













NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

Marden Neighbourhood Plan for the Marden Neighbourhood area

1. A Referendum will be held on **THURSDAY 27 FEBRUARY 2020** to decide on the question below:

"Do you want Maidstone Borough Council to use the neighbourhood plan for Marden to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?"

2. Applications to register to vote or to vote by post or proxy should be made to Electoral Registration Officer at Electoral Services, Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6JQ based on the deadlines set out below:

Application	Deadline for receipt	Forms available From
New application to register to vote	Tuesday 11 February 2020	 www.gov.uk/register-to-vote  Electoral Services, Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6JQ  electoralservices@maidstone.gov.uk
New applications to vote by post or to cancel or amend an existing postal/proxy vote	5pm on Wednesday 12 February 2020	 www.electoralcommission.org.uk  Electoral Services, Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6JQ  electoralservices@maidstone.gov.uk
New applications to vote by proxy	5pm on Wednesday 19 February 2020	 www.electoralcommission.org.uk  Electoral Services, Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6JQ  electoralservices@maidstone.gov.uk
Applications for an emergency proxy vote The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Wednesday 19 February 2020. To apply on the grounds of work/service the person must have become aware that they cannot go to the polling station in person after 5pm on Wednesday 19 February 2020.	5pm on Thursday 27 February 2020	 www.electoralcommission.org.uk  Electoral Services, Maidstone Borough Council, Maidstone House, King Street, Maidstone, Kent ME15 6JQ  electoralservices@maidstone.gov.uk

3. The main issue of postal votes will commence on Friday 14 February 2020.

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