

Abbots Bromley Parish Neighbourhood Plan Working Group Meeting: 21st April 2016

Report: Summary Of Village Questionnaire

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Refer To: Appendix: Detail Behind The Summary Of The Village Questionnaire

Background

In March 2016, the Abbots Bromley Parish Neighbourhood Development Plan Working Group prepared a questionnaire to seek the views of parishioners with regards to the development of the Parish. Five questions were posed. The questionnaire was circulated with the Parish newsletter to each household. Parishioners were invited to complete the questionnaire and return it via the Village Shop (Top Shop), Wilson's Butchers, On the Green and local public houses. Parishioners had four weeks in which to respond.

Group members Mr Stuart Appleby and Mr Tom Wheeldon were tasked with summarising the responses received, in order for the Working Group to give full consideration to the parishioners' views.

Response rate of 13%

750 households received a questionnaire and 96 responses were received.

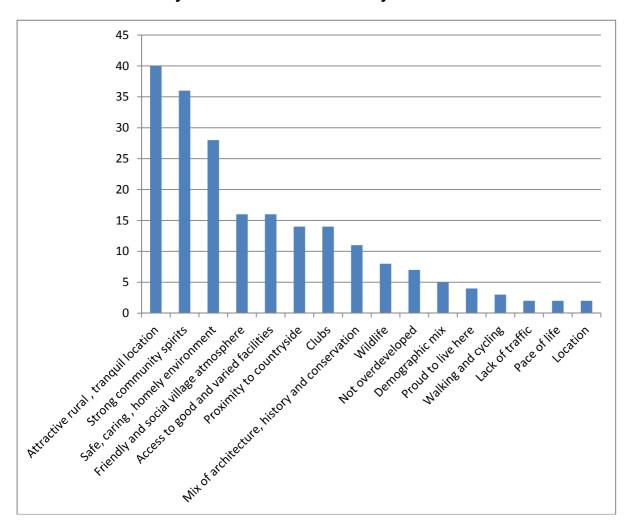
Summary of responses

On the following pages is a summary of the responses to each question.

Many responders gave more than one comment to each of the five questions. For this reason the total comments against each question exceed 67

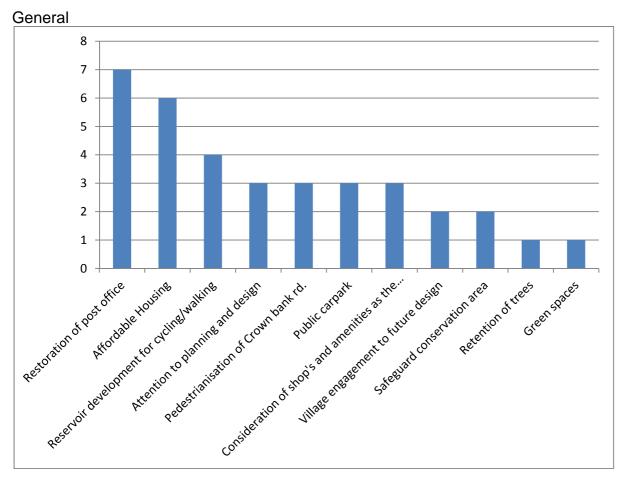
Please refer to Appendix 1 for the full detail of responses (please note there are 2 tabs to the appendix)

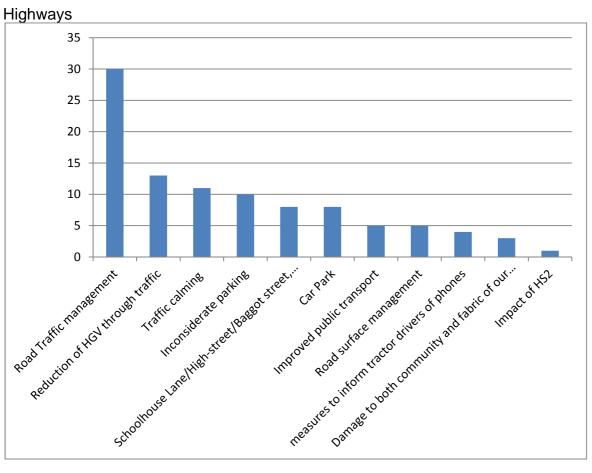
Question 1: What do you like most about where you live?



2) What is the main thing you would like to see improved?

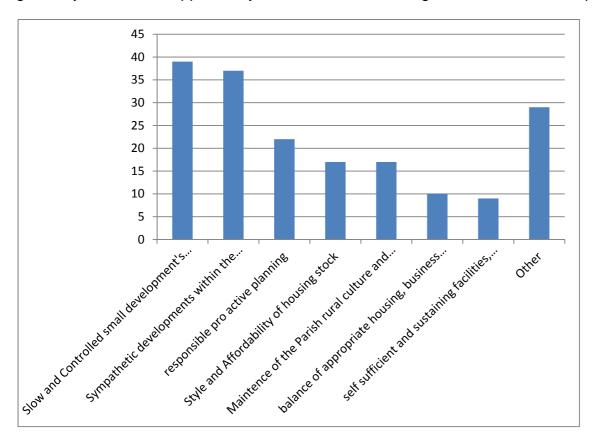
The responses could be grouped into two themes – general: 26% of responses and highways: 74% of responses. Both are summarised below:



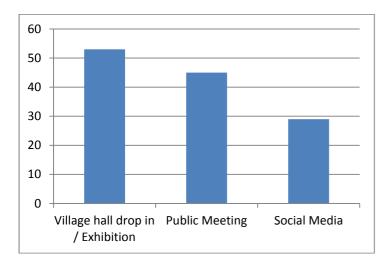


3) How would you like to see the parish evolve?

The 29 'Other' responses included: maintain a safe community spirit, recreational facilities, traffic control, improved shopping and parking facilities, maintain a healthy demographic spread, gradually so can be supported by school etc and unchanged. Each 7 or less responses.



4) How would you like to engage with us?



In addition a minority mentioned printed material such as Parish newsletter.