



# Ledbury Neighbourhood Development Plan: HAVE YOUR SAY

**A** Ledbury Town Council working party have been working on revising and updating the currently adopted Ledbury Neighbourhood Development Plan (NDP) since 2019 to incorporate a settlement boundary and other policy changes.

The WP is now completing all the evidence gathering and writing up the supporting documents for proposals on the settlement boundary and on development issues such as employment, green spaces, medical and football facilities prior to drafting the first version of the revised NDP.

Before drafting the revised NDP document a round of public consultation will be taking place during April and May 2021 to gauge public opinion on the various proposal options being considered. Active consultation is already taking place with potentially impacted organisations, local community groups, and businesses, with several hundred letters already delivered asking for contributions they would like the NDP to reflect. During this period anyone can suggest ideas. Contributions can be sent to the Town Clerk by email to [clerk@ledburytowncouncil.gov.uk](mailto:clerk@ledburytowncouncil.gov.uk) or in writing if you prefer through the Town Council offices letterbox.

During March you will be able to see content being added to the NDP pages on the Council website in readiness for the round of a Ledbury-wide public consultation, so you can familiarise yourself with the way the plan is shaping up in advance.

During March and early April there will be a well-advertised consultation programme through the press, on the Council website and on social media including the Council's Facebook page. An explanatory leaflet and questionnaire to complete will be available on-line and distributed to all households. Since we are expecting to still be in some form of COVID distancing lockdown during the consultancy period the consultation will be through online and in written communications and submissions. Two further consultations will take place once the NDP document has been drafted. Watch out for more information during the next few months on the Council website, on our Facebook page and in the press.

## **Ledbury Neighbourhood Development Plan Revision Timeline**

*1st Round of public consultation:*  
April-May 2021

*Production of first draft of the NDP:*  
June-July 2021

*Regulation 14 consultation on the first draft:*  
September-October 2021

*Regulation 16 consultation on the final version:*  
December 2021

*Anticipated adoption date:*  
January 2022