

# NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

## Referendum on the adoption of the **Marshland St. James** Neighbourhood Plan

1. The referendum will take place on **Thursday 2 October 2025** to decide on the question below:

**‘Do you want the Borough Council of King’s Lynn and West Norfolk to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Marshland St. James to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?’**

2. The last date for registering to vote in respect of the Neighbourhood Planning Referendum is **Tuesday 16 September 2025**.
3. New postal vote (including proxies applying to vote by post) applications, changes, or cancellations to existing postal, postal proxy or proxy votes must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King’s Court, Chapel Street, King’s Lynn PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Wednesday 17 September 2025**.
4. New applications to vote by proxy (not postal proxy) at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King’s Court, Chapel Street, King’s Lynn PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Wednesday 24 September 2025**.
5. New applications for Voter Authority Certificates (VACs) at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King’s Court, Chapel Street, King’s Lynn PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Wednesday 24 September 2025**.
6. Applications to vote by emergency proxy at this referendum on the grounds of physical incapacity or for work/service reasons must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at King’s Court, Chapel Street, King’s Lynn PE30 1EX by **5 pm on Thursday 2 October 2025**. The physical incapacity must have occurred after **5 pm on Wednesday 24 September 2025**. 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 **5 pm on Wednesday 24 September 2025**.

Dated: **Thursday 28 August 2025**

**Kate Blakemore**  
Counting Officer