

The Quest for a Neighbourhood Plan

Moving on Apace



Queniborough's Questionnaire – Results in brief

The replies we received from the questionnaires have now been analysed and the Rural Community Council (RCC) have reported back to the Steering Group. A summary report of the results can be found on the QPC website. A brief outline of those results is below.

Household Survey - The majority of respondents identified that the top four issues that the Queniborough Neighbourhood Plan needs to address are: Traffic and Transport, Green Spaces, Facilities and Services and the Countryside.

In relation to the eight drafted Vision Statements (within the questionnaire) about what the people of Queniborough want to see by 2028, 'our Vision for the future'. The majority of respondents (92%) agreed with these written statements.

Youth Survey - Nice parks, being near to sports facilities and the countryside and having a friendly village community were the top three reasons as to what they most liked about living in Queniborough.

In relation to what they least liked about living in Queniborough, the following top three reasons were given as; volume of traffic and speeding, the amount of new housing being built and the lack of youth facilities.

Next Steps following the May meeting

Our first task is to officially designate the eight areas of Local Green Spaces identified in the questionnaire. This will be completed over the summer period.

Whilst this is happening we have asked our Planning Consultant, Colin Wilkinson to take the results from the questionnaire and embed them into our draft Neighbourhood Plan, which we will then discuss at our next Steering Group meetings. Once the work on the Local Green Spaces has been completed it will also be embedded within our Plan. Once we are happy with the draft; that version of the plan will be used to consult with yourselves and statutory bodies.

Thanks to all involved

I would like to thank everybody involved with developing our Neighbourhood Plan. It is the first time we have attempted to produce one and that causes its own difficulties. The team has been resolute and we had a great response from you when we asked you to let us know what you would like in the Plan. I also think that we would have struggled without the advice and guidance of RCC and Colin but with their professional help I believe we are well on the way to producing a viable Plan.

Keep up to date with our progress

All QNP agendas and minutes, copies of the Household and Youth questionnaires and the Summary Report of the results can be found on the Parish Council Website which you can access via this address: <https://www.queniboroughpc.org.uk/>

If you would like to keep more up-to-date with our progress and be added to our interested parties list please send your contact details to pambelljones@yahoo.co.uk.

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