

# Notice of Referendum

West Suffolk Council

## Neighbourhood Planning Referendum for Freckenham

1. A referendum will be held on Thursday 20 February 2025 to decide on the question below:

**"Do you want West Suffolk Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Freckenham to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"**

2. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **12 midnight on Tuesday 4 February 2025**. Applications can be made online: [www.gov.uk/register-to-vote](http://www.gov.uk/register-to-vote)
3. Applications, amendments or cancellations of postal votes and amendments or cancellations of proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, IP33 3YU by **5pm on Wednesday 5 February 2025**.
4. New applications to vote by proxy at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, IP33 3YU by **5pm on Wednesday 12 February 2025**.
5. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this referendum on grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at West Suffolk House, Western Way, Bury St Edmunds, Suffolk, IP33 3YU by **5pm on Thursday 20 February 2025**. To apply, the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after **5pm on Wednesday 12 February 2025**.
6. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate or an Anonymous Elector's Document valid for this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer by **5pm on Wednesday 12 February 2025**. Applications for a Voter Authority Certificate can be made online: [www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate](http://www.gov.uk/apply-for-photo-id-voter-authority-certificate)

Dated Thursday 16 January 2025

Ian Gallin  
Counting Officer