**NOTICE OF REFERENDUM**

**Stroud District Council**

**Referendum on the Neighbourhood Plan for Cam Neighbourhood Area**

**1.** A neighbourhood planning referendum will be held on **Thursday 6 May 2021,** to decide on the question below:

**Do you want Stroud District Council to use the Neighbourhood Plan for Cam to help it decide planning applications in the Neighbourhood area?**

**2.** Applications to register to vote must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Stroud District Council by 12 midnight on **Monday 19 April 2021**. Applications can be made online: **www.gov.uk/register-to-vote**.

**3.** New applications for postal votes or written instructions to change or cancel an existing postal or proxy voting arrangement must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Stroud District Council by **5pm on Tuesday 20 April 2021.**

**4.** New applications to vote by proxy at this referendum must reach the Electoral Registration Officer at Stroud District Council by **5pm on Tuesday 27 April 2021.**

**5.** 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 Stroud District Council by 5pm on Thursday 6 May 2021. The physical incapacity must have occurred after 5pm on Tuesday 27 April 2021. 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 Tuesday 27 April 2021.

 **Kathy O’Leary**

 **Dated Monday 29 March 2021 Counting Officer**