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Mr D Robinson Development Services P O Box 2178 Warwick District Council Riverside House, Milverton Hill Royal Leamington Spa Warwickshire CV32 5QH

Dear Mr Robinson

Application for the designation of a Neighbourhood Plan

In accordance with the Statutory Instrument, Town and Country Planning England: Neighbourhood Planning (England) Regulations 2012, the Parish Council makes formal application to Warwick District Council for the designation of the land which will constitute the area in the Neighbourhood Plan being prepared by the Parish Council under the statutory regime for neighbourhood planning, made under the Localism Act 2011.

In accordance with Part 2 of The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012, paragraph 5(1), this application submits :

- (a) The application relates to a boundary that is coterminous with the current ward boundary of the parish of Lapworth.
- (b) The Designated Neighbourhood Plan Area is the current boundary and administrative area of Lapworth Parish Council. Councillors currently represent and serve this area and the Parish Council consider it essential to consider the needs of the area. A Parish Plan is currently being progressed.
- (c) That Lapworth Parish Council is the relevant body for the purposes of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990, section 61g(2) as specified by paragraph 2(a) of Schedule 9 of the Localism Act 2011 for the preparation of a Neighbourhood Plan.

The Parish Council recognise that local and national policies favour growth and development in Warwick District Council.

Lapworth Parish Council requests that you commence processing this application as set out in paragraph 6 of part 2 of the said Regulations.

Please could you kindly acknowledge this letter and also provide the Parish Council with details of how to access support and grant funding for the production of our Neighbourhood Plan.

Yours sincerely

Chairman - Lapworth Parish Council

CC Councillor Caborn Stephen Hay