**Statement of intent to produce a Neighbourhood Plan**

Abram Ward Community Cooperative (AWCC) is a voluntary sector social enterprise that provides community based services to support residents across the Abram Ward. AWCC is proposing to produce a Neighbourhood Plan in partnership with local stakeholders for the Abram Ward. The Neighbourhood Plan will outline a holistic approach to improving the lifestyles of local residents and the key priorities of the Wigan Local Plan Core Strategy. AWCC has a memorandum of articles, an elected board of Directors which includes local residents, over 150 local members that are living and working in the local area, and organisational members that provide a range of community based resources. Therefore AWCC meets the legal requirements to deliver the Neighbourhood plan for Abram.

The Abram Neighbourhood Area is situated within midlands of the Wigan Borough, and boarders with Ashton, Bryn, Golborne & Lowton West, Hindley, Hindley Green, Ince, Leigh West, Worsley Mesnes wards. Abram Ward is single electoral ward of which three council members are elected.

AWCC is proposing to lead the Abram Neighbourhood Forum which will be the responsible for the resident and stakeholder consultation, design, production and delivery of the Abram Neighbourhood Plan.

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