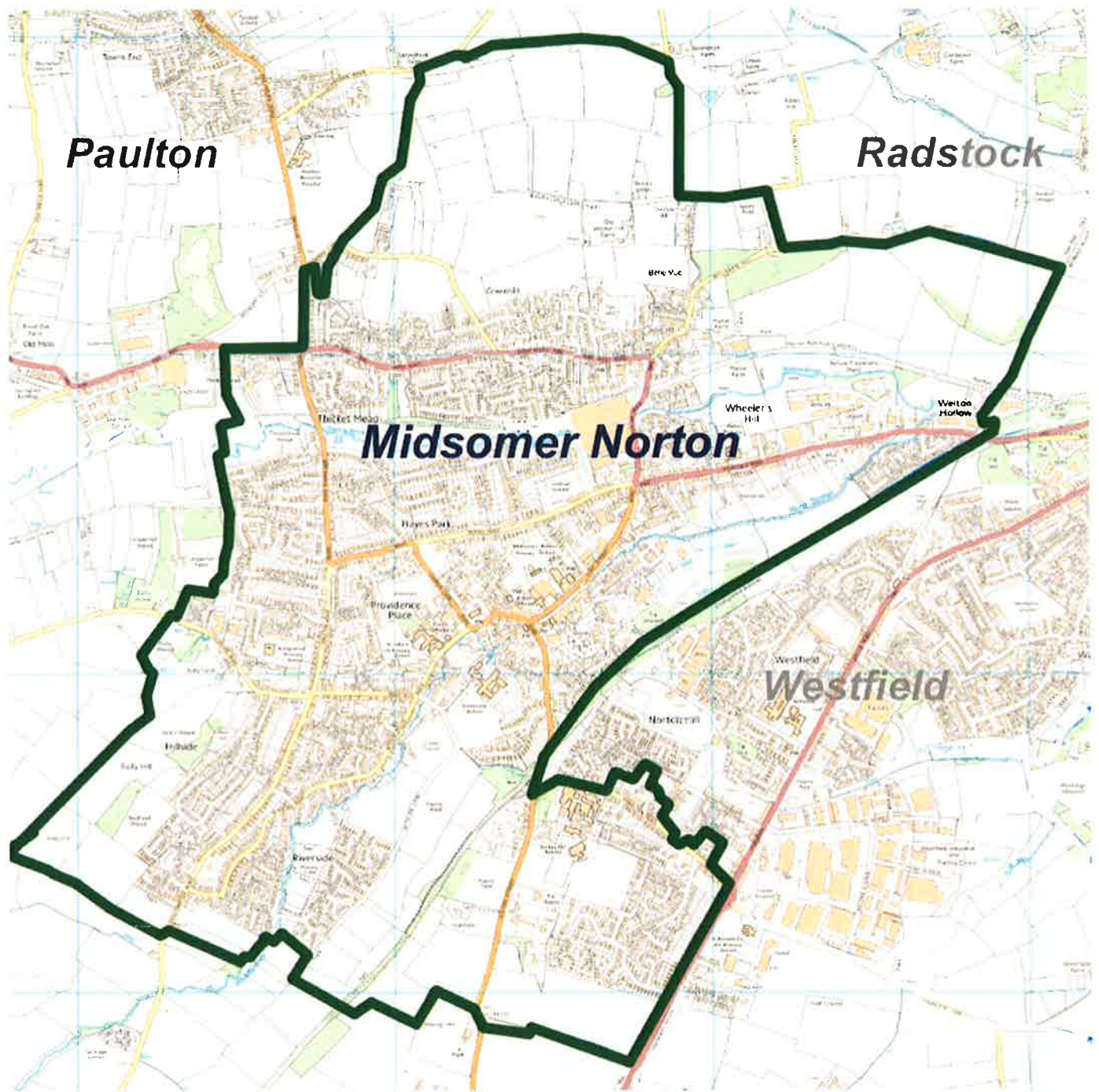


7) Declaration

I / we hereby apply to designate a neighbourhood area as described on this form and the accompanying plan.

In the case of joint parish applications, names from each parish would need to complete an application.

Names	<i>P. S. Myers</i>	Date (DD/MM/YY)	28 August 2013
	Cllr P Myers, Chair and Town Mayor		



Area outlined in green to show intended extent of Midsomer Norton Neighbourhood Plan – in support of application dated August 2013

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