

# NOTICE OF REFERENDUM

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## Neighbourhood Plan Referendum for Longhope Parish Neighbourhood area

1. A referendum will be held on Thursday 15 February 2018 to decide on the question below:

**“Do you want Forest of Dean District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for the Longhope Parish to help it decide planning applications in the neighbourhood area?”**

2. Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at **Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG** by **Tuesday 30 January 2018**.
3. New applications to vote by post and requests to cancel or change an existing postal or proxy vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at **Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG** by **5 pm on Wednesday 31 January 2018**.
4. New applications to vote by proxy must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at **Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG** by **5 pm on Wednesday 7 February 2018**.
5. Applications to vote by proxy on the grounds of a medical emergency or because of work reasons that occurred after 5 pm on Wednesday 7 February must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at **Council Offices High Street Coleford GL16 8HG** by **5 pm on Thursday 15 February 2018**.

DATED: 11 January 2018

Claire Hughes  
**Counting Officer**