

DRAFT CONSULTATION STATEMENT TO ACCOMPANY REG.14 CONSULTATION

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1. INTRODUCTION

The Parish Council and the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group are committed to creating a neighbourhood plan that responded to needs and aspirations of the local community. It will provide a framework for the future development of the parish, by ensuring it responds to the will of the local community it gives the community the ability to influence planning decisions made over the plan period.

This Consultation Statement sets out how we have engaged with the local community whilst preparing the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan to date. It broadly aims to set out what we have done, how we did it, what we learnt and then what we did with what we learnt at each stage.

It will also, in due course also fulfil the legal obligations of The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 Regulation 15(1) which requires a Consultation Statement to accompany the submission of a plan. At this time the plan has not been submitted and so there is no requirement for this document to exist, however but it was considered important as it shows how we have sought to ensure that what we have done responds to the views of the community.

When this document is submitted alongside the plan it will need to conform to Regulation 12(2) of the above mentioned regulations which confirm that a 'Consultation Statement' is a document which:

- (a) contains details of the persons and bodies who were consulted about the proposed neighbourhood development plan;
- (b) explains how they were consulted;
- (c) summarises the main issues and concerns raised by the persons consulted;
- (d) describes how these issues and concerns have been considered and, where relevant, addressed in the proposed neighbourhood development plan.

Section 3 of this document is not yet completed, it is intended that fourth section of this document will in due course meet the requirements of Regulation 12(2).

Throughout our activities to date we have sought to include all parts of the community and to ensure that key stakeholders have been included wherever possible, these include but are not limited to:

- Residents
- Local businesses
- Schools
- Churches
- Landowners
- West Sussex County Council

- Horsham District Council
- Neighbouring Parish Councils
- Environment Agency
- Infrastructure Providers
- Historic England

We have also sought to engage with the community via a variety of means, these include:

- Setting up a Steering Group consisting of Councilors and community representative volunteers;
- A dedicated section on the Parish Council Website showing all key documents and meeting notes;
- Updates on Facebook and Twitter;
- Progress updates in the Annual Parish Report;
- Articles/progress updates in the Parish Newsletter;
- Press Releases;
- Public Events to inform and gather views;
- A Parish Survey in 2015 to gather opinions, views and concerns; and,
- Consultation meetings with stakeholders as appropriate.

2. ACTIVITIES UP TO REG.14 CONSULTATION

The Southwater Neighbourhood Plan has been in development since 2014 and over the past four years there has been much engagement with the local community encompassing numerous events, consultation activities.

This section sets out the activities undertaken up to the Reg.14 Consultation.

LAUNCH OF THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN (MARCH 2014)

A public meeting was held to launch the Neighbourhood Plan on 20th March 2014 at the Southwater Leisure Centre. The meeting took the form of a presentation introducing the community to the concept of a neighbourhood plan.

In addition, a number of boards were set up where people could write comments on colour coded sticky notes to indicate whether they 'Like, 'Would Like' or 'Don't Like' whatever they write. These were then affixed to the relevant board. The topic areas were:

- Economy
- Environment
- Infrastructure
- Culture
- Heritage
- Social and Community

The comments collected on the boards are set out at **Appendix 1**.

These comments were used to help the Steering Group understand what the community liked and didn't like in the parish currently and what the community would like to have in the future.

PARISH AGM (APRIL 2014)

The parish Council AGM was held in the Council Chamber on 23rd April 2014. This updated the Parish Council on the launch of the neighbourhood plan. The minutes and photos from the AGM can be found at **Appendix 2**.

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN INFORMATION EXHIBITIONS (JULY – SEPTMBER 2014)

The team set up a roaming exhibition/stand which visited a number of fetes and fun days in summer 2014. This included the Southwater Schools Summer Fete, a display in the Beeson House Foyer, Southwater Leisure Centre, Church Fair and Dog Show, Country Park Café and Southwater

Montessori Nursery and Childrens Day Nursery. The intention was to help people understand the purpose of the plan, the process we need to go through and build upon the responses received at the launch event.

The stand was taken to Southwater Schools Summer Fete on 5^{th} July. Approximately 1000 people visited the fete with between 30 - 50 people making 101 comments in total. The comments received can be found at **Appendix 3**.

The stand was located in the Beeson House foyer from 7 - 19 July 2014 and accessible during opening hours. A total of 54 comments were received which can be found at **Appendix 4**.

From 19 July to 1 August 2014 the stand was setup in the Southwater Leisure Centre to raise awareness. On the 4th September 2014 the stand was taken to the Montessori Nursery and Childrens Day Nursery. Around 60 people visited the stand whilst it was setup. These activities were aimed at raising awareness and no comments were collected.

The stand was taken to the Holy Innocents Church Fair on 27th September 2014. Around 500 people attended the event and 34 comments were received from members of the public – they are included at **Appendix 5**.

CHRISTMAS FAIR (DECEMBER 2014)

The Neighbourhood Plan set up a small exhibition/stand at the 2014 Christmas Fair. Between 2000 and 3000 people attended the event with many visiting the stand to find out more about the neighbourhood plan. Only 11 comments were collected and these are set out at **Appendix 6**.

MEETINGS WITH NEIGHBOURING PARISHES AND FORUM (JANUARY – MARCH 2015)

To ensure that we properly engaged with our neighbouring parish's we met with Nuthurst Parish Council (14 January 2015), Horsham Blueprint (9 February 2015), Itchingfield Parish Council (30 March 2015) and Shipley Parish Council.

At these meetings we updated neighbouring authorities on the plan's intentions and proposed timetable. It was noted that Nuthurst Parish Council were at a more advanced stage with their neighbourhood plan at the time and there were no envisaged cross boundary issues. We also learnt that both Horsham Blueprint and Itchingfield Parish Council intended to prepare neighbourhood plans.

At these meetings we agreed to continue active communication and consultation with our neighbouring parishes on neighbourhood planning matters, particularly where they may give rise

to cross boundary issues. Following our meeting we attended the Regulation 14 Consultation event for the Nuthurst Neighbourhood Plan.

PARISH SURVEY (JANUARY – APRIL 2015)

With support from Maggie Williams, Neighbourhood Planning Officer at Horsham District Council, a parish survey and questionnaire document was drafted. The questionnaire and covering letter (**Appendix 7**) was delivered by Royal Mail to every residential and commercial address in the parish.

At a similar time the Parish Council Newsletter was hand delivered to every property in the parish highlighting how important it is for everyone to respond to the survey. This is included at **Appendix 8**.

Respondents were given 4-5 weeks to respond to the questionnaire with the closing date being the 17th April 2015.

The questionnaire included a range of questions under the following sections:

- General Overview
- Social & Community
- Listed Buildings and General Heritage
- Culture
- Infrastructure
- Environment
- Local Economy
- Business Survey (for businesses only to complete)
- Parish housing Needs
- Young Person's Survey (for those under 16 years old)

Over 900 responses to the parish survey were received which equates to a response rate of over 30% which was considered to be good given the size of the parish. All data was collated and a simple report illustrating the results in diagrammatic form produced (**Appendix 9**). These were then collated into a formal report which can be found at **Appendix 10**.

The result of this survey was considered in detail by the Steering Group and used to inform the plan's overarching aims and objectives.

SA/SEA SCOPING REPORT CONSULTATION (SPRING 2015)

The plan's objectives were then set out in the Sustainability Appraisal / Strategic Environmental Assessment Scoping Report. This document was consulted on from the 25th February 2016 to 6th March 2016 in accordance with the relevant requirements.

The consultation documents were sent directly to the required consultees (**Appendix 11**) as well as being promoted on the Parish Council's website and social media (**Appendix 12**).

In addition to consulting the required statutory consultees, display boards were erected in Beeson House to promote further engagement with the local community (**Appendix 13**). It is believed that around 30 people a day would have seen the display boards.

CALL FOR SITES EXERCISE (FEBRUARY – MAY 2015)

On the basis that the plan would be allocating sites for new development, a Call for Sites was undertaken in Spring 2015. Interested parties were asked to submit sites, along with any proposals, by 30 June 2016.

The Call for Sites was advertised via an email to those registered on the Parish Council website, in in the local press for two consecutive weeks (**Appendix 14**) and public notices were posted on notice boards in Beeson House. In addition, letters (**Appendix 15**) were sent directly to local estate.

Thirteen landowners and developers submitted proposals in response to this Call for Sites exercise.

Following these submissions representatives of the Steering Group arranged to meet with those that had submitted sites to discuss the detail of their land and any proposals set out. The meetings were carried out between February 2015 and May 2015 and took the format of a standard pro-forma (**Appendix 16**).

REVISION TO DESIGNATED PLAN AREA (APRIL 2016)

Following a change to the parish boundary a consultation occurred on a proposed revision to the Neighbourhood Plan Designation Area under Regulation 5 and 6 (Horsham District Council Report and Southwater Parish Council Online notice at **Appendix 17**). This look place between 1 April 2016 and 29 April 2016. The consultation was run by Horsham District Council and a decision issues on 16 May 2016 confirming that the plan area had been amended (**Appendix 18**).

PUBLIC EXHIBITIONS (JANUARY 2017)

By January 2017 it was considered appropriate to hold public exhibitions to update the public and the various stakeholders on the status of the plan and gather their views on the various sites that had been submitted.

Exhibitions were held in Beeson House on 28 and 31 January 2017 which were advertised in a number of ways (see **Appendix 19**). Display Boards (see **Appendix 20**) were setup and comments from those attending were collected on feedback forms (see **Appendix 21**).

The comments received were used by the Steering Group in formulating the Neighbourhood Plan.

CALL FOR SITES (JULY 2017)

Following further submissions from landowners and developers, and following advice from Horsham District Council and their own Planning Consultant, it was decided to carry out a further Call for Sites exercise to ensure the list of sites held by the Steering Group was up to date.

Notifications of the call for sites exercise were posted on the Parish Council's website (**Appendix 22**) and those that had previously submitted sties were contacted and were given the opportunity to either confirm their original proposal or submit an amended proposal.

Some additional sites were submitted and these were included in the Assessments being undertaken by the Steering Group.

CAR PARKING SURVEY (AUTUMN 2017)

It became apparent within the Steering Group that car parking was a particular issue in certain parts of the parish. To gather additional information on this a Car Parking Survey was sent to all residents with the parish newsletter (**Appendix 23**) and was also available on line via SurveyMonkey. The survey contained 6 questions:-

- 1. How many people live in your household?
- 2. How many cars are there in your household?
- 3. How many off-road allocated spaces do you have? Where are they allocated?
- 4. Where is your car(s) normally parked overnight?
- 5. Do cars regularly park on your street overnight?
- 6. Have you cause to report illegal parking in Southwater?

There were 109 responses to the survey and the responses can be found in **Appendix 24**. The results used to guide the Steering Group when formulating a proposed neighbourhood plan policy relating to car parking.

RELEASE OF HOUSING NEEDS ASSESSMENT

The Parish Housing Needs Assessment was prepared in the latter half of 2017 and finalised in November 2017 – this now forms part of the Evidence Base that supports the plan. As this was an important document that underpins an important part of the plan it was considered important to release it to the general public as soon as possible. It was released on 31st November 2017 accompanied by a letter from the chair of the Steering Group (**Appendix 25**).

3. REGULATION 14 CONSULTATION

This section will be completed after the Regulation 14 Consultation has been completed and will fulfil the legal obligations of the Neighbourhood Planning Regulations 2012. In order to do this, the Consultation Statement should contain:

- (e) contains details of the persons and bodies who were consulted about the proposed neighbourhood development plan;
- (f) explains how they were consulted;
- (g) summarises the main issues and concerns raised by the persons consulted;
- (h) describes how these issues and concerns have been considered and, where relevant, addressed in the proposed neighbourhood development plan.

This information is set out below.

WHO WAS CONSULTED?

To be completed prior to submission of the neighbourhood plan...

HOW WERE THEY CONSULTED?

To be completed prior to submission of the neighbourhood plan...

MAIN ISSUES AND CONCERNS RAISED & HOW THEY HAVE BEEN ADDRESSED

To be completed prior to submission of the neighbourhood plan...

Comments received at launch meeting on 20th March 2014

Group	Sheet	Comment
Social	Like	Countryside
Social	Like	Country Park
Social	Like	Downslink
Social	Like	Country Park Café
Social	Like	The Little Teashop
Social	Like	Doctors Surgery
Social	Like	Rural Feel
Social	Like	Community Feel
Social	Like	Litter wardens
Social	Like	Pubs
Social	Like	Anne Kent, Community Officer
Social	Like	Family Centre
Social	Like	Youth Work
Social	Like	Youth Club
Social	Like	Bus service
Social	Like	Angie
Social	Would like	Better Pubs
Social	Would like	Community bus
Social	Would like	Roller skate rink
Social	Would like	Ice rink
Social	Would like	Swimming Pool
Social	Would like	Fairground
Social	Would like	Go Ape
Social	Would like	Outdoor high ropes
Social	Would like	Play areas for 10 to 16yr olds
Social	Would like	More for teenagers
Social	Would like	Night clubs
Social	Would like	Parcours park
Social	Would like	Moto cross track
Social	Would like	More clubs for older men
Social Social	Would like Would like	Old people's Centre More for the elderly
Social	Would like	Footpath from RSPCA to W Rd
Social	Would like	Friday night dicso
Social	Would like	Doctors walk in centre 8pm to 10pm
Social	Would like	Better access to A & E
Social	Would like	More countryside interests
Social	Would like	More olice presence evenings and w/es
Social	Would like	Sensory tree
Social	Would like	Larger youth club with outdoor space
Social	Would like	Community Farm
Social	Would like	Squash courts at LC

Group	Sheet	Comment
Social	Would like	Barn dances
Social	Would like	Dementia centre
Social	Would like	Bigger Facebook page
Social	Would like	Ecumenical centre
Social	Would like	Fresh air fitness
Social	Would like	Ballroom dances
Social	Would like	Hall space for Rainbows/Beavers
Social	Would like	Hall space for Sea scouts
Social	Would like	Play areas need updating
Social	Would like	More sessions at Family Centre
Social	Would like	More restaurants
Social	Would like	Vegetarian shop or café
Social	Would like	Community/Village halll worthy of the community
Social	Would like	Larger medical centre
Social	Would like	Astroturf full size pitch with flood lights
Social	Don't like	Reduce the amount of large houses
Social	Don't like	Parts of Downslink need improvement
Social	Don't like	Vandalism
Social	Don't like	Little Teapot is too small
Social	Don't like	Youth shelter is in the wrong place
Social	Don't like	Need more police presence
Social	Don't like	Nothing for teenagers
Social	Don't like	Noise from Sports Club at 1am
Social	Don't like	PUbs
	5 1.111	Narrow roads in new developments, leading to parking on
Social	Don't like	roads
Social	Don't like	Southwater means little to Tower Hill and CH
Social	Don't like	No transport for the elderly
Social	Don't like	Vans going over speed humps in Cedar Drive
Social	Don't like	More mixed age groups
Social	Don't like	More dog bins
Social	Don't like	Dog mess
Social	Don't like	Location of Skate Park too far from a phone
Infrastructure	Don't like	Don't want new Skate Park - already have one
Infrastructure	Don't like Don't like	Bigger village surgery
Infrastructure		Hop Oast roundabout is lethal
Infrastructure	Don't like Don't like	Difficult to get appts at doctors surgery
Infrastructure		Traffic calming
Infrastructure	Don't like	No joined up cycle routes Any new school should access off A24, not near existing
Infrastructure	Don't like	schools
Infrastructure	Don't like	Parking outside schools
Infrastructure	Don't like	Poor parking in estate roads
Infrastructure	Don't like	No lighting on Downslink
Infrastructure	Don't like	Play areas need updating

Group	Sheet	Comment
Infrastructure	Don't like	More frequent bus service on Sundays
Infrastructure	Don't like	Hard work driving to Southwater
Infrastructure	Don't like	Primary School at capacity - use of portakabins
Infrastructure	Don't like	Congestion leaving village in the morning
Infrastructure	Don't like	Flooding
Infrastructure	Don't like	Inappropriate traffic calming
Infrastructure	Don't like	Too much traffic
Infrastructure	Don't like	Poor road maintenance
Infrastructure	Don't like	Bad highway planning
Infrastructure	Don't like	Not enough car parking in Linto Square on Saturdays
Infrastructure	Don't like	No safe foopath to Horsham, need bridge over A24
Infrastructure	Don't like	Footpath near Infants is too narrow
Infrastructure	Don't like	No rail service
Infrastructure	Don't like	Downslink section north of village is through a field
Infrastructure	Don't like	Main road is too busy
Infrastructure	Don't like	Ambulance response time need improvement
Infrastructure	Don't like	Speeding along Worthing Rd
Infrastructure	Don't like	Traffic calming
Infrastructure	Don't like	Pinch points of Worthing Rd cause delays
Infrastructure	Don't like	Lack of drainage
Infrastructure	Don't like	Difficulty getting appt at Surgery
Infrastructure	Don't like	Parking issues at schools
Infrastructure	Don't like	Difficult to leave and enter village
Infrastructure	Don't like	Speeding on village roads
Infrastructure	Don't like	Southwater roads are at code red, so not more housing
Infrastructure	Don't like	Church Lane prone to flooding
Infrastructure	Don't like	No crossing at Cedar Drive
Infrastructure	Would like	Hospital nearer
Infrastructure	Would like	Council homes
Infrastructure	Would like	Cycle route to Horsham
Infrastructure	Would like	Community Farm
Infrastructure	Would like	Larger Doctor surgery
Infrastructure	Would like	Safer back road
Infrastructure	Would like	Bus route to CH
Infrastructure	Would like	Zebra crossing by Country park
Infrastructure	Would like	Footbridge over A24
Infrastructure	Would like	Truly affordable housing
Infrastructure	Would like	More parking at Lintot Square
Infrastructure	Would like	Sufficient secondary school places without a need for buses
Infrastructure	Would like	Better feeder roads into Southwater
Infrastructure	Would like	Lights on footpath, York Close to LC
Infrastructure	Would like	Better maintained roads
Infrastructure	Would like	Crossing at Cedar Drive near Timbermill
Infrastructure	Would like	Bigger library
Infrastructure	Would like	A bus that doesn't do the whole loop of Southwater

Group	Sheet	Comment
Infrastructure	Would like	Better planning of new builds to ensure sufficient parking
Infrastructure	Would like	Wider roads with parking bays
Infrastructure	Would like	Safer roads
Infrastructure	Would like	More parking at the doctors
Infrastructure	Would like	Woodlads for walks etc
Infrastructure	Would like	More CiL monies
Infrastructure	Would like	Safer pedestrian route to Horsham
Infrastructure	Would like	Wider pavements on Worthing Rd
Infrastructure	Would like	Better doctors surgery
Infrastructure	Would like	Plan so children can walk safely to school
Infrastructure	Would like	Scondary school
Infrastructure	Would like	Cycle routes
Infrastructure	Would like	Railway spur to Horsham
Infrastructure	Would like	Removal of Hen & Chick pinch point
Infrastructure	Would like	Acute hospital with A&E and maternity
Infrastructure	Would like	Library for adults
Infrastructure	Would like	If take development need more sevices/shops
Infrastructure	Would like	Better cycle route to Horsham
Infrastructure	Would like	Cycle routes throughout village
Infrastructure	Would like	Train station
Infrastructure	Like	Schools
Infrastructure	Like	Country Park
Infrastructure	Like	Downslink well maintained
Infrastructure	Like	Free Parking in Lintot Square
Infrastructure	Like	Fields on either side of the Downslink
Infrastructure	Like	Lintot Square is central
Infrastructure	Like	Rural Community
Infrastructure	Like	Close to countryside, woods and fields
Infrastructure	Like	Bus service
Infrastructure	Like	Size of village - no bigger please
Infrastructure	Like	Footpaths for walking
Infrastructure	Like	Good dog walks
Infrastructure	Like	Schools and level of achievement
Infrastructure	Like	Downslink
Infrastructure	Like	Traffic calming
Infrastructure	Like	Doctors surgery
Culture	Don't like	Village getting to large and disassociate
Culture	Don't like	Skate park needs to be more central and lit
Culture	Don't like	Skate park
Culture	Don't like	Library too small
Culture	Don't like	Domitary settlement
Culture	Like	Country park
Culture	Like	Fireworks display
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Economy	Like	Coop
Economy	Like	Lintot Square - well balanced facility
Economy	Like	People tend to buy local
Economy	Like	Boars Head
Economy	Like	Free Parking in Lintot Square
Economy	Like	Walking to Bax Castle
Economy	Like	Good local cohesive community
Economy	Like	Local shops
Economy	Like	Strong sense of community
Economy	Like	Post office
Economy	Like	Diversity of business interests
Economy	Like	Strong networking groups
Economy	Like	More work in Southwater
Economy	Would like	Generate business to come to Southwater
Economy	Would like	Business retention
Economy	Would like	Improved transport links
Economy	Would like	Aldi
Economy	Would like	Bigger CoOp
Economy	Would like	Know more about local small businesses
Economy	Would like	Rail Station
Economy	Would like	Hardware shop
Economy	Would like	Local produce shop meat/veg
Economy	Would like	Butchers
		Reassurance that s106/CiL is spent on Southwater primary
Economy	Would like	school for places
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Economy	Would like	Plan
Economy	Would like	100% of CiL
Economy	Would like	Cheaper bus into Horsham
Economy	Would like	Retail units to change their operational hours as many people go out of the village during the day
Economy	Would like	Improvement to Broadband speed in hinterland
Economy	Would like	Small business facilities - hot desking
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Economy	Would like	vallge so you don't need to get in a car
Economy	Would like	More rural industries/workshops
Economy	Would like	Paced development
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Economy	Would like	Breakfast club for local businessed
Economy	Would like	Business desk co-ordinator to draw together local businesses
Economy	Would like	Reasonable rates for hall hire
Economy	Would like	Local jobs for local people.
Economy	Would like	More adverts to inform peopls of recruitment day
Economy	Would like	Aldi
Economy	Would like	Bring back the bike shop
Economy	Would like	Bakery
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Economy	Would like	Better choice of shops and restaurants
Economy	Would like	Delicatessen
Economy	Would like	Better cycle route to Horsham
		Parish Council to reduce insurance requirements to help
Economy	Would like	remove barriers to local businesses
Economy	Would like	Green space for burials, non Christian space
Economy	Would like	Retain small town feel, not become another Horsham
Economy	Would like	DIY store
Economy	Don't like	not enough jobs to support size of village
Economy	Don't like	No local jobs
Economy	Don't like	Poor mobile reception orange, O2
Economy	Don't like	Poor transport links
Economy	Don't like	Poor tv reception
Economy	Don't like	Communter town - Crawley, Gatwick, London.
Economy	Don't like	Hard work getting to Southwater from Tower Hill
Economy	Don't like	Bus to CH
Economy	Don't like	No EE or Orange signal
Economy	Don't like	Empty retail units in Lintot Square
Economy	Don't like	Park & Ride should be free
Economy	Don't like	Diamond Cuisine
Economy	Don't like	Cock Inn
Economy	Don't like	Lintot Square - lack of thought
Economy	Don't like	Need better mobile signal
Heritage	Like	Being a village
Heritage	Like	Great House Farm
Heritage	Like	Open spaces
		Allowing farmland to remain, important for keeping the Farm
Heritage	Like	protected
Heritage	Like	Preserve victorian housing
Heritage	Like	More listed buildings
Heritage	Like	Upgrade listing of the Old School House
Heritage	Like	Current countryside and footpaths
Heritage	Like	Retain community events
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Heritage	Like	Protect Great House Farm
Heritage	Like	Protect pathways
Heritage	Like	Protect listed buildings
Heritage	Like	Protect wild life
Heritage	Like	Protect trees and hedgerows
Heritage	Like	Protect air quality
Heritage	Like	Iguanodon statue
Heritage	Don't like	Development
Heritage	Don't like	Too many characterless housing from one era
Heritage	Don't like	Ugly new developments
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Heritage	Don't like	The fear of losing our small village identity
Heritage	Would like	To remain a village and not become a town
Heritage	Would like	Walled gardens to be respected and preserved
Heritage	Would like	Heritage Centre about Southwater History
Heritage	Would like	Blue plaques
Heritage	Would like	Guide to old Southwater
Heritage	Would like	Link between youth and older generations
Heritage	Would like	Heritage Centre at Southwater Country Park
Heritage	Would like	To encourage wildlife and access to nature
Heritage	Would like	Southwater Museum
Heritage	vvould like	Remembrance garden where people can plant a tree or shrub
Heritage	Would like	to remember their loved ones
Heritage	Would like	Listed buildings to be protected
Heritage	Would like	Farmhouse should not be in the middle of new houses
Heritage	Would like	Listed buildings in appropriate settings
Environment	Would like	Maintaining burial area
Environment	Would like	More trees around the village
Environment	Would like	Southwater should be a National Park
Environment	Would like	Bird hides
Environment	Would like	Maintaining village atmosphere
Environment	Would like	Plant more trees
Environment	Would like	Wetlands
Environment	Would like	More shops, and bigger variety of shops
Environment	Would like	Green area on Southwater St
Environment	Would like	Improved play areas
Environment	Would like	Better road safety at the schools
Environment	Would like	Solar panels as standard on all new build
Environment	Would like	More open gardens
		Improved play areas, one with dens, ropes, climbing frames
Environment	Would like	etc
Environment	Would like	A wildlife sensory garden
		Safe pedestrian routes off road around Southwater and to
Environment	Would like	Horsham
Environment	Would like	Involvement of trusts such as National Trust in the management of our green spaces
Environment	Would like	Wildlife warden in Country Park
Environment	Would like	Safe cycle path to Horsham
Environment	Would like	Walk way between Southwater and Horsham
Environment	Would like	All new builds should be water soak aways and rain collection
Environment	Would like	Maintained footpaths
Environment	Would like	Build new houses that fit in with the historical style of the
Environment	Would like	village
		Respect for green belt. No more golf courses, football
		pitches, Park & Rides in the gap between Horsham and
Environment	Would like	Southwater
Employment of	14/a.dal 19.	Safe off road cycle routes around Southwater and to
Environment	Would like	Horsham

Group	Sheet	Comment
Environment	Would like	Woodland/pond areas maintainted better
Environment	Would like	Keep Southwater a village
	147 1 1 1 1 1	Dog poo bin on the Downslink by Bax Castle -could collect
Environment	Would like	from Bax car park
Environment	Would like	All new builds to be sustainable, with solar and pv on every house
Environment	Would like	
Environment	would like	Water infrastructure improved New housing to have sufficient parking, and road width less
Environment	Would like	cramped
Environment	Would like	More areas set asdie foer nature
Environment	Would like	More collection of rainwater
Environment	Would like	Less compact housing estates
Environment	Would like	Ancient hedgerows saved and maintained
Environment	Would like	Heavy emphasis on rural environment
Environment	Would like	Coumminty garden/orchard/growing space
	Would like	Country Park more and more restricted - fences and
		brushwork prevent walking off footpaths through trees and
Environment	Don't like	children playing there
Environment	Don't like	Increasing traffic
		Anthrax damge of any development north of Old School
Environment	Don't like	House
		Slurry pit where the new community football pitch is
Environment	Don't like	suggested.
Environment	Don't like	Human sewerage un the drainage ditch along the Downslink by the field where the football pitch is proposed
Environment	Don't like	Crucial that fields north of Old School House are not
Environment	Don't like	developed due to anthrax
Environment	Don't like	The farm needs to retain the acreage
Environment	Don't like	Country park play area is a bog when wet
Environment	Don't like	Limited play areas for under fives
Environment	Don't like	Empty shops in Lintot Square
Environment	Don't like	Current housing plans
Environment	Don't like	Loss of green fields
Environment	Don't like	Traffic congestion
Environment	Don't like	Loss of trees through development
Environment	Don't like	Ineffective traffic calming
Environment	Don't like	flooding
Environment	Don't like	Years of building works
Environment	Don't like	Housing developments not in keeping with local architecture
	Don't like	Noise that comes from Sports Club at all hours, can hear pa
Environment	Don't like	system half a mile away
Environment	Don't like	Dog bins not emptied often enough
Environment	Don't like	Poor flood defences on areas that are prone to flood
Environment	Don't like	Traffic jams due to too many cars
Environment	Don't like	Woodland not maintained via surgery
Environment	Don't like	No second runway at Gatwick - noise
Environment	Don't like	Noise from A24

Group	Sheet	Comment
Empline recent to t	De=## 191	New houisng not having enough parking per household, so
Environment	Don't like	park on pavements
Environment	Don't like	Unsustainable building
Environment	Don't like	Mass development
Environment	Don't like	Car pollution
Environment	Don't like	Flooding and human waste on surface, not being able to have showers or flush toilets for wekks on end
Environment Environment	Don't like	
Environment	Don't like	Old bridge not being maintained, now covered with dog poo Aircraft pollution
Environment	Don't like	·
	Don't like	Lack of wildlife respect in Country Park
Environment Environment	Don't like	Cars parking on the street and on grass verges Stop building on farm land
Environment	Don't like	Too many people
LIIVII OIIIIIEIIL	DOI! (IIKE	Anthrax damge of any development north of Old School
Environment	Don't like	House
Environment	Like	Dog bins
Environment	Like	Living close to countryside
Environment	Like	Green fields with cows in the centre village
Environment	Like	Green fields
Environment	Like	Country lanes
Environment	Like	Pathways
Environment	Like	Trees
Environment	Like	Brownfield development
Environment	Like	Woods
Environment	Like	Open spaces
Environment	Like	Wildlife corridor
Environment	Like	Miantain hedges for wildlife
Environment	Like	Current size of the village not breaching old A24 towards CH
Environment	Like	Rural nature
Environment	Like	Downslink
Environment	Like	Easy dog walking from Lintot Square/Country Park
Environment	Like	Green Paces
Environment	Like	Walks and open spaces
Environment	Like	Skate Park
Environment	Like	To retain public footpaths
		Green spaces for kids to play, for communities to meet and
Environment	Like	for residents to walk
Environment	Like	Wildlife
Environment	Like	Country Park
Environment	Like	Country Park free parking
Environment	Like	WOods
Environment	Like	Working farm in the village
Environment	Like	Village feel of Southwater
Environment	Like	Open spaces and footpaths
		Ancient woodlands such as Courtland Wood and Kirsty's
Environment	Like	Wood

Group	Sheet	Comment
Environment	Like	Dog bins
Environment	Like	Farmland
Environment	Like	Imaginative architecture
Environment	Like	Library
Environment	Like	Maintain woodlands and surrounding grees areas
Environment	Like	Green land to walk dog
Environment	Like	Green fields
Environment	Like	Great House Farm and cows
		Dog walking on footpaths across fields, not restricted like
Environment	Like	Country Park
Environment	Like	Working locally

SOUTHWATER ANNUAL PARISH MEETING

Minutes of the Full Council Meeting held on Wednesday, 23rd April 2014 at 7.30 p.m., in the Council Chamber, Beeson House, Southwater.

Present Were: Mr P. Buckley (Chairman)

Councillors present: Mr L. Apted, Mr G. Cole, Mr K. Diamond, Mrs P. Flores-Moore, Mr D.

Nagy, Mr M. Neale and Mrs B. Varley

Apologies: Mr G. Watkins

Clerk: Mrs J. Nagy

County Councillor: Apologies received from Mr B. Watson

District Councillors: Mr Howard, with apologies from Dr Chidlow

Members of the public: Around 50

Press: Not present

AP01/04/14 WELCOME

The Chairman asked those present to turn off their mobile phones for the duration of the meeting, unless in an emergency situation In the event of a fire alarm sounding, everyone should evacuate the building via the exits indicated.

He thanked those present for coming along, and said that Annual Parish Meeting was following a different format this year. Community Groups who had received a grant from the Parish Council during the previous financial year were here to publicise the activities of their organisations.

The Chairman said that copies of his Annual Report were available throughout the room, and he would be circulating throughout the evening should anyone wish to ask any questions. He would like to take the opportunity to thank all the Parish Councillors and Council staff for all their support and hard work throughout the year.

He invited those present to visit all the tables of the Community Groups, and advised that refreshments were available at the rear of the room.

AP02/04/14 COMMUNITY GROUPS

The following organisations had tables and representatives at the meeting:

Southwater Horticultural Society
Southwater Leisure Facilities
Southwater Neighbourhood Plan

Southwater Community Police Office Southwater Art Club

Southwater History Group Southwater Neighbourhood Network Southwater Youth Project West Sussex Mediation Service

Southwater Community Responders Southwater Action Team

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During the course of the meeting, one comment was made by Rev Godfrey Kesari, this being that it was a shame that more people did not attend such meetings.

The meeting closed at 9.00pm

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Southwater Parish Council

Building Community Partnerships

2013/14

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

A message from the Chairman of the Parish Council

I am delighted to present the Annual Parish Report providing many examples of the work of the Parish Council over the last year.

These range from the Butterfly Project through to the major initiative of the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan, all of which are designed to support local businesses, facilities and the local Southwater Parish community, including Christ's Hospital, Stammerham and Newfoundout.

During the past 12 months the Council has continued to work with partner councils and others in delivering local services, including the cutting back of verges and overgrowth such as the school hedge in the Worthing Road and hedge in Station Road, Southwater. Many residents have responded and provided valuable feedback on the areas which require further attention and we hope that our small team will be able to continue their

work with a small grant from the County Council going forward into Year 2014/15.

Our litter team do a splendid job in keeping the parish clear of litter, indeed Southwater is quite rightly proud of being one of the cleanest neighbourhoods in the Horsham District.



The Council are involved in many partnerships helping to challenge and deliver improved Services and are involved with the Horsham Rural Bus Transport Partnership, Horsham District Community Partnership, Sussex Police, Southwater Road Safety Partnership, Children and Young People's

Forums, Age UK (Horsham), Horsham District Rural Town's Forum along with Southwater Action Team and hope to develop further partnership arrangements in the future.

The Government's Localism agenda has brought huge financial pressures on local authorities, and the Parish Council has and will continue to work hard on its budget to restrict the necessary increase in its Precept (the share it receives of the Council Tax) to 1.95% (Year 2014/15).

This does not materially affect the overall level of Council Tax bills and will enable the Council to continue to play its part in the delivery of high quality services and support that is valued by you as local residents.

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Southwater Friday Club - Ages 8-12

Martin Minton and his team together with parents and the Leisure Centre staff work on a Friday evening 6.30pm and 8.00 pm with young people between 8 and 12 years of age. These activities are based around physical activities such as trampolining, stoolball, baseball, table tennis and arts and crafts.

The Group now have on average 80 young people attending on a regular basis. For further information contact the Leisure Centre on 01403 733208

Southwater Leisure Centre - Archery 'Lottery Grant'

The Leisure Centre Manager applied for a Lottery Grant and received funding to enable the centre to purchase equipment to enable archery to take place in the Centre. This activity has proven very popular not only to those interested in archery but also other groups such as those with dementia and others over the age of 60. If you are interested in taking part in any of the sessions, please contact Steve Brew (steve@southwater.net) or Telephone 01403 733208.



At the Centre we provide a local gym and classes, the gym has state of the art equipment to enable you to keep fit, so why not contact Steve Brew and his team on 01403 733208 and find out more.

We are now taking bookings for functions/parties (terms and conditions will apply) at the Leisure Centre and again please contact bookings@southwater.net or Telephone 01403 733202 for further details.



Easteds Barn

Planning permission has now been gained for an extension to the barn to enable the storage of equipment and to provide greater space within the barn for use by the community.

Changes to the planning conditions mean that the Barn no longer has major restrictions in terms of its use and therefore greater use of the Barn can go ahead following the completion of building works due to commence on or around the 7th April 2014.

Works will take a period of approximately 6-8 weeks.

All bookings please contact the office on 01403 733202





Southwater Walks - Leaflets

Southwater Community Partnership produced three excellent walks leaflets in the last few years, these are now being updated and additional walks leaflets added. Whilst there will be a few hard copies supplied throughout the local community, these will be available on line in the late Spring.

The Partnership are looking for local business sponsorship, for further details on how your business can sponsor a leaflet contact Rachael (Rachael@southwater.net) or Telephone 01403 733202

Southwater Community Partnership

The Community Partnership was established over 10 years ago. This is a Partnership between the Parish Council, Southwater Action Team, Horsham District and West Sussex County Council and interested groups and residents.

The Partnership evolved from a Sussex Police initiative some 10 years ago, until in 2009 the Action Team was formed with the aim of producing on behalf of the Parish Council, the

Southwater Action Plan and Parish Design Statement, both these documents being adopted by the District Council Planning Authority as supplementary planning guidance

guidance.

Constitutional issues developed during 2012/13 however we are delighted to confirm that the Partnership arrangement is now in place again (January 2014).

The Partnership remain committed to delivering the remaining items from the 2009 Parish Plan, and hope to be in a position to assist with the delivery of the communities aspirations for the future following the completion of the Neighbourhood Plan.

If you would like to know more about the Southwater Community Partnership please contact Southwater Action Team via the Group's website.

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THE PARISH COMMUNITY

Skatepark



During 2013/14 the Parish Council following a spate of vandalism repaired the skatepark, through insurance claims and funding achieved. The total cost of the repairs amounted to £13,826.67.



However, should there be continued vandalism of this area, the Parish Council will not repair and will consider the removal of the skate park. The Council will how ever continue to carryout routine maintenance and is happy to work with the young people of the parish to ensure that the facility is kept to a high standard for both themselves and visitors who even come from abroad to use the facility.

Help us to Help You Keep this Facility up to the required standard by stamping out vandalism and report this to parish@southwater.net or telephone 01403 733202.

Alternatively contact Sussex Police on 101.

Butterfly Project

Working in partnership with Southwater Schools and the Charity 'The Butterfly Project' and a local contractor, the Council was delighted to sponsor the erection of butterflies, bug and bat boxes on the old railway bridge in Worthing Road. Alongside these are planters which it is hoped that the local school children will plant each year, giving this area of the village a real focal point. The Parish Council have again approved the project for the school children to provide even more artwork for the bridge, this time it may be bugs, caterpillars or beeswatch this space!



Emergency & Flood Plan

The Parish Council are currently putting together the final stages of the Community Emergency & Flood Plan. If you think you can assist with either equipment, skills or other items which maybe of use during such an emergency please contact parish@southwater.net or telephone Luisa on 01403 733202.

The Parish Council have been extremely successful in acquiring bags of grit should we experience severe weather. I am sure you will agree with me that the Litter Team and local community volunteers did a fabulous job keeping the main areas such as the doctors surgery and Lintot Square clear of snow.

Banners

If you would like to advertise your community event, the Parish Council can grant permission for a small banner to be erected at the Hangman's Hill roundabout (junction of Worthing Road and Blakes Farm Road).

For further details contact jenny@southwater.net

Neighbourhood Planning

March 2014 saw the launch of the first Southwater Neighbourhood Plan meeting, with the Parish Council having formally appointed the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group in February 2014.

These Steering Group Members come directly from your constituted community groups, so many of you will know the people directly involved in taking forward your Plan. A big thank you to those who attended the first meeting. From the comments on social media, we know that you enjoyed giving your views on the topics, letting us know what you currently like, dislike and what you would like to see happen in your community in the future.

The Neighbourhood Plan Area has been defined to include the areas of Christ's Hospital, Tower Hill, Stammerham (including Two Mile Ash), Newfoundout and Southwater Village. A small area to the south of the village is currently within the Parish of Shipley. It has been agreed that there will, in the future, be a Boundary Commission change to include the small number of houses currently omitted into the Southwater Boundary. A small note will be made for this areas future inclusion within the Plan.

As a result of the first meeting, we have launched a new Facebook Neighbourhood Plan site on which you can give your ideas, suggestions and even volunteer to take part in the process; the Plan if this is to be a success needs you on board, as ultimately the Plan must receive support via a Referendum from the Parishioners.

We will be keeping you informed via the Parish Newsletters, Website and Social Media as to how you can get involved and assist the Steering Group in taking forward this project—so get involved now.

(Website: www.southwater-pc.gov.uk)Twitter:@southwaterpc

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Financial Summary

2013/14 Budget Analysis (Draft)

The Parish Council's budget net revenue expenditure for the Year amount to £285,549 the Council is confident that this target will not be exceeded. This sum is raised in total from residents as the Parish Council receives no central government grant. The Parish Council is accountable to residents each year at the Annual Parish Meeting which is being held in Beeson House on Wednesday, 23rd April 2014. The cost of Southwater Parish Council services for a Band D property was £70.89 per year (2013/14)

Community Grants Awarded 2013/14

Victim Support- £250

Southwater Neighbourhood Network- £1345

Age Concern UK- £200

Holy Innocents PCC- £130

The Methodist Church Dorking and Horsham-£15,000

Horsham Youth Concert Band- £350



Country Park, Station Road, Southwater

The Parish Council whilst encouraged to see greater use of the Country Park, would remind both local residents and visitors alike that parking on the pavement in either Cripplegate Lane or Station Road is illegal. By obstructing the pavement pedestrians are forced to use the road, putting them in danger, especially people with sight impairment, children, prams, wheelchairs etc. We do not want to see any casualties being reported when this type of parking can be avoided.

The Parish and District Councils are working together on how to resolve the issues surrounding Benn's Field which at times of severe rain is closed due to its surface.

Southwater Friday Luncheon Club for 50+

The Parish Council in conjunction with Age UK (Horsham) support this new and valuable service to those 50+in our community. The Friday Luncheon Club open from 10am-2pm at the Leisure Centre each Friday (bank holidays excepted) aims to deliver a range of activities and speakers throughout the year, plus a two-course lunch for those wishing to come along. The cost of the activities and lunch is £6.50 including tea and coffee. If you wish to just come along for activities, tea and coffee then the charge is £1.50.

The Club hopes to hold its first Annual Meeting on Friday, 3rd May 2014 when it hopes to formally constitute. The Council was delighted to apply for grants on their behalf these now amounting to £4,500 much of this being used to provide a new catering cooker at the Leisure Centre and equipment to transport the meals to the venue.

Southwater Country Park Visitor Centre, Café & Watersports





Defibrillator

Do you know that there is a unit within Beeson House, Lintot Square, Southwater and also at the Leisure Centre in Pevensey Road in the event of an emergency? The Southwater Doctor's Surgery also has a unit.

Social Media & Website

The Parish Council's website is currently being updated, and we welcome suggestions from you our community.

We also actively engage through the use of social media such as Facebook and Twitter. Our Christmas event last year raised the profile of the Southwater community with a high ranking on Google.

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www.facebook.com/southwater.council





Staffing

During the year, two of the Parish Council's staff attended grounds maintenance and strimming courses through a small grant received from the County Council. This has enabled the team to assist the Parish and County Councils in the maintenance of twittens, public open space and hedges within the confines of the village, we hope that you have begun to notice the difference.

Please feel free to report such areas to the office (parish@southwater.net). The team have also been instrumental in maintaining the embankment at the site of the Old Railway Bridge in Worthing Road, and having recently sown poppy seeds which we hope will flower later in the year, the daffodils and primroses are particularly lovely this year.

My thanks to all our staff, whether they be part or full time, they all contribute towards the high standards maintained by the Council in delivering our services. We have been extremely fortunate also in acquiring a number of volunteers from the local community, who assist in many ways for example, the Friday Luncheon Club based at the Leisure Centre, Southwater Environmental Group and litter picking all of whom bring with them a willingness to help the community not too mention vast skills which can only benefit everyone within Southwater.

Councillors

I would like to take this opportunity of thanking all the Councillors for the time and effort they give on behalf of the community. Southwater Councillors, whilst acknowledging the fact that they could accept an allowance for carrying out their duties, see their role as one of the volunteers and all that this may entail. This is in spite of the increasing workload and legislation to be taken account and with many still carrying out full time employment and other activities within the community.

The Council was saddened at the resignation of Tony Bull who had taken over the reigns from the previous Chairman at short notice and at a time when no one else wanted the role due to other responsibilities. He also brought a wealth of knowledge to the position. Bryan Sunderland has recently resigned and I would like to thank him also for his contribution.

Help Point

The Parish Office continues to act as local Help Point, and has access to a County Wide network of information, so if you want to know something or find out something or some organisation within your community or others in West Sussex then pop into the office or telephone 01403 733202

Work Experience

The Parish Council have been working closely with Horsham District Council and the Job Centre in offering work experience to young people between the ages of 16-22. We provide free training, CV instruction and mock interviews, whilst the young people bring with them invaluable skills to the Council and the community, with many having outstanding IT skills and knowledge. One young person has recently written about his work experience and this has been posted on the Council's website.

Business Economy

The Parish Council, Southwater Action Team and Horsham District Council are to develop local business meetings once a month, so watch out for the business questionnaire seeking your views as a local business.

If you are a home worker we would be interested in also hearing your views on such meetings including what type of information and speakers you would like to see.

The Parish Council is now taking advertising on their website, contact

Rachael@southwater.net for further details.

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Events- Christmas

Christmas 2013 was by far the best, with more stalls and attractions including the up and coming Boy Band 'Concept' and our special guest, Lee Hutton all of which just added to the atmosphere created by you the public in supporting the event.

Father Christmas really enjoyed the event this year we had more than 300 children visit the Grotto, again this is created by the office team year on year with Blachere

Lighting donating for the day the large Micky Mouse, this is so appreciated as they also give their time on the day to help out with anything that needs doing. Our Partners this year were Southwater Sports Club; again the Council is extremely lucky to have such a group within the village to assist with large-scale events.

Hopefully more fantastic events will follow but we do need your support to make these a success.



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Beeson House- Library Project

The Parish Council have been working behind the scenes to ensure that the WSCC Library Service remains within Beeson House.

This has meant plans being drawn up, consultation undertaken with you the public and this ultimately has meant that the library will be giving up the upper floor of the library to make this more financially viable.

The intention will then be to move the youth club, which is currently on two floors, to the upper floor of what was the library. Five offices will then be created in the existing youth club, the rental for which will be used to support both the youth club and library (volunteers) and other services within the Community provided by the Parish Council

The capital works are being financed by Section 106 Development Gain and a large grant from the County Council of £25k, which was supported by the County Councillor, Brad Watson OBE. Our thanks to colleagues within the WSCC Library Service and Horsham District Council for without their continued support the project may not have been possible.

Operation Watershed

The Parish Council were successful in obtaining a grant for £66k from West Sussex County Council. This

means that the Parish Council can start investigations and Ultimately carryout works to prevent identified areas within Southwater Parish all of which have caused concern to you as local residents from flooding. The areas being, Cripplegate Lane, Millstraight, Church Lane, Worthing Road by New Road, Christ's Hospital Station Road.

The flooding in Blakes Farm Road was certainly a mystery finally resolved by staff within the office, who remembered some drainage tanks had been installed. The County Council investigated and it was found that one of the tanks had become blocked and when released along with other works relieved the

flooding. The area will now be regularly maintained to avoid such flooding into the future.

We are looking for Flood Wardens to assist with the emergency plan as part of our Operation Watershed initiative, so if you are interested in finding out more contact Catherine@southwater.net or Telephone 01403 733202.



Play Areas and Public Open Space

The Parish Council currently manages and maintains eight play areas in the village. Negotiations have also taken place with regard to the Parish Council adopting further play space within Roman Lane, Southwater; this being to the South of the Village.

The Parish Council also continues to maintain large areas of public open space and woodland for the benefit of the community and has this year worked with Southwater Environmental Voluntary Group in maintaining such areas along with its own small team. The Parish Council is extremely

grateful to the Members of Horsham's Green Gym who has given their time and expertise to the community.

Should you have any concerns about areas of public open space in or surrounding your property, please contact: parish@southwater.net.

Southwater Youth Project

The joint Youth Project between the Parish Council, Southwater Community Methodist and Horsham United Reform Churches is a huge success with over 100 children every week attending a youth session within Beeson House. This project is now emulated in part within the Horsham District with many other Parish Council's now working in partnership with their local churches and other organisations to provide sustainable youth work in their areas.

The Southwater Youth Worker is Angie Choat, who works tirelessly with our young people and can be contacted daily (except Mondays) at Beeson House. Angie is always looking for volunteers, so if you know someone interested in working with young people then Angie is the main point of contact.



DID YOU KNOW?

- Local Government Elections take place every four years (May 2015) Your chance to represent Southwater.
- Southwater Parish Council is an authority in its own right.
- Southwater Parish Council has obtained Quality Parish Status twice This is a reflection of the highest standard being maintained.
- Southwater Parish Council has the right of The General Power of Competence.
- Southwater Parish Council are a statutory consultees in the planning process.
- Members of the Council have to abide by a code of conduct and their Register of interests can be found on the Parish website – www.southwater-pc.gov.uk

STOP PRESS

Sport England announced on 14th April, 2014 that more than 1,300 local sports projects across the country have now received National Lottery funding through Inspired Facilities, part of its Olympic and Paralympic legacy programme.

Southwater Parish Council will receive £50,000 of National Lottery funding to upgrade the facilities at Southwater Leisure Centre with a Multi User Games Area. This will not only fulfil the aspirations of the community (this project having been identified in two Parish Plans) but will also provide a much needed facility enabling all generations to engage in outdoor and indoor activities.

The new facility will free up indoor space, and will provide opportunities for new sports such as basketball, netball, five a side football and hockey. The indoor space will create greater opportunities for badminton, gymnastics, trampolining, martial arts, dance, and exercise classes.

To celebrate the Award, local people will be invited to a week of taster sessions when the facility is complete and this will be combined with an official launch.





Parish Agm 23 April 2014.













































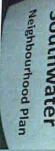
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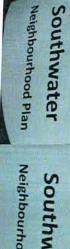


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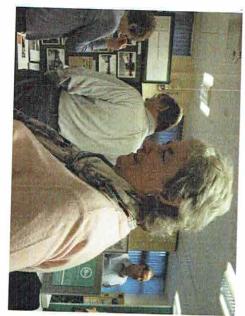
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Comments received at Schools Fete on 5th July 14

General Comments
Appropriate housing not mid-range executive homes
Another school needed
Volunteers for Youth Club
More facilities for more housing
Improved doctor facility
More sweet shops
Dust bins put out and in on time
Better children facilities at cost effective prices
More for the kids to do after school
More shops - food shops
Make the roads safer
Secondary school needed
Excellent community spirit - still has a village feeling
Secondary school needed
More for young children
Ice Rink
Swimming Pool
Hospital
No more houses
Gorgeous countryside and hand amenities
More pedestrain friendly footpaths (some roads have no footpath or are overgrown)
Better skatepark
Better skatepark
Swimming Pool
Fireman Sam at the Fair
More activities at the Villge Hall
New shops
Fire Station
Hospital
More fields
More café's
New school to accommodate increase in population
Reduced levels of new housing - and make them more affordable
Moore sweets
Go Kart track
Go Kart Track
Better Community
Better roads

Comments with regard to the Environment
Appropriate housing not mid range executive homes
Any new houses need to include energy saving measures
Protect Woodlands and green fields
Make developers include renewables (air/ground source heating/PV)
More and better maintained footpaths to help people out of polluting cars
Windfarms

Comments with regard to the Environment

Double yellow lines around the country park

We have lots of green spaces. I'd like to see some of them turned into wild flower meadows

Benches should be closer to play equipment in leisure centre playground

New homes to be built more energy efficient

No more houses

No more houses until sewage and other infrastructure can cope

Strategic Gap is very important

Sort the drainage out

No more houses

Cycle racks in the wrong location in Lintot Square, the one by the pub should move to the side of Nat West so that it will get used. Paint 'no cycling' on the ground

Work at maintaining the public footpaths better a lot overrown and not easily used

Yes, yes, yes keep the strategic gap

Keep woodlands south of the village

Comments with regard to the Economy

Appropriate housing not mid range executive homes

Support small local business - no more big boys like the Co-Op throwing their weight around

No the Council should not buy land for developing with our money

Parking at Lintot Square

More shops for town

Need more jobs

No more new build developments - part of appeal of Southwater is fact is is a village

More parking space near Southwater Schools

No more shops required, as we have Horsham town so close

Existing schools over subscribed so need for more

More parking in Lintot Square

Advertising locally for local businesses

More shops

Water - building on greenland no further reservoirs to cope with the expansion

Schools overcrowding

Secondary School

Fire Station

Secondary School an absolute must

Small units at reasonable rates for small businesses

More Shops

Comments with regard to Social & Community

Appropriate housing not mid-range executive homes

More support for disabled children

Yes work with other villages such as Shipley as they use Southwater roads, amenities - they should/would help share the load

Housing for elderly/disable in a central location

Southwater is a very lively caring community which must be maintained

More libraries

More events for disabled or special needs children

More libraries

Comments with regard to Social & Community

Disalbled parking

New secondary school

Secondary school

More doctors, nurses at surgery

A disabled parking space is need outside Londis especially as it now has the Post Office

Bigger better surgery

We already need a secondary school and that neabs we get new homes. Horsham schools are about to get an increase due to Broadbridge Heaht developments

Comments with regard to Culture

Heated swimming pool

Nothing more required especially more housing

More youth teenage provision - not necessarily activities just somewhere to hang out

The Arts should be supported and promoted more in the village. Provide facilities for amateur dramatics and music groups to rehearse and perform

Nightclub

No to multi religion building - religious groups should pay for their own buildings not the tax payers

Only animal free circuses

Swimming pool

One more school

More festivals organised in the Park and Lintot Square

More housing

Pool

The FIFA World Cup

No more housing

One more school in Southwater

More local clubs

Swimming pool

Swimming pool

BMX Track, suggest location Blakes Farm Road by Southwater Street bridge

Outdoor pool/lido area, heated if possible

Yes, land for gypsies

High school

Comments with regard to Heritage

Ensure people don't inappropriately change their dwellings eg., the historic school house has uPVC windows and front door. Why was this allowed?

Great House Farm and all the land to East of it and Worthing Road to remain farmland it's the village's characteristic

More history of Southwater

Woodland needs to be maintained

Ancient woodlands and public footpaths, bridleways could be promoted more and footpaths especially maintained better great exercise too and free to us so great asset for all

Control future building on woodland

Museum/heritage centre to keep historical artefacts in the village

Great House Farm should be preserved along with Wheelwrights and others

Comments with regard to Infrastructure

Remove some of the ineffective traffic calming. Despite the pinchpoints and speed humps most people appear to drive too quickly. The speed humps are horrendous for anyone with back problems

Cycle lanes on Worthing Road

Removal of all pinchpoints and 30 mph limit in whole village

Look at speeding traffic in Southwater Street

Need to address traffic speed through the village

Better locate bus routes eg., Route 98 both ways round the village

Improve cycling routes by adding cycle lanes to wider roads

If you build more houses - you need more amenities, schools, surgeries, shops etc. The village is already crowded.

Foot and cycle bridge over A24 at Hop Oast

Improve walking routes by ensuring overhanging vegetation is cut back from footpths and pavements

Easier accessibility for disabled children

Bus service in both directions around the loop to enable journeys within the village for the infirm

More buses

School places

Better gym and sports centre

Better doctors

Improved cycle routes Southwater to Horsham

Roads in Church Lane

Cycle path to Horsham traffic calming on Worthing Road

Issues include parents at shoools car in Church Lane, round country park all congested areas.

Pedestrians not well catered for even where there are footpaths they can be overgrown or as on Cedar Drive lack dry crossing points in grass

The village is big enough already following the last development c.8 yrs ago. Keep it as a village not a town

No more schools

More buses required and more often

Against development unless sustainable

We are very fortunate with public transpot which I use all the time

Cycle paths round all of Southwater

Cheaper public transport

Transport issue to cater for development using existing routes.

Speeding through village

Roads unable to cope with proposed additional housing

No more houses - we are pushed for doctors and school places

Neighbourhood Plan Notes

Beeson House 7^{th} August (collated on 7 August)

1. Economy – Beeson House 7 August

1.	Community Bus for young and old
2.	Too many houses here already. If Lintot Square is extended no chains/fast food please. Litter is already a problem
3.	Cover the Insurance needed to hire/run groups in Parish halls to be in line with other local councils such as Horsham
4.	The Sensory Tree would support an Industrial Unit
5.	Need more parking for Lintot Square
6.	We have enough houses. Small Scale only, 10-20 units
7.	More houses – more people

2. Environment-Beeson House 7 August

1.	We need to keep walks in the countryside
2.	Absolutely vital to retain the strategic gap between Southwater and Horsham and to allow
	no development in it
3.	Keep the countryside safe
4.	More bins already put in – great. Would like nature paths maintained: brambles and nettles cut back regularly
5.	Find a way to slow traffic passing "New Road". An accident waiting to happen when turning
	out right
6.	Enforce dog poo laws. It is foul
7.	Keep walks in countryside
8.	Dog fouling is a problem especially in the path down the side of the infant school. Ban dogs
	from whole school site please
9.	Improve public rights of way. Well maintained twittens please
10	Improve strategies for dealing with dog fouling
11	Maintain free to play basketball area when [MUGA] developed
12	Twitten not maintained

3. Infrastructure – Beeson House 7 August

1.	Traffic speeding between pinch points along the Worthing Road nearest to the schools
2.	Speeding issues Cripplegate Lane
3.	A new Secondary School
4.	Driving is often aggressive
5.	Narrowing of Worthing Road. When pinch points were introduced it was a disaster for cycling there – its not safe to do so with traffic
6.	Mill Straight: Pedestrian Crossing required for school children / for children from Mill field, Roman Lane etc
7.	Remove 'pinch points' on Worthing Road – causes hold ups, causes of accidents, and doesn't half speed. [Layby] in front of school is dangerous – don't know if turning in or not
8.	Church Lane – Worthing Road: too narrow to take more traffic

9. Proper pedestrian crossing in Cedar Drive 10 Can we have a crossing on top of Millfield 11 Butchers/fishmongers 12 Snow clearing for Cedar Drive – impossible to drive 13 Pedestrian crossing on Cedar Drive – lots of children crossing the road 14 Well done to all of you – you do so much – often not seen 15 20 mph speed limit through the village instead of pinch points and humps please 16 Traffic Southwater Street 17 Parking around Cedar Drive is getting very dangerous. Large vans blocking sightlines 18 No new secondary school 19 Regular police presence in the village 20 Play areas for children the don't get vandalised ie skateboard park and Southwater play area by the lake. Needs to be monitored by CCTV on an aerial pole night and day 21 Traffic crossing [on] Cripplegate Lane 22 Worthing Road / College Road traffic 23 Fantastic [first] schools - need [secondary] school if any more houses go in. Like to see the 40 limits go as village is too large for these to be safe now 24 Safe cycling please 25 Good bus service 26 Cycle routes through village. More prevention on speeding. More pedestrian crossings 27 Speeding issues - Church Lane 28 College Road cleared during snow – it's a bus route. Pulling out into Worthing Road is very dangerous 29 Safer pedestrian cycle route between Horsham and Southwater

4. Culture - Beeson House 7 August

1.	Get rid of the gypsies now
2.	No gypsies in this area
3.	The Sensory Tree Charity would like to open a soft play and farm for children with additional needs
4.	We do not want land provided for gypsies
5.	More events – get people to join in

5. Heritage- Beeson House 7 August

 Great House Farm – not surrounded by development – will destroy surroundings and environment

6. Social and Community - Beeson House 7 August

NO RESPONSES SUBMITTED	
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APPENDIX 5

Public Consultations

Event known as: Holy Innocents Church Fair
Time: 12 noon until 4pm
Date: 27 September 2014
Approx number of people present: 500 total dur
Approx number of people who commented : $15 - 20$
total comments: 34
Comments retained :
Comments typed up :
Photos taken :
Photos supplied :
Other :

Neighbourhood Plan Notes

Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1. Economy - Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1.	Garden Centre
2.	All units in Lintot Square should be filled on a long term basis before any extension is
	considered

2. Environment- Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1.	Address the risks of disturbing Bovine Anthrax buried in fields west of Southwater they want
	to develop
2.	Development should be limited as the village is loosing its character. There is space
	elsewhere in the district for houses
3.	Any development should enhance the village not destroy
4.	Keep green spaces green
5.	Upgrade Playgrounds and keep them for children's use
6.	Dedicated cycle paths
7.	I love the fact that it is still very much a village with lots of beautiful, unadulterated space
	around it.

3. Infrastructure - Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1.	Speeding controls without the need for humps/pinchpoints
2.	Roads will not cope with houses both sides of the main road
3.	Adequate parking at schools to avoid congestion
4.	Would it be possible to open a railway station again?
5.	Encourage children to walk to school
6.	Safe foot and cycle access to Horsham on Worthing Road
7.	Limit development
8.	More village centre parking if more houses are built
9.	Road system already overcrowded , especially by A24 roundabouts in rush hour
10	Green spaces preserved , especially near downslink and public footpaths
11	All weather foot path access cross-country to Horsham
12	Housing for people brought up in Southwater who want to stay

4. Culture - Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1.	More for young children to do – kids soft play etc
2.	Holy Innocents has capacity to serve community
3.	It would be great to have more events to encourage people from Southwater to get together
	and celebrate: like the Queen's Jubilee, community events

5. Heritage- Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1.	Preserve the countryside and retain the feel of the village
2.	More Doctors Hospitals' waiting times
3.	Retain ancient woodlands and develop more paths through
4.	Retain all wooded areas and historical common areas
5.	Far Far too many houses planned

6. Social and Community – Church Fair: 27 September 2014

1	Scout Hut for 1 st Southwater Scouts
2	Secondary School
3	Provision of additional Scout / Guide buildings
4	Schools getting too full – will need second school in local area soon due to expansion in all local villages
5	More community events in the square – like Christmas one

Public Consultations

Event known as: Christmas Fair
Time: llan until bpm
Date: 29 November 2014
Approx number of people present : During period 2000 - 30
Approx number of people who commented :
Total comments: 11.
Comments retained :
Comments typed up :
Photos taken :
Photos supplied :
Other :

Neighbourhood Plan Notes

Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014

1.	Economy -	 Christmas 	Fair : 29	November	2014
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- 1. NO comments left
- 2. Environment-Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014
- 1. NO Comments left

3. Infrastructure - Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014

- 1. Doctors surgery with appointments
- 2. Sewerage system cannot cope with illegal surface water connections
- 3. Why is there no disabled parking outside Londis?
- 4. Speed camera Worthing Road a goldmine
- 5. 20 mph limit by schools
- 4. Culture Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014
- 1. Reinstate the carnival
- 5. Heritage- Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014
- 1. Excellent design statement must be used in the future
- 2. Resident of 10 years against development near woodland and protected buildings
- 6. Social and Community Christmas Fair: 29 November 2014
- There is no longer a sheltered housing scheme in Southwater . The size of the village demands that this should be available.



The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan

Let's work together to plan together

Simon King, 47 Regal Drive, Southwater, West Sussex RH65 3XG

Welcome to the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan Survey

Southwater Parish is a great place to live and work, with a dynamic future. Investment and change in the years ahead will only be worthwhile if it makes a real difference to the lives of local people and the economy of the whole community.

The right for communities to prepare Neighbourhood Plans was established through the Localism Act 2011, and gives the power for the whole community to develop a shared vision for the future.

In late 2013, Southwater Parish Council decided to prepare a Neighbourhood Plan, and the Plan area was formally agreed by the District Council in February 2013. Southwater has faced many challenges of late, and the Parish Council felt that a Neighbourhood Plan would assist in managing future challenges in order to obtain the best possible result for the Parish.

To that end, a Steering Group was formed, made up of parish councillors, local residents and businesses, and I was voted Chair of this Group. Using ideas generated by you, local residents and businesses, via our stand at village events such as the Schools' Fete and the Christmas Festival, the Steering Group has formulated this survey.

Once agreed through referendum, Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan will form part of the Horsham District Planning Framework, or Local Plan, and will have legal weight. It may contain policies to protect what the community believes should be protected, and guidance as to the type of growth that would be acceptable.

However, we need data to underpin any policies, and that is the purpose of this survey.

We know that the length of this booklet does seem rather daunting, but it does only take about half an hour to complete – just mark all the boxes with a cross. That half hour of your time will be very well spent, as without the information we can't produce an effective and constructive Plan for our community. As further encouragement, you have the opportunity to enter a draw to win one of two prizes – you will find the details on the back page.

Once you have finished, just pop the completed survey into the envelope provided – all the data is collated by an outside agency.

Thank you in anticipation for taking the time to help your community.

Let's work together to plan together.

Graham Watkins

Chair, Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group



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Parish Survey

Please complete the Parish Survey and return it to the Parish Council in the pre-paid envelope enclosed.

If you have any questions, or need assistance completing the survey, then please contact the Parish Council by calling 01403 733202.

All surveys need to be returned by midday 17th April 2015.

How to complete the survey.

The majority of questions have multiple choice options and the information will be collected electronically by scanning each page of the document. Most questions can be answered by putting a simple cross in the box or boxes that represent your answer. Where questions have an option for text to be added, this will be clearly indicated.

- Only use a black, ball point pen
- Keep all marks and text within the boxes provided.

 (Any handwritten notes not in the prescribed areas will not count)
- Do not deface or amend any questions
- Do not fold or remove any pages from the document

Survey Contents

The document is divided into 4 main sections. You may not need to answer every question in the survey, so please take a minute to read the following notes which explain which sections to complete:

Green Section: This is for all households in the Parish to complete.

Blue Section: This is for all businesses in the Parish to complete.

Yellow Section: This is a Housing Needs Survey. This will help us to assess anticipated demand for affordable homes in the parish.

Purple Section: This is for young people under the age of 16. We will pass this information to Angie Choat, our Southwater Youth Worker, so that she can ensure that youth service provision fits the purpose.

On behalf of the Parish Council and all the volunteers who have freely contributed their time and effort, we thank you for playing your part in creating the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan.



GENERAL OVERVIEW

Question G-1 How many people, including	ig children, norma	lly live in your hous	ehold?	
	1-2	3-4	5-6	7+
Question G-2 Which of the following best you live? It does not matter if you think is nearest to you.				Place an X in the relevant bo
Shipley Road or Foxfield area				
Woodlands Way - Church Road	- Church Lane or	The Fieldings area	à	
Cripplegate Lane - Roman Lane	or Millfield area			
Cedar Drive and all roads that le				
Station Road or Lintot Square an	ea			
Blakes Farm Road area				
Southwater Street or Worthing R				
Newfoundout area				
Tower Hill – Salisbury Road or D	enne Park area			
Christ's Hospital area				
Stammerham area				
Coltstaple Lane area (East of the	e A24)			
Question G-3 For approximately how long when you have lived in Southwate	r Parish, even if b	roken up by times y	ou lived elsewhere	
	1-2 years	3-5 years	6-10 years	11 years +

	Poor	Satisfactory	Good	Very Goo
Southwater Parish Council				
Horsham District Council				
West Sussex County Council				
Question G- 5 Are you interested in volume	nteering for a cor	nmunity group or othe	r local volunteer Yes	organisation?

How do you rate the service(s) you receive from the following bodies?

Question G-4

If you are interested in volunteering then please log on to the Southwater Parish Council website www.southwater-pc.gov.uk. Please fill in the appropriate boxes on the left hand side (the blue strip) indicating your interest in the box marked "Volunteering".

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SOCIAL & COMMUNITY

The Neighbourhood Plan needs to know how you use and rate Southwater Parish's community groups and facilities. By knowing how people use the services today we can plan better for the future.

Question SC-1

How do you rate the provision, within Southwater Parish, of the following education facilities?

	Poor	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good
Playgroups for children under school age				
Pre – schools at any venue				
Child-minding				
The Southwater Academies (Infant and Junior schools)				
Castlewood Primary school				
Christ's Hospital School				
Before school (Breakfast) club at any venue				
After school club at any venue				
School Holiday clubs at any venue				
Special Needs facilities for children				
Special Needs facilities for adults and young adults				
Adult learning within Southwater Parish				
Other (Please add your comments here):				

Question SC-2 In terms of the social support which these provide to our elderly population how do you rate the following?						
	Don't know	Not important	Important	Highly important		
Better transport for the elderly						
Buddy system						
An elderly community centre						
More public footpaths						
Dropped kerbs						
Keep fit classes						
Local events						
More activities suitable for elderly people						
Residential care homes						
Sheltered housing						
Other (Please add your comments here):						
Question SC-3 How do you rate your ability to access community groups or facilities? Poor Satisfactory Good Very Good						
Question SC-4 If you feel that you cannot is the reason why?	easily access cor	nmunity groups or se	ervices then wha	t Place on V in		

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Place an X in the relevant box or boxes

The opening or session times are not appropriate to me						
I cannot get there or back (ie transport issues)						
I cannot get into the building or use the facilities there (ie access issues)						
I experience communication issues (because of language or lack of a hearing aid loop etc)						
Other (Please add your comments here):						

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Question SC-5

How important to you, individually or as a family, are the following Southwater Parish facilities?

	Don t know	Not important	important	Highly important
Allotments (at Easteds Lane or at the Village Hall)				
Art courses and Southwater's local Art Club				
Facilities at Beeson House				
Bowls Club				
Christ's Hospital Railway Station				
Easteds Barn				
Good local shops				
Places of religious worship				
Southwater Cemetery				
Southwater Children and Family Centre				
Southwater Country Park				
Southwater Country Park café				
Southwater Dentist surgery – Southwater Dental Practice				
Southwater Doctor's surgery – The Village Surgery				
Southwater Leisure Centre – specifically the football fields				
Southwater Leisure Centre – specifically the gym and sports hall				
Southwater Multi Use Games Area (MUGA) at Southwater Leisure Centre				
Christ's Hospital School / Bluecoat Sport, Health and Fitness Club				
Southwater Library				
Southwater Post office				
Southwater Sailing and Canoe Centre				

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How important to you, individually or as a family, are the following Southwater Parish facilities?

	Don't know	Not important	Important	Highly important
Southwater Scout and Guide hall				
Southwater Skate park				
Southwater Sports and Social club				
Southwater Village Hall				
Southwater's Children's Play areas (all within Southwater Parish)				
Southwater's Nursery schools				
Southwater's Police office				
Southwater's Pubs				
Southwater's Restaurants				
Southwater's Youth Club				
Other (Please add your comments here):				



LISTED BUILDINGS AND GENERAL HERITAGE

Southwater Parish has seen many changes over the hundreds of years that people have chosen to settle here – from a small hamlet it grew in size when the railway line was built which led to the development of the brick works in the late 1800's. As Southwater continues to change we need to know what parts of Southwater's long and interesting past you want to protect.

Listed buildings have protected status. However, there are some buildings in Southwater Parish that may not qualify for listing, but still are of historic and/or local interest as heritage assets.

Question H-1

Do you think that some buildings should be designated as heritage assets?

Question H-2 If so, which if the following from the list below should be included?	Place an X in the relevant bo or boxes
The Old School House - Worthing Road	
Bax Castle pub - Two Mile Ash	
Calcot - Worthing Road (opposite lay-by at Southwater Junior Academy)	
Elm Cottage - Worthing Road (Mollycoddle beauty salon and neighbouring terrace houses)	
The Victorian Railway Cottages - Station Road	
Easteds Barn - Easteds Lane	
The Old Post Office - Worthing Road (now the Dame Vera Lynn Trust charity shop)	
Village Hall - Church Lane	
Pump Cottage by the Hen and Chicken pub	
Woodman's Hall - Worthing Road (opposite the entrance to Southwater Business Park)	
The Boar's Head pub - Worthing Road	
Ye Olde Barn (formerly Coles Restaurant) - Worthing Road (at the Blakes Farm roundabout)	
Beckley Farm Coltstaple Lane	
Old Post Office - Tower Hill	
Christ's Hospital Station	

Are there any other buildings (not on the list above) that you think should also be included?	
Building: Location:	
Question H-4 What sort of restraints, if any, should be applied to Heritage Assets Buildings?	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
No restraints	
No new build within 10 metres of boundary	
Put in place a planning policy which would require any material changes to the building or land to be subject to planning permission	
Any modification to a Heritage Assets Building to be in keeping with the style or appearance of the building and surroundings	
OTHER HERITAGE ASSETS Question H-5 Historic interest does not just apply to buildings. Do you think the following assets should be included?	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
Railway bridge - Worthing Road	
War Memorial in Lintot Square	
Old brick yard gates (next to the War Memorial)	
Iggy the Dinosaur in Lintot Square	
Cripplegate Mill mill stone – Cripplegate House	
Roman Bridge - Pond Farm Ghyll (south of Cedar Drive bridge)	
Old bridge near cowsheds, off Down's Link	
Way markers (mile posts)	
Southwater Village Signs	
Air Raid shelter in The Copse (Last house on Worthing Road – northern end)	
Railway bridge in Cripplegate Lane	
Donkey bridge - Two Mile Ash	

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Question H-3

Asset: Location:	
Question H-7 And what about land? Do you think the following areas should be protected?	Place an X in the relevant bo or boxes
Denne Park	
Denne Hill	
Chesworth Farm (North-east Southwater)	
Southwater Playing Field (on Southwater Street – East of the A24)	
Church of the Holy Innocents churchyard and graveyard	
Pond Farm Ghyll (the stream and woods which run north/south within Southwater)	
Southwater Country Park	
Southwater Fishing Lakes (off Cripplegate Lane)	
The Downs Link	
Any area of ancient woodland	
Question H-8 Are there any other land areas (not on the list above) that you think should also be included?	
Land: Location:	

Are there any other assets (not on the list above) that you think should also be

Question H-6

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How can we promote Southwater Parish's heritage?

	Would really help	May be useful	Unlikely to do much	Would not work at all		
Create a "blue plaque" scheme (e.g. to indicate structures and locations of interest or heritage)						
Publish a small paper guide/town trail focusing on Southwater's heritage						
Increase the range and prominence of material which promote Southwater's heritage (e.g. at key locations like the Country Park and shops)						
Create a space to function as a museum/heritage centre for Southwater						
Under the Localism Act, buildings can be registered as Community Assets, whereby if they were to be put up for sale, they would be offered first to the community to buy at market price. This means that they can be retained for community use. Buildings owned by local councils (Parish, District and County Councils) cannot be community assets. Question H-10 Which buildings should we seek to register as community assets?						
The Cock Inn						
The Bax Castle						
The Boar's Head						
The Hen and Chicken						
Christ's Hospital School						
Christ's Hospital Leisure Centre						
Southwater Village Hall						
The Church of the Holy Innocen	its					

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Christ's Hospital station building

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Is there any other asset or building (not on the list above) that you think should also be included as a potential community asset?

	Asset/Building:		Location:				
	Question H-12 If artefacts pertaining to Southwater Parish were to come up for sale, do you think that the Parish Council should be able to purchase these?						
			Yes	No			
	Question H-13 If yes, how do you think that funds should be raised in order to purchase the item?						
	By the Parish Council via the pr	ece	pt (local Council Tax)				
	Community donations						
	Fund raising						
Create a community interest company							
	Use of funds from Developmen	t gai	n				
	Other (Please add your comments here):						

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CULTURE

Southwater Parish is a gem within the Horsham District. We need to ensure that any changes enhance both the village itself and surrounding hamlets. We also need to know what residents value so we can provide residents with some of their wish list activities.

Question C-1

Which of the following community events do you attend?

	Never attend	Sometimes (eg : you may or you may not)	Frequently (eg: you would try to attend)	Always attend
Art club events				
Church fêtes				
Southwater Schools' Firework Night				
Regular Library events e.g. children's reading club				
Musical and/or other events at Christ Hospital School				
Pub quizzes at any Southwater Parish pub				
Southwater skate park jam				
Southwater Christmas Festival				
Southwater Horticultural Society events				
Southwater Local History club events				
Southwater schools' Summer Fête				
Southwater sports club events				
Other (Please add your comments here):				

Question C-2

Circular village bus route

Community car share scheme

Within Southwater Parish we have a Country Park with many facilities. What additional facilities would you like to see at the Country Park?

Don't know	Not important	Important	Highly important			
k						
Question C-3 If funding became available, what importance would you give to having the following additional community facilities in Southwater Parish? Don't know Not important Important Highly importa						
		able, what importance would you give to facilities in Southwater Parish? Don't know Not important	able, what importance would you give to having the facilities in Southwater Parish? Don't know Not important Important			

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If funding became available, what importance would you give to having the following additional community facilities in Southwater Parish?

	Don't know	Not important	Important	Highly important			
Bridge over the A 24 (for cycle and/or pedestrian use)							
Citizen advice centre							
Elderly community centre							
Food Bank							
Creation of further allotments							
A new multi faith building							
Educational/petting farm for children							
A local hospital or primary care centre							
Creating more facilities for disabled children and young people – such as indoor soft play and outside accessible play areas							
Creating new (or improving current) children's play areas							
Extending or creating a new Scout and Guide Hut for the use of all uniformed organisations							
Other (Please add your comments here):							
Question C-4 Should a major building project be identified through the Neighbourhood Plan process (and the cost of the project was not covered by developers' contributions) would you be willing for the Parish Council to raise Council tax, or apply for a Public Works Loan in order to fund such a project? The sort of projects for which such additional funding may be required could be the purchase of land in order to build a new community building or to install new sports facilities. Yes No							



INFRASTRUCTURE

These questions seek to identify how our community uses the current infrastructure, and also to gauge the level and strength of feeling for any additional developments in our infrastructure. This will allow the Parish Council, and other groups, to prioritise the most popular for delivery, bearing in mind that funds from development, taxation and other sources are limited as is land space for any new infrastructure projects.

CYCLING AND WALKING

Question I-1 What importance do you give to the following? Don't know Not important Important Highly important Cycling in and around Southwater Parish Walking in and around Southwater Parish **Question I-2** Do you ever walk or cycle from your home to any of the following locations? Place an X in the relevant box or boxes Lintot Square Southwater Leisure Centre Southwater Village Hall Southwater Sports Club Southwater Country Park Southwater Infant Academy Southwater Junior Academy Castlewood Primary School Southwater Village Surgery The Church of the Holy Innocents Worthing Road shops (e.g. Londis and Post Office) Christ's Hospital station Christ's Hospital School

Christ's Hospital Leisure centre/Bluecoat Sport, Health and Fitness club

Bluecoat Nursery

Question I-3 If you do not cycle or walk	to any of the location	ons listed what is	the reason why?	Place an X in the relevant box		
				or boxes		
Insufficient bike racks						
Insufficient street lighting						
Too many cars						
Too many road crossings						
Too few road crossings						
Distance too far to get there by	walking or cycling					
Lack of a pavement						
Question I-4 What may encourage you any purpose)?	to start to walk or c	ycle – or to walk	and cycle more (for	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes		
Improved maintenance of pave	ments and/or footpa	ths				
Wider pavements						
Additional or improved street lig	hting					
More or improved cycle route/fo within the village	oot paths using cut t	hroughs or traffic	free route			
Creation of on road cycle lanes	within the village					
A cycle route through the Count	try Park					
20 mph zone/zones within Sout	hwater Village					
ROADS AND PARKING Question I-5 Do you experience difficulty in exiting Southwater Parish via the following roads?						
	Never or rarely	Sometimes (1-2 times a week)	Frequently (3 or more times a week)	Always (daily or almost daily)		
Hop Oast Roundabout (to the North)						
Pollards Hill Roundabout (to the South)						
Church Lane/Two Mile Ash						
Kerves Lane onto A281 (Brighton Road)						
Shipley Road						

Do you think that there is insufficient parking provision at any of t locations?	the following	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
Lintot Square		
Southwater Leisure Centre		
Southwater Village Hall		
Southwater Country Park		
Southwater Infant Academy		
Southwater Junior Academy		
Castlewood Primary School		
Southwater Village Surgery		
The Church of the Holy Innocents car park		
Worthing Road shops (e.g. Londis and Post Office)		
Christ's Hospital station		
Christ's Hospital School		
Christ's Hospital Leisure centre/Bluecoat Sport, Health and Fitness clu	ıb	
Bluecoat Nursery		
Question I-7 Do you agree or disagree with the following statements in respectintot Square?	ct of car parking at Agree put X here	Disagree put X here
Steps should be taken to enforce the existing 2 hour car parking time limit		
Introducing parking charges would increase the number of spaces available		
I would be willing to pay for car parking		
There is sufficient disabled car parking		
Additional land, near to Lintot Square, should be obtained and used as additional parking		
Question I-8 Do you think that there should be more parking associated with housing?	any new	
	Yes	No

Question I-9 Do you think people drive within the speed limit throughout the Parish?	Southwater	
	Yes	No
Question I-10 If you think that the speed limit is not being observed, where is to be a constant of the const	this a problem?	
in you timin that the opeca infinition for being observed, where is t	ano a problem:	Place an X in the relevant bo
		or boxes
Along the A24		
Shipley Road or Foxfield area		
Woodland Way – Church Road – Church Lane or The Fieldings area	а	
Cripplegate Lane - Roman Lane or Millfield area		
Cedar Drive and all roads that lead from or off it		
Station Road or Lintot Square area		
Blakes Farm Road area		
Southwater Street or Worthing Road area		
Newfoundout area		
Tower Hill – Salisbury Road or Denne Park area		
Christ's Hospital area		
Stammerham area		
Coltstaple Lane area (East of the A24)		
Question I-11 Do you agree or disagree with the following ?		
	Agree put X here	Disagree put X here
There should be a 30 mph limit from Hop Oast to Pollards Hill		
There should be a 40 mph limit on Two Mile Ash Road		
There should be a 20 mph limit outside all Southwater Parish schools		
Pinch Points outside the Hen and Chicken Pub should be removed		
Pinch points along Worthing Road should be removed		
Pinch points on Worthing Road (outside the Old Post office/Dame Vera Lynn shop) should be removed		

	Question I-12 If you were in favour of the rer a replacement to slow traffic down?	moval of any pinc	h points what wou	ld you put in as	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes	
	No action is required					
	Make the road subject to a 20 mph li	imit				
	Install speed humps (split or offset to without delay)	o allow emergend	cy vehicles to trave	l over them		
	Narrow the road					
HEALTH CARE SERVICES Question I-13 Do you use the following health services (at least once a year)?						
	The Village Surgery (Southwater Do	octors)				
	Southwater Dental Practice (Southw	ater Dentists)				
	Horsham Hospital					
	Crawley Hospital					
	Princess Royal Hospital - Haywards	Heath				
	Worthing Hospital					
	East Surrey Hospital - Redhill					
	St Richard's Hospital - Chichester					
	The Royal Surrey County Hospital -	Guildford				
	Question I-14 If you use local health care services, how easily can you get a suitable appointment with the following people? With difficulty With some With ease Very easily effort					
	A dentist at Southwater Dental Practice (Southwater Dentists)					
	A hygienist at Southwater Dental Practice (Southwater Dentists)					
	A doctor at the Village Surgery					

(Southwater Doctors)

A nurse at the Village Surgery (Southwater Doctors)

Question I-15 If you do not use the Dentists or Doctors in Southwater what is the reason why?	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes					
I have registered with a doctor and/or dentist near to where I work						
I registered with a doctor and/or dentist near to a previous home and I did not wish to change this when I moved to Southwater						
I did not like the Southwater doctors and/or dentist and so chose to register elsewhere						
Other (Please add your comments here):						
Question I-16 If you regularly visit a hospital (ie at least 4 times a year) then how do you get there (tick all that apply)?	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes					
Hospital transport						
Public transport						
I use a taxi or ask family and/or friends to drive me there						
Own transport						
Other (Please add your comments here):						
POLICE SERVICES Question I-17 How do you rate the current provision of police services within Southwater Parish?						
Poor Satisfactory Good	Very good					
Question I-18 Would you pay more in local Council Tax, to have more police services within Southwater Parish? Yes	No					
Question I-19 Do you think that development gain should be used to fund additional police services in Southwater Parish? Yes	No					

HOUSING

Question I-20 Attached to this Parish Survey is a Housing Needs Survey. Would Parish Council if they were to take steps to address any housing needs s identified in this housing needs survey?		;
	Yes	No
Question I-21 Southwater Parish Council can purchase land to provide low cost people. Would you be in favour of the Parish Council doing so if circumst available land and funding) arose?		No
SCHOOLS		
Question I-22		
Does Southwater Parish need an additional primary school?	Yes	No
Question I-23 Does Southwater Parish need a secondary school?	V	Ma
	Yes	No
Question I-24 If you think that a new primary school may be needed in Southwa or in the future) then where do you think it should be built?	ter Parish (now	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
A central location		
On the outskirts		
Question I-25 If you think that a new secondary school may be needed in South (now or in the future) then where do you think it should be built?	water Parish	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
A central location		
On the outskirts		

ENVIRONMENT



This section contains questions about Southwater as it is now, the natural environment and the built environment.

Not important

Question EN-1

What importance do you give to the following natural environmental features?

Don't know

Country Park				
Woodlands				
Fields and farmland				
Pathways				
Open spaces within Southwater Parish				
Hedgerows				
Wildlife				
Wild and planted flowers				
Question EN-2 What importance do you g	give to the followin	ng built environmenta	al features?	Highly important
			mportant	
Lintot Square				
Lintot Square Southwater Parish pubs (all)				
Southwater Parish pubs (all)				
Southwater Parish pubs (all) Great Farm House				
Southwater Parish pubs (all) Great Farm House Southwater Parish schools (all)				
Southwater Parish pubs (all) Great Farm House Southwater Parish schools (all) Leisure centres				
Southwater Parish pubs (all) Great Farm House Southwater Parish schools (all) Leisure centres Church buildings (all)				
Southwater Parish pubs (all) Great Farm House Southwater Parish schools (all) Leisure centres Church buildings (all) Southwater industrial parks Southwater Village Surgery				

Highly important

Important

street furniture?	sion within Southwa	ater Parish of the fo	ollowing items of					
	Poor	Satisfactory	Good	Very good				
Dog bins								
Cycle racks								
Litter bins								
Benches								
Bus shelters								
Question EN-4 Are you aware of any histowhere) regarding the following?	orical environmenta Not aware of any issues	al issues (and if so Aware	please state Where - Pleas by reference to or land	nearest road				
Surface water flooding								
Sewerage								
Drainage								
Water supply								
Other (Please add your comments here):								
Question EN-5 To whom do you report (whether by letter, email, phone call, Facebook posting or other method) any problems or issues in relation to the above? (i.e. surface water flooding, sewerage, drainage or water supply) Place an X in the relevant bo or boxes								
Horsham District Council								
Southwater Parish Council								
West Sussex County Council								
A utility company directly								
Question EN-6 Are you aware of the Downslink (i.e. the long distance footpath and bridleway linking the North and South Downs) the route of which runs through Southwater Parish? Yes No								

Question EN-3

Household

If you are aware of the Downslink (but do not use it) please indicate the reason why – bearing in mind that this is a rural pathway?	Place an X in the relevant bo or boxes
Poor surface	
Poor access to and/or from the Downslink	
It is a shared use path	
It is overgrown	
Other (Please add your comments here):	

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LOCAL ECONOMY

The Neighbourhood Plan can respond to the evidence regarding the state of the local economy. We need to know what you and your family require now and plan for the next 20 years.

Question EC-1

Of all the adult people who normally reside in your house (ie those aged 16 years and over), what best describes each adult's current work status?

	Please put a X in the relevant box or boxes for each person					
	Person 1	Person 2	Person 3	Person 4	Person 5	Person 6
Retired						
Unemployed						
Employed full time						
Employed part-time						
Self-employed						
Volunteering full or part-time						
A full or part time carer for someone in your family						
Taking an intended career break (eg maternity or other work leave)						
In full or part-time education						
Undertaking an apprenticeship or other work/study programme						
Other (Please add your comments here):						

If your household includes a business owner – including people who work from home or run their own business (like a plumber, child minder, accountant etc) then please fill in our business survey (the blue section, starting on page 32). If additional business surveys are required these can be obtained from the Parish Council.

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If adults within this household are doing any sort of paid employment (either full time, part time or in a self employed capacity) where does each adult mainly work?

	Put of Person 1	one X only pl Person 2	ease (for the Person 3	e one place y Person 4		ork) Person 6	
Southwater							
Horsham							
I work from Home							
Other (Please add your comments here):							
Question EC-3 If any adult member of the household is not in full time paid work but wants to start or return to paid work then how does that person rate the following "get into work" suggestions?							
A volunteer placement	Don't knov	NOT I	mportant	Importan	it Highly	y important	
Help drafting a CV or in completing job applications							
Training (e.g. interview training)							
Mentoring assistance							
An apprenticeship] [
Other (Please add your comments here):							
COMPUTERS Question EC-4 Do you have access to a home PC , tablet or other internet enabled device?							
				Yes		No	
] [
Question EC-5 If you do use the internet at home then how do you rate your home internet speed?							
	Poor	Sati	sfactory	Good	Ve	ery Good	

Ques	tion E	C-6				

would you be interested in any of	Place an X in the relevant box or boxes			
Local internet café				
More computers that are free to	use in accessible	locations		
Training on how to use a compute the internet	uter and/or being o	offered training on h	now to use	
Help at home (eg installing com	puters or setting ι	ıp a tablet)		
Question EC-7 How many times per mont Southwater shops and/or busines			e or visit 11-20 times	21 or more
	per month	per month	per month	times a month
Purchasing food and drink				
Purchasing sweets or chocolates				
Obtaining café food or drinks				
Consuming a restaurant meal				
Visiting a Southwater pub for food and/or drinks				
Visiting a takeaway for any food or drink purchases				
Purchasing flowers				
Purchasing vehicle fuel at the garage or other garage services				
Obtaining beautician treatments				
Hairdresser/Barber services				
Dry-cleaning, clothes repair or general washing services				
Obtaining pet products and/or veterinary services				
Obtaining pharmacy or other chemist services				
Post Office services				
Purchasing from a charity store				

Question EC-7 (continued) How many times per month do the adults in your household use or visit							
Southwater shops and/or busines	1-4 times per month	5-10 times per month	11-20 times per month	21 or more times a month			
Purchasing cards (e.g. birthday cards)							
Other (Please add your comments here):							
Question EC-8 If you do not shop in South	nwater why is this	?		Place an X in the relevant box or boxes			
Cost							
Convenience							
Opening times							
Car parking							
Choice of services							
Other (Please add your comments here):							
Question EC-9 What importance do you go currently missing from Southwate			nts which are Important	Highly important			
Butcher's shop							
Clothes shop							
Hotel or B&B accommodation							
Greengrocer's shop							
DIY shop							
Deli style shop							
Bank							
Additional cash machine(s)							
Other (Please add your comments here):							

Question EC-10 Would you be support later in the evening?	rive of our local shops of	opening earlier in t	he morning and/or	
			Yes	No
Question EC-11 Would you use a South	thwater market?			
			Yes	No
Question EC-12 If you would use a Sou	uthwater market how of	iten would you war	nt it to be held?	
	Put a X in tl	ne one box that be	est suits your anticipa	ated usage
	Once a week	Fortnightly	Once a month	Twice a year

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BUSINESS SURVEY

This is for all businesses in the parish to complete.

Question BUS-1 Are you a business owner? (e.g. running a business from business premises)? Yes No **Question BUS-2** Are you a home worker? (e.g. running a business from your home – even if you do your work elsewhere) Yes No **Question BUS-3** What is the name of your business? **Question BUS-4** We would like business owners and home workers to sign up for further information on Southwater Parish Council's website www.southwater-pc.gov.uk. Complete the information sections on the left hand side of the home page, or complete the box here with your details in case we need to get back to you about any future Neighbourhood Plan matters. **Question BUS-5** How long have you traded from Southwater Parish? 1 - 2 years 3 - 5 years 6 - 10 years Over 10 years

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Question BUS-6

How do you trade?

				the relevant box or boxes
PLC				
Limited Company				
Limited Liability Partnership				
Partnership				
Sole Trader				
Community Interest Company				
Charity or other third sector				
Question BUS-7 How many employees, ir	ncluding yourself, do	you have? 6 - 10	11 - 19	20+
Question BUS-8 Why did you choose to o	perate out of Southw	rater Parish?		Place an X in the relevant box or boxes
Location				
Available workforce				
Access to other sites or infrast	ructure (eg access to	an airport, port or roa	ad network etc)	
Favourable cost of wages				
Property rents				
Other (Please add your comments here):				
Question BUS-9 How would you rate the their potential benefit to you and			tiatives in terms of Unlikely to be	of Would not benefit
			of benefit	my business at all
Changes in Planning Legislation (e.g. to allow for small office extensions)				
Affordable local small office space and associated amenities for meetings				

Place an X in

Question BUS-9 (continued) How would you rate the fortheir potential benefit to you and			tiatives in terms o	of
	Would really help	May be useful	Unlikely to be of benefit	Would not benefit my business at al
Better broadband speed				
Being part of a local business network				
Being part of a local work experience programme / better access to available workforce				
Other (Please add your comments here):				
Question BUS-10 Do you think that in the nobusiness premises?	ext 20 years you m	ay need additional	or alternative	
			Yes	No

Question BUS-11

If you do think that you may need additional or alternative business premises please indicate what sort of premises and the time frame when you may need these

	I won't need this at all	I may need this in the next 1-5 years	I may need this in the next 6-10 years	I may need this in the next 11-20 years
Combined work-space and accommodation of any size				
Small office space (up to 50m²)				
Medium office space (51m ² to 500m ²)				
Large office space (501m² or more)				
Small retail or commercial unit (up to 50m²)				
Medium retail or commercial unit (51m² to 700m²)				
Large retail or commercial unit (701m² or more)				
Other (Please add your comments here):				

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PARISH HOUSING NEEDS

This is a Housing Needs Survey. This will help us to assess anticipated demand for affordable homes in the Parish.

Is this your main home?		Yes 1	No 2
If this is your second home you do not	need to co	mplete the rest of this section of th	e questionnaire.
Question HN-1 How would you describe your ho		OUR HOUSEHOLD	Place an X in
	ne relevant b		the relevant box
House	1	Bungalow	2
Flat/maisonette/apartment/bed-sit	3	Caravan/mobile home/temporary	4
Social sheltered/retirement housing	5	Private sheltered/retirement housing	1g 6
Other (Please add your comments here):			
Question HN-2 How many bedrooms does your Question HN-3 What is the tenure of your home	1	2 3 3	4+
	Place an X in ne relevant b		Place an X in the relevant box
Owned outright by a household member(s)	1	Owned with mortgage by a household member(s)	2
Shared ownership (part owned/part rented)	3	Rented from a Local Authority	4
Rented from a Housing Association	5	Rented from a private landlord	6
Tied to job	7		
Other (Please add your comments here):			
Question HN-4			

How many years have you and your household lived in this parish?

Years

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Please complete the table to show the age and gender of all those living in this property at present.

	Male	Female	Age						
Other person 1	1	2	3	Years					
Other person 2	1	2	3	Years					
Other person 3	1	2	3	Years					
Other person 4	1	2	3	Years					
Other person 5	1	2	3	Years					
Any others please specify									
Question HN-6 Does your current home representation because of the disability of some of the disability of			ysical accessibility Yes	No 2					
And would you need financial a	ssistance to und	ertake this?	1	2					
Question HN-7 Would you be in favour of a small development of affordable housing for local people within the Parish if there were a proven need?									
			Yes	No					
			1	2					
Question HN-8 Can you suggest any sites	where a small d	levelopment could be	e built?						
Question HN-9 Do you or does anyone liv Parish now or in the next five yea		d to move to affordal	ole accommodation	on within the					
		Yes within 5 years	Yes in more than 5 years	No					
		1	2	3					
Question HN-10									
Has anyone from your fam to difficulties in finding an affordat	,		•						

If you answered 'Yes' to this question and the family members wish to move back to the Parish, please complete part 2 of this survey on their behalf.

If you answered 'Yes' to Question 9 and you are looking to remain within the Parish then please complete Part 2 of this survey, which collects information on your housing needs.

Please be assured that this survey is completely confidential and anonymous.

brothers and sisters

No

Yes

Thank you for taking the time to complete Part 1 of this survey. The results of this survey will be available in the coming months, and will help the Parish to decide on its future plans.

To help you answer the questions in this second part of the housing needs survey, there is a glossary of key terms at the end of this section.

PART 2: HOUSING NEEDS

Gender

Is this a

Is this

Is this person

Age

Please answer all questions even though you answered them in Part 1.

Please indicate who you are completing Part 2 on behalf o	Please indicate who	you are comple	ting Part 2 on	behalf of:
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Occupation

		·						member of	person a	from anoth	er
								your own	*concealed	household	?
					,		,	household?	household?		
	You										
	Other										
	Other										
	Other										
	Other										
	Other										
	memb	cealed household is a newly fers in need of independent ac KEY are in housing need please are referring to a concealed	COM.	modation. COMPLE plete you	TIN ır de	G THIS S	SUR oxes	VEY s labelled 1.		mily	
	If the	r are referring to another ho re are more than 3 househole e ensure that when you com	ds in	need the	en pl	ease con	tact	us for anot	her form.		
(Question Wh	HN-11 here do those requiring accom	mod	ation live?)						
	Togethe	as a household within this Pa	arish			1		2		3	
	Within a	nother household in this Parisl	h			1		2		3	
	Outside	the Parish				1		2		3	
	Living w	th parents				1		2		3	
(Question Wh	HN-12 nen do those requiring accomm	noda	ition need	to m	nove from	this	home?			
	Within th	e next 2 years				1		2		3	
	Betweer	2 to 5 years from now				1		2		3	
	In 5 or m	nore years				1		2		3	

Question HN-13 What is the current tenure of the household / hou	useholds in need?)	
Owned	1	2	3
Part bought/part rented under shared ownership arrangement	1	2	3
Rented from a private landlord	1	2	3
Provided with job (Tied)	1	2	3
Renting from a Housing Association	1	2	3
Living with parents	1	2	3
Question HN-14 Which tenure would you / they prefer? (Please to	ick one box for ea	ach household only).	
Renting from Housing Association	1	2	3
Shared Ownership*	1	2	3
Buying on the open market	1	2	3
Renting from a private landlord	1	2	3
*Government scheme which enables people to buy a	share in a newly l	built property.	
Question HN-15 Are you / they on the Local Authority or Housing	Association regis	ter or waiting list?	
Yes	1	2	3
No	1	2	3
Question HN-16 What type of accommodation would meet your /	their needs? (Tic	k one box only).	
House	1	2	3
Bungalow	1	2	3
Flat/maisonette/apartment	1	2	3
Sheltered	1	2	3
Retirement	1	2	3
Other (Please add your comments here):			
Question HN-17 Do any of the households require any of the following th	owing?		
Accommodation on the ground floor	1	2	3
Sheltered housing with support services provided	1	2	3
Other housing with support services	1	2	3

Do any of the households require any of the follo	owing?		
Residential care provided	1	2	3
Home to be adapted to increase physical accessibility* because of the disability of someone in your household?	1	2	3
Other (Please add your comments here):			
*Layout and design is suitable for any member requiri	ng adapted accom	modation, e.g. whe	elchair access.
Question HN-18 Has your current home been adapted to increase someone in your household?	e physical accessil	oility because of the	e disability of
Yes	1	2	3
No	1	2	3
Question HN-19 What is your main reason for needing to move?	(Please tick one b	ox only).	
Need a larger home	1	2	3
Need a smaller home - present home is difficult to manage	1	2	3
Need to set-up an independent home	1	2	3
Need a physically-adapted home	1	2	3
Need cheaper home	1	2	3
Need to be closer to employer	1	2	3
Need to be closer to a carer or dependent, to give or receive support	1	2	3
Need to avoid harassment	1	2	3
Need a secure home	1	2	3
Need to change tenure	1	2	3
Other (Please add your comments here):			
If there are more than 6 people at this address, please	e add their details	on a separate shee	t.
Question HN-20 What type of household are you / they?			
One person household	1	2	3
Couple	1	2	3
Older person household	1	2	3

What type of house	,	they?			
Family with children			1	2	3
	Num	nber of children:	1	2	3
Single parent family			1	2	3
Other (Please add your comments here):					
Question HN-21 As it is important to schemes, please indicate income figure. Please not Annual income:	your current G	ROSS annual ho	ousehold income.	Couples should	indicate a joint
Less than £9,999	1 2	3	£10,000 - £19,9	999 1	2 3
£20,000 - £24,999	1 2	3	£25,000 - £29,9		2 3
£30,000 - £34,999	1 2	3	£35,000 - £39,9		2 3
£40,000 + please specif		1	2		3
Question HN-22 Do you / they have Under £3,000	savings or oth	er equity which	could be used to c		ls a mortgage?
£5,001 - £10,000	1 2	3			
Over £10,000 please sp	ecify amount	1	2		3
Question HN-23 What is your / their	r local connecti	on to the Parish'	?		
Used to live in the Paris	h		1	2	3
Relative living in the Par	rish		1	2	3
Work in the Parish full ti	me		1	2	3
Work in the Parish part-	time		1	2	3
Voluntary work in the Pa	arish		1	2	3
Currently live in the Pari	sh		1	2	3
Question HN-24 Any other comment help to clarify the information				further informatio	on which might

GLOSSARY OF KEY TERMS

Affordable Housing: Low cost housing for sale or rent, often from a housing association, to meet the needs of local people who cannot afford accommodation through the open or low cost market, or subsidised housing.

Concealed Households: A concealed household is a newly forming household, for example mature children or other family members in need of independent accommodation.

Housing Association: Independent not-for-profit bodies that provide low-cost "social housing" for people in housing need.

Shared Ownership: Government scheme which enables people to buy a share in a newly built property.

Sheltered Housing: A term covering a wide range of rented housing for the elderly, disabled or other vulnerable people. These schemes are distinct from a nursing home or care home in that the tenants are usually able to look after themselves, are active and are afforded a degree of independence.

Social Housing: Housing that is let at low rents and on a secure basis to people in housing need. It is generally provided by councils and not-for-profit organisations such as housing associations.

Support Services: Mainly provided by local authorities, housing associations and voluntary sector organisations. They help a wide range of people to live independently in the community, by providing practical support and advice.



YOUNG PERSON'S SURVEY

for those under 16 years

Can parents or carers offer as much help as is needed to allow any young person (under 16 years of age) living in the household to complete this part of the survey. If you have more than one young person who would like to complete a survey then additional young people surveys can be obtained from the Parish Council office or Southwater Youth Club and Youth worker.

Question YP-1			Year	(Question YP-2		Girl			Boy
What year in school are	you?				Are you a?	[
Question YP-3 In your spare time	, what do	о уо	u do in So	uthwa	ater?					
Place an X in the relevant	box or b	охе	es —		Place an X in t	he re	levant	box or	boxe	es —
Play football					Play cricket					
Attend gymnastics club					Attend the South	water	Youth	Club		
Play music (instrument	or sing)				Water sports at t	he Co	ountry I	Park		
Visit the library (or read	ing)				MUGA (Multi Use	e Gan	nes Are	ea)		
Skate park					Scouts / Brownie uniformed organi					
Other (Please state):										
Question YP-4 If you do not go to the Southwater Youth Club why is this? Place an X in the relevant box or boxes — Place an X in the relevant box or boxes —										
I do not have time					I did not know the		as one			
I am not interested in th	is				I cannot afford th	iis				
I am too young					I am too old					
I would like to go but it		with	something	g else	I do					
I go to a Youth Club els										
I think the people who g										
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None of my friends go a										
I would love to go but it	is not or	oft	en enough	or fo	r long enough					
Other (Please state):										
Question YP-5 Do you do things outside of Southwater Parish? If so, what do you do and where do you go? I go to (place) To do I get there by										
Here is an example	I go to	Но	rsham		To go swimmin	g		I go l	by car	

Question YP-6 What do you like best about Southwater Parish?				
Place an X in the relevant box or boxes — Place an X in the relevant box or boxes —				
The green spaces		The play parks		
It is quiet and I feel safe		It is small & everything is close by		
Lots of events to go to		Lots of clubs and sports to do		
The people are nice & friendly		There are nice schools		
I have lots of friends here		I can get to Horsham easily		
		There are nice places to live here		
Other (Please state):				
Question YP-7 What do you dislike about Southwater Parish ? Place an X in the relevant box or boxes—				
There is not enough to do here				
There are people hanging around (and I do not like this)				
There is too much building work happening				
There is too much traffic				
The cars go too fast				
There are not enough shops				
The sort of shops I want are not here				
There is too much dog poo				
There is too much litter left around				
The things I want to do are not in Southwater and I have to travel elsewhere				
There are not enough buses to places I want to go/at times when I need a bus				
Other (Please state):				
Question YP-8 How do you find out about things which are going on for families or children?				
Place an X in the relevant box or b	boxes —	Place an X in the relevant box or	boxe	es —
The internet/social media		Southwater News		
The Parish Newsletter		Local Newspapers		
Posters in the library		Parish Notice Boards		
Information given out at school		From my friends		
From my family		Leaflets through the door		
Question YP-9 What things would you like to be provided in Southwater?				
I would like:				

We would like to hear all your ideas but only a few will become part of a community wish list.

[•]You can suggest whatever you like but it must have a lasting benefit and be affordable now or in the near future.

[•]Are there things that you have seen on your holidays or in other places that we could maybe have here?



Parish Survey

Thank you for completing this survey.

Southwater Parish Council is delighted to be able to offer adults over 18 years of age who have completed this survey the chance to enter a free draw for the following prizes:

A 5 star dinner for 2 at one of the area's most celebrated restaurants.

A family fun day out at a local Adventure Theme Park.

Prizes supplied courtesy of BEL Signs Horsham.

To enter, please log onto Southwater Parish Council's website www.southwater-pc.gov.uk and enter your details on the left hand side (the blue boxes), or you can scan this QR code with your smartphone or other enabled device:



Remember you must provide us with your full contact details: otherwise if you win we may be unable to contact you and you may forfeit a prize.

Only one entry per person please. If we become aware that the same person has been entered more than once, we will draw another name and they will be disqualified.

If you want to enter the competition, but cannot access the website or use the QR code, then staff at the Parish Council offices can enter your details into the prize draw competition if you come and visit us, in person, during office hours.

Remember: All entries must be received by **midday 17**th **April 2015** which is the deadline for completion of the survey. The prize draw will happen within 14 days of the competition closing. All our decisions relating to the competition and/or redemption of the prizes are final. No discussions or correspondence with entrants or any other person will be entered into.

No Southwater Parish Councillor, Parish Council employee, Steering Group member or their families may enter this prize draw.



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J K ROWLING GOT IT WRONG

Southwater Parish Council cannot promise you the excitement, dastardly deeds and general skulduggery of Ms Rowling's imaginings but can offer the chance to take a valuable part in contributing to the community and making it a better place to live and work

See inside for everything you need to know!

SOUTHWATER PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Keep an eye on that letterbox, as the Neighbourhood Plan Parish Survey is on its way!

We really need as many people as possible to complete this survey as it will help draft the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan Policies.

The right for communities to prepare Neighbourhood Plans was established through the Localism Act 2011, and gives the power to the whole community to develop a shared vision for the future.

Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan will form part of the Horsham District Planning Framework; this legal status will carry a lot of weight when considering local issues.

The Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group have been working on the survey for some weeks now, using ideas that residents suggested at the stands we had





at the Montessori open day, the Holy Innocents Fete, the Schools Fete and the Christmas Festival.

The survey will go to every home in the parish, and includes a section for young people too, to hear their views. Businesses will receive a business version, so that issues affecting the local economy can also be taken into account.

As part of the process, we need to consult with residents – and rightly so! We need to know what your opinions are, in order to guide us in the future.

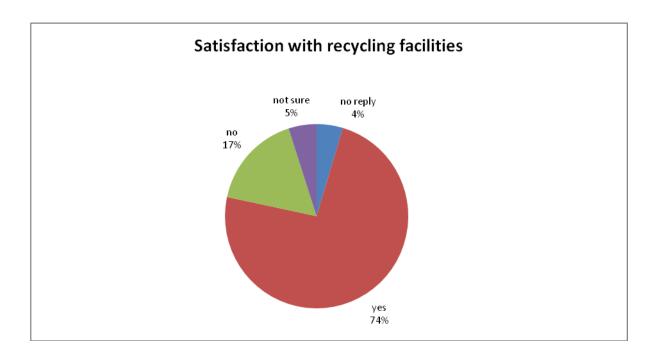
Whilst we have tried to keep the survey short and sweet, there are quite a few questions – sorry! Please take the time to fill it in, as we will be using the answers to prepare our draft Plan, which will include suggestions for policies that can be included to protect our community. As an added incentive, prizes will be awarded – details will be on the questionnaire.

If you have any questions, please email us on nplan@southwater.net, or phone on 01403 733202.

ENVIRONMENT SURVEY

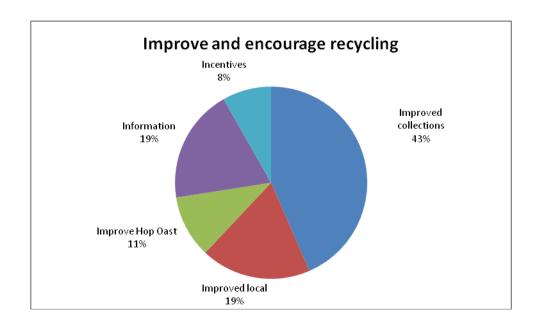
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Q1 Satisfied with the recycling?

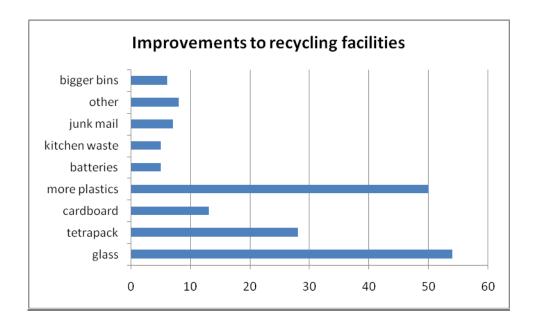


Q2 How can more recycling be encouraged in the Parish?

40% of respondents made suggestions and comments on what improvements they would like to see and how recycling could be encouraged. As the responses to the 2 questions covered very similar ground we have combined the responses.



The following graph shows the items that people would like recycled, preferably by household collections, and failing that by improved local recycling facilities where possible.



The wish for improved collections focused mainly on having a wider range of paper and plastics collected. The current restrictions were felt to be 'too picky' especially with regard to plastics and it was hoped that the new single bins to be introduced later this year would improve the flexibility and reliability of collections. Home collections were felt to be crucially important to maximize recycling.

Although most requests were for more frequent collections and the option of larger/more bins there were several comments from those living in flats that they often did not have room for more/larger bins but would prefer more frequent collections.

Concern was expressed that unless there was a convenient way of recycling batteries people would just include them in general rubbish instead of taking them to Hop Oast.

Comments on local collections largely focused on the option of having local collection points for the items identified for collection if there could not be the preferred option of household collections. Any such collection points should be well signed and easily accessible and emptied regularly.

Hop Oast improvements related to

- Improved management including indicating vacant parking spaces when there are queues
- Improved access and use of the site extension
- Reduced congestion around glass and plastic recycling
- Attendants to be more helpful

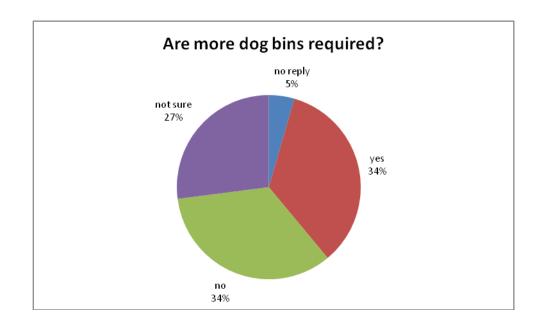
In addition to specific requests for more information/education about recycling, and what could and could not be recycled, several responses suggested that some residents were unaware of what was already collected in the regular fortnightly household cycle e.g. requests for collection of newspapers, plastic bottles. This, together with comments about wanting a recycling bin and why there was a charge suggests that perhaps bins do not get left behind when people sell their house.

Some asked for information about how Southwater compared with other villages and whether it should aim to become a 'green' village.

There were also requests for local business to be included in recycling provision.

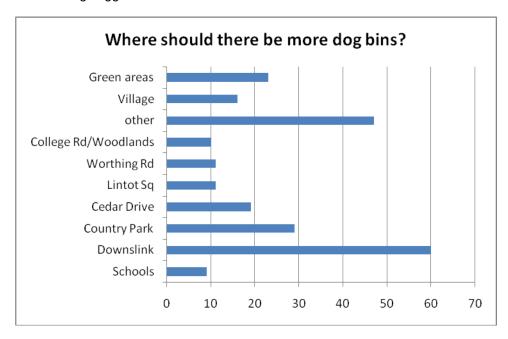
Financial incentives (e.g. council tax reduction or vouchers/tokens) were suggested. There were also some suggestions concerning possible fines for those that did not recycle.

Q4 Are more dog bins required?



Where are more needed?

24% (235) made the following suggestions:

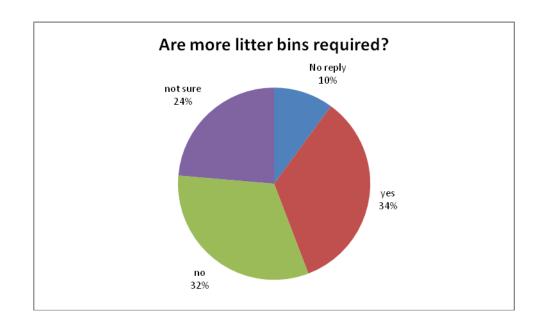


The places grouped as other included Cripplegate Lane, Andrews Road/Foxfield (7 each), Quarry Way, Station Road, and Southwater Street (6 each). Blakes Farm Road, Leisure Centre, Allotments and Shipley Road were also mentioned.

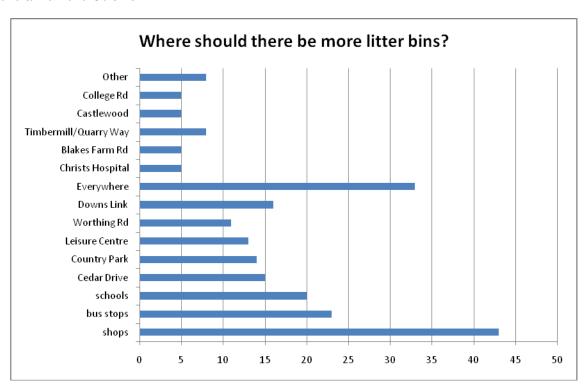
Of the 23 returns from Christs Hospital, 4 wanted dog bins in the village, the path from the new housing development to the train station being specifically mentioned.

9% of respondents made further comments, of which 67% wanted the bins emptied regularly/more frequently.

Q4 Are more Litter Bins required?

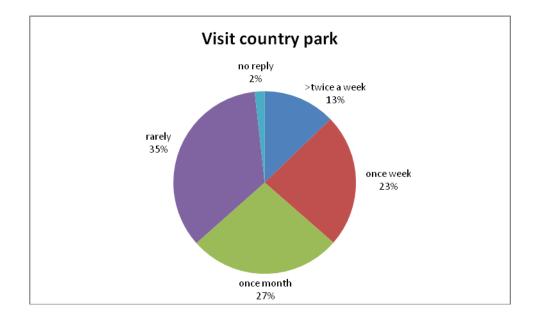


24% (224) made suggestions as to where further litter bins were required. 19 % of these (4.5% of the total responses to the survey) felt there should be more litter bins in near the shops both in Lintot Square and near Londis/Diamond Cuisine.



There were some comments about the need for regular emptying of bins and the need for bigger bins near the Leisure Centre.

Q5 How often do you visit the Country Park?



28% (258) made general comments of which 10% liked as it was or said 'It is lovely'.

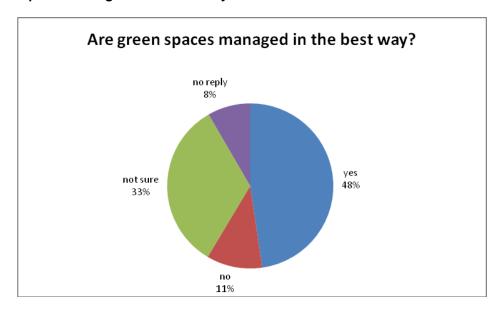
Several wanted the café to have longer opening hours or wanted more seating. Views on dogs were mixed – as many wanting dogs on leads at all times as wanted them allowed off the lead. There were comments about the need for maintenance in some areas and improvements to paths, although some commented that it was becoming more like an urban park and wanted more natural areas, with more information about the wildlife.

It was pointed out that although cycling is not allowed people do cycle and there were some requests for cycle paths.

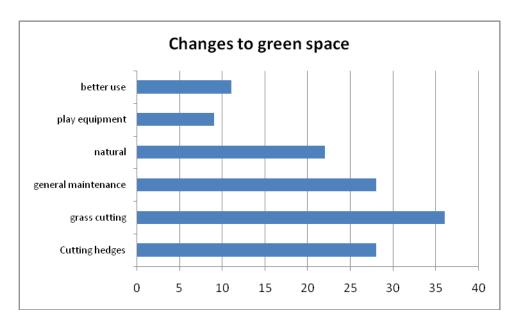
In addition to these general comments over 7% of all respondents wanted more children's activities and improvements to the children's play area with comments that it had become run down. Several respondents commented about the play area and its access getting very muddy.

Two respondents commented on the need for the swings to be maintained and for glass and cans to be removed from the play area.

Q 6 Are the green spaces managed in the best way?



17% (153) made additional comments, the principal one being the need for more frequent grass cutting. The majority of these also wanted the cuttings removed so that they did not blow all over the paths.

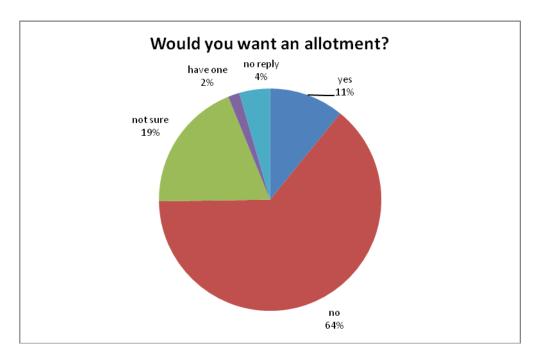


This was followed closely by requests for cutting back hedges and overhanging trees near paths as well as for more regular maintenance of shrubs and weeds. The need for cutting back hedges and shrubs next to footpaths is repeated in the Transport section.

The natural category includes a range of comments from encouraging wildlife to improved landscaping/planting especially round the old railway bridge.

Christs Hospital comments included the Parish Council taking over upkeep of village green and the need to stop cars parking on the verges near the train station.

Q7 If more allotments were provided would you use one?



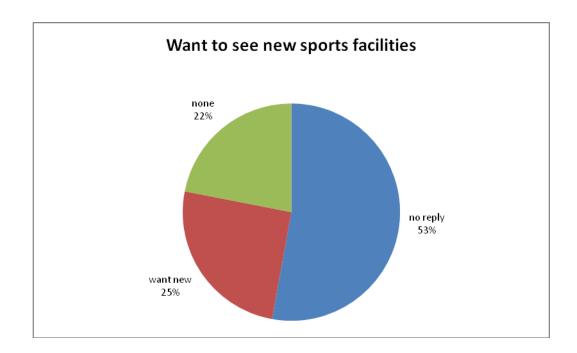
1 had been on the waiting list for 2 years and 2 others would like one when they retired.

SPORT AND LEISURE

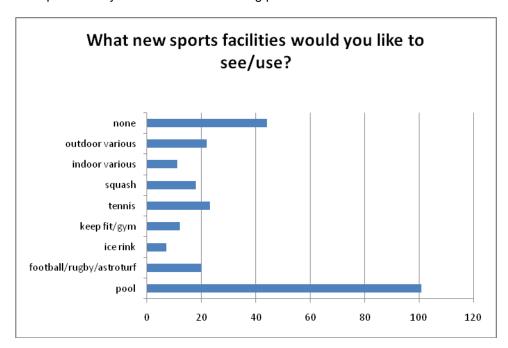
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Q8 What sporting facilities would you like to see and use?

75% either did not respond to this question or specifically said that no new facilities were needed.



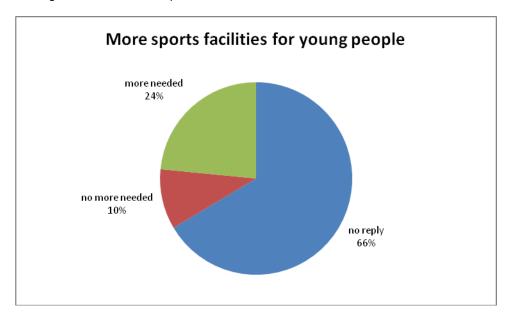
Of the 23% that did respond nearly half wanted a swimming pool.



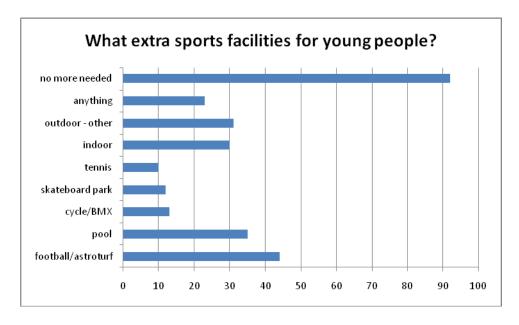
The football requests largely focused on requests for floodlighting and/or astroturf pitches.

9. What extra sports facilities for young people?

76% of those returning questionnaires either did not reply to this question or specifically commented that they felt that existing facilities were adequate.



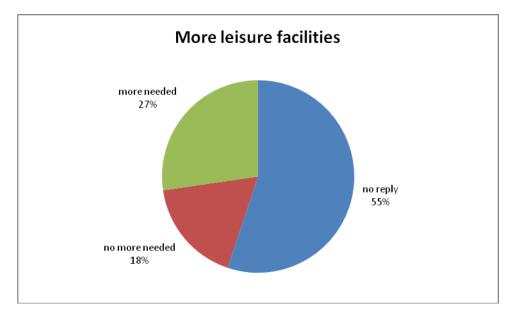
Of the 31% responding several recommended asking young people while others requested free/low cost facilities.



Outdoor includes running track/athletics, archery, and climbing wall, while indoor includes trampolining, gym, dance, badminton, squash and soft play area. The football/Astroturf grouping includes floodlit and multipurpose pitches and rugby. Anything included comments such 'anything that will keep them occupied/use up their energy' and also included suggestions such as social club/youth club.

10. Are there leisure facilities that you would like to see and use?

Only 27% of respondents felt that more, or improved, facilities were needed, with 18% specifically saying that current provision was adequate.



146 (16% of returns) made suggestions as to the type of leisure facilities that they would like to see.

Generally there was little difference between these and those on the other two questions as people seemed unsure of how they should interpret leisure. For example one-third wanted a swimming pool. Tennis, more badminton, archery and ice rink were among the repeat mentions but the range was so varied that apart from swimming nothing received more than 5-7 mentions.

The need for more evening classes and a cinema were new issues as was the fact that allowing badminton bookings up to 12 months in advance hindered others having access.

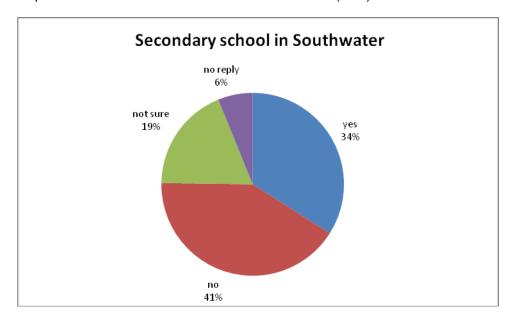
From the 23 returns from Christ's Hospital there were 2 comments about the lack of play facilities for young children.

EDUCATION

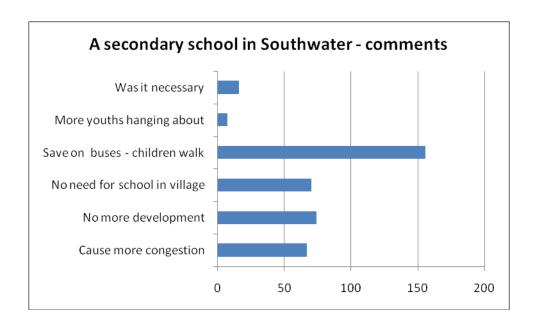
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Q11 Would you like to see a Secondary school in Southwater?

75% (686) of respondents had definite views and of those over half (56%) made a comment.



The comments covered a wide range of issues relating to a possible secondary school, which could be broadly grouped as follows:

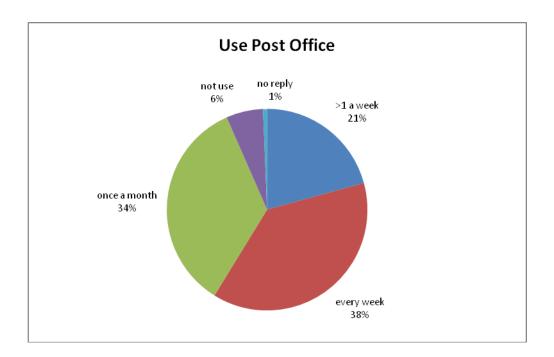


There seemed to be a general assumption, particularly by those commenting in favour, that the school would be for Southwater children only and hence there would be no buses and few cars.

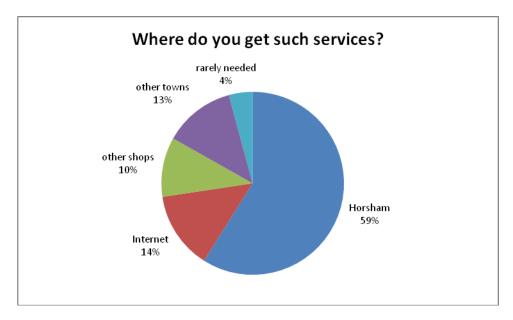
SHOPPING AND ECONOMY SURVEY

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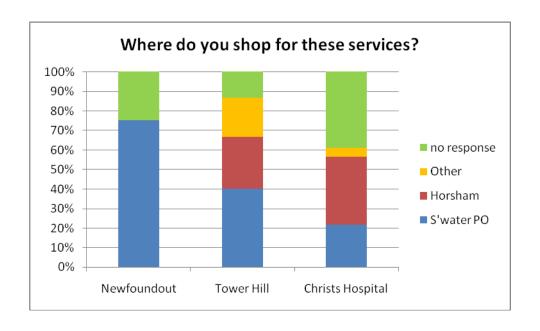
12. How often do you use the Village Post Office?



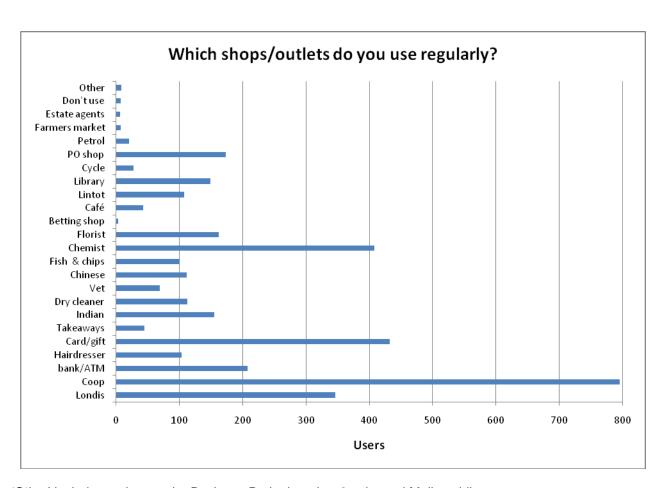
Comments were made by10% (96) of repondents about where they shopped for such services if they did not use Southwater Post Office. However some care has to be taken in interpreting these figures as about 50% of these had also ticked that they used the Post Office in Southwater, with half of those using it on a weekly basis.



Just considering the returns from those that live outside Southwater village we get the following pattern:



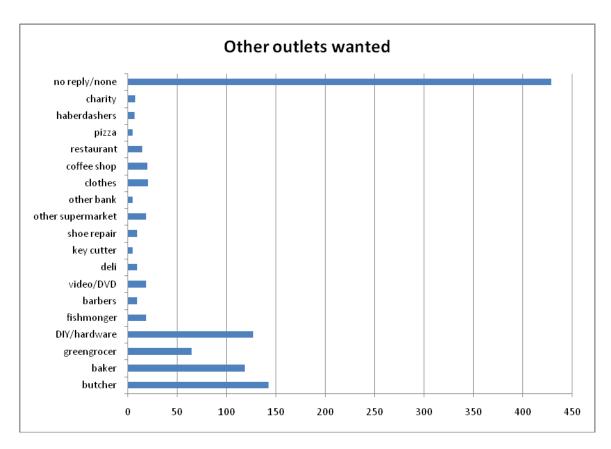
Q13. Which shops/outlets do you use regularly?



'Other' includes outlets on the Business Park, the other 2 pubs and Mollycoddles.

14 What other outlets would you like to see?

61% of respondents answered this question, some giving several suggestions, including requests for outlets that are already present by wanting different/better/another.



Several made comments about the butcher/baker/fishmonger being for local/fresh produce. The most favoured restaurant type was Italian.

Requests for outlets outside the village included a shop/newsagents at Christs Hospital(2), newsagent at Tower Hill(2).

Q15 If you do not use local shops, what are the reasons?

36% of respondents replied to this question, including some who had indicated in question 13 that they used some outlets regularly.

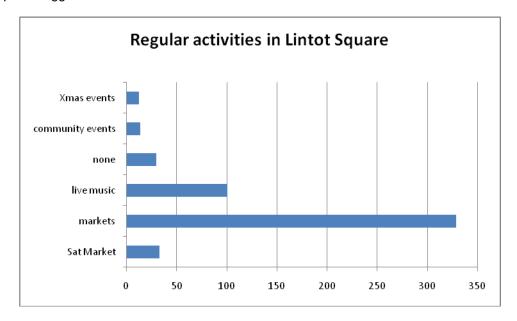
Those that answered gave the following reasons:



Q16 What regular activities would you like to see in Lintot Square?

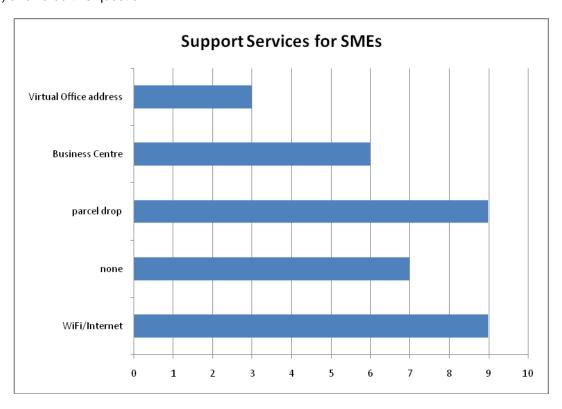
57% responded to this question of whom 70% wanted a market, including 33 requests for a Saturday/weekend market.

Another popular suggestion was for live music.



17 What new support services for SMEs would help you?

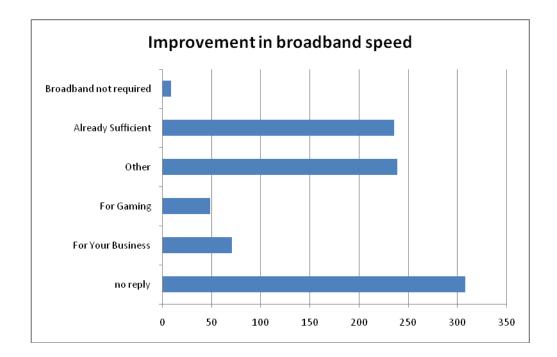
4% (36) answered this question.



The most specific request which did not fit into any of the above, most of which were provided in the past, was for hot-desk/meeting rooms with the first 5 hours a week free and open 7 days a week until late.

18 Would you like an improvement in broadband speed?

60% responded to this of whom over 40% felt that the speed was already sufficient.

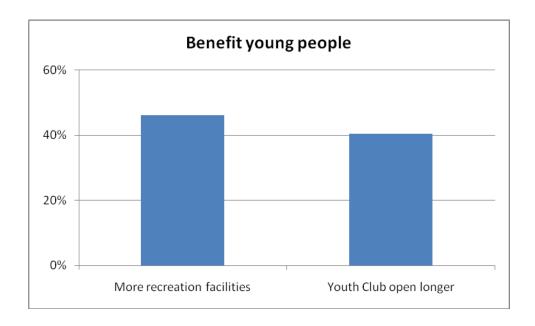


YOUNG PEOPLE SURVEY

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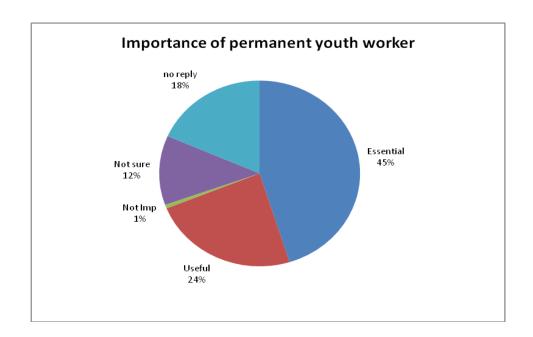
Q19 How can the personal and social development of young people be best fostered in our community?

40% (367) of respondents wanted the Youth Club opened longer with 43% wanting more recreation facilities. In the sports section only 24% wanted more sports facilities provided for young people.



23% of respondents made comments in part c) with 16% referring to the need for more parental responsibility and involvement. A slightly larger proportion referred to developing a dialogue with young people to identify their preferences and encouraging them to become involved in the community. A similar proportion referred to the need for more recreation/leisure activities. Some more negative suggestions were received including requirement for more policing of young people.

82% answered the question about how important they felt was the provision of a permanent youth worker in the parish with 69% of those responding to the survey feeling that it was essential/useful.

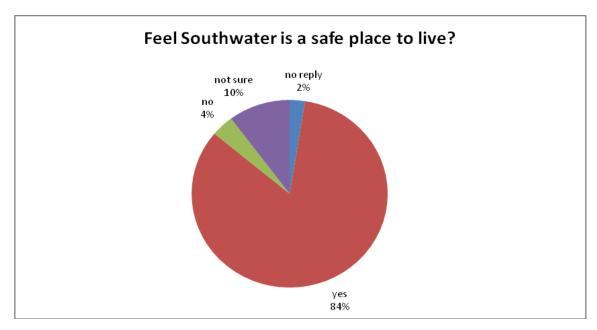


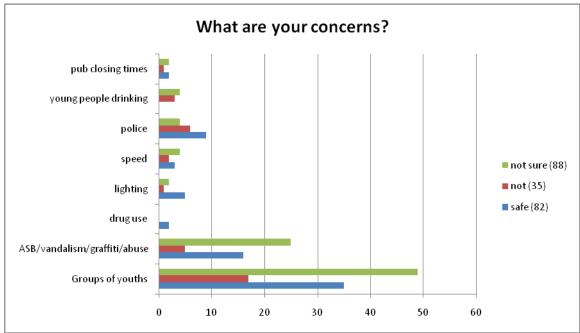
COMMUNITY SURVEY

912 returns were received, most of which had a high proportion of free text entries throughout the questionnaire.

Q21 Do you feel that Southwater is a safe place to live?

98% (889) of respondents answered this question, with 84% feeling that it was a safe place to live.





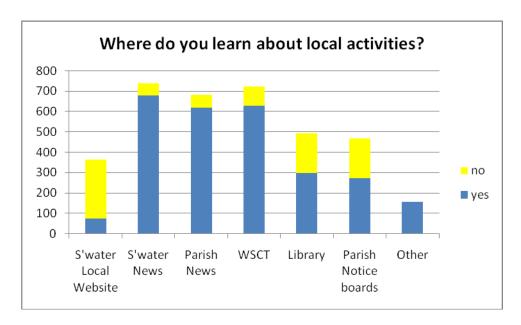
All of those who did not feel safe gave a reason, over half of which related to groups ('gangs') of youths hanging around and feeling that this was intimidating. A smaller proportion than in the other groups of responses referred to ASB/abuse/vandalism/graffiti etc. Other issues included drinking by young people, speeding traffic and the need for more policing.

95% of those not sure about feeling safe made comments and again just over half referred to young people hanging around and feeling intimidated, especially after dark. About a quarter of those commenting referred to ASB/vandalism/abuse etc.

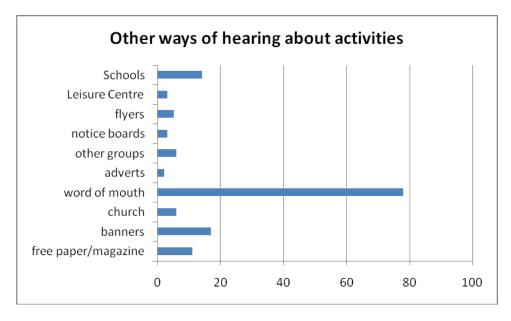
11% of those feeling safe also made comments and a little under half referred to the intimidating effect of young people ('gangs') hanging around especially in the evening. Mention was made of the impact on less aggressive youths.

Places mentioned specifically in connection with groups of youths hanging around and ASB were:
Cock Inn
Lintot Square – especially in area of Coop and The Lintot
Country Park
Cedar Drive/Cripplegate Lane
Leisure Centre
Easteds Barn
Castlewood School

Q22 How do you learn about local activities and events



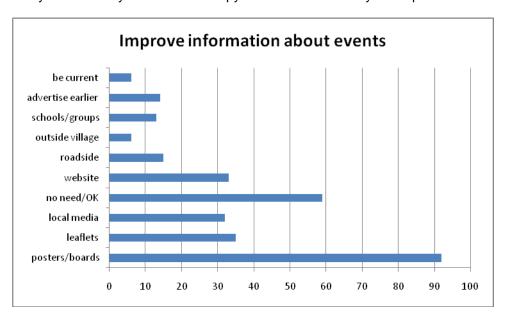
Of those hearing about activities by other methods (154) half heard by word of mouth.



Q23 How can information about local events be improved.

34% (308) answered this, of whom about one-fifth felt there was sufficient information or had no suggestions for improvements.

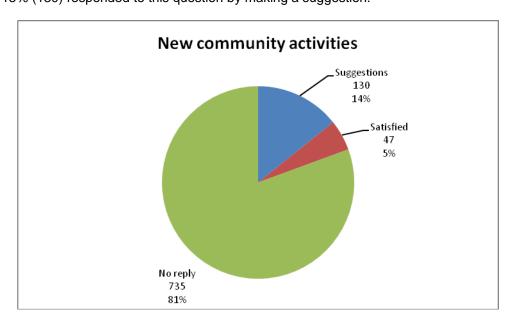
There were several specific mentions about the need for early advertising in the Southwater News as several commented that by the time they received their copy the event had already taken place.



There were requests for Southwater News to be delivered outside the village to Tower Hill and Christ's Hospital and also a query why Parish News was not received in Tower Hill area.

Q24 What new activities would you like to see?

Less than 15% (130) responded to this question by making a suggestion.



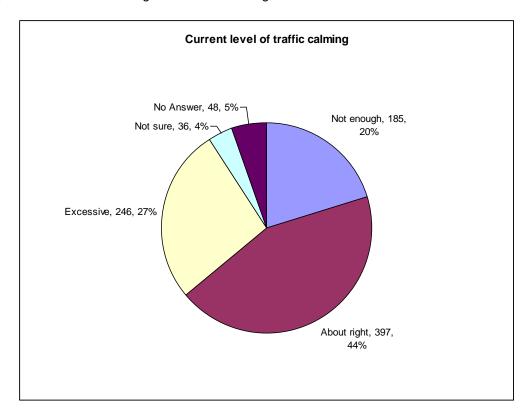
130 varying suggestions were made and a list is attached as it proved impossible to effectively group them. In general terms they included more activities for:

Families Under 10s/12s Teenagers Over 50s/Retired

TRAFFIC AND TRANSPORT SURVEY - 2nd March 2009

Q25 What are you views on the level of current traffic calming in Southwater?

91% responded with 44% thinking that it was about right.



Q26. Where would you like to see further (or fewer) control measures?

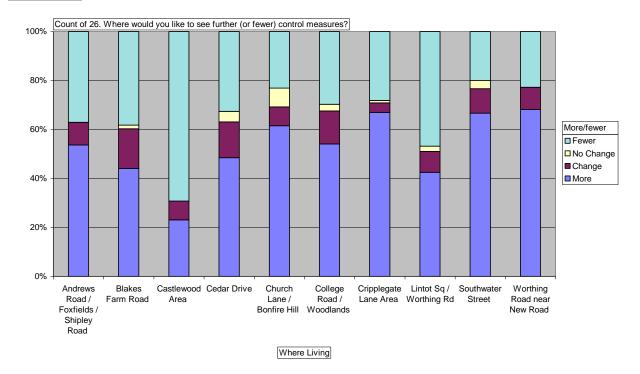
The responses were categorised as to whether More, Fewer or a Change was requested, and the location of the change listed. In the cases that no specific location was given, but a type of measure mentioned, that was given as the location – Pinch Points, Humps etc. In some cases the responses were allocated to a number of Location since a number of points were made or multiple locations given. Where it was not clear whether the comment requested more or fewer measures, the response to Q25 was used if Excessive or Not Enough.

566 (62%) made comments, resulting in 717 separate Issue/Location items.

	Change	Fewer	More	No Change	Grand Total
Number of Comments	78	199	318	20	566
% of all responses	9%	22%	35%	2%	62%
% of Comments	14%	35%	56%	4%	

The chart below shows the top 10 responding areas, with the general sentiment (More / Fewer / etc.)

The Castlewood and Lintot areas stands out as wishing fewer measures, whereas most other areas request more rather than fewer measures.



The table below shows the top locations mentioned in comments (as requested) – separated into More/Fewer etc. Highlighted are those that seem significant.

WOrthing Road separates into the measures in place now (in the heart of the village) and the North and south ends, which have limited measures (North of New Road and Mill Striaght and below) It is clear that some refer to Mill Striaght as Worthing Road. Cedar Drive similarly splits into the arm to the Worthing Road, which has 7 humps, and the Loop, which has limited calming measures.

"Schools" tends to refer to those on the Worthing Road.

Count of 26. Where would you like to see further (or fewer)						
control measures?	More/fewer					
						Grand
Location	Change	Fewer	More	No Change	(blank)	Total
(blank)	12	24	23	19	3	81
Cripplegate	5	3	67			75
Cedar Drive	4	27	38	1		70
Hen and Chicken	12	55				67
Worthing road	7	24	35			66
Schools	11	8	46			65
Pinch Points	17	43				60
Mill Straight	3		41			44
Humps	1	22	3	1		27
Southwater St		3	21			24
Blakes Farm Road	1	8	5			14
Village			14			14
Church Lane / Bonfire			13			13
New Road Straight			12			12
Timbermill			8			8
Shipley Road	1	1	6			8
Tower Hill			7			7
Cock Inn		1	6			7
Lintot Square	1		5			6

Station Road	3 2	5
College Road	4	4

The Tables below show the Where the responded lived as the first column (the top 7 by comments), further broken down by More/Fewer and the Location of the requested change.

Pinch Points and the Hen & Chicken one in particular figure at the top of all the 'Fewer' and 'Change' requests, whereever the respondent lived.

For those requesting 'more' measures, Cripplegate Lane, Mill Straight and around the Schools have general support from most areas. Otherwise areas thended to want more measures in their area and fewer

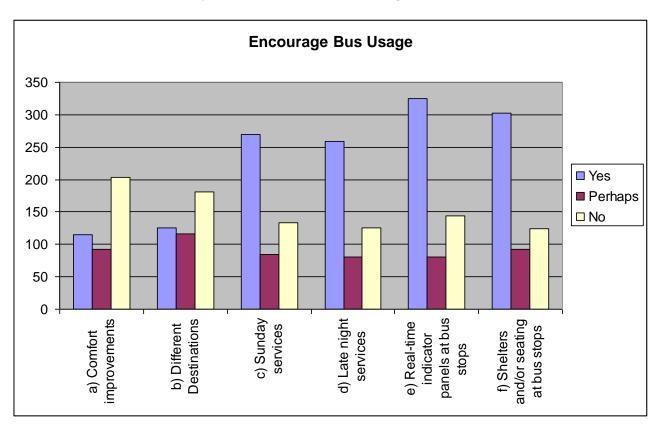
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Cedar Drive	N. O.	0.1.0:	١.,
	No Change	Cedar Drive	1
	No Change Tot More	Cripplagata	2
	wore	Cripplegate Cedar Drive	2
		Schools	1.
		Worthing road	1
		Mill Straight	١ .
	More Total	Willi Ottalgrit	8
	Fewer	Hen and Chicken	2
		Cedar Drive	1
		Pinch Points	1
		Humps	1
		Worthing road	7
	Fewer Total	<u> </u>	6
	Change	Pinch Points	5
		Cripplegate	4
		Hen and Chicken	4
		Worthing road	4
		Cedar Drive	3
		Schools	3
) D: T/:	Change Total		2
Cedar Drive Total			16
Cripplegate Lane Area	M	0-11	۱
	More	Cripplegate	2
		Mill Straight Schools	1.
		Schools Cedar Drive	6
		Worthing road	5
	More Total	Worthing road	5
	Fewer	Hen and Chicken	1
	1 GWCI	Cedar Drive	5
		Humps	4
		Pinch Points	3
		Schools	1
		Worthing road	1
	Fewer Total		2
	Change	Cripplegate	1
		Pinch Points	1
		Mill Straight	1
		Hen and Chicken	1
	Change Total		4
Cripplegate Lane Area Total			8
College Road / Woodlands	M	Mill Otanials	١,
	More	Mill Straight	5
		Worthing road Church Lane / Bonfire	5
		New Road Straight	2
		Schools	2
	More Total	3010013	2
	Fewer	Hen and Chicken	- 5
		Pinch Points	5
		Worthing road	3
		Humps	3
		Cedar Drive	2
	Fewer Total		1
	Change	Pinch Points	6
	-	Schools	2
		Cedar Drive	1
		Hen and Chicken	1
	Change Total		1

Blakes Farm Road			
	More	Schools	4
		Blakes Farm Road	3
		Worthing road	3
		Mill Straight	3
		Cripplegate	3
	More Total		16
	Fewer	Hen and Chicken Blakes Farm Road	7 4
		Pinch Points	4
		Worthing road	4
		Humps	2
	Fewer Total		21
	Change	Hen and Chicken	5
		Pinch Points Schools	2
		Worthing road	1
	Change Total	Tronamig road	10
Blakes Farm Road Total	_		47
Andrews Road / Foxfields / Shiple			
	More	Schools	8
		Mill Straight	4
		Shipley Road Worthing road	3
		Andrews Road	2
		Cripplegate	2
		Cedar Drive	2
	More Total		24
	Fewer	Hen and Chicken	4
		Pinch Points Cedar Drive	4 2
		Southwater St	2
		Worthing road	2
	Fewer Total	·	14
	Change	Hen and Chicken	1
		Pinch Points	1
	Change Total	Mill Straight	3
Andrews Road / Foxfields / Shiple			41
Southwater Street			
	No Change	Humps	1
	No Change Total More	Southwater St	10
	WOLC	Village	3
		Cripplegate	2
		Schools	2
		Church Lane / Bonfire	
			1
	Moro Total	Cock Inn	1 1
	More Total		1 1 19
	More Total Fewer	Pinch Points	1 1
	Fewer Total		1 1 19 4 2 6
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Q27 What would encourage you to use the bus services more frequently?

This generally got a relatively low response rate with over 50% either failing to respond or not identifying a factor that would encourage them to use a bus. The popularity of real time bus indicators possibly reflects lack of confidence in the reliability of the bus service and knowledge of timetables.



Only 4% suggested different destinations, of which Brighton, Billingshurst, Guildford, Crawley, Tescos (BBH), Littlehampton and Christ's Hospital were mentioned more than once:

Suggested Bus Destinations	Total
Brighton	4
Billingshurst	3
Guildford	3
christs hospital station	2
Tesco's - not just once a week	1
shipley rd	1
round trips to local villages	1
regular servcie to CH at peak times to coincide with trains	1
Redhill/Reigate	1
redhill, salfords	1
oak hurst business park - 98 service	1
more timely departures	1
more frequent at weekends	1
Kingsfold	1
Harwood Road, Horsham	1
tescos	1
gatwick	1
direct route to guildford	1
Crawley, Tesco	1
crawley, littlehampton	1
Crawley, Brighton	1
Crawley	1
coast (littlehampton)	1
steyning, petworth direction	1
chichester, london	1
brighton, worthing	1
Brighton - non-stop	1
via blakes farm rd	1
Blakes Farm Rd area	1
billingshurst, haywards heath, storrington	1
billingshurst, chichester	1

Grand Total 39

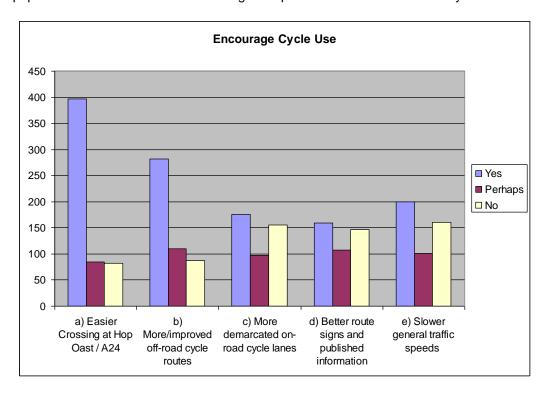
29% (268) made comments about other improvements to the service or other comments on buses, of which a quarter referred to reducing the cost. The cost of going from Southwater to Horsham was specifically mentioned. 20% referred to the need for improved reliability, timetabling and related issues. Other topics included the need for politer/better drivers, more direct routes at certain times of day, the need for more frequent stops in the village, and early / late/ Sunday services. The most requested new route was down Blakes Farm Road:

24% 8% 7% 6% 5% 5% 4% 4% 4% 3% 3% 2% 2% 2% 1% 1% 1% 1% 1% 1%

Buses Other / Comment Category	Total
Cost	64
Punctuality	21
Express	18
Frequency	17
Never buses	14
No Problems	13
Timetables	10
Early/Late	10
Drivers Better	10
None in Blakes Farm Rd	9
More Stops	7
Sunday	6
Good Service	6
School Pupil Crowding	5
Disabled / Pushchairs	5
98 Route	4
Speed	3
Real Time Ind	3
Connect to Train	3
TO/From Shops	2
Kerves Lane	2
Shelters/Seating	2
Safety	2
Push Chairs	2
Nothing	2
Keep Andrews Rd	2
Better Service	1
NO Shelters	1
Buses a Menace	1
None in Southwater St	1
None via Newfoundout	1
Not Used	1
No Eating/Drinking	1
Only in Necessity	1
Fewer Buses	1
No bus College Rd	1
Infrequent User	1
Route Guides	1
Newer Buses	1
Shelter at Roundstone	1
CH to SW	1
Shipley Rd	1
Include BBH	1
Three Bridges	1
Bus Stop Maps in Horsham	1
Destinations Two Mile Ash	1
Two Mile Ash	1
Unable to Drive	1 1
Vandalism Winnet Way	1
Winnet Way Footpath from Facteds	1
Footpath from Easteds Grand Total	267
Granu Total	207

Q28 What cycling improvements would lead you to cycle more?

The most popular factor here was easier crossing at Hop Oast roundabout followed by off-road routes.



13% made a ranger of suggestions for off-road cycle routes with a clear request for a route to Horsham, and improvements to the Downslink, particular the surface going North towards CH.

10% made suggestions for the location of cycle lanes, the most popular being for one along the Worthing Road through the village, and on to Horsham. A few felt they were dangerous where they ended.

On-road Cycle Category

12% made a range of other suggestions, most of which related to the points made in the other two comment sections.

Total

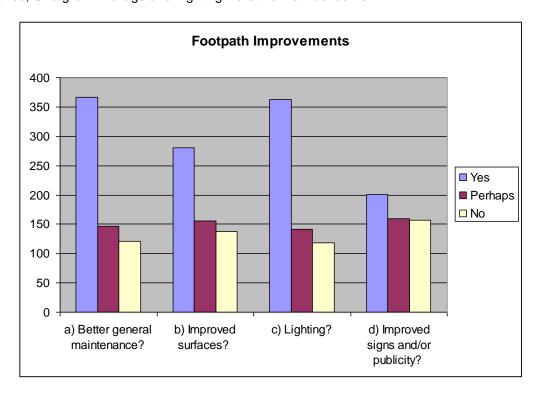
Off-road Cycle Category	Total
To Horsham	39
Village	7
Downslink Surface	7
Worthing Road	5
to Broadbridge Heath	5
Downslink North	5
Everywhere	4
Tower Hill	3
A24	3
To Shipley / A272	2
Country Park	2
Peddlars Way Surface	3 2 2 2 2
Next to A24	
Blakes Fm Rd to Lintot	1
Cripplegate Lane/Cedar	
Drive	1
Cycle Play Area	1
by leisure centre	1
as on the continent	1
Cedar Dr / Worthing Rd	1
good already	1
Lintot Sq	1
Mill Straight	1
New Road BP	1
Newfoundout	1

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Worthing Road	24
To Horsham	19
Village	7
Main Roads	5
A24	4
Mill Straight	4
Everywhere	4
To Schools	2 2 2
Nowhere - Dangerous	2
Cedar Drive	
Blakes to Shops	1
Blakes Farm Road	1
Merryfield Drive	1
In Horsham	1
Cripplegate	1
Shipley Road	1
Southwater St	1
already too many	1
difficult narrow roads	1
Tower Hill	1
Around Horsham Town Centre	1
wherever possible	1
Worthing Rd / Southwater St	1
Worthing Rd/ Cedar Drive	1

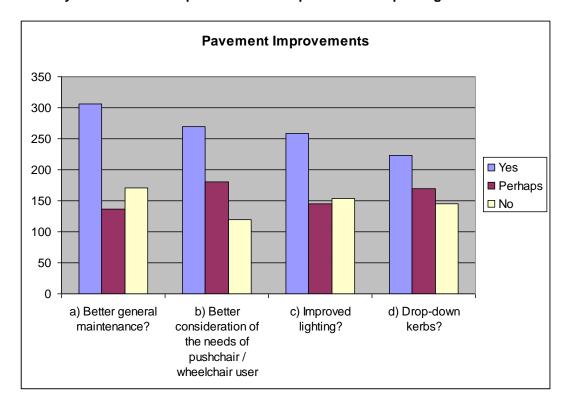
Other Cycling Categories	Total
Road Surface Problems	8
To Horsham	7
To Schools	5
Separate from Roads	5
Inconsiderate Drivers	4
A24	3
Education	3
Downslink North	3
Village	2
Traffic Calming	3 3 2 2 2 2 2
Cycle Parking	2
Too Dangerous	2
Road Width	2
Worthing Road	1
Downslink Surface	1
CH to Horsham	1
Family Cycle Clubs	1
Hedges Cut	1
better weather	1
Information on Routes	1
Lighting	1
Mill Straight	1
needs coordinated	
approach	1
Next to A24	1

Q29 In what ways do public and off-road footpaths need improving?

Maintenance, Overgrown Foliage and Lighting were the main concerns.



Q30 In what ways do the roadside pavements in the parish need improving?



Q29 and Q30 Pavement/Footpath Comments combined

Since it was clear that many commenting on Footpaths were thinking of Pavements, and visa versa, the comments and related locations have been combined into one analysis, with 521 distinct locations or comments. "General" refers to comments on location for which the issue was not clear – multiple improvements requested in the check boxes. If there was a single "Yes" then this (e.g. Lighting, Maintenace) was taken to be the issue.

	Fotal
Issue	F
General	164
Lighting	95
Overgrown	65
Maintenance	40
Surface	29
No Parking	18
Too Narrow	16
Need Path	14
Dropdowns	13
Drainage	10
Dog mess	9
Push/Wheelchair	9
Signs	5
Need Map	3
Styles	2
Car Park	2
Lower Dropdowns	2
Dog Fouling Signs	2
Ensure Lighting Working	2
Education	1
Lights back on	1
No Urbanising	1
Curbs too high	1
Ped Crossings	1
Publish Maps	1
LESS Lighting	1
Rails near road	1
Remove lamp in pavement	1
Need Family Route	1
Splashes from cars	1
Stop Cycling	1
Stop Offroaders	1
Stop School run	1
Lights to stay on > 12	1
in WSCT	1
Surface/Lighting	1
Enforcement	1
Verge Markers	1
Weeding	1
Block Pavements	1
Grand Total	521

394 made comments about specific locations, Worthing Road, Station Road and Cripplegate Lane being most frequently mentioned, followed by The Leisure Centre (particularly the path to Lintot Sq) and the Downslink, particularly northwards. The location to issues that seem significant are highlighted below.

Count of Please suggest locations for footpath/pavement improvement	Issue														
Lacation	General	Lighting	Overgrown	Maintenance	Surface	No Parking	Too Narrow	Need Path	Dropdowns	Push/Wheelchair	Dog mess	Drainage	Signs	Need Map	Grand Tota
Location	4.4		_												40
Worthing Road	14	2	9	7	2		3	2		3	_	1			43
All Pavements	1		11	6	1	10	3		2	1	2				37
Station Road	13	17	-	2	1		2		1						36
Cripplegate Lane	16	9	3	2	2			1		1			1		35
Leisure Centre	7	22	1									1			31
Downslink	11	4		2	3					1	2	3			26
All Footpaths (?)	6	1	10		2			_			1		2	3	25
Cedar Drive	3	1	3	1	2				5						15
Footpaths	1	1	3	2	2	1	1				3				14
Southwater St	2	6			1		2	1							12
Castlewood	1	3	3	1	1				1						10
Shipley Rd	8			1	1										10
(blank)	7		1	1											9
Mill Straight	7		1									1			9
Lintot	5	2							1				1		9
Oakhurst BP	4	1		1				2							8
Pict's Hill	1	3	2	1											7
None	7														7
CH to Station	3	3						1							7
Blakes Farm Rd	1		2		1		1	2							7
Tower Hill	1	1		2				2							6
Pavements			1		1	4									6
New Road Bridlepath	3			1						1		1			6
All Footpaths	3		2												5
Country Park	2	1			2										5
College Rd	2		1		1										4
Woodlands Way	1	1			2										4
Infants	1		2				1								4
to Horsham	1			1			1			1					4
Hop Oast	2	1		1											4
Foxfield Cottages	1	1		1											3
School	1		1								1				3
Cock Inn to College Rd				1	2										3
Charlock Way	1	1		1											3
Church Lane	3														3
York Close to Football	2							1							3
Parallel to A24		2										1			3
Village	1	1	1												3
Ash Road		2		1											3
Eversfields	1		1												2
Bonfire Hill								1		1					2
Grand Total	144	86	58	36	27	15	14	13	10	9	9	8	4	3	436

Q31 What is the single most important traffic, transport or accessibility problem in Southwater Parish?

63% of respondents replied, many giving more than one issue. The main issues are:

- Speeding
- Access to A24 at peak times particularly at Hop Oast roundabout
- Parking and Congestion, particularly Parents dropping off children at school
- Bus and public transport related issues
- Traffic calming

Single Transport Type of Issue	Total	% Answers
Speeding	117	20%
Accessibility	81	14%
Parking	66	12%
Buses	61	11%
Child Drop Off	45	8%
Calming	35	6%
Congestion	34	6%
Pinch Points	24	4%
Public Transport	22	4%
No Issue	21	4%
Crossing	11	2%
Maint/Lighting	10	2%
Cycling	8	1%
Behaviour	6	1%
Footpaths	5	1%
Not Sure	4	1%
Large Vehicles	3	1%
Roads	2	
Heavy Traffic	2	
Development	2	
Cycling on Pavements	1	
Dog Fouling	1	
Excessive Enforcement	1	
Community Bus	1	
Pavement	1	
Pavements	1	
Councillors	1	
Policing	1	
Restrictions	1	
Elderly Transport	1	
Safety	1	
Signage	1	
Drainage	1	
Visibility	1	
Grand Total	573	

Where a location is mentioned, this is dominated by around the Schools (on Worthing Road), Hop Oast / A24, with Cedar Drive, Worthing Road, Cripplegate Lane, Lintot Sq and Station Road heading the list of specific roads. The counts and Issues related to the location (where mentioned) are given below:

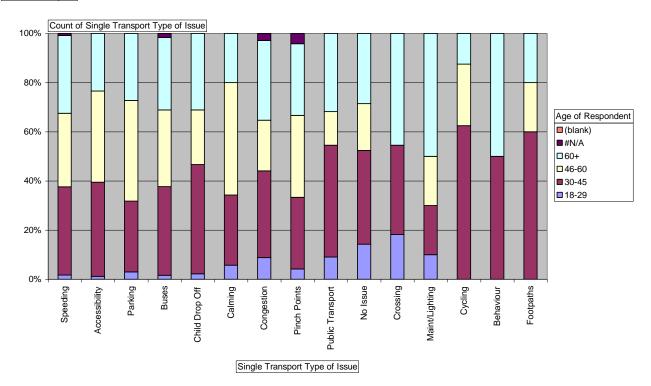
Single Transport Location	Total
Unspecified	257
Schools	91
Hop Oast	38
A24	26
Cedar Drive	16
Worthing Road	15
Cripplegate	12
Lintot	11
Station Rd	10
Londis	8
Hen & Chick	7
Blakes Farm	6
Pavements	6
	6
Mill Straight	
College Rd	5
Tower Hill	5
to Rail	4
Southwater St	4
Church Lane	4
Boar's Head	3
Andrew's Rd	3
Leisure Centre	3
Village Lights	2
CH	2
Shipley Rd	2
Estates	4 4 3 3 3 2 2 2 2 2 1 1 1 1
New Road Straight	2
Eversfield	1
Outside Horsham	1
Outside Village	
Bonfire Hill	1
Redhill Hosp	1
Blakes to Cedar	1
Oakhurst to Wrothing Rd	1
Side Roads	1
At Bus Stops	1
CH / SW	1
To Horsham	1
Footpaths	1
to Worthing	1
Fletchers	1
tower Hill/Two Mile Ash	1
Traffic Lights	1
Lintot to Andrew's	1
Warren Drive	1
Warren Drive/ SW St	1
Wilberforce	1
Worthing / Cedar	1
Horsham	1
Worthing to Cedar	1
Grand Total	573
Orana Total	513

Schools	Child Drop Off	45
	Parking	23
	Congestion	16
	Behaviour	2
	Accessibility	2
	Speeding	1
	Crossing	1
H. O. of	Calming	1
Hop Oast	Accessibility	35
	Cycling	2
A24	Speeding	1
A24	Accessibility	21
	Speeding Congestion	4
Codor Drivo	Speeding	8
Cedar Drive	Crossing	3
	Visibility	1
	Congestion	1
	Calming	1
	Parking	
	Accessibility	'1
Worthing Road	Speeding	10
Tronding Road	Calming	2
	Congestion	1
	Crossing	1
	Safety	1
Cripplegate	Speeding	4
Chippingato	Buses	2
	Maint/Lighting	2
	Calming	1
	Crossing	1
	Drainage	1
	Congestion	1
Lintot	Parking	7
	Accessibility	2
	Speeding	1
	Crossing	1
Station Rd	Accessibility	5
	Maint/Lighting	4
	Parking	1
Londis	Parking	6
	Speeding	1
	Calming	1
Hen & Chick	Pinch Points	5
	Calming	2
Blakes Farm	Buses	4
	Speeding	1
	Pavement	1
Pavements	Parking	5
	Maint/Lighting	1
Mill Straight	Speeding	6
College Rd	Parking	2
	Buses	2
	Accessibility	1
Tower Hill	Speeding	4
	Heavy Traffic	1
to Rail	Buses	3
	Public Transport	1
Southwater St	Speeding	2
	Crossing	1
	Large Vehicles	1
Church Lane	Speeding	3
	Parking	1
Boar's Head	Accessibility	3
Andrew's Rd	Buses	3
Leisure Centre	Accessibility	2
	Parking	1
Village Lights	Congestion	2

The charts below set the main issue types against the various demographics of Age Range, Number of Pupils in the Household and number of Workers in the Household.

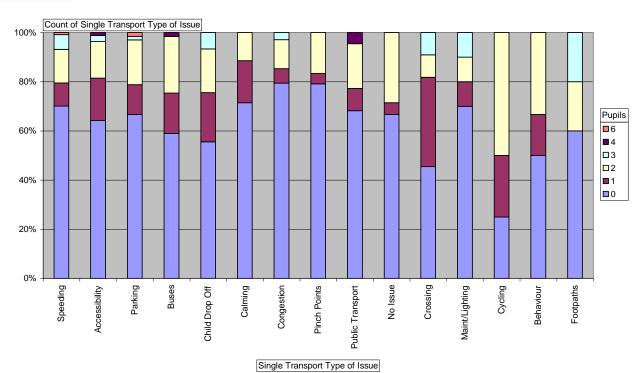
By Age: Crossings are an issue for the young (with young children perhaps) and the elderly. Calming, Pinchpoints, Speeding, Cycling, Footpaths and Accessibility (to A24) are issues for those 30 to 60.

Area of Living (All)



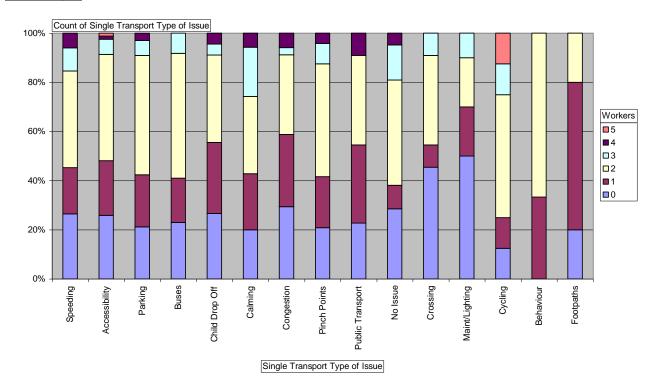
By Number of pupils: Main issue for those with families are Crossings, Cycling and Behaviour.

Area of Living (All)



By Number of workers: For those working, Behavior and Cycling are the issues, whereas for retired or single parent households (no-one working), Crossings and Maintenance/Lighting are important.

Area of Living (All)



38. What one change in the next five years?

Out of 709 responses, 252 related to transport

36%

Count of One Change Category	
One Change Category	Total
Speeding	42
Bus	37
Calming	34
Parking	21
Paths	19
Misc	15
Cycling	15
Maint/Lighting	15
Congestion	14
Cyclists A24	10
Train	8
A24	8
Roads	8
Car A24	6
Grand Total	252

39a. Any other comments?

Out of 307 responses, 89 related to transport

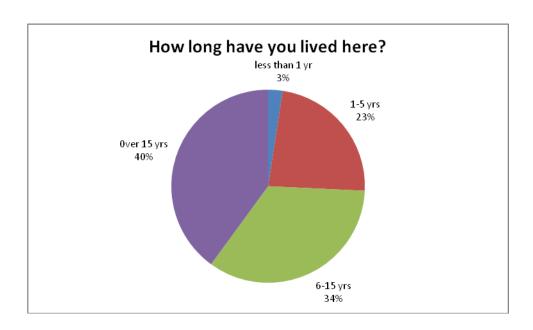
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Misc	14
Paths	12
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Speeding	9
Cycling	7
Maint/Lighting	4
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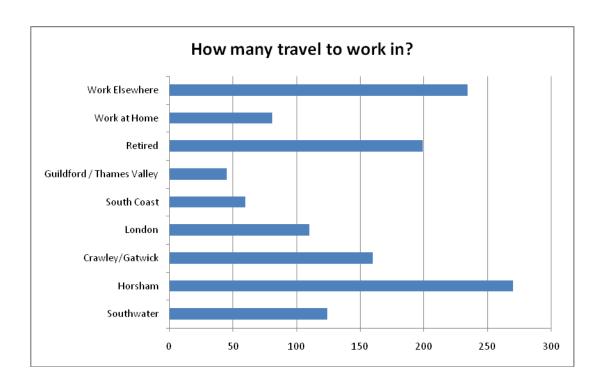
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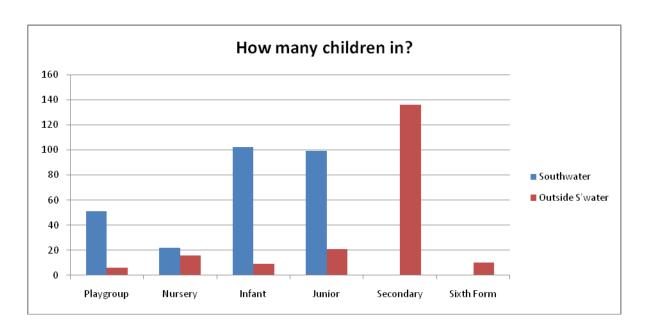
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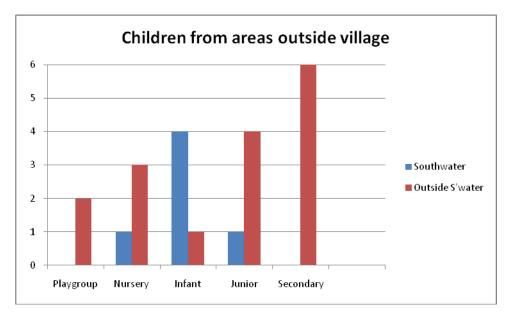
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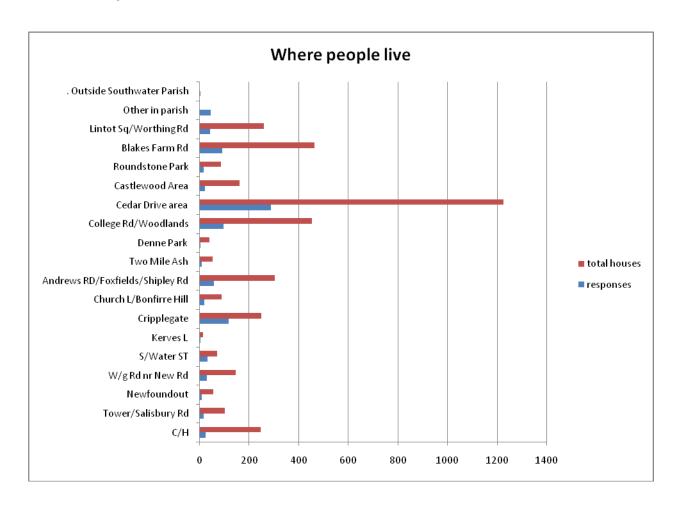
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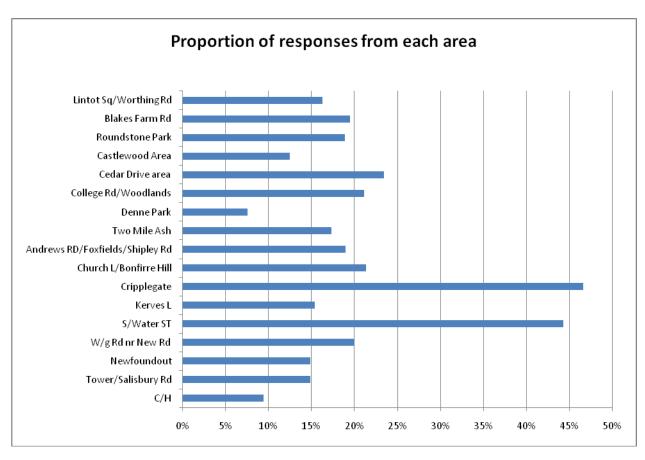


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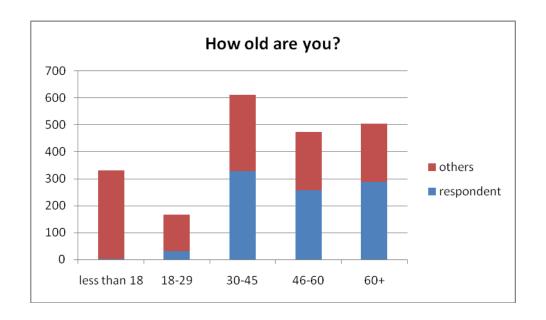


Q35 Where do you live?





Q36/37 How old are you and the other people in your household?



FINALLY

Q38 What one change would you like to see in Southwater Parish in the next 5 years?

71% (603) replied to this with some giving more than one response. The main issues are:

Secondary school
No more development
Traffic calming/speed control
Policing
Young people
Maintaining pavements/cutting back hedges/lighting
Access at Hop Oast

A full list is available and further analysis can be done as required.

Q39 Any other comments

31% (279) responded of whom one-fifth said that Southwater was a nice place to live. The other comments largely repeated what had been said elsewhere in the survey.

A full list is available and further analysis can be done if required

SOUTHWATER NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN Survey Consultation Feedback



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Executive Summary

Cllr.Graham Watkins Chairman of the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group and Parish Council stated publicly that the result of 31% was exceptional.

This Survey would assist not only in the production of the Neighbourhood Plan but also in delivery future services to the community of Southwater.



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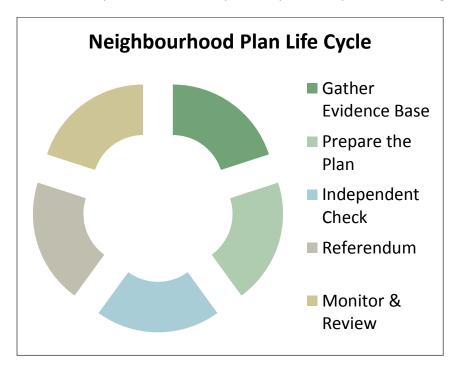
The local community has a vital role to play in helping to shape the future development and change of Southwater's Parished area over the next 20 years.

As pat of the Neighbourhood Plan making process an open evening was conductions, along with various consultations one of which being at the Schools Summer Fair in July 2015 in order to gauge reaction to the proposed Neighbourhood Plan and the findings of the survey.

This report summaries the responses from the open days and will form part of the evidence base that will help guide the Plan.

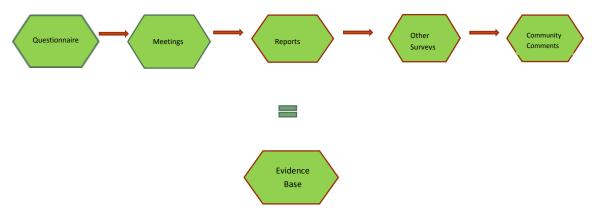


Below is an impression of the life cycle that you can expect the Plan to go through.



The Questionnaire titled "The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan "Let's work together to plan together" (See Appendix 1) was a detailed consultation on the potential options for the future of Southwater.

What goes into the evidence base you ask,



The Consultation, attracted a 31% response from both individuals, groups, businesses and organisations. This document sets out an easy to understand version of the collated results for the area. The full data set can also be found at in the appendices or online at;

www.southwater-pc.gov.uk

For further information on the survey results or to enquire about the Neighbourhood Plan's progress, please contact:-

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4. THE QUETIONNAIRE & SUMMARY RESULTS

HOW WAS THE CONSULTATION CONDUCTED?

The Consultation exercise was carried out in line with the Community Engagement Action Plan. Our efforts were directed by our six golden rules;

1. Timing is Key

The exercise was publicized for a period of up to six weeks prior to the first Open Day via

- Local Press
- Parish Council Notice Boards Posters
- Parish Council Buildings, Easteds Barn, Southwater Leisure Centre and Beeson House
- Online at <u>www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplan</u>
- Word of mouth within the community and via local community groups

2. We Will be Inclusive

We encouraged all sections of the community to get involved. We utilized paper and electronic methods of engagement, and held a consultation at the Southwater Schools Summer Fete in an effort to reach some of the "hard to reach" groups (in particular the young). The two events were also held at different times (one on a weekday evening at the Leisure Centre and another on a Saturday) to enable s many people as possible to attend.

We have tried to ensure that everyone would have a realistic chance of responding by leaving the options consultation open for a longer period than required.

3. We will be clear, and documentation will be easy to read and understand....

Every effort was made to maintain the use of plain English in the consultation documents and other materials produced. We also made sure that the public was aware of the impact of the results of the consultation exercise, with charts published on www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/neighbourhoodplansurveyrsults.

4. We will be unbiased and respectful.

As shown within this report, every opinion has ben respectfully listened to an acknowledged. Whilst writing this document a neutral viewpoint has been adopted ensuring that its outcomes are not in any way predetermined.

5. We will be efficient.

Efforts were made to reduce the possible "consultation fatigue" that could occur as a result of the evidence gathering process. The Options Consultation (see Separate Report) took place not long after the Housing Assessment.

6. We will be up front and open.

Results of this exercise are openly available within this report and on our website. We hope that this report will provide an easy to read informative summary of all results from the Survey of 2015.

Consultation Data

Event	Location	Date(s)	Time	Format
Survey 2015	Southwater			
	Parish			
Schools 2015	Southwater Jnr			
	And Infant			
	Academies			
24/7	Website			
	Parish Council			
	Office			

THE QUESTIONNAIRE & SUMMARY OF RESULTS

How it was written

The questionnaire was written based upon a number of ideas that the Neighbourhood Plan Team were discussing. These ideas had come from:-

- The emerging evidence base
- Feedback from the first open day
- Letters/comments from the community
- Representations from stakeholders
- Meetings with local businesses
- The Neighbourhood Plan Team

The questionnaire (also in Appendix 1) was split into the following sections:-

Section 1	-	General Overview
Section 2	-	Social and Community
Section 3	-	Listed Buildings and General Heritage
Section 4	-	Culture
Section 5	-	Infrastructure (Cycling & Walking, Roads and Parking
Section 6	-	Health Care Services
Section 7	-	Police Services
Section 8	-	Housing
Section 9	-	Schools
Section 10	-	Environment
Section 11	-	Local Economy (Computers)
Section 12	-	Business Survey
Section 13	-	Parish Housing Needs (Part 1 – Your and Your Household, Part 2 – Housing Needs
Section 14	-	Glossary of Key Terms

ABOUT SOUTHWATER

The Parish of Southwater

The Parish of Southwater is a large village and civil parish in the Horsham District of West Sussex. It is located in the centre of the District approximately 2 miles south of Horsham, adjacent to the main A24 road which runs south from Horsham to Worthing.

The village of Southwater was historically reliant on farming, however, industrailisation in the 19th century brought both the railway and the need for bricks for housing construction and led to the development of clay pits. The parish population has expanded considerably over time despite the demise of the railway and brickworks, with a wide range of facilities being created to provide services to the residents.

Southwater currently houses its own modern health centre, library, community policy office, parish council office together with a wide range of shops and leisure facilities. According to the Census the population of the parish was 10,730 in 2011.

FEEDBACK SO FAR

We were excited to let people know the progress that had been made and to feed back the results from earlier consultation events.

We invited responses to this by asking whether they felt we had missed anything important so far.

The majority of respondents responding have indicated their concern about the infrastructure through development and the protection of listed and heritage buildings which are also highly valued. There should therefore be provision within the plan on protecting Southwater Parish's historic properties and desirable features. Residents also wanted protection for the rural and natural landscape. It will be important therefore that any planned development should take into account such issues. There were strong indications that there was a need for more parking solutions including the provision of cycling within the Parish.

Residents were concerned about school numbers into the future due to class sizes; this was highlighted strongly at the Schools Summer Fete consultation.

The Parish Council has picked up on many of the items from within the report and it is hoped to progress as part of its Vision for the Future of Southwater and delivered over the years, through planning gain and other methods of funding especially in relation to the provision of sporting facilities.

INFRASTRUCTURE, SOCIAL & COMMUNITY

With 39% of the overall population of Southwater being under the age of 18, there is without doubt the need for infrastructure and support services for this group including the 0-5 year groups.

Childminding was a major concern this being rates as generally poor by those responding with only 49 of those responding to the plan overall stating that the provision was poor contrasting to the academies in terms of their service delivery being considered high with 282 responses. This contradicts the views obtained at the Southwater Schools Summer Fete, where although people were delighted with the educational needs were concerned about class numbers.

Other core related services to this age demographic were only considered good these related to the provision of after school clubs and school holiday clubs. There was general discontent with the provision locally for families with disabled children and those with special needs being overwhelmingly considered as poor.

Residents scored highly the need for transport for the elderly and a drop in centre for the elderly along with sheltered housing for this group. Dropped curbs and increased footpath provision was also highly desired.

Local events scored the highest along with general health and wellbeing needs.

Forty per cent of respondents felt that access to community facilities was adequate with 7% considering these to be poor.

The retention of a Post Office and good local shops are considered highly important along with the dentist and doctors. Community buildings are also considered highly within the graphs under Question SC-5.

A bank was also considered important in terms of provision however, the bank withdrew the banking facilities in Lintot Square in December 2015.

The overall survey would lead the reader to the view point that the residents do not feel that the current infrastructure whilst adequate for the time of the survey, moving forward there would have to be a significant increase in terms of sports facilities and pitches plus either an extension to an existing community building or another to provide for growing community groups/organisations.

A new burial site is envisaged with plans being proposed for development in 2015 along with some playing pitches, however, it is anticipated that the provision will not match the demand this not taking into account imminent development within the next few years let alone major development.

Additional car parking for both the main retail area and schools should be investigated due to the potential future demand to access these areas.

LISTED BUILDINGS AND HERITAGE

Questions in relation to the built heritage and design of the Southwater Parished area brought a strong response in that 984 respondents indicated that heritage buildings were important to them with 14% did not.

Comments indicated that people felt very strongly about ensuring that the characteristics that had drawn them to live in Southwater remained, mainly through its building and landscapes and that these should not be lost.

The Commercial Centre's also received a strong response with comments reflecting the need to attract a more diverse selection of shops whilst maintaining the character.

In elation to the siting, scale, form and materials of extensions, most comments reflected the need for new or existing development to be "in keeping with the area". People felt strongly that there should be a planning policy put in place to deal with material changes to listed buildings.

The retention of green spaces figured highly, as did many of the historic buildings within the Parish.

The main buildings which figured highly were the Old School House in Worthing Road, Elm Cottage in Worthing Road and the old Victorian Cottages in Station Road; the later reflecting the heritage of the community in brick making with the Country Park having been the main quarry for brick making in Southwater.

When asked what other buildings should be considered as a Heritage Asset, the main suggestions were: the Old Railway Bridge in the Worthing Road, War Memorial, Old Brickyard Gates in Lintot Square by the Memorial and Iggy the Dinosaur. The later reflecting again the fact that Dinosaur bones were found in the Southwater Quarry now the Country Park. These are now on display within Beeson House.

Denne Park and Denne Hill along with the Country Park and local playing fields were also put forward as land to be protected for the future.

In terms of how the heritage of the community could be promoted a town trail, blue plaque and promotional material appeared to be the preferred method of communicating.

Over 1,000 residents supported registering a number of community buildings ranging from the Bax Castle and Cock Inn public houses to Christ's Hospital School.

When asked whether the community would be willing for the Parish Council to purchase artifacts should they become available and which reflected the heritage of the community then 75% of those responding indicated that they would be willing for these to be sourced. As to

how this could be achieved community fund raising was preferred along with development gain (Section 106 or CIL (Community Infrastructure Levy)). The local council tax was also supported by 261 residents.

The hamlets within the Parish area were considered of importance, these being Christ's Hospital, Stammerham and Newfoundout, all of which contain significant housing on both the heritage and listed building listing.

The community also valued Lintot Square both as the local shopping area but also as a place for community events.

A separate Housing Needs Assessment will be provided, although the indications from the responses overall in terms of housing need would be for one/two bedroom properties to enable young people to access the market, and prevent the expansion of the existing stock of such housing.

CULTURE

When asked how many of the Community Events residents attended the majority of the respondents stated that they always attended the annual Christmas Festival (200) this was the largest response with 121 attending the Southwater Schools Firework Night.

It is evident from the responses that there needs to be an increased focus on advertising and marketing the variety of community organisations and events within the parished area with many responding (730) that they did not attend any of the library events. This is surprising for there appears to be a significant amount of people who supported the provision within Beeson House where the library is based.

In terms of future facilities the following scored highly:-

- Creation of a programme of outdoor events to bring people together
- Open air theatre facilities
- Additional parking
- A local hospital
- Bridge over A24 to allow pedestrian/cyclists to access Horsham Town

Residents indicated that for the future they would like to have a indoor swimming pool, community mini bus transport, circular bus route within the village and the creation of additional all weather sports surfaces for tennis, basketball, netball etc.

The residents would support through development gain any new major building project for the benefit of the community, rather than via the local council tax.

ENVIRONMENTAL & LANDSCAPE

The overall response from residents who undertook the survey was that major importance should be given to the retention of natural features, country park, woodlands, fields and farmland, pathways, open spaces, wildlife and hedgerows.

In terms of the built environment most highly rated were Lintot Square (built 2004-2006), schools, leisure centre and the village surgery and dentists. Seventy hundred and ninety-three residents rated the village surgery and dentists either important or highly important to the community.

Residents considered street furniture to be extremely important with bus shelters, benches and litter bins rating well.

Of concern in terms of historical environment were the risk of sewage and flooding plus future water supplies for any potential new homes.

The Downslink is seen as a major leisure route through Southwater, running from Guildford in the north through to Shoreham in the Southwater. This is used by both walkers and cyclists and local residents. However, it is considered that the surface of the Downslink to be of poor quality (35%) leading to those residents not using this at all.

The support for nature and green open spaces is a fundamental thread throughout the Survey results.

There was major support within the Survey for the retention of green open spaces, leisure land, footways, cycle ways, woodland are highly valued, along with the preservation of natural areas for wildlife in order to maintain the biodiversity of the area.

Any plan should see to retain both existing areas, create or provide within development such areas in order to maintain and enhance the future biodiversity of the area by looking to prioritise habitats around the parish and protect what we currently have especially in terms of the ancient woodlands, ghylls and shaws. This is considered one of the parish's unique characteristics.

Such provision should be balance in terms of improving future tourism (walks leaflets) and protecting wildlife areas.

ECONOMY (SUSTAINABLE ECONOMIC GROWTH)

Southwater benefits from having two major industrial areas, one being at Oakhurst to the North and anther by ?(name) in the centre of the village. The RSPCA is situated to the north close to Oakhurst Business Park and are one of the largest employers in the parish along with Christ's Hospital School, an independent day and boarding school.

A larger majority of the 1181 respondents indicated that they were in full time employment (789), with 268 being part time and 142 self employed.

There is also a large majority of people in full or part time education, possibly those living away from home whilst at university or college.

The majority of the workforce commute to Horsham and other areas e.g., Crawley, Dorking etc., and therefore Southwater can be seen as a dormitory town/parish with those commuting having very little contact with many of the organisations/services or otherwise within the parish.

Ninety-one per cent of those respondents indicated that they had access to a PC at home, with only a satisfactory internet connection at home. With such a young and elderly population this is not surprising. Ongoing discussions with the County Council and BT to achieve much higher broadband speeds will be imperative into the future to enable more and more to work from home cutting down travelling time. Many of those indicated that a local internet café, free computer use and computer training would also be welcome in the community.

Lintot Square is the main shopping centre for the community of Southwater and wider areas with adequate parking. There are also smaller outlets on the fringes of the Square within the Worthing Road all of which are within walking distance of the Square. The most popular of the stores being for the purchase of food and drink.

Thirty per cent of those responding to why they did not use the local shops because of either opening times, cost, car parking, with 27% stating that this was due to choice.

In terms of future provision ranking, a bank, cash point machines, butchers and green grocers were the most favoured. 62% of residents wanted the existing offer to open later, it is thought that this would be linked to the fact that so many work outside of the community itself.

A market is felt to be desirable with 80% of 1181 responding to this question with once a week being the preferred option.

In terms of the responses from the Business community there were only 375 responses with 806 not responding. Of these 102 were homeowners, although 246 were not from this it could be assumed therefore that many lived in rented accommodation possibly to support their growing business!

Census information shows that......

In terms of trading in Southwater 77 out of a total of 105 responses had lived in Southwater over 3 years with majority being sole traders. Sixty-two of these had only one employee. Again broadband speeds were considered essential for the businesses to thrive along with affordable small office with associated amenities for growth in terms of the home grown market. Only 19% of the 1181 respondents felt that they would need additional premises within the next 20 years. The requirement would be should they require additional premises, either a larger office or large retail or commercial unit.

YOUNG PEOPLE

Southwater's demographics equate to 39% of young people under the age of 18 with over 900, 0-5 year olds.

Southwater has three schools, Southwater Infant Academy and Southwater Junior Academy these two schools are situated in the Worthing Road. Castlewood County Primary School is also situated within the confines of the village of Southwater.

There is provision for a Children & Family Centre and this facility is based in the Worthing Road. There are also four main nurseries/preschools within the village with Christ's Hospital also having a facility for the under 5's.

Christ's Hospital is an independent school and charity based at Christ's Hospital and offers high levels of education as do others within the community; all schools are high performing.

There is a youth club provision within Southwater in Beeson House. Southwater Parish Council, Southwater Community Methodist Church and United Reform churches operate the Youth Project in terms of providing a youth worker for the community. This joint project is highly successful and is held as a beacon in the delivery of youth services.

With 39% of the population under 18 it was imperative as part of the Neighbourhood Plan process to engage with the young people over the plan. From this 229 written responses were received with the majority of those responding being in Year 6, 8, 9 and 10. Of these 126 (55%) were males and 104 (45%) were females. The most popular activities were, playing football, visiting the library and attending uniformed groups.

In terms of what the young people liked most about Southwater, it was the green spaces, the feeling of quiet and space and friendship groups which were clearly highlighted.

PARISH HOUSING NEEDS ASSESSMENT REPORT

A separate report will be produced in due course in order to ascertain the future housing provision for Southwater Parish for the next 20 years.

GENERAL FEEDBACK

With a 31% response rate there was generally a positive response to the Neighbourhood Plan.

The main themes emerging from the responses were:-

Infrastructure

The majority of responses were concerned about the lack of infrastructure both in relation to playing fields, community buildings, doctors and dentist provision, new hospital provision based on the potential housing to be delivered locally and schools.

Although respondents have comment on the need to ensure infrastructure can support growth, there were many who said that there was no capacity to growth and did not want development.

Traffic

Following the completion of the Survey it was apparent to the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group and the Parish that further evidence was required in relation to *Traffic and Transport*.

The antidotal evidence was that people were driving at too high a speed through the Worthing Road, and that there were long tailbacks at the northern and southern roundabouts. In 2015 a survey conducted expressed the view that the roundabouts were at capacity but that should improvements to both be carried out either through intervention by the County Council or through development this may ease subject to the proposals the impact of the traffic tailing back on the Worthing Road.

The general consensus from the Southwater Safer Roads Partnership at that time in relation to speeds was that this was mainly being carried out by local people, for those passing on the bypass would not drive through the village to reach their destination as this may further delay them.

There remained concerns both for and against traffic calming measures within the community, but this was generally split.

Lack of affordable community transport for the elderly in the main should be addressed as a priority. Young people and the youth project have identified the need for a community transport initiative for they too require such provision but mainly in the evenings. There are currently four quarterly buses operating from Southwater with another passing through to Worthing.

Identity and Character of Southwater Parish

There are two divides, the main village of Southwater being semi-rural, which the remainder of the parish is typically rural with poor public transport links, broadband provision etc.

Many residents originally moved to Southwater in the 70's at which time it had retained its green fields. However, development has continued with pressures on the west of Worthing

Road continuing. Development to the East of the A24 is extremely rural and this has been resisted as of 2015 and should be retained.

Should future development come forward then there should be a re-designation of the parish boundary in terms of the land to the South of the village currently within the Parish of Shipley. Such development will due to the proximately of the village use the services within Southwater rather than those, 3-4 miles away in Shipley which has little or no services.

Comments were received in relation to the fact that since the building of the new heart of the community Lintot Square, the community has not had time to settle down and that this shopping development only allows for development to that point, it does not address the fundamental issues going forward.

Fait Accompli

Many residents felt that the developers need to listen to the people including the District Council (Planning Authority) in terms of consultation over road planning and infrastructure. The general feeling of apathy which is apparent in some responses if that the community are at the end of the day powerless. Developers need to invest in long term plans to ensure cohesive communities are built but that blend with the current.

Andrew Metcalfe

From: Susanna Sanlon

Sent: 24 February 2016 13:17

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Subject: SOUTHWATER PARISH COUNCIL – Scoping Report for a Sustainability Appraisal of

the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan

Attachments: Let 002 SS Scoping report consultation.pdf; Southwater Neighbourhood Plan

Scoping Report .pdf

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Consultees have 6 weeks from the date of this letter in which to submit comments. This period of consultation will end at midnight on **6th April 2016**.

Responses should be submitted to clerk@southwater-pc.gov.uk. More information can be found on the Parish Council's Neighbourhood Plan website. http://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Consultations.aspx

We look forward to hearing from you.

Kind regards,

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- A context review of relevant plans and programmes,
- Baseline environmental, social and economic information,
- A SWOT (Strengths, Weaknesses, Threats and Opportunities) review of Southwater.
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Yours sincerely

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SOUTHWATER PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

SCOPING REPORT FOR SUSTAINABILITY APPRAISAL

Submitted for Consultation with Statutory Authorities

by Southwater Parish Council

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1.0 INTRODUCTION

1.1 In accordance with European and national legislation, Neighbourhood Plans must be subject to a Strategic Environmental Assessment, particularly if they may have a significant effect (positive or negative) on the environment. In addition, it is strongly recommended that a wider Sustainability Appraisal is undertaken. A Neighbourhood Plan, once made, becomes a formal part of the planning system and will be a Local Development Plan document. The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan (SPNP) is an important planning tool for shaping the development and growth of the village and Parish.

Sustainable Development

- 1.2 Sustainable development is defined as "development that meets the needs of the present without compromising the ability of future generations to meet their own needs". It is about ensuring better quality of life for everyone, now and for generations to come. In doing so, social, environmental and economic issues and challenges should be considered in an integrated and balanced way.
- 1.3 The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) was published in March 2012. This document sets out the Government's planning policies for England. The NPPF states the Government's intentions with regards to sustainable development, in particular the need for the planning system to perform a number of roles.

What is a Sustainability Appraisal?

- 1.4 A Sustainability Appraisal (SA) aims to predict and assess the social, environmental and economic effects that are likely to arise from the adoption of the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan (SPNP) and to ensure that the policies within it contribute to and promote sustainable development. The Parish Council at Southwater has taken the view that a SA is required to accompany the SPNP in addition to the statutory SEA process.
- 1.5 A Strategic Environmental Assessment (SEA) involves the evaluation of the *environmental* impacts of a plan such as the Neighbourhood Plan. The requirement for SEA is set out in the European Directive 2001/42/EC adopted into UK law as the "Environmental Assessment of Plans or Programmes Regulations 2004".
- 1.6 The SEA process is very similar to the Sustainability Appraisal process set out through national guidance. Government guidance suggests incorporating the SEA process into the Sustainability Appraisal process and to consider the *economic and social* effects of a plan alongside the environmental effects considered through SEA. For simplification, this report is referred to as the Sustainability Appraisal (SA) throughout.

The Scoping Report

- 1.7 The Scoping Report is the first stage of the SA process. It identifies the sustainability issues within Southwater and sets out the sustainability objectives for the SA of the Neighbourhood Plan. These objectives build upon the strategic and sustainability objectives within the Horsham District Planning Framework 2015 (and accompanying Sustainability Appraisal), expanding upon these to provide a more local focus on the needs and aspirations of the Southwater community.
- 1.8 The Scoping Report will be the subject of consultation with a number of agencies and stakeholders. A full list is attached as **Appendix A**. The comments and responses will feed into the draft Neighbourhood Plan and Sustainability Appraisal and may result in further issues being identified.

How to Comment on this Report

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2.0 BACKGROUND & CONTEXT

Neighbourhood Planning

- 2.1 Neighbourhood planning is a tool that allows communities to decide the future of the places they live and work. The Government states that neighbourhood planning empowers communities to shape the development and growth of a local area through the production of a neighbourhood development plan, a neighbourhood development order or a community right to build order. Neighbourhood plans will enable local people to consider policies on whether there are enough homes in their area, on town centre revitalisation, on the protection of green spaces, and opportunities for regeneration for example¹. The basis for the new form of local planning is set within the Localism Act 2011 and the NPPF 2012.
- 2.2 The NPPF sets out the relationship and conformity between the Local Plan and the Neighbourhood Plan. Paragraphs 184 and 185 summarise the position. The ambition of the neighbourhood plan should be aligned with the strategic needs and priorities of the wider local area. Neighbourhood plans must be in general conformity with the *strategic policies* of the Local Plan. Outside these strategic elements, neighbourhood plans will be able to shape and direct sustainable development in their area.

The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan

2.3 **Appendix B** shows the boundary of the SPNP. The Plan includes the settlement of Southwater and covers the extent of the Parish administrative boundary. It also includes Christ's Hospital, Southwater Country Park, sections of the A24 trunk Road and the Downs link Bridleway. The Horsham Park & Ride site and waste recycling site is located to the north of the Plan boundary. The northern boundary abuts the southern built up area of Horsham.

The Policy Framework

2.4 Horsham District Council has prepared a new planning framework which will contain the planning policies for the District and will be used to help decide what development can take place and where. It is known as the Horsham District Planning Framework (HDPF). The Council submitted the Framework 2014 to the Secretary of State on Friday 8 August 2014 for independent examination. Public hearing sessions were held between 4 November 2014 for a period of three weeks closing on Wednesday 19 November 2014. The Council received the Inspector's Final Report on 8th October 2015. The report concludes that the Plan is sound, subject to modifications. The Horsham District Planning Framework, incorporating the Inspector's modifications as set out in his Final Report was presented at an Extraordinary Council meeting on 19 November 2015 for adoption. The Horsham District Planning Framework was formerly adopted on the 27th November 2015. The Framework

 $^{^{1}\,\}underline{\text{http://www.communities.gov.uk/planningandbuilding/planningsystem/neighbourhoodplanningvanguards/}}$

contains planning policies for the district outside the South Downs National Park for the period up to 2031.

- 2.5 The key elements of the Framework are:
 - Development should take place at Horsham first, followed by Southwater and then Billingshurst along with some development in other villages in accordance with Neighbourhood Plans, which are currently being produced by communities across the district.
 - The need to retain good employment sites to support the local economy and growth in the Gatwick Diamond area as a whole is justified and sound.
 - The housing requirement for the Plan period should be at least 16,000 dwellings at a rate of 800 dwellings per year.
 - Three strategic development areas should be brought forward for 'at least' 2,500 dwellings at North Horsham, around 600 dwellings west of Southwater and around 150 dwellings south of Billingshurst.
 - In order to ensure that the District can continue to deliver 800 homes per year across the plan period, the plan will be subject to an early review, to commence within three years. Land west of Southwater, land east of Billingshurst and land at Crawley were all identified as areas to be revisited through this process².
- 2.6 The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan will need to comply with both national and local planning policies as set out in the NPPF. A review of the key local policy documents and strategies has been undertaken for the SPNP. The aims and objectives from these policy documents, together with the Sustainability Issues for Southwater (section 3 of this report) have been used to develop the SPNP Neighbourhood Plan sustainability framework set out in chapter 4.

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² <u>https://www.horsham.gov.uk/latest-news/news/october-2015/inspector-finds-councils-plan-sound</u> [accessed 18th November 2015]

3.0 SOUTHWATER - SUSTAINABILITY ISSUES

- 3.1 As part of the Sustainability Appraisal it is necessary to identify the key sustainability issues facing the parish. These have been informed through the following sources:
 - A review of the plans and policies produced by Horsham District Council where reference is made to Southwater.
 - An analysis of baseline data on Southwater.
 - An assessment of feedback from consultation events undertaken by the Parish Council for the neighbourhood plan to date (March and summer 2014) and the survey results 2015³.
 - The SA produced for the Horsham District Planning Framework.

Key Messages

3.2 This section considers the key headline information relating to Southwater.

Background and Demographics

3.3 Southwater is situated 2 miles south of Horsham and markets itself as a large village. The Parish of Southwater has an estimated population of 10,025, with around 9,490 of this in Southwater itself. This population has grown by 28% in the last 10 years and the Parish is characterised as having one of the youngest populations in England with only 9.1% of residents being in the 65+ category. Evidence suggests that the people who come into Southwater tend to stay, with 74% having been in the Parish for 6 or more years. The younger population is concentrated in the newer housing development and around the schools and more residents have children in the infant and junior schools than at secondary schools or at Sixth Form College⁴.

Housing

- 3.4 The 2009 Southwater Community Action Plan identified housing supply shortfalls for first time buyers and for young people who need to find accommodation outside the family home. A need for supported housing, key-worker housing and shared ownership was therefore identified. The plan also recognises the aspiration that self sufficient and nursing accommodation for the elderly and disadvantaged is required. As such housing which addresses these areas, must be included in all new developments both large and small.
- 3.5 In terms of ownership, just over 29% of property is owned outright with 50% owned with a mortgage. Only 0.5% of property is rented from the Local Authority with 7.1% rented

³ http://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Neighbourhood-Plan-.aspx

⁴ Draft Interim Statement: Managing Development in Horsham District January 2011

through a private landlord/agency. Average house prices include £302, 932 for a 2 bedroom, £384,361 for a 3 bedroom property and £619,080 for a 4 bedroom house⁵.

Open Space and Community

- 3.6 As there is currently no secondary school in Southwater, around 500 pupils are presently bussed daily from Southwater to schools in Horsham. Southwater secondary provision is provided mainly at Tanbridge House School. The redevelopment of the village shopping centre and creation of Lintot Square were accomplished in 2006. The development includes a health centre, café, the Lintot family pub, shops, post office, affordable housing, car parking and Beeson House, which houses the library, youth club, council offices and police offices.
- 3.7 The 35 hectare Southwater Country Park was created on the site of the former brickworks at Lennox Wood and the old railway track became part of the Downs Link. These, together with Pond Farm Ghyll, the Shaw on the remains on Reeds Lane from Easteds Farm House to the bypass, serve to bring the countryside into the heart of the village.

Employment and Economy⁶

3.8 Historically, farming has been the industry in the village and surrounding hamlets. However, over the years the parish has been the home of timber and Horsham stone production and more recently brick making. Today the village has two industrial estates, one alongside the Country Park housing the IBM computer centre and a Sony DVD and Bluray manufacturing facility, the other, at the north end close to the A24 where units benefit from full B1 planning consent allowing a range of uses to include office/high tech, studio, laboratory and research & development. Currently most are engaged in light industry and the service sectors. Situated in the Oakhurst Business Park, the RSPCA headquarters employs 350 people. Christ's Hospital School and Foundation is the largest employer in the parish with just under 500 staff, with about 150 (mostly teaching staff) living on site.

Landscape Character & Ecology

- 3.9 The landscape itself has a gently changing topography forming low, raised areas and very shallow valleys. Expansive views are possible. The landscape presents these features as a harmonious whole with obvious change where it meets built up areas. There are localised small blocks of woodland, many of which are recorded as Ancient Woodland for example Pond Farm Ghyll, Courtlands Wood, Blunts Copse and Sparrow Copse. There extensive areas of informal green space and outside of the main settlement there are small hamlets and isolated farms, distinctive field trees and farm ponds and narrow lanes, sunken in places with farms and cottages dispersed along lanes⁷.
- 3.10 Southwater falls within the Horsham District Landscape Capacity Assessment zone 2 which extends from the southern boundary of Horsham town and continues southwards to

⁵ http://www.uklocalarea.com/index.php?q=Southwater&wc=45UFGY&lsoa=E01031682&property=y

⁶ Extracts from the Southwater Parish Design Statement 2011

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encompass the settlements of Tower Hill, Christ's Hospital and Southwater. The land falls within Low Weald National Landscape Character Area. The land includes the narrow river valley of the River Arun to the south of Horsham. In the west and south of the zone the landscape is well wooded, and includes a number of ridges and ghylls. The landscape also contains irregular to regular pasture fields. The north east of this landscape Zone is more open in nature with views to Christ's Hospital School. There are some urban influences in this area, particularly around the settlement edges and also from the A248. This zone is divided into a number of smaller local landscape character areas. A number of landscape character areas in the District (including between Horsham and Southwater) have an important role to play in maintaining a sense of separation between these settlements.

Flooding and Infrastructure

3.11 The Strategic Flood Risk Assessment (FRA) for Horsham District 2010 states that Southwater can suffer from pluvial flooding which typically arises when intense rainfall, often of short duration, is unable to soak into the ground and/or enter drainage systems. Pluvial flooding has been noted to have affected a large number of roads in Horsham including Southwater. However Southwater Parish falls within Flood Zone 1 – Low Probability flood risk.

All means of Access and Transport9

3.12 Southwater has many advantages with good access to the motorway system giving direct road links to both Gatwick and Heathrow airports. Two railway stations, Horsham and Christ's Hospital are less than five miles away. There are currently six road routes into and out of the parish with the main route into the village of Southwater being the Worthing Road, which prior to December 1982 was the A24.

Historic Character & Archaeology

3.13 The Parish of Southwater is privileged to have a number of listed historic buildings, timber-framed 13th to 16th century former open hall houses and 16th to 18th century chimney houses. Christ's Hospital is a charitable coeducational independent boarding school located to the north of the parish. The original buildings in the parish date from 1902 when the school relocated from Newgate Street onto the 1,200 acres site. Architectural features from the old school buildings (the Grecians' Arch, the Wren façade and statues) were salvaged and incorporated in the new buildings. The large houses in King Edward Road are built in Lutyens style with local brickwork detailing and high gables. The whole of the site is Grade 2* listed.

⁸ http://www.horshamdistrictldf.info/Core Strategy/docs/Landscape-Capacity-Study2014.pdf

⁹ Extracts from the Southwater Parish Design Statement 2011.

The Sustainability Issues for Southwater

3.14 The sustainability issues are set out under the headings of economic, environmental and social and provided as a SWOT (**S**trength, **W**eaknesses, **O**pportunities, **T**hreats) table – see below.

Strengths

- A strong sense of community and active Parish Council.
- Village of Southwater set within a rural location.
- Good links to Horsham, Gatwick airport and the coast.
- Good footpath and bridleway links to open countryside
- Considered to be a safe village and Parish.
- A good number of heritage assets and historic locations such as Christ's Hospital and station, Denne Park House.
- Healthy population.
- Southwater Country Park is a popular and high quality area of public open space of value locally and wider afield.
- High quality village centre.

Weaknesses

- Limited opportunities for brownfield development or sites coming forward within built up area boundary.
- Access onto A24 is impacting on future growth of the village.
- No secondary school within Parish leading to out migration of school students each day.
- Over-reliance on the car for transport.
- Strategic allocation to west of Parish restricts other opportunities.
- Cost of housing is high.

Opportunities

- Improve provision and value of open space
- Consider options for improving biodiversity within the village.
- Provide safe opportunities to walk and cycle.
- To seek delivery of key community and infrastructure improvements through strategic development to the west of the village.
- To allow Southwater to be developed sensitively to maintain gaps between settlements.

Threats

- Out commuting continues to grow.
- Strategic development earmarked for west of village.
- Strategic developments not identifying key infrastructure and community requirements.
- Lack of protection of buffer between Horsham and Southwater leading to coalescence of two locations.

4.0 SUSTAINABILITY FRAMEWORK - OBJECTIVES

- 4.1 In order to undertake the Sustainability Appraisal process, it is necessary to identify sustainability objectives and indicators (by which to measure these objectives) to enable an assessment to be made of the emerging options of the Neighbourhood Plan. The sustainability objectives and indicators combined are known as the Sustainability Framework.
- 4.2 The development of these objectives has taken into consideration the sustainability objectives of the Horsham District Planning Framework Sustainability Appraisal (May 2014) and issues identified within it.
- 4.3 The primary aim of the sustainability framework is to assess all realistic and relevant options for the Neighbourhood Plan in order to determine which option is the most sustainable, given alternatives. The sustainability indicators have also been developed to provide a mechanism to measure how the Neighbourhood Plan, once adopted, is contributing towards sustainable development. To establish the indicators a number of issues have been considered, particularly:
 - where information is currently available,
 - where the District Council has already set targets,
 - their relevance to planning matters and the influence the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan can have on achieving them.
- 4.4 The proposed sustainability objectives and associated indicators (framework) for the Sustainability Appraisal of the SPNP are set out below

Themes and Objectives

SA Objective	Decision Making Criteria	Potential Indicators	
1. To provide high quality Housing in sustainable locations ¹⁰ to meet the needs of existing and future residents with an appropriate range of size, types and tenures	Q1a: Will the SPNP provide housing in sustainable locations? And provide a range of housing types of various sizes and tenures?	 Affordable housing completions. % of 1, 2,3 and 4+ bedroom homes built in proportion to the total 	Social
2. To ensure everyone has access to appropriate, affordable community facilities including facilities for the elderly, education, childcare, leisure and recreation facilities and public open spaces.	Q2a: Will the SPNP increase the provision of community facilities and public open space?	 Number of schemes resulting in improved or losses to community facilities, sport, recreation or open space. Total value of \$106 / CIL contributions towards infrastructure, open space and community improvements 	Social
3. To create a sustainable community through the promotion of community engagement, the development of a sense of ownership and a sense of place and the provision of appropriate infrastructure To create a safe, secure and healthy environment.	Q3a: Will it enable Southwater to influence the decisions that affect its area and quality of life? Q3b: Will it help deliver a 'sense of place' and community ownership?	Civic participation in the local area – number of respondents to future consultation exercises.	Social
4. To protect and enhance the quality and level of biodiversity and natural habitats within Southwater and where appropriate provide new green infrastructure.	Q4a: Will it protect and enhance existing flora, fauna and habitats? Q4b: Will it provide opportunities for new habitat creation and native species?	 Number of schemes permitted with improvements to biodiversity, significant habitats, protected species, and areas of nature conservation. Area of land allocated for green infrastructure. 	Environmental

¹⁰ Sustainable locations are considered to be sites that are either within the built up area of Southwater village or are adjacent to or abutting the existing built up area and relate to the village.

5. To conserve and enhance the quality of landscape and character in Southwater and the quality and distinctiveness of the historical and cultural environment of the Parish.	Q5a: Will it conserve and enhance local landscape character? Q5b: Will it conserve or enhance local heritage character?	 Number of landscape improvement schemes completed. Number of awards for the built environment. Number of applications incorporating heritage enhancements or improvement schemes. 	Environmental
6. To maintain flood risk and promote the use of sustainable drainage systems (SuDS)	Q6a: Will it not exacerbate any form of flooding?	 Permissions granted contrary to advice of EA & WSCC. Number of developments that incorporate SuDS measures 	Environmental
7. To encourage sustainable design and construction through the promotion of exemplary sustainable design standards To reduce energy efficiency and the proportion of energy generated from renewable and low carbon sources. To maximise opportunities for the reduction, reuse and recycling of waste in Southwater/ Parish	Q7a: Will it include measures to increase energy efficiency?	Number of developments using reclaimed material in construction	Environmental
8. To improve travel choices through the provision of a range of sustainable transport options, including walking, cycling and public transport	Q8a: Will it reduce car use? Q8b: Will it provide travel choice which includes sustainable modes of transport (ie public transport, walking and cycling)?	 Access to services and facilities by public transport, walking or cycling Number of bus stops. Number of applications accompanied by a Travel Plan 	Environmental
9. To encourage vitality, vibrancy and overall stability within the local Southwater economy and to improve the availability of opportunities for local employment. To maintain and improve the local retail offer across the Parish including the town centre of Southwater.	Q9a: Will it support key sectors that drive economic growth? Q9b: Will it support existing Southwater businesses? Q9c: Will it support the diversity of the local economy?	 Amount of employment land lost to residential development Amount of new employment floor space Amount of new retail floor space created 	Economic

5.0 NEXT STEPS AND CONCLUSION

- 5.1 This document sets out the baseline information for Southwater and provides a brief overview of the plans and policies that will influence the production of the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan. It also sets out the current sustainability issues facing the parish and the sustainability objectives the Neighbourhood Plan should strive to achieve.
- 5.2 Southwater Parish Council welcomes views and feedback on the scoping report and a copy has been sent to all organisations outlined in Appendix A. It is also available on the Parish Council website at: http://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk/Neighbourhood-Plan-.aspx
- 5.3 The proposed timetable for developing and producing the Neighbourhood Plan and the accompanying Sustainability Appraisal will be confirmed but it is expected to be ready for publication in draft in early 2016.
- 5.4 Comments made on this Scoping Report will be taken into account when preparing the finalised sustainability framework on which to test the emerging Neighbourhood Plan and options contained within. Where necessary, further assessment of the options will be undertaken, along with any updating of baseline data, plans and policies.
- 5.5 A Sustainability Appraisal Report will be published alongside the Neighbourhood Plan and these will both be subject to an Examination.

APPENDIX A

List of consultees for the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan Scoping Report

Statutory Consultees

Natural England

Environment Agency

Historic England

Other Consultees

Horsham District Council
West Sussex County Council
Southwater District and County Councillors

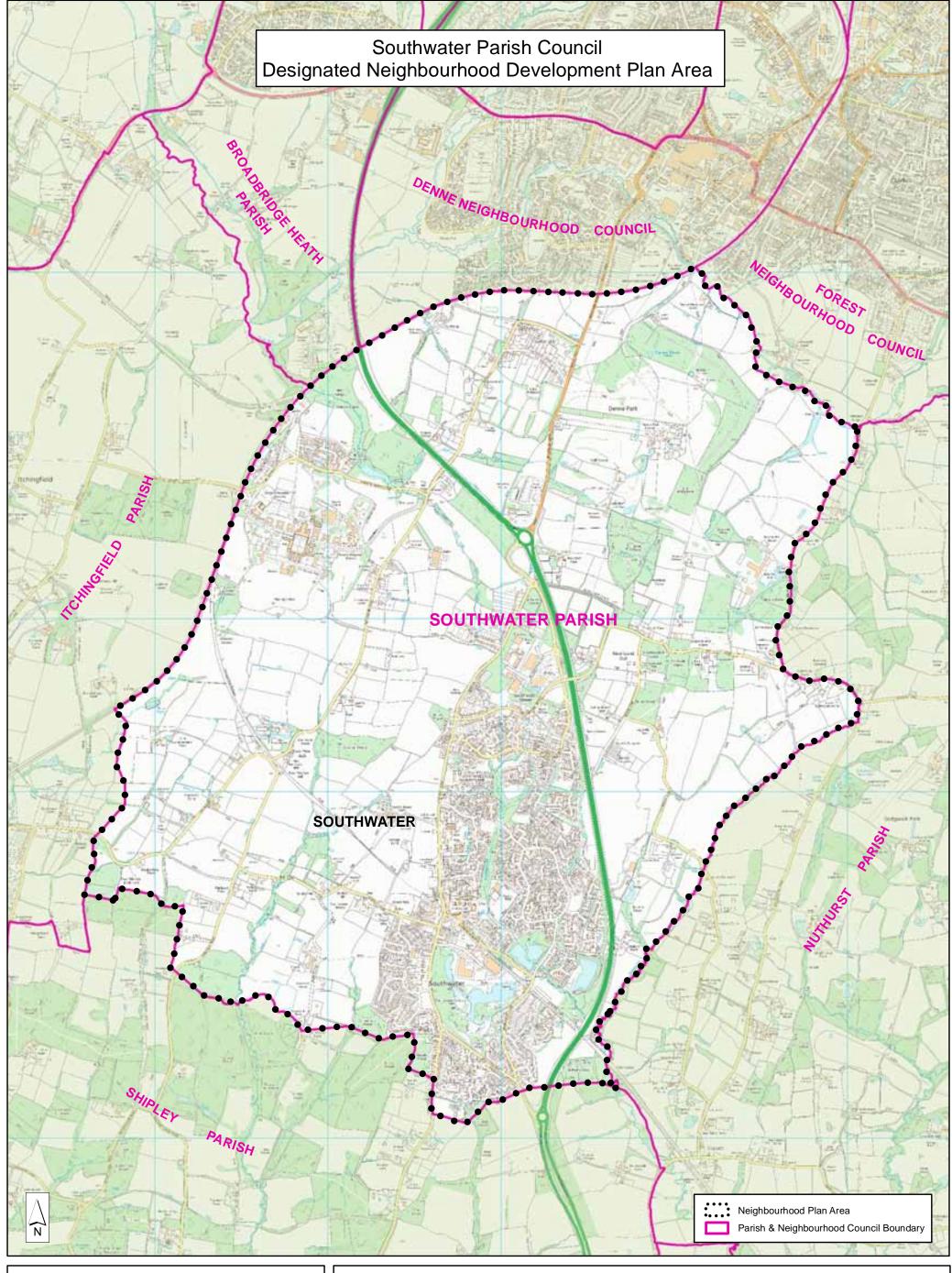
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APPENDIX B



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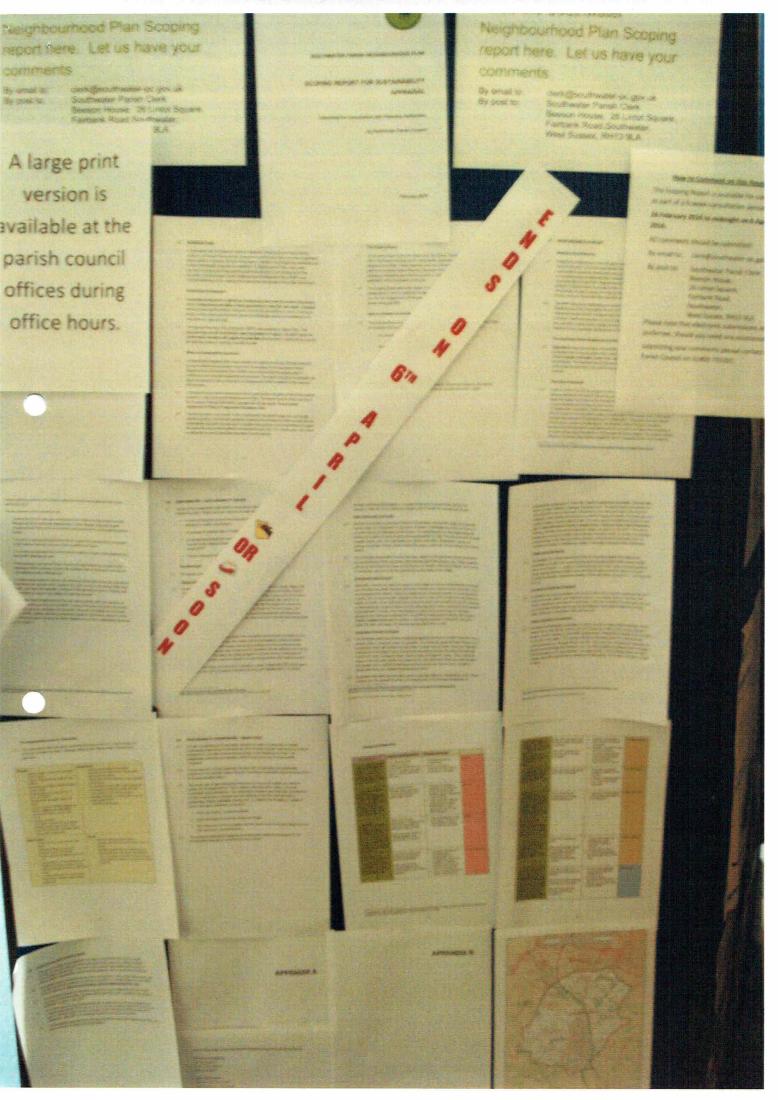
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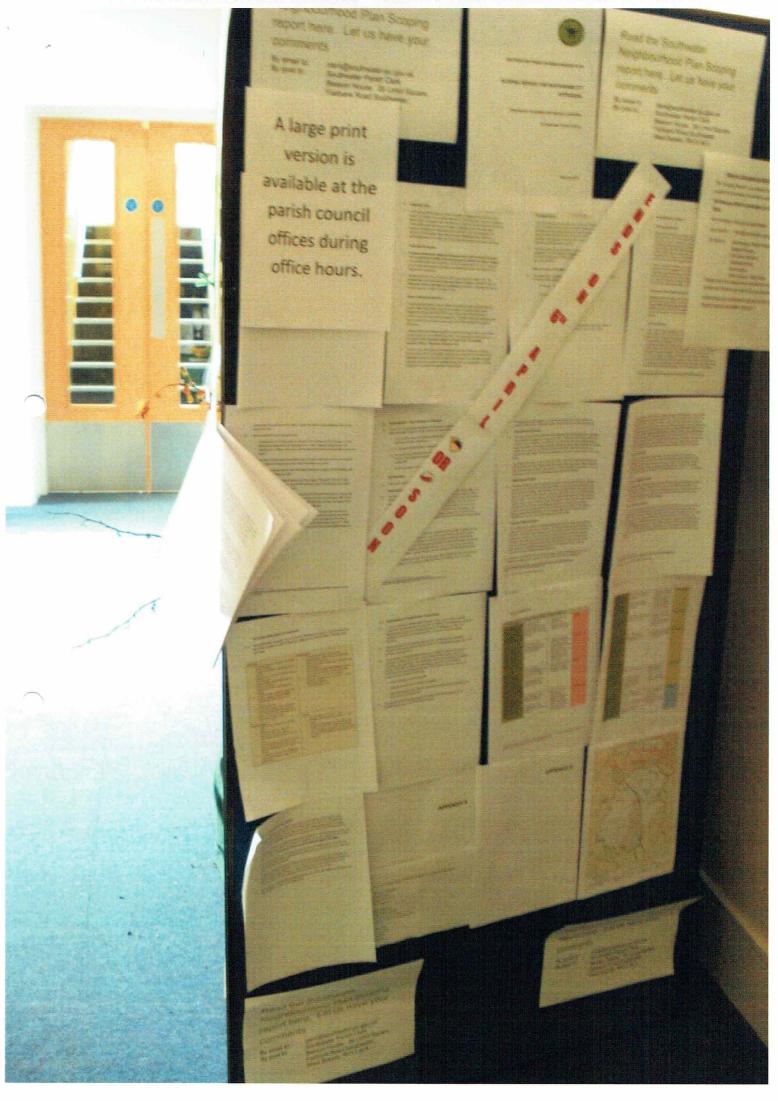
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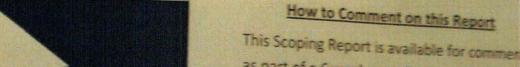




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HORSHAM DISTRICT COUNCIL NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN AREA DESIGNATION

PARISH OF SOUTHWATER

DESIGNATION OF AMENDED AREA

1 BACKGROUND

- 1.1 The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 specify what a local authority must do to publicise an 'area application' and, following consideration and determination of the application, what it must do to publicise the outcome. Regulation 2(6) requires that a copy of the area application, details of how to make representations and the date by which those representations must be received (being not less than 4 weeks from the date the application is first publicised) must be put on the local planning authority website. Regulation 7 requires that as soon as possible after determining the application the decision should be published on their website.
- 1.2 The Council, on 25th July 2013, delegated authority to the Head of Strategic Planning and Sustainability in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Planning and Development, to publicise applications for neighbourhood areas, consider representations and determine applications.

2 APPLICATION

- 2.1 The Parish of Southwater was designated as a neighbourhood area for the purpose of producing a neighbourhood development plan on 25 February 2014. The Council received a second application on 20 March 2016 (Annex A) for the redesignation of Southwater as a neighbourhood plan area to reflect amendments made to the parish boundary brought into effect by The Horsham District Council (Reorganisation of Community Order) 2013.
- 2.2 The application included a statement that the applicant was a 'relevant body', being a parish council, under Section 61(G) of the Town and Country Planning Act 1990.
- 2.3 The application was accompanied by a statement explaining why this area is considered appropriate to be designated as a neighbourhood area, and a map on an Ordnance Survey base identifying the intended neighbourhood plan area (Annex B).
- 2.4 The Council considers the application meets the requirements of Regulation 5.

3 PUBLICITY AND CONSULTATION

3.1 The Council's website explained the purpose and period of consultation (4 weeks) and how to make representation either of the website or in writing to the Council. There was access via the website to a copy of the application documents received from the applicant. The application was also advertised by public notice in the Horsham District Post on 24 March 2016.

Further discretionary publicity included a press release, and a paper copy of the application documents was available for inspection at the Council's principal offices in Horsham during the consultation period.

3.2 The Council is satisfied that this publicity has allowed the area to be brought to the attention of people who live, work or carry on business in the area to which the application relates, and that it meets the requirements set out in Regulation 6.

4 REPRESENTATIONS

4.1 The Council received no representations in support of the application. No objections were received.

5 COMMENT

5.1 The plan area does not overlap with any other area and is considered to be compatible with the objective of good town planning and the strategic policies of the Horsham Development Planning Framework which was adopted on 27 November 2015.

6 DELEGATED DECISION

- 6.1 The Chief Executive and the Cabinet Member for Planning and Development hereby exercise their delegated authority to agree the application and designate the Parish of Southwater as a Neighbourhood Development Plan Area (as amended by the Horsham District Council (Reorganisation of Community Order) 2013).
- 6.2 A copy of this note will be placed on the Council's website, sent to Shipley Parish Council and to relevant District Councillors. A map of the designated area will also be posted on the Council's website.

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6.3 The publicity for the Council's decision will thereby meet the requirements of Regulation 7.

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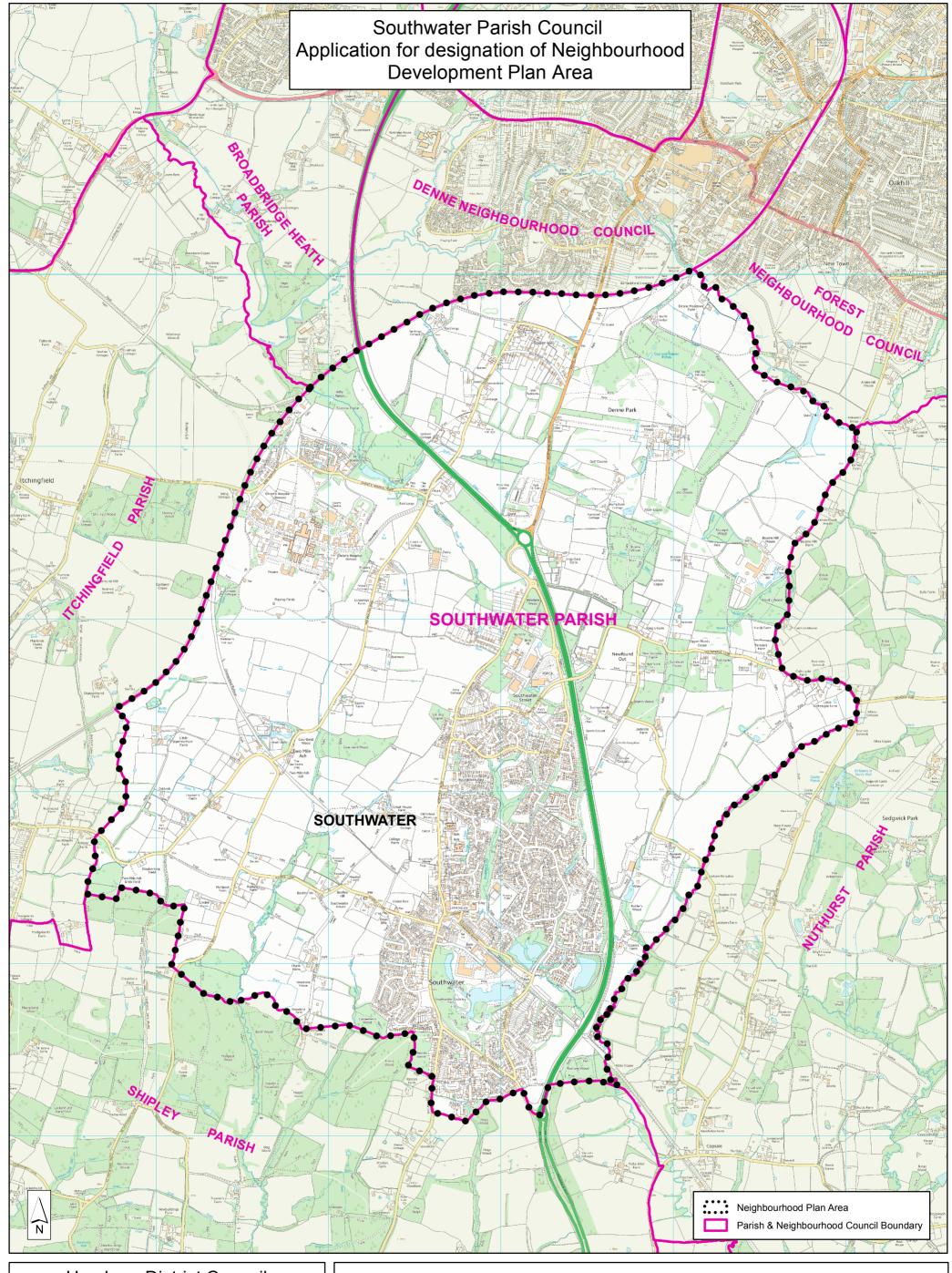
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Horsham District Council

Park North, North Street, Horsham, West Sussex. RH12 1RL Rod Brown: Head of Planning & Environmental Services

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Application to the Horsham District Council under The Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012 Regulation 5.

Reference No : SWNP2		Date : 23/01/14	Scale: 1:20,000 (at A3)
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Application to Designate a Neighbourhood Development Plan Area

Neighbourhood Planning (General) Regulations 2012

This application form asks for information (Regulation 5) to assist the Council* in publishing an area application (Regulation 6) and after receiving any relevant comments in taking a decision* on the suitability of the Plan Area (Regulation 7).

If you have any queries about this form please contact:

telephone Strategic Planning and Sustainability - 01403 215208

⊠ email to: neighbourhood.planning@horsham.gov.uk

post to: Strategic Planning and Sustainability, Horsham District Council,

Parkside, Chart Way, Horsham, West Sussex, RH12 1RL

Note all information provided on this form in support of the application will be publicised

Thank you. When completed please return this form - together with your intended Plan Designation Map - to the above address.

We will acknowledge and advise you on publicity and reporting arrangements and the decision of Horsham Council on your application. *Where the intended Plan Area includes land within the South Downs National Park then this application will also fall for their consideration and approval.

APPLICATION INFORMATION

A CONTACT DETAILS

Name	Jennifer Nagy
Telephone number	01403 733202
E-mail address	jenny@southwater.net
Position in organisation	Acting Clerk to the Council

B ABOUT YOUR ORGANISATION

Name of Organisation		Southwater Parish Council
Address and postcode		Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Southwater, West Sussex RH13 9LA
Parish Council	YES	Prospective Neighbourhood Forum

Intended Name of Neighbourhood Area		Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Area		
Extent of the area and	Whole Paris	sh/Neighbourhood Forum area?	Yes	
boundaries		rish/Neighbourhood Forum area?	No	
	Is this a join	t application with a neighbouring Parish or Forum?	No	
	Is any part	of this area within the South Downs National Park?*	No	
Add a Map Reference Number		de a Map showing your draft Plan Designation Area sing an Ordnance Survey base map - with copyright acknowle	edgement.	
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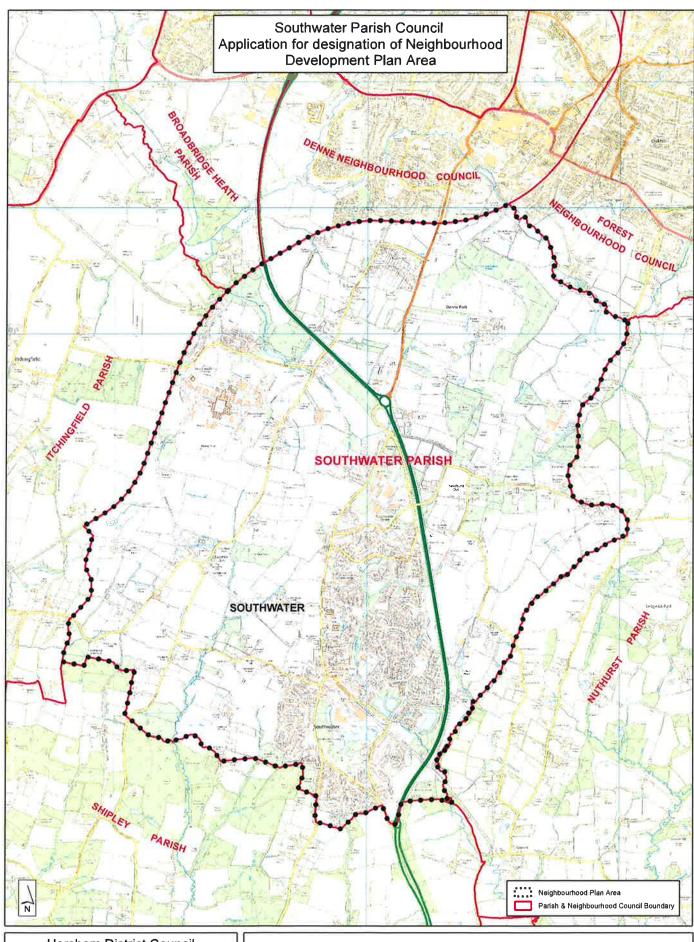
Plan Area Statement	It has been necessary to apply for re-designation following the changes to the parish boundaries which came in to effect on 7 May 2015. The proposed revision to the designated Neighbourhood Area will enable Southwater Parish Council to continue with the preparation of the Neighbourhood Plan for the new Parish area.
Explain why this area is considered appropriate to be designated as a neighbourhood development plan area Please use another sheet if necessary	

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

Supporting Information (optional) For publicity purposes You could use this to e.g. explain your objectives in producing a Neighbourhood Plan Please use another sheet if necessary

E DECLARATION

I / We hereby apply to designate a	Name and position	Date
Neighbourhood Area. In the case of joint	Jennifer Nagy	20/3/16
applications, please provide the name of the	JENNIFER NAGY	
relevant person and	ACTING CLERK	
attach a confirmation	SOUTHWATER	
letter on behalf of each Parish	PARISH	
1 417011	COUNCIL	



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Designation Order

First Name

Last Name

Email Address

I want updates on:

MinutesPlanningCommunity PolicingDate of Parish Council MeetingsDevelopmentSouthwater Action TeamBusinessesCommunity GroupsLeisurePoliceNews & EventsAgendasYouth GroupsTransportNeighbourhood PlanVolunteeringNH Plan Prize - Adult NH Plan Prize - Junior

Our Aims:

We want to build and support strong, active and inclusive communities across the Parish to encourage people to take an active part in making decisions, delivering and influencing services across the Parish.

Designation Order - Southwater Neighbourhood Plan AreaAs part of the Neighbourhood Plan process, the Parish Council were required to identify the 'neighbourhood plan area' and submit this application to the local planning authority (Horsham District Council) for designation.

The designation application for the Southwater Plan relates to the parish area of Southwater. See map.

Consultation: Proposed Revision to the Designated Southwater Neighbourhood Area Please see Horsham District Council Website for details of the current and proposed revision to the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan Area. The consultation runs from 01 April 2016 - 29 April 2016. The information, and website link, is found here.

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Southwater's Neighbourhood Plan should be seen as a positive community document. Your views are therefore vital in putting together the views of the community in relation to, but not excluding, the examples given:-

- Social & Community We would encourage you to think about how you interact within the community with both formal organisations (schools, doctor surgeries etc) and informal organisations (leisure centre, youth club etc). Are you aware of the contents of the latest Parish Plan (see website for further details)?
- Infrastructure Consider for example whether there is a speeding issue within the parish or
 indeed a particular area in order that the Parish Council could put forward to the County Council
 the lowering of speeds limits from 40/50 mph to 30mph. Consider whether the community
 requires or will require increased bus services, localised transport provision, or whether there is
 support for a new A24 bridge providing access to and from Southwater both in terms of walking
 and cycling.
- Heritage Do you have a copy or have you looked at the current Village Design Statement? This
 is an important document in preserving the character of the community; would you want this to be
 significantly changed or improved upon?
- Culture Consider what type of cultural events you may wish to see developed and where these
 would be best situated.
- Economy Consider the future parking needs of the community in terms of the retail space, would you consider this adequate or would we require more shops and car parking spaces?
 Should the community purchase land to provide affordable homes or provide small live work units?
- Environment Consider whether the Plan should try and protect the strategic gap between
 Horsham and Southwater. The District Council's proposed strategy will be called a Cohesion
 Policy; will this protect the coalescence of Horsham and Southwater two distinct communities?
 Do we require more or less street furniture and signage? And if so specify locations.

Whilst the above provide examples, we are sure that you will have a vast range of items you wish us to consider, please feel free to express these in taking part in any of the consultations. Once finalised and passed by the Inspector, it will be enshrined in the District Council's Planning Framework as a policy, so has to be taken into consideration for any development for Southwater - it simply cannot be ignored. Therefore no suggestion will be discounted, but we would encourage local residents to consider how they would go about implementing the suggestion for example, a sports running track -

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where would you put that? Another factor to be considered would be that any large expenditure needs to be paid for via Council Tax, whether this be the Parish, District or County Councils. This could be used to establish whether the local tax base would be willing to support, for example, a swimming pool within the parish. YOUR VIEWS ARE WANTED



Mrs Jenny Nagy,
Deputy Clerk,
Southwater Parish Council,
26, Lintot Square
Fairbank Road
Southwater
West Sussex
RH13 9LA

Our ref: Southwater Decision Notice

16 May 2016

Dear Mrs Nagy,

RE: Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan Area

Decision Notice

I am writing on behalf of Horsham District Council to let you know that the Planning Authority has approved the amended designation of the Parish of Southwater as a Neighbourhood Development Plan Area.

Details of the designated Plan Area can be viewed on the Council's website:

http://www.horsham.gov.uk/environment/planning_policy/16434.aspx

Enclosed with this letter is a map of Southwater Parish with references showing that the area has been designated.

This letter is being placed on the Council's website. If you have a dedicated webpage for your Plan, please send me a link so we can put it on our webpage.

In due course this letter will be required for the independent examiner.

Yours faithfully,

Maggie Williams

Neighbourhood Planning Officer

M.A. Williams

SOUTHWATER PARISH COUNCIL



QUALITY PARISH COUNCIL

Clerk: Mrs.C.M.Tobin Cert.Ed.L.Pol., PILCM.,

Deputy Clerk: Mrs.J.Nagy

NEWS RELEASE

25th January 2017

Southwater Parish Council is promoting a Neighbourhood Plan and will shortly be consulting regarding development proposals. Neighbourhood Plans were introduced by the Localism Act 2012. This enables bodies such as Parish Councils to put in place a vision and policies for the future development of the area.

The Council has sought submissions from landowners and developers, requesting details of development proposals of land within their control.

Public consultation is a central part of the Neighbourhood Plan process and their Parish Council will be seeking feedback from members of the local community. Such feedback will help inform and direct the final vision of the plan.

Graham Watkins, Chair of the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group said "Southwater Parish Council is committed to producing a Neighbourhood Plan which helps the community inform the future for the Parish. I would encourage residents to attend the event and let us know their views"

Details of the event are below:-

Saturday 28th January 2017 10:00am – 4:00pm Tuesday 31st January 2017 4:00pm – 8:00pm

Venue: The Council Offices, Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Fairbank Road, Southwater, West Sussex,

RH13 9LA.

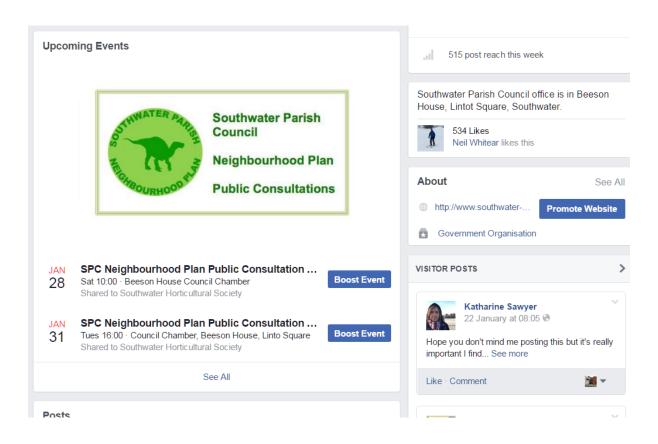
Tel: 01403 733202

Email: parish@southwater.net

About Southwater

Southwater is located within Horsham District and is one of the largest rural communities in West Sussex. The Parish has 10,500 residents and includes the village of Southwater, Newfoundout, Christ's Hospital, Tower Hill & Two Mile Ash. At the heart of the village lies Lintot Square with a wide variety of excellent shops, pubs, restaurants, library, post office, youth centre and health centre. Elsewhere within the Parish are two business parks, home to local companies and some of the largest businesses in the District. Recreation opportunities include our very own Leisure Centre, Country Park, and a huge range of sports and community clubs.

Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Fairbank Road, Southwater, West Sussex RH13 9LA Telephone No. 01403 733202 Fax 01403 732420 Email: catherine@southwater.net





Thursday	10.30am - 3.30pm
Friday	10.30am - 3.30pm
Saturday	Closed
Sunday	Closed

Appointments may be made with the Clerk and or Deputy Clerk outside of these opening nours please contact <a href="mailto:partist

STAY IN TOUCH WITH US AND LIKE OUR NEW FACEBOOK PAGE

Southwater Parish Council has a new Facebook Pagel. To keep in touch with local events and news, or to interact with your community, please "tilke" our new Facebook page. You can now find Southwater Parish Council on Facebook here https://www.facebook.com/Southwater-Parish-Council-360408727369224/. Please take the time to read the new Southwater Parish Council Facebook Policy which explains how we run and manage Facebook pages under our control. The document is below.

And remember you can still "Like" our **Southwater Skatepark page** to keep up to date with all the latest news going on down at the ramps! http://www.facebook.com/pages/Southwater-Skate-Park/1694428765142567ref-ht] And also "Like" Southwater Leisure Centre for the latest News, Events, Classes and Clubs. Keep fitl Feel good! Have funl http://www.facebook.com/pages/Southwater-Leisure-Centre/204867899642169?ref-ht] Southwater Parish Council also has a Twitter account! Be sure to follow us at @southwaterpc to be posted on the latest updates, news and events! Find us here: https://kwitter.com/southwaterpc

Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan Public Consultations (Chamber - Beeson House)

Public "drop in sessions" are happening on Saturday 28th January 2017 between 10:00am and 4:00pm and Tuesday 31st January 2017 between 4:00pm and 8:00pm in the upper floor chamber in Beeson House Southwater. Find out more by looking at the events page for the Neighbourhood



SOUTHWATER PARISH COUNCIL

PUBLIC NOTICE

SOUTHWATER PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN PUBLIC CONSULTATION

Southwater Parish Council is preparing a Neighbourhood Plan for the whole of the Parish Area.

The Parish Council will be holding a public exhibition and consultation exercise to publicise the proposed plan, development sites and receive feedback from the local community.

The events will be held on :-

Saturday 28th January 2017 10:00am - 4:00pm

Tuesday 31st January 2017 4:00pm - 8:00pm

Venue: The Council Offices, Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Fairbank Road, Southwater, West

Sussex, RH13 9LA.

Tel: 01403 733202

Email: parish@southwater.net

SOUTHWATER PARISH COUNCIL





Dear Site Proposer

The Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan: Public Consultation Saturday 28th January 2017 and Tuesday 31st January 2017

I refer to recent correspondence. Thank you for providing us with additional details regarding the site you are promoting as part of the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan. We have now included this within our site assessment information and are able to move to the next stage of the neighbourhood plan.

The next step is to inform you that we are holding a <u>public exhibition</u> to show residents the proposed sites. The public exhibition will occur on both:-

- Saturday 28th January 2017 between 10:00am 4:00pm
- Tuesday 31st January 2017 between 4:00pm 8:00pm

You are more than welcome to attend one or both days and if you intend to come please let us know in advance so that we can prepare a name badge etc for you. However you are not obliged to attend should you be unable to do so.

At the public exhibition we would like each site to be presented uniformly to the public so that the public can see:

- (a) The opinion/comments of the Steering Group Committee of the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan
- (b) The site's location (aerial or site map);
- (c) The views from the site;
- (d) The proposed use of the site with site layout if known;

We believe that we have all the information needed to do this on your behalf and we set out below how we propose this can be done. There may be <u>limited space</u> for additional information.

Information regarding Exhibition Boards

1) We will provide exhibition boards (size 90cm wide x 180cm high) on to which information will be attached using "hook spots" which we will provide. Please note drawing pins, sticky tape or similar are not suitable as they damage the fabric.

- 2) The first item on the board will be the opinion/comments of the Steering Group Committee of the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan printed onto A3 so that people can see the key considerations and the assessment of the Steering Group regarding the site and its sustainability. We are preparing this one for each site.
- 3) Below which we will add a colour copy of the site's location printed onto A3. We can use the site location photo/plan which you have already provided to us.
- 4) We will also add colour copies of some or all of the photos which you have already provided (probably printed onto A4).
- 5) We can add a colour copy of the site layout (probably printed onto A3). If you have provided one we will endeavour to use it or you may wish to send one to us (however a site layout is not obligatory). This is probably the only information that you may now need to prepare if you choose to do so.
- 6) Space permitting, there will be a table(s) available where additional (marketing) material can be placed. The table(s) will be available to <u>all parties</u> to use and the amount of information permitted by each person will be at the discretion of the Parish Council and/or staff on the day whose decision is final.

It is our view, based on our previous experience, that the information set out above will take up most of the board's useable space. There may be <u>limited space</u> for some further information depending on how material is laid out. We are hoping to arrange the room so that we can have two sets of the exhibition board sites available at the same time. Please note, we do reserve the right to change the order, size or content of material if we deem this necessary in order to ensure that the public are provided with clear and informative documentation.

What needs to be done next?

Please confirm by Friday 20th January 2017 if you will be attending (and if so when).

If you have additional information you may email this to us in advance or attend on the day (no more than 1 hour before the exhibition starts). If you have any questions on what is required, please contact me, Carol Fossick, at this office on 01403 733202.

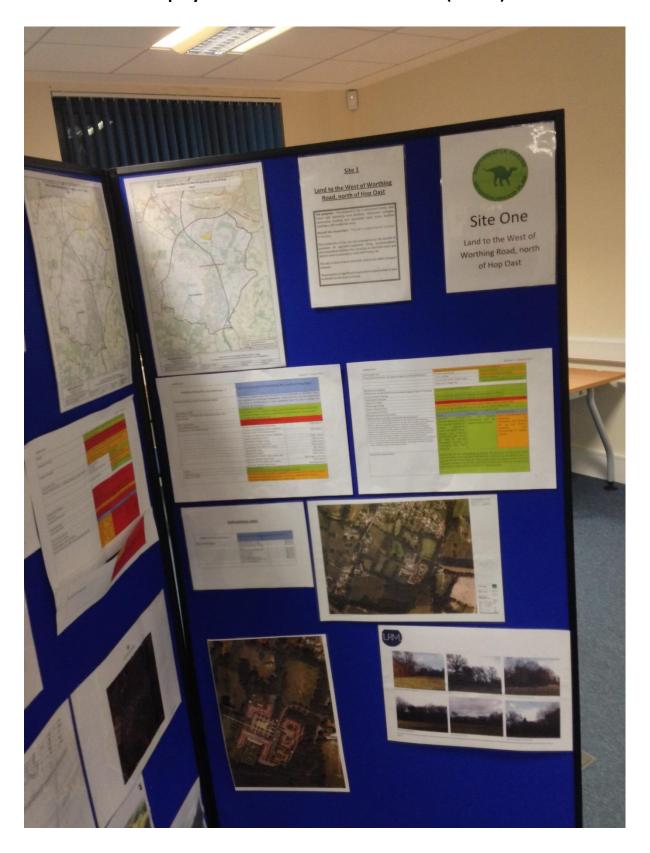
Kind regards

Carol Fossick

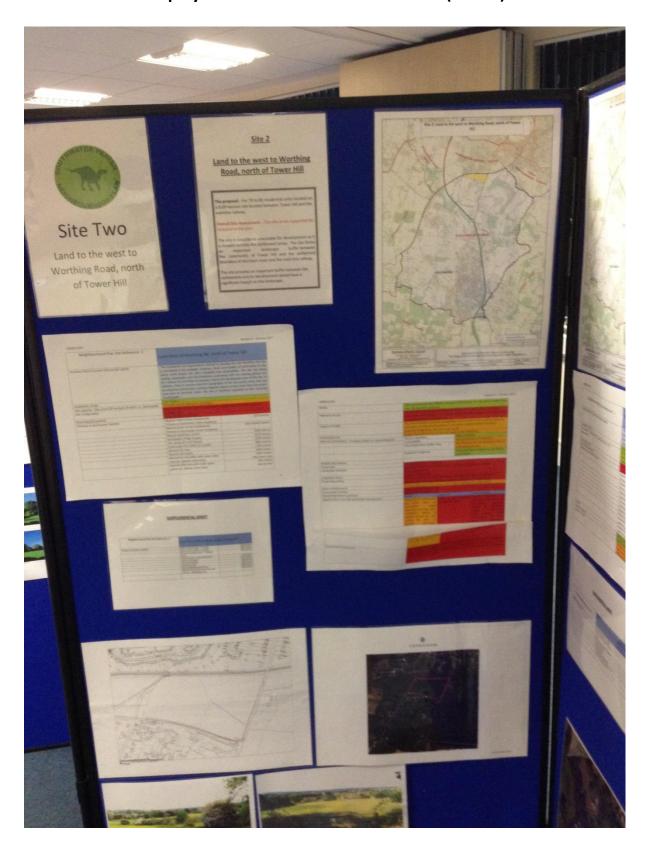
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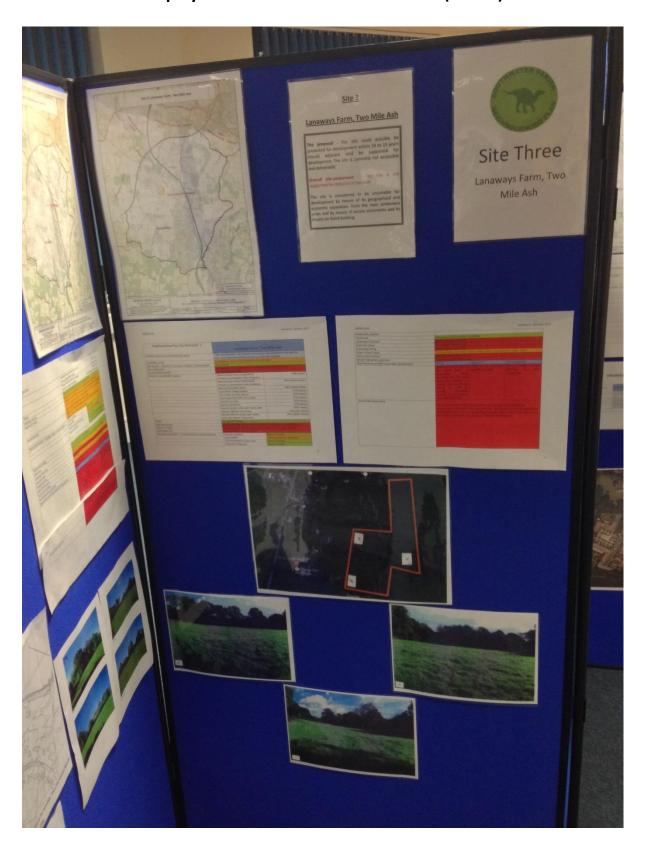
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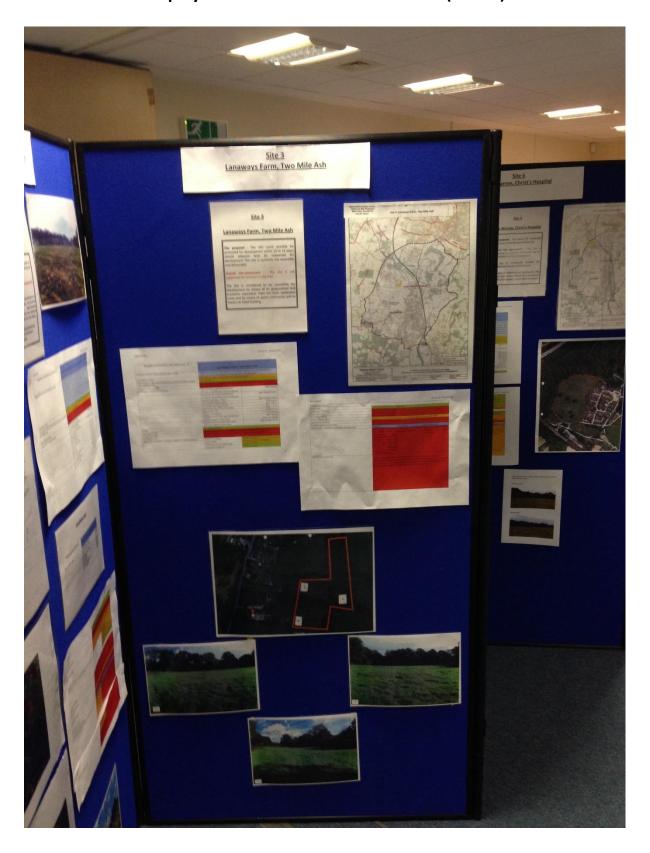
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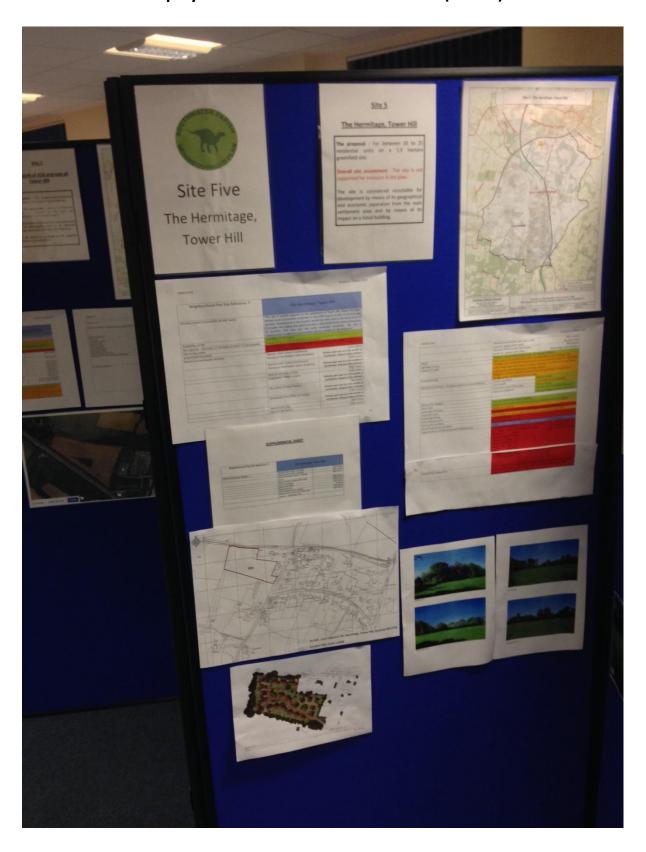
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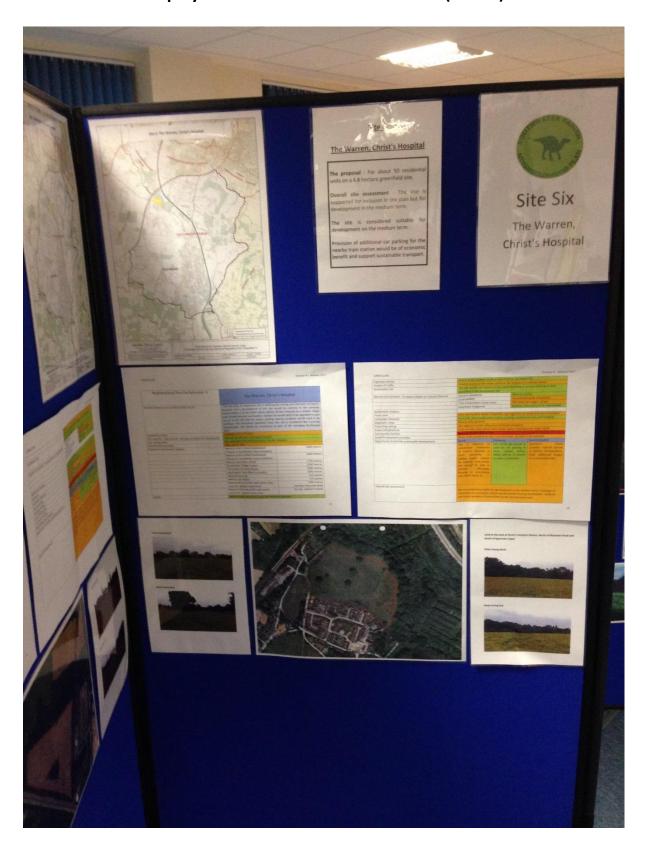
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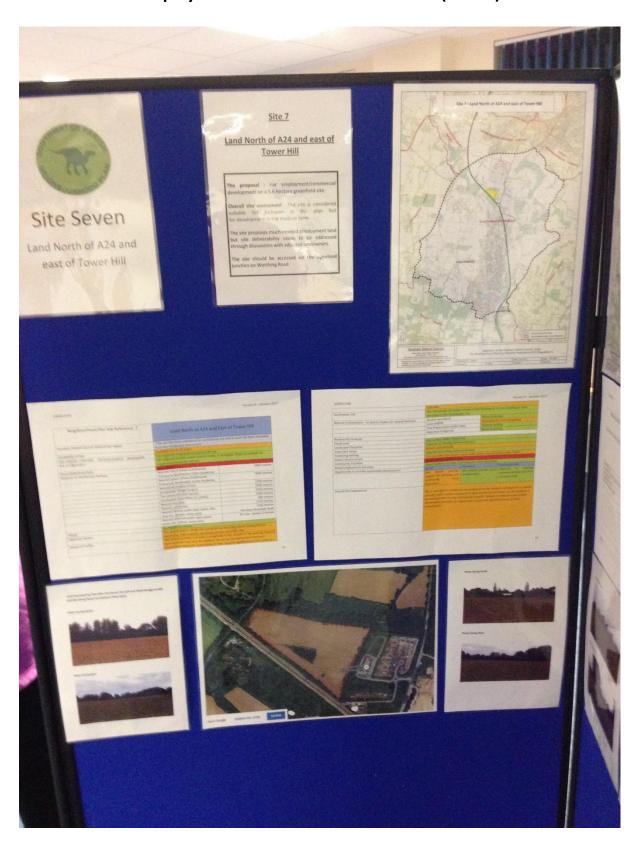
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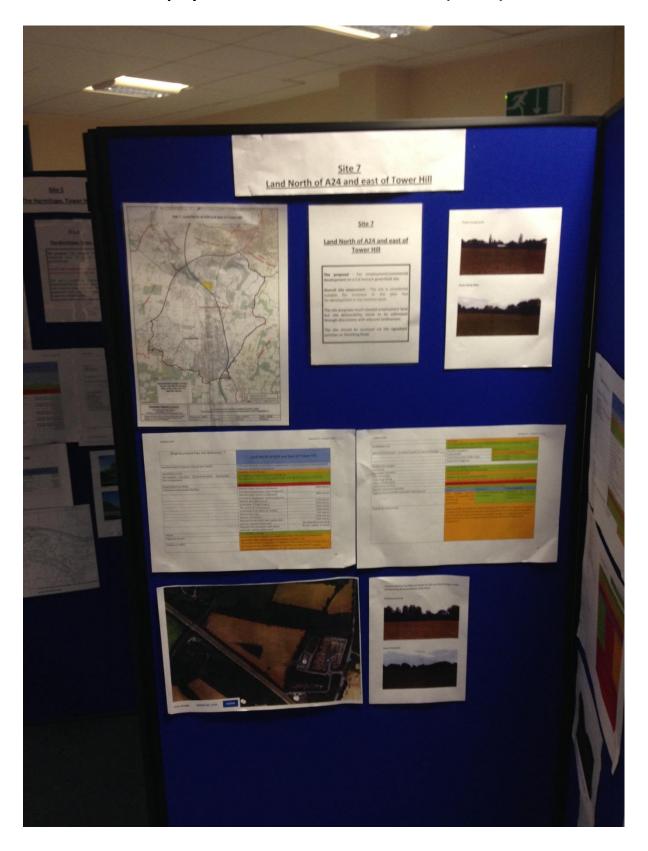
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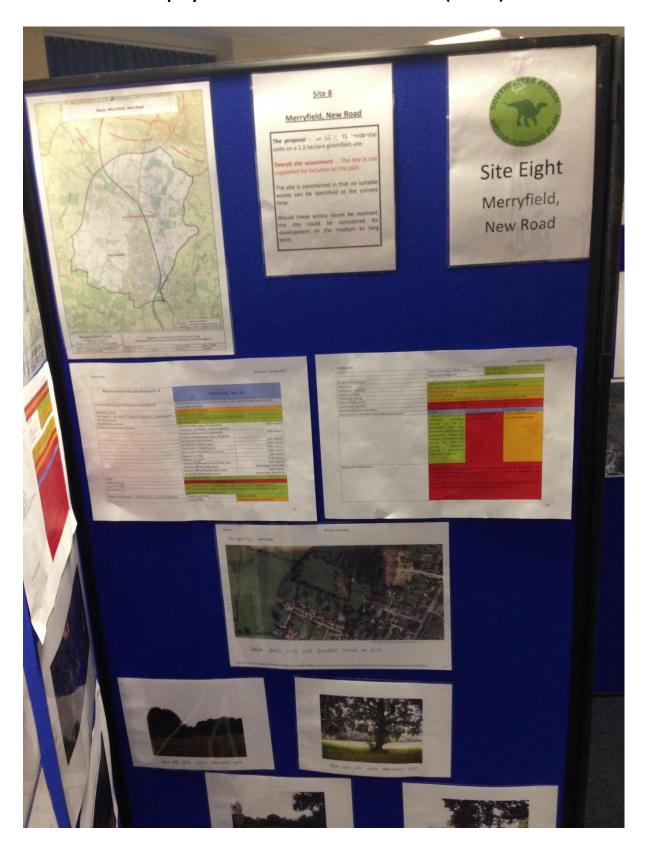
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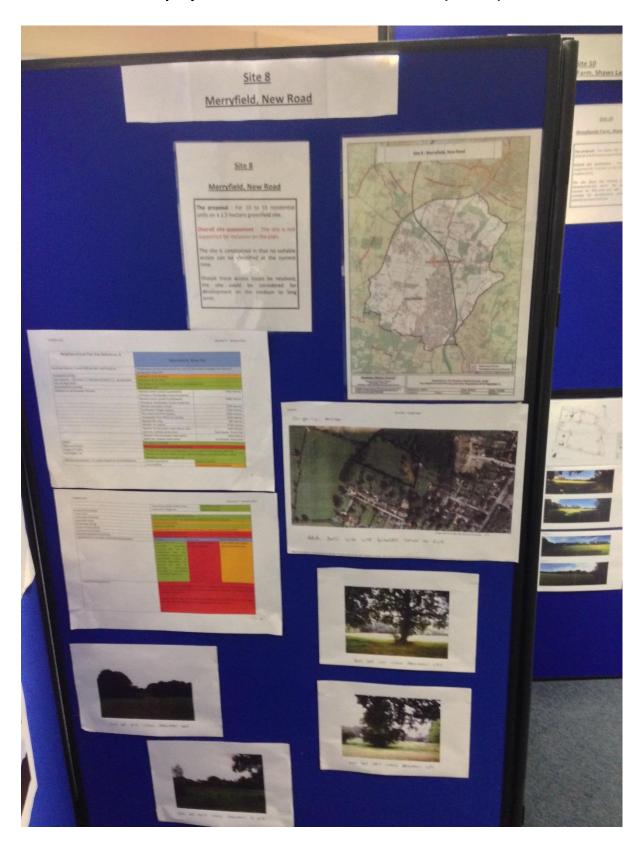
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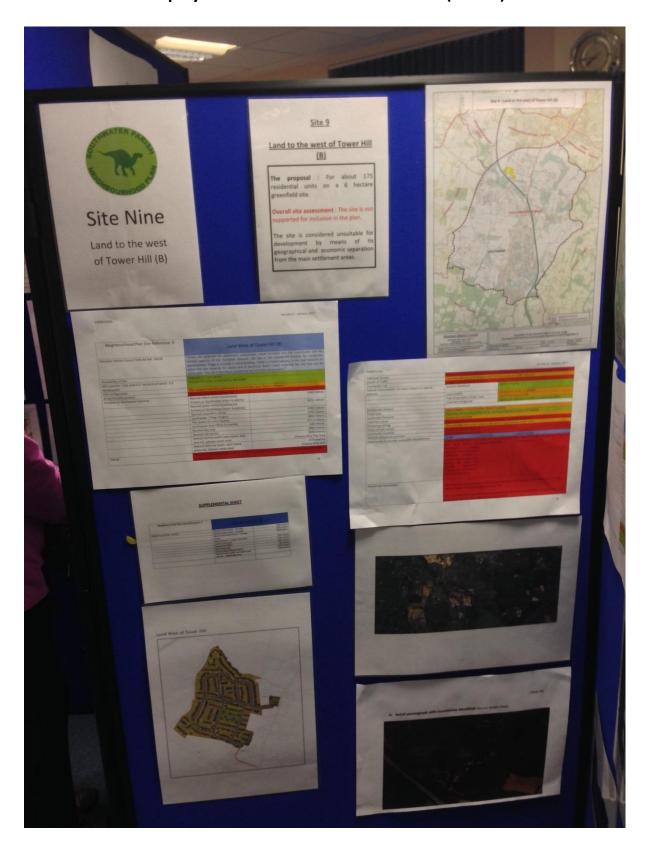
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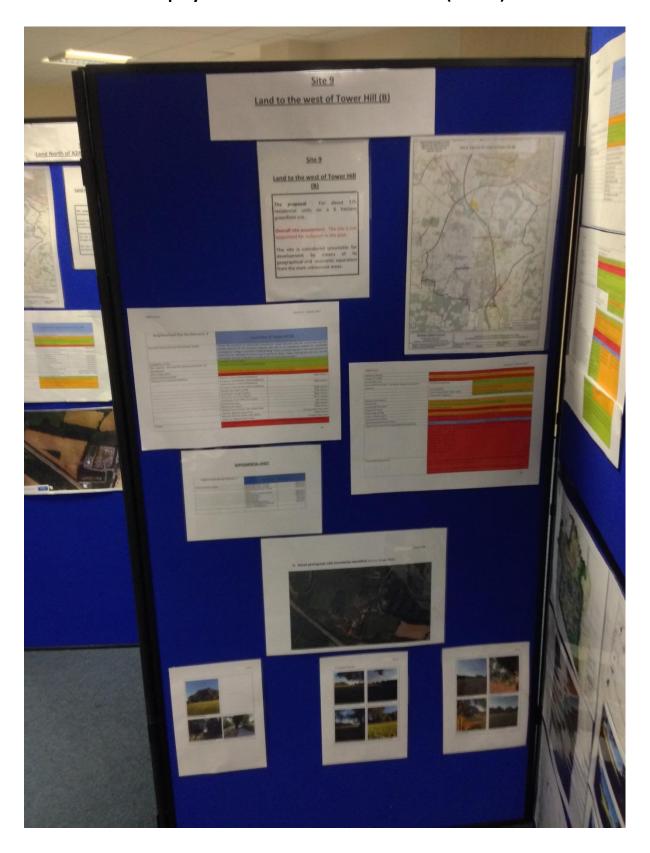
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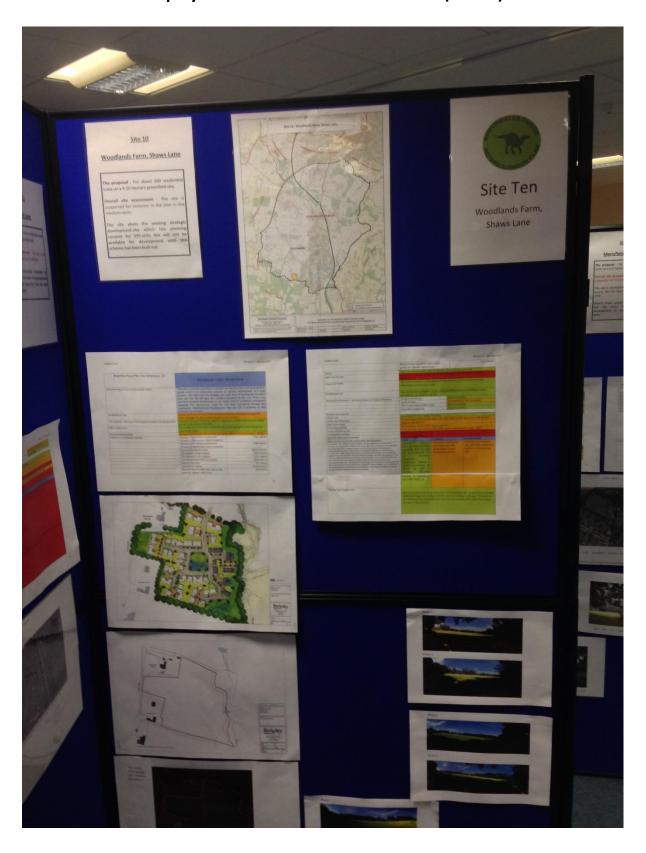
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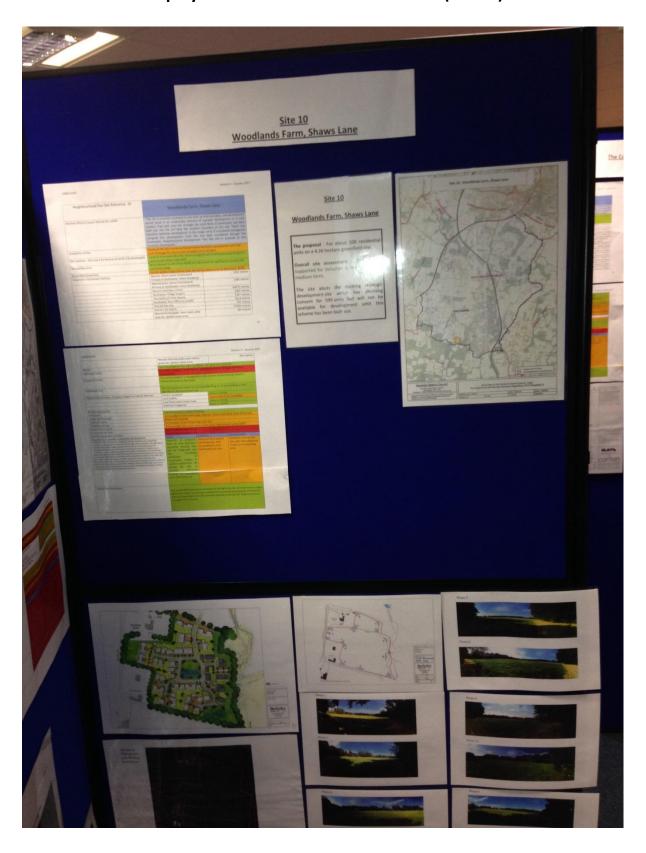
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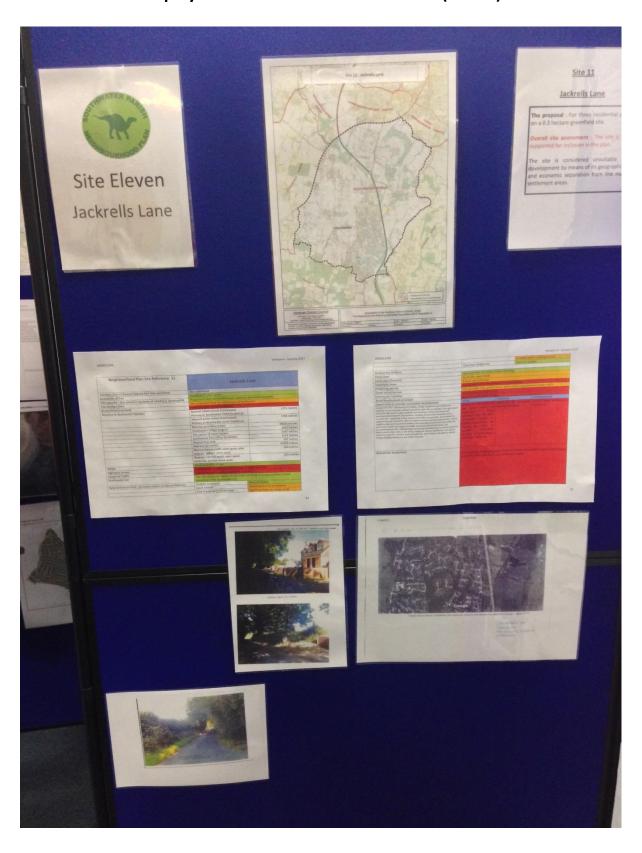
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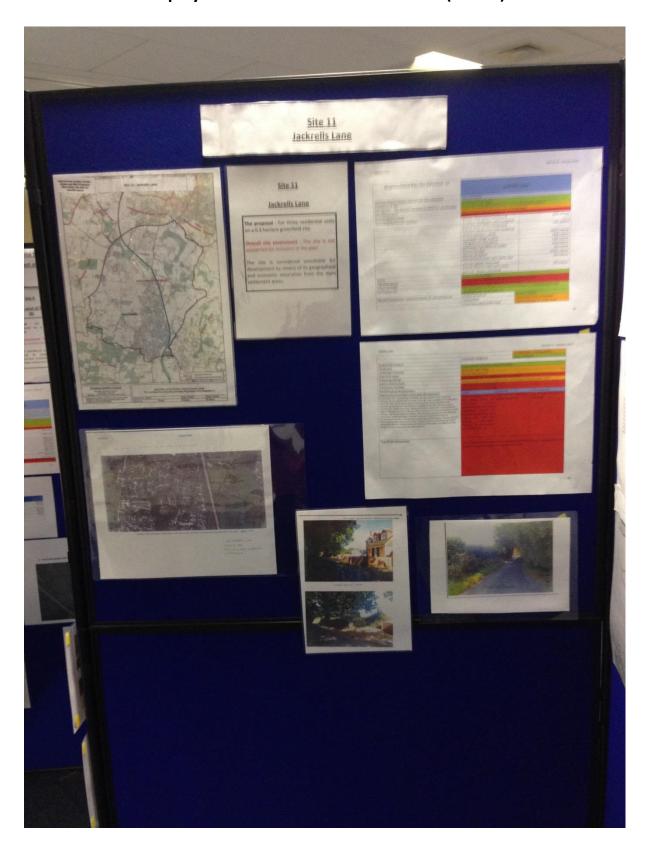
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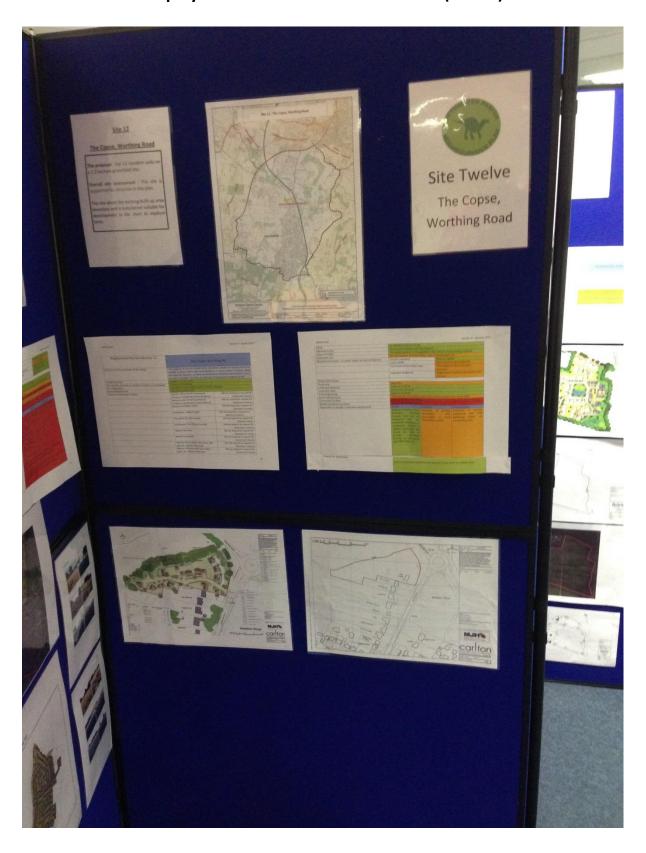
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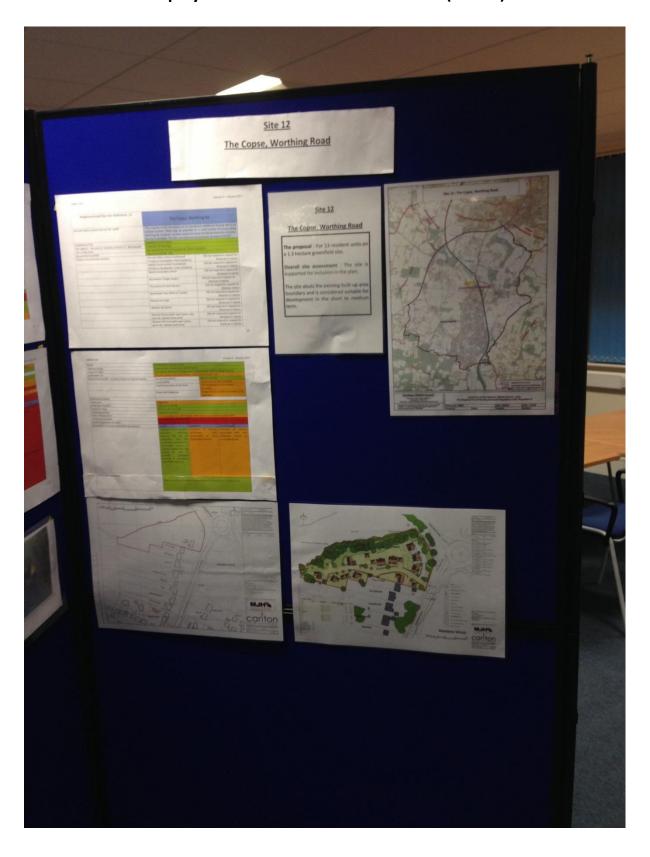
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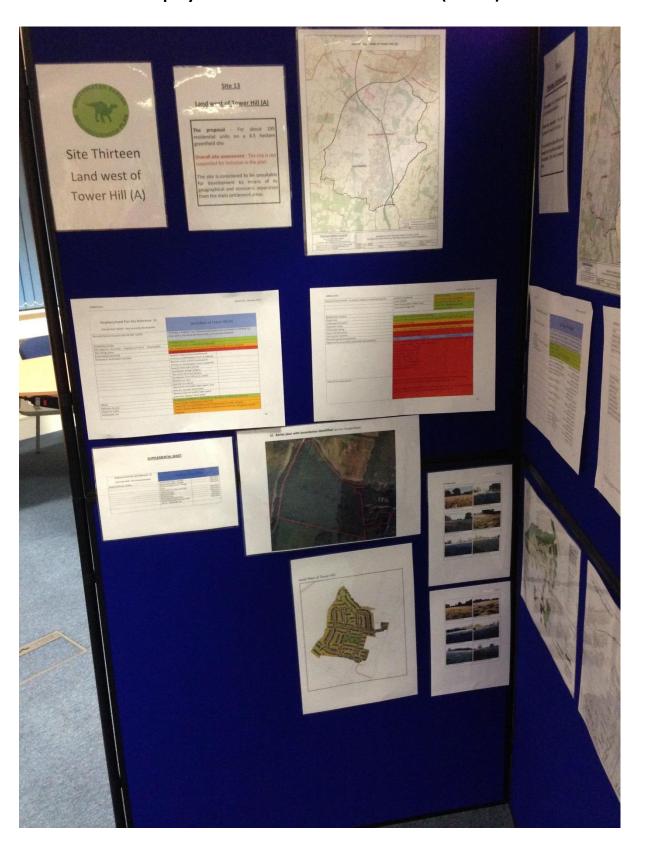
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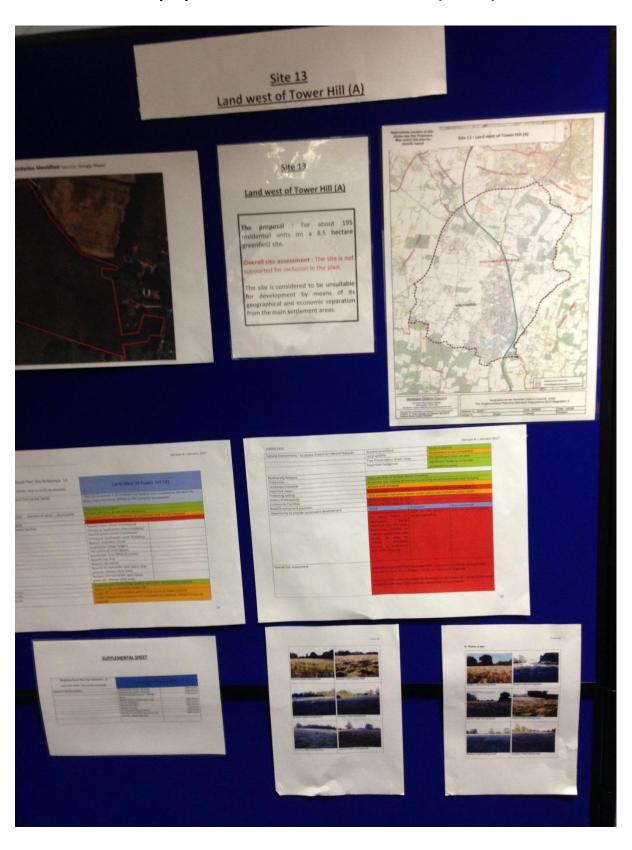
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Please read the display board which explains the concept of sustainable development before completing this form. This board outlines why we need to support and encourage sustainable growth within our community.

Site	Description	Proposal	Do you support the inclusion of this site in the neighbourhood plan?	Please provide your comments regarding this proposal
Site 1	Land to the West of Worthing Road, north of Hop Oast	The proposal is for a retirement home, care home with dementia care facilities, retirement cottages, community building and associated open space facilities totalling about 165 residential units.	No. Wrong Place.	
Site 2	Land to the west to Worthing Road, north of Tower Hill	The proposal is for 70 to 80 residential units	No.	Highly visible on leaved current built-up area on a hill. Known Slood
Site 3	Lanaways Farm, Two Mile Ash	The proposal is to consider development in the medium to long term should adjacent land be developed	No.	Out on a limb + away From any other area of development

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Site 4	Land to the West of Southwater	This site is excluded from the neighbourhood plan		
Site 5	The Hermitage, Tower Hill	The proposal is for between 10 to 25 residential units	No	Inappropriate accessaist
Site 6	The Warren, Christ's Hospital	The proposal is for about 50 residential units	No	Too dense Need to keep a green buffer
Site 7	Land North of A24 and east of Tower Hill	The proposal is for employment/commercial development on a 5.6 hectare (14 acre) site	No	Not an attractive proposition to see uply commercial blodgs or which only with from by-pass
Site 8	Merryfield, New Road	The proposal is for 10 to 15 residential units	No	Too dense with no screenie
Site 9	Land to the west of Tower Hill (B)	The proposal is for about 175 residential units	No	Peacement de velopmentin puralax Bool access from Bonfire
Site 10	Woodlands Farm, Shaws Lane	The proposal is for about 100 residential units		Bool access from Bonfire
Site 11	Jackrells Lane	The proposal is for three residential units	No	Farmland.
Site 12	The Copse, Worthing Road	The proposal is for 13 residential units		Inevitable.
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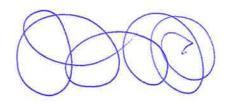
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* bite 9, 13: These sites appear to provide a large number of dwellings very close to the town centre without impacting too much on the surrounding countryside. It is close to the A27.







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Site 2	Land to the west to Worthing Road, north of Tower Hill	The proposal is for 70 to 80 residential units			
Site 3	Lanaways Farm, Two Mile Ash	The proposal is to consider development in the medium to long term should adjacent land be developed			

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Site 5	The Hermitage, Tower Hill	The proposal is for between 10 to 25 residential units		
Site 6	The Warren, Christ's Hospital	The proposal is for about 50 residential units	ю.	
Site 7	Land North of A24 and east of Tower Hill	The proposal is for employment/commercial development on a 5.6 hectare (14 acre) site	Yes	
Site 8	Merryfield, New Road	The proposal is for 10 to 15 residential units		
Site 9	Land to the west of Tower Hill (B)	The proposal is for about 175 residential units	Yes	
Site 10	Woodlands Farm, Shaws Lane	The proposal is for about 100 residential units		
Site 11	Jackrells Lane	The proposal is for three residential units		
Site 12	The Copse, Worthing Road	The proposal is for 13 residential units		
Site 13	Land west of Tower Hill (A)	The proposal is for about 195 residential units	Yes	

Site 94 13 would provide a significant number of houses in a hidden location a not impact negatively on landscape, Southwater or Horisham.

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SOUTHWATER PARISH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

CALL FOR SITES

Southwater Parish Council is preparing a Neighbourhood Plan under the Localism Act 2011 and it has established a Steering Group to prepare the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan. The Plan will set out a vision of how residents and organisations want the Southwater Parish to develop over the next 20 years.

The Plan will identify and protect important heritage, green spaces and consider the state of local infrastructure. It can also propose where new homes, shops, offices and other development should be built.

There is a requirement to undertake a "call for sites" that may be suitable for development. This is the call for sites for the Southwater Parish. The sites need not be in your ownership, if you have responsibility for managing them, and they can be for a wide range of development uses.

This exercise will not in itself decide whether a site would be allocated for development by the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan nor will it commit the proposer(s) to applying for planning permission. It will enable the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group to better understand the needs and wishes of those within its Parish and to establish what land is available. Site suggestions will be used to guide and inform the preparation of the Allocation of Land and Site Development section of the Neighbourhood Plan.

If you would like a site, or premises, to be considered by the Steering Committee for possible inclusion in the Southwater Parish Neighbourhood Plan more information can be found on the Southwater Parish Council website http://www.southwater-pc.gov.uk or you can write to:-

Southwater Parish Council (Call for Sites), Council Offices, Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Southwater, West Sussex, RH13 9LA.

If you have already submitted a site in response to the Parish Council's original call for sites please let us know that you wish to continue with that site or if you wish to amend it in any way.

You must make your submission in the designated format.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMISSIONS: NOON MONDAY 17 JULY

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Southwater Parish Council Newsletter



Interim Issue October 2017

TOWN OR PARISH COUNCIL?

Southwater Parish Council came into force in 1987, after the demise of Horsham Rural Council, 30 years on is it time to be known as a town council?

Despite it being over 120 years since parish councils came into being in 1894 following the split between the ecclesiastical parish and the civil parish, many residents are under the impression that a parish council is part of the Church of England. This is not helped by the existence of the PCC (Parochial Church Council) often operating with the same boundary.

In 1974, the law was changed so that any parish council could pass a resolution to declare its area a "town", with the council known as a "town council". The majority of successor parishes and a number of other small market towns now have town councils, whose powers are exactly the same as those of parish councils, although their chairman is entitled to style themselves as Mayor.

The parish council has already discussed this element of becoming a town council, with the view that should this consultation be found

in favour of the change, then there would be no change to the title of the Chairman. Nor would any change affect the status of our community at large with Southwater Centre, Stammerham, Newfoundout and Christ's Hospital remaining unchanged in their name within a possible Town Council boundary.

In England, there are currently eight parishes with city status, all places with long-established Anglican cathedrals: Chichester, Ely, Hereford, Lichfield, Ripon, Salisbury, Truro and Wells.

In addition to the change and following the enactment of the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007, a parish council has been able to alternatively style itself as a "village council", "neighbourhood council" or "community council".

This is something we have been talking about for a long time. Councillors didn't want to make the decision until they felt the council was credible to do so.

At the last Full Council, the Chairman proposed and it was unanimously agreed to prepare for a consultation with residents and community groups, and put represents the need for your views to be expressed.

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"Boosting the council's status would give influence as whole when looking into matters that affect residents"

PARISH COUNCIL OPENING HOURS

Mon-Fri

10.30am -3.30pm

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At the end of this article there is a short questionnaire for you to complete and return by 31st October 2017. All views will then be considered and a decision made.

The population of Southwater is circa 11,000, which makes us considerably larger than many villages in West Sussex. Changing its name for the Parish Council to Town Council would create a more influential figure when dealing with matters that concern our residents and give it more of a voice. Currently the Parish of Southwater is identified as a small rural town in both planning terms and economic terms by the District Council and in Government terms a community with a population of 5,000 has been considered a small town for many years.

To address some misunderstandings, we as a Town would not have to take any more development than presently proposed as a Parish. We would not turn into a Political organisation like the District Council.

We would, as a main priority, be looking after the interests of the community and our Councillors would not be paid any differently to that at present.

The natural assumption is that costs will be incurred with the name change and this is not the case. This is not a status symbol and there would be no change to or reduction in services we provide. It is considered that this is a natural step to take.

Our Chairman has said in bringing forward this discussion document "Bearing in mind what has been discussed previously, you may say why change? Southwater has always been a leader in Local Government, where we go others follow. We must look forward, provide services that residents want and I strongly believe that this will be the first step in preparing for the provision of the vision for Southwater.

We are interested to hear what residents, local groups, organisations and businesses in the area think about our proposal to change from parish council to town council. We will review and consider all comments received.

PARISH/TOWN COUNCIL FEEDBACK FORM QUESTIONNAIRE

Support

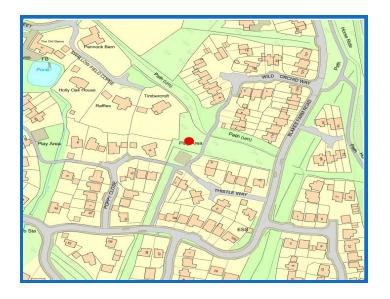
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Don't support

Don't know/Need more information

Comments:

Please return the survey to the parish office or email: parish@southwater.net. All answers are anonymous and no personal data is collected. Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.



POPPY CLOSE - PLAY AREA

Back in 2016 it was decided after consultation with the community to close the play area in Poppy Close.

The equipment has now been removed and we would like to hear your thoughts on how you would like to see it look in the future.

POPPY CLOSE - QUESTIONNAIRE

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ANTI SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR - REPORTING TO SUSSEX POLICE

Southwater Parish Council, Sussex Police and other community partners are to form a Southwater Action Group to look at the increasing reports via social media etc., regarding anti social behaviour.

This Action Group when formed will look at the reports received by Sussex Police in relation to anti social behaviour and ways in which the Southwater Community with partners and parents,, can come together to overcome issues caused by what is a small group of young people. The majority of young people in Southwater engage with the vast array of community organisations and the youth club which has been funded for 12 years by the Parish Council, Southwater Community Methodist and United Reform churches.

There are however, always a small group who do not wish to engage leading to some of the difficulties currently being experienced by residents.

We are aware, however, via social media and contact with the Parish Office that many residents get frustrated when trying to report via the Sussex Police (101) telephone number. This has been reported to Sussex Police and the issues surrounding this are being looked at. Please continue to use this number ensuring that a reference number is obtained. Police use these statistics and it is these primarily that will highlight areas of concern and which can then be targeted in a cohesive manner.

You can however also report anti social behaviour on line via www.sussex.police.uk/reportonline or through the Southwater Community Police Office on 01403 734417 or email: south-water@sussex.pnn.police.uk

SOUTHWATER CHRISTMAS FESTIVAL

Well, if like us you like to be prepared then make sure to SAVE THE DATE.

If you'd like to join in and have a stall and/or gazebo, email Sharon@southwater.net orLuisa@southwater.net.

We'll be happy to answer your questions and take your bookings.

Follow us on Facebook & Twitter@southwater pc for regular updates.



REDUCE, REUSE AND RECYCLE – TOP TIPS

Take a look at Horsham
District Council's
dedicated webpages for tips
on how to reduce,
reuse or recycle the waste in
your green-top bin. This
includes a useful A-Z list of
what can and can't currently
be recycled here in the District.

www.horsham.gov.uk/ bins/thinkbeforeyouthrow

PLEASE HELP US RECYCLE MORE

We need to reach the national recycling target of 50% by 2020

Here in the Horsham District we currently recycle 44% of our waste. We are proud to say that this is highest in West Sussex. However we need to reach the national recycling target of 50% by 2020. With your help we know that we can.

Recent research has shown that 20% of what we currently throw away in our green-top (household waste) bins can be put into our blue-top recycling bin. In total a staggering 57% of the waste that we currently throw away can be reduced, reused or recycled!



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SOUTHWATER NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN PARKING SURVEY

As part of the Southwater Neighbourhood Plan we are asking the residents of Southwater to help us survey the car parking situation around the residential areas of the village.

This survey will give us the opportunity to factor parking provisions into the Neighbourhood Plan as households these days have more cars we want to ensure any future development takes the provision of adequate parking into account.



Please return the survey to the parish office or email: parish@southwater.net. All answers are anonymous and no personal data is collected.

Question 1.	Question 4.	
How many people live in your household?	Where is your car normally parked Overnight? Driveway	
	Residential Parking Area	
	Street	
	Garage	
Question 2.	Question 5.	
How many cars are there in your household?	Do cars regularly park on your street overnight night?	
	Yes	
	No	
Question 3.	Question 6.	
How many car parking spaces do you have?	Have you had cause to report illegal parking within Southwater??	
	Yes	
	No	

Thank you for your time and help in completing this survey

CAR PARK SURVEY - NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN 2015 AS AT 20TH NOVEMBER 2017

Question 1	Question 2	Question 3	Question 4 Where is your car normally parked?		Question 5 Do Cars Regularly Park in your Street overnight?		Question 6 Have you had cause to report illegal parking in			
currently Live in	How many cars are there in your	How many off road allocated spaces do you have?	Driveway	Residential Parking Area	Street	Garage	Yes	No	Yes	No
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SOUTHWATER PARISH COUNCIL





NEWS RELEASE

A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SOUTHWATER NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN STEERING GROUP

The Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group are working hard to prepare a neighbourhood plan that actively seeks to address the current and future needs of the community.

In order to do this, the Steering group have been preparing documents which, alongside the responses we have had to consultation exercises, will be used to inform the policies that are included in the draft plan.

Today we are publishing the 'Southwater Housing Needs Assessment - November 2017' which has been prepared by AECOM, an independent consultancy that specialise in such documents. It has been prepared because our plan must be 'in general conformity with the strategic policies contained in the development plan' and the Horsham District Planning Framework (HDPF) requires 1,500 homes to be provided through Neighbourhood Plans (in addition to strategic allocations). This document confirms that, under current government policy, the parish should provide for a minimum of 422 new homes in addition to the existing strategic allocation through its neighbourhood plan.

This document is only one of a number of documents that will be used by the Steering Group when preparing the draft plan and the impacts of additional settlement growth on our community and infrastructure will be addressed through the neighbourhood plan.

It is hoped that a draft plan will be published in early 2018 at which point we will be undertaking a full consultation exercise, holding drop-in sessions and inviting comments from all stakeholders in the local community including local residents, local businesses, neighbouring parish's, Horsham District Council and a number of other statutory consultees.

Please keep an eye on the parish council website (<u>www.southwater-pc.gov.uk</u>) for updates and information on the neighbourhood plan.

Graham Watkins, Chairman – Southwater Neighbourhood Plan

31st November 2017

Beeson House, 26 Lintot Square, Fairbank Road, Southwater, West Sussex RH13 9LA Telephone No. 01403 733202 Fax 01403 732420 Email: catherine@southwater.net

About Southwater Southwater is located within Horsham District and is one of the largest rural communities in West Sussex. The Parish has 10,500 residents and includes the village of Southwater, Newfoundout, Christ's Hospital, Tower Hill & Two Mile Ash. At the heart of the village lies Lintot Square with a wide variety of excellent shops, pubs, restaurants, library, post office, youth centre and health centre. Elsewhere within the Parish are two business parks, home to local companies and some of the largest businesses in the District. Recreation opportunities include our very own Leisure Centre, Country Park, and a huge range of sports and community clubs.

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