

## CARLTON IN LINDRICK PARISH COUNCIL

Many of you will have read or heard in the national media the importance of local communities developing what is known as a Neighbourhood Plan. Such a plan gives an opportunity for local residents to have a say on how they would like to see their own areas developed in the future.

Your Parish Council commenced the necessary process of consultation some months ago and is being supported by the Bassetlaw District Council in the production and approval of the Neighbourhood Plan. Recently, many residents who attended the Village Fete were kind enough to complete a Questionnaire on the subject and you will see that the Questionnaire is within this copy of the Carlton News. Please submit a completed copy or hand it in at the Civic Centre in Long Lane. You can be assured that when the Questionnaires are analysed, the views expressed will be taken on board when the Neighbourhood Plan is being developed. Once the plan is approved and established it will form the basis of how the Village is developed over future years **and that is why your views are important.**

Other Parish Council activities continue. Negotiations are almost complete for the purchase of land for a new burial ground in the Parish, excellent community activities continue at the Youth Centre and at the Civic Centre and the Voluntary Sector within the Village continue to give their time in order to ensure that so many activities are supported.

It should also be remembered that the production of this Newsletter and the interest it creates within the Village is undertaken in a most professional manner **by a dedicated team of volunteers.** They cannot be thanked enough and I am sure you will all understand exactly why the publication has received a number of awards for its qualities over the years.

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Clerk