## **Shropshire Council**

## Town and Country Planning Act 1990 Regulation No. 5 of the Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012

## Application for the designation of Bishops Castle Parish as a neighbourhood area

NOTICE IS GIVEN that Shropshire Council has received from Bishops Castle Town Council an application under Regulation 5 of the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations for the Council to designate the area comprising the civil parish of Bishops Castle as a "neighbourhood area" within the meaning of section 61 G of the 1990 Act (see explanatory note below).

A copy of the application and a map of the area can be viewed on the Council website at <a href="http://new.shropshire.gov.uk/get-involved/">http://new.shropshire.gov.uk/get-involved/</a>, at Shirehall, Abbey Foregate Shrewsbury during weekdays 8.30 am to 5pm, at: <a href="http://www.bishopscastle.co.uk/council/">http://www.bishopscastle.co.uk/council/</a> or on parish noticeboards in Bishops Castle.

Representations on whether the civil parish of Bishops Castle is an appropriate neighbourhood area may be made to the Council during a period of four weeks ending at **5pm on Friday 5**<sup>th</sup> **July 2019** by writing to Planning Policy, Shirehall, Abbey Foregate, Shrewsbury SY2 6ND, or by e-mailing planning.policy@shropshire.gov.uk

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## **Explanatory Note**

Following the Introduction of the Localism Act 2011, the purpose of designating a neighbourhood area is for a neighbourhood plan to then be prepared for that area. Bishops Castle Town Council is in the earliest stages of considering a neighbourhood plan and this application seeks now to formalise the process.