

## **Hovingham Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group Update for the Hovingham & Scackleton Parish Council March to May 2025**

Group members – Caroline Davis (Chair), David Webb, Ian Norman, Pat Meagher.

From May 2025 - Maggie Bower (Secretary), Giles Naish (Parish Council representative; Mark Wilson deputy))

The main focus of the group from March to May has been to:

- research and understand the process of producing a plan;
- build the core team;
- identify sources of finance;
- identify key expertise to support Hovingham;
- put in place the infrastructure to manage the project

Five meetings held from formation: 10<sup>th</sup> February 2025, 24<sup>th</sup> February 2025, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2025, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 12<sup>th</sup> May

Caroline Davis

On behalf of the Hovingham Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group  
12<sup>th</sup> May 2025

### **LATEST update Monday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2025**

#### **Next steps**

- Meeting with North Yorkshire Council Officer, Matthew Lishman, Wed 28<sup>th</sup> May
- Meeting (informal chat) with a Planning Consultant<sup>1</sup>, early June followed by a Steering Group meeting (first meeting with Giles). The Planning Consultant suggested that we may hear about funding early June
- Funding proposal for MS 365 – submitted to the Parish Council for approval
- Complete the review of the Constitution
- Complete the Terms of Reference (minor edits) and the outcome of the Parish Council decision (when made) about the Code of Conduct.

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<sup>1</sup> Chapman Consulting provided professional planning advice for the Terrington Neighbourhood Plan (Terrington Parish Council)