

November 2022 Update

The purpose of this email is to let you know where the Neighbourhood Plan currently stands. As a reminder, once it has been implemented, the Plan will help us protect and improve our village for the next 15 years.

- Community Aspirations: These are now complete and to be included as part of the Neighbourhood Plan.
- Photographs to be included within the Neighbourhood Plan: Photographs will be either ones villagers have taken previously or will be taken commensurate to the policy within the plan.
- Landscape Appraisal (an overview of the landscape character and landscape sensitivity issues in the parish of Westerfield. The appraisal will identify opportunities for the enhancement, protection, management or conservation of landscape features or areas). The Landscape Appraisal has been completed in draft and is awaiting distribution to the working group for review and comment.
- Suffolk Wildlife Trust Survey (an ecological evaluation of the parish). Work on this has begun. SWT will notify the Neighbourhood Plan working group, as and when they want to visit the village.
- Neighbourhood Plan: Once the above have all been completed, the policies and the Plan will be completed for review and comment by the working group.

A further update will be sent out when more is known. At this point, may we wish you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

Best wishes

Westerfield NP working group