



News release

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Call for sites

Cranleigh's neighbourhood plan steering group is asking developers, landowners and the public to nominate sites in Cranleigh that have development potential.

The Group is particularly interested in receiving details about sites that might be suitable for employment or housing. To put forward a site, the nominator will need to provide a basic level of information including their name; the exact location of the site and if known, details about who owns the site.

Jane O'Leary, Chair of the neighbourhood plan steering group says: "The number of homes to be built in Cranleigh will be decided by Waverley Borough Council. While we cannot influence the numbers, the neighbourhood plan does give us a chance to say where development should take place and this wish will have to be respected by Waverley when determining planning applications during the next 15 years.

"The call for sites is an information-gathering exercise. We will assess each nomination using objective criteria. Putting forward a suggestion will not commit the site to future development."

The gathering of evidence for the neighbourhood plan continued at Cranleigh carnival on Saturday. A steady stream of people visited the information stand and gave their views on what they saw as important issues for Cranleigh.

Jane O'Leary says: "I would like to thank everybody who visited our stand on Saturday. People made very positive comments about living in Cranleigh and were pleased to have another opportunity to give their views about the future of the village. Not surprisingly, there was a lot of concern about traffic and parking and we received some good suggestions and ideas for possible solutions."

Anybody who would like to contribute towards the neighbourhood plan or to nominate a site for employment or housing should visit www.cranleighnhp.org.

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