Truly affordable homes, both rented and shared ownership, are desperately needed in order to enable residents to move out of their parents' homes and also to encourage young people to remain in the area or return after education or training.

## Housing and Planning

- 1. We will monitor the Neighbourhood Plan progress within an Implementation, Monitoring and Review sub-committee throughout the period 2020-2028.
- 2. We will lobby developers and planners continuously to ensure that NP Aspirations are given the highest priority, to ensure newly developed and improved infrastructure benefits residents and tourists. e.g. pedestrian access to/from the Blackfriars development to the Railway Station and setting up a part time health provision in Netherfield.
- 3. We will ensure that all Planning Applications within the Battle Civil Parish meet the requirements of the Battle CP Design Guidelines and the High Weald Housing Design Guide. Furthermore, high priority attention with regard to all developments will be given to: environmental impact, biodiversity and the Council's Heritage Charter.