



**Statement of Common Ground between Faversham NP Group &  
Swale Borough Council.**

<b>Areas of consensus/ agreement</b>	<b>Date / Reference</b>
NP designation confirmed. NP area the same as the Faversham parish area.	July 2020
Jill Peet (JP) and Aaron Wilkinson appointed to support NP Group	17 July 2020
Working group meeting to discuss data and evidence needed	24 July 2020
SEA scoping report and need for SA/SEA/HRA confirmed	Q.4 2020
Housing number to be accommodated in the Neighbourhood Plan: 200 dwellings; discussed and agreed at project meetings and confirmed by email	Throughout 2021
Project meetings held at regular intervals throughout	January 2021 – March 2023
Meeting with NPG and AECOM for SEA screening	25 October 2022
Draft Regulation 14 document received	Q4. 2023
Regulation 14 consultation	January – February 2023
Council supportive of content of Reg 14 document and no formal representations made other than of support	February 2023
Draft Regulation 16 documents received,	April/ May 2023
Formal receipt of Regulation 16 documents received	June 2023
Regulation 16 consultation	September/ October 2023
SBC and the Faversham NP Group have worked collaboratively to deliver the Neighbourhood Plan. Open and honest discussions have helped to head off any concerns or issues. There has been a free exchange of data, evidence and other information between the parties.	Ongoing from start of project

<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>	<b>Date</b>
Jill Peet 	Planning Policy Manager, Swale Borough Council	October 2023
	Chair of Faversham Neighbourhood Planning Group	Oct 2023