ACCESSIBILITY STATEMENT

Silverton Parish Council wants everyone to be able to use its Website which means you should be able to:

- Change the colours, contrast levels and the fonts
- Be able to zoom in up to 300% without the text spilling off the screen
- Be able to navigate most of the website by use of the keyboard only
- Navigate most of the website with the use of speech recognition software
- Be able to listen to most of the website using a screen reader

Silverton Parish Council are aware that the majority of the documents contained within the Neighbourhood Plan section of the Website are non-compliant and in particular the documents are published in pdf/Word documents which are not accessible to screen readers. On assessment the Parish Council felt it would be a disproportionate burden to fix all the documents which are published on its Website prior to 23rd September 2018 in order to comply with The Public Sector Bodies (Website and Mobile Applications) (No2) Accessibility Regulations 2018. These Regulations can be viewed at https://www.legislation.gov.uk/uksi/2018/952/made). It is felt that the majority of documents published on the Website prior to the 23rd September 2018 are rarely viewed and therefore are unlikely to have a negative impact on users with disabilities or impairments and for this reason the Parish Council do not believe the cost to the parish of fixing these documents is justified

Silverton Parish Council will be carrying out basic accessibility checks in relation to the documentation published on its Website since 23rd September 2018

Should anyone require any documentation from the Website in a different format they should contact the Parish Clerk (email: sheilawoodland@btinternet.com telephone: 01392882832) and provide the following:

- Your name and email address
- The document required and in which format