

Horsforth Town Council Application for a Neighbourhood Plan.

A. Horsforth Town Council is applying to be designated as a Neighbourhood Planning area.

B. Horsforth considers that the area is appropriate to become an Neighbourhood Planning area, in that

1. historically, and currently, it remains an identifiable unit
2. the separateness of the area has been, and is, consistent over time
3. the boundaries of the Township are clearly defined
4. the boundaries do not cross any electoral boundaries

Horsforth is bounded to the East by Oil Mill Beck ; to the South by the River Aire; to the West by Red Beck running down to the River Aire (this appears on OS maps as Gill Beck, but known locally as Red Beck as it abuts the boundary with Rawdon Parish); to the North by the rail way line.

C. Under the terms of section 61G of the 1990 Act Horsforth Town Council is a qualifying body for the purposes of neighbourhood planning.