

HANBOROUGH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN: COMMUNITY SURVEY REPORT

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ABOUT COMMUNITY FIRST OXFORDSHIRE

Community First Oxfordshire is a community development and placemaking charity. With over 100 years of working with Oxfordshire's communities, we offer services that support people and places across the county.

HANBOROUGH NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Neighbourhood planning is a right for communities introduced through the Localism Act, 2011. Neighbourhood Plans (NPs) are legally binding planning documents. They must comply with both local and national, higher-level planning policies, and they are about allowing villages, towns or neighbourhoods to shape development in that area. A final NP is a set of policies related to land use, identifying what is best for the locality and what is needed to deliver tangible changes to that place.

Hanborough Parish Council is undertaking a Neighbourhood Plan. To begin this process, the Parish Council held a consultation event in February 2025. Over 100 people came along. The event included presentations about what a Neighbourhood Plan can and cannot do and asked for initial thoughts and feedback. This feedback has been shared on the Parish Council website.

The NP Steering Committee has commissioned Community First Oxfordshire to support the development of the Plan.

THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN SURVEY – JUNE 2025

A survey is one of the key means of finding out what residents think about a range of issues. The survey is an important part of the evidence base underpinning the Neighbourhood Plan, with the findings helping guide the next stage of plan-making.

The intent of the Neighbourhood Plan Survey was to further explore the themes discussed at the January launch event (and other topics). The questions were developed by the Steering Committee, supported and advised by CFO.

DISTRIBUTION AND RESPONSE

Two versions of the survey were created: a hard copy survey and an online, Survey Monkey version.

Via extensive local advertising, residents were encouraged to complete the survey online. For those who did not wish to complete an online version, a hard copy of the survey (and a *Freepost* return envelope) was made available.

The survey deadline was 31 July 2025.

CFO analysed the survey returns and produced this report.

231 survey responses were received

OVERVIEW OF SURVEY FINDINGS

This section summarises headline responses to survey questions.

THE VISION OF THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

Looking to the future, which characteristics about Hanborough Parish would you like to see maintained or promoted?

Top 3 answers:

- Safe – **86%**
- Friendly – **79%**
- Rural setting – **78%**

How strongly do you feel the identity of each village (Long Hanborough, Church Hanborough and Freeland) should be maintained as separate entities?

Top 3 answers:

- Strongly agree – **61%**
- Agree – **18%**
- Neither agree nor disagree – **16%**

FUTURE HOUSING NEEDS

How do you feel about the need for new housing developments in Hanborough Parish?

Top 3 answers:

- Strongly disagree – **42%**
- Disagree – **34%**
- Neither agree nor disagree – **15%**

If further housing development is allocated for the parish in the new West Oxfordshire DC local plan, what type of housing do you think is required in Hanborough Parish?

Top 3 answers:

- Starter homes – **58%**
- Family homes – **48%**
- Downsizing / retirement homes – **38%**

Where do you think new housing development should be focused in Hanborough Parish if allocated in the new West Oxfordshire DC local plan?

Top 3 answers:

- Conversion of existing buildings – **65%**
- Brownfield sites – **58%**
- Infill development – **42%**

ENVIRONMENT, HERITAGE AND ACCESS TO NATURE

Which of the following sustainability features would you like to see included in new housing development?

Top 3 answers:

- Roof-mounted solar panels – **85%**
- Trees / community orchards – **84%**
- Sufficient personal green spaces – **84%**

Do you believe it is important to preserve the existing nature/wildlife corridors in the parish?

Yes – **99%**

No – **1%**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = no concerns, 5 = very serious concerns), how concerned do you feel about the cumulative effects of new housing developments within the parish on the natural environment and landscape?

Top 3 answers:

- Score of 5 (very serious concerns) – **67%**
- Score of 4 – **21%**
- Score of 3 – **8%**

Are there any woodland areas that you would like to protect from harm?

Top 3 'yes' answers:

- Pinsley Wood – **99%**
- Ancient hedgerows throughout parish – **97%**
- Mill Wood – **97%**

The following key views are considered crucial to the character of the parish. Do you think that these should be protected from harm caused by future development?

Top 3 'yes' answers:

- Dagers Hill to the River Evenlode – **96%**
- Main Road to Pinsley Wood – **96%**
- Church Road towards Pinsley Wood – **96%**

INFRASTRUCTURE – TRAFFIC AND SAFETY

Thinking about the safety of pedestrians, cyclist and motorists, on a scale of 1-5 (1 = very minor issue, 5 = very serious issue), what do you feel about the following key road and traffic locations within Hanborough Parish?

Top 3 answers (weighted average):

- Main Road/Lower Road junction – **3.76**
- Crossing the junction at the mini roundabout near the Co-Op – **3.74**
- Church Hanborough/Lower Road Junction – **3.54**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = very minor issue, 5 = very serious issue), how concerned are you about the cumulative effects of new housing developments within the parish and neighbouring villages on levels of traffic and congestion in the parish?

Top 3 answers (weighted average):

- Construction traffic – **4.49**
- HGV traffic – **4.48**
- Cars and light vehicles – **4.38**

Do you think the existing footpaths and cycle ways provide sufficient ease of movement and/or access to the community facilities without resorting to a car?

Yes – **27%**
 No – **73%**

If NO, what improvements do you think are most important?

Top 3 answers:

- Designated cycle paths that are separate to footpaths – **83%**
- Wider footpaths/cycleways – **69%**
- Better pedestrian links – **57%**

Do you think there is adequate parking for the following amenities?

Top 2 'yes' answers:

- Pavilion – **73%**
- Co-op – **63%**

Top 2 'no' answers:

- GP – **77%**
- Parade – **71%**

Should there be any areas in the villages that have restricted parking?
Yes – **36%**
No – **64%**

If you think there should be parking restrictions, please tell us what.
Top 3 answers:
- Yellow lines – **57%**
- Restricted hours of parking – **45%**
- Parking time limits – **45%**

INFRASTRUCTURE – SERVICES, FACILITIES AND AMENITIES

From your experience, do you think the existing mains services listed below perform adequately in Hanborough Parish?
Top 2 'yes' answers:
- Electric supply – **94%**
- Gas supply – **93%**
Top 2 'no' answers:
- Mobile phone coverage – **74%**
- Sewerage – **58%**

If existing service systems need upgrading, when do you think this should happen?
Top 3 answers:
- Before any development commences – **77%**
- Before construction – **9%**
- During construction – **9%**

Do you think any of the following key facilities should be given the opportunity to expand as the population of the parish increases?
Top 3 'yes' answers:
- GP surgery – **93%**
- Youth services / school – **91%**
- Childcare facilities – **88%**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the provision of shops and retail outlets in the parish?
Top 3 answers:
- Score of 3 – **37%**
- Score of 4 – **29%**
- Score of 5 – **19%**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = not satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the following community amenities?
Top 2 answers (weighted average):
- Pavilion – **3.42**
- Recreation Hall – **3.3**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = not satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the types of activities offered in the parish?
Top 3 answers (weighted average):
- Clubs & societies – **3.32**
- Parish events – **3.14**
- Fitness classes – **3.01**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = not satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the following community outdoor recreation amenities in the parish?
Top 3 answers (weighted average):
- Bowls club – **4.02**
- Skatepark – **3.98**
- Children's playparks – **3.77**

Do you feel the outdoor play areas, including the main playground behind the school and individual estate playgrounds, offer safe and well-maintained environments for users?

Yes – **47%**
No – **12%**
Unsure – **41%**

On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), what is your opinion about the availability and quality of the facilities available for hosting activities for the following groups of young people in the parish?

Top 3 answers (weighted average):

- Children aged 0-5 – **3.49**
- Children aged 6-10 – **3.37**
- Children aged 11-15 – **2.64**

ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT

Do you think the Neighbourhood Plan should contain policies to protect, enhance and promote the health of nature, biodiversity and wildlife in the Hanborough Parish?

Yes – **97%**
No – **3%**

On a scale of 1 to 5 (1 = strongly disagree, 5 = strongly agree), how much would you like to see the natural environment of the parish enhanced through the following measures?

Top 3 answers (weighted average):

- Create wildlife corridors – **4.46**
- Plant more trees/hedges – **4.41**
- Protect key verges from parking – **4.19**

The parish has some beautiful natural assets; do you feel that the Neighbourhood Plan should try to protect and enhance these areas of rich biodiversity?

Yes – **99%**
No – **1%**

Do you think the Neighbourhood Plan should explore the provision of more community orchards?

Yes – **53%**
No – **10%**
Unsure – **37%**

Do you think there are enough allotments in the parish?

Yes – **19%**
No – **26%**
Unsure – **55%**

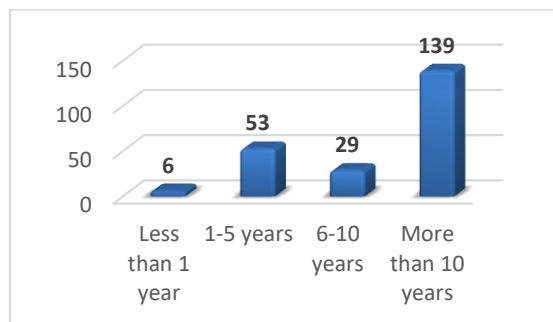
DETAILED SURVEY RESULTS

- Total responses: 231
- Note: graphs are based on total responses. Where the total is less than 231, a respondent(s) declined to answer the question.

PART 1 – GENERAL INFORMATION

1. How long have you lived in Long Hanborough or Church Hanborough?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 227



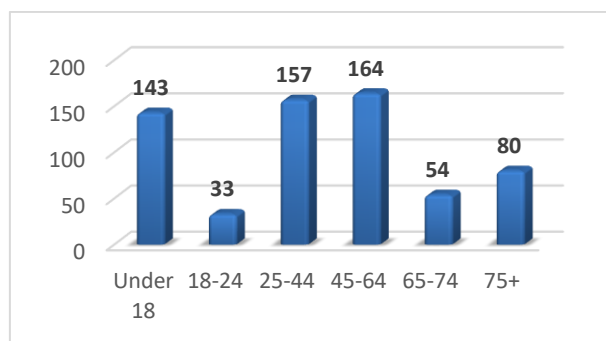
2. Please tell us the last two digits of your postcode.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 224

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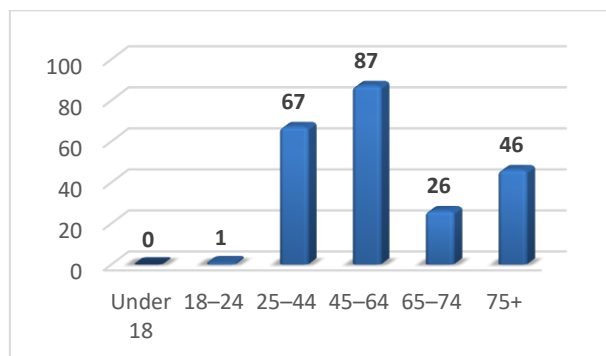
3. How many people of each age group live in your household?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 227 (632 INDIVIDUALS)



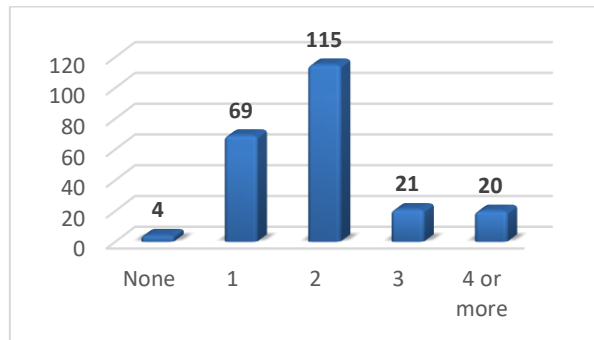
4. As the person completing the survey, please tell us which age group you are in.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 227



5. Please tell us how many cars or vans your household has, including work vehicles.

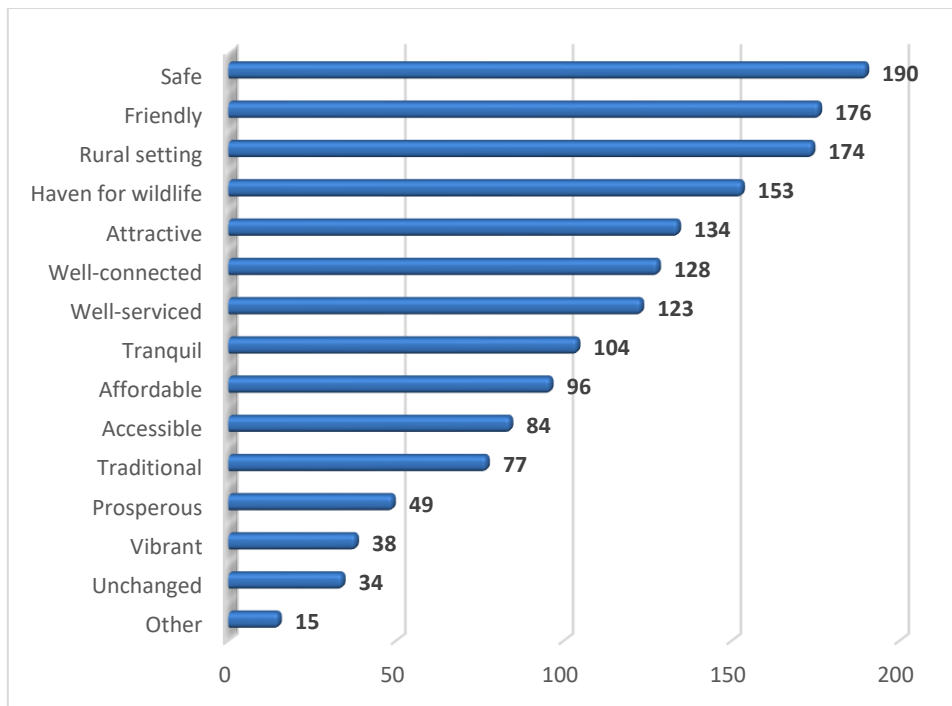
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 229



PART 2 – THE VISION OF THE NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

6. Looking to the future, which characteristics about Hanborough Parish would you like to see maintained or promoted?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 222 (1575 TOTAL CHOICES)

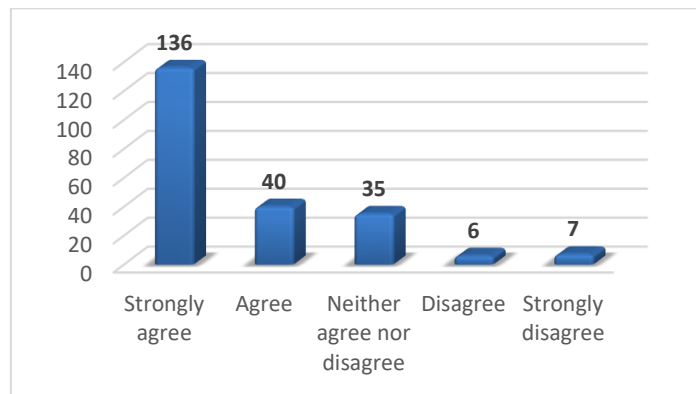


Other (15 respondents, 16 total comments):

Family-friendly	1	Accessible via public transport	1
Inclusive	1	Innovative and collaborative	1
Well-planned incorporating views of residents	1	Better balance between housing and employment in local area	1
More community facilities	1	Infrastructure to maintain services	1
Historic / heritage	1	Peaceful	1
Less air traffic	1	Solar panels on roofs	1
More green initiatives	1	Better cycling infrastructure	1
More housing for young people	1	Not over-developed	1

7. How strongly do you feel the identity of each village (Long Hanborough, Church Hanborough and Freeland) should be maintained as separate entities?

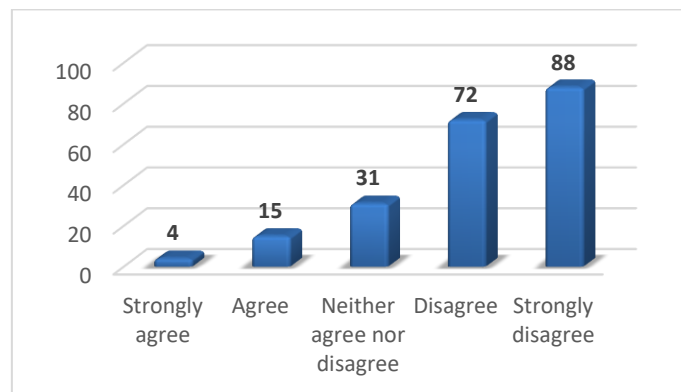
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PART 3 – FUTURE HOUSING NEEDS

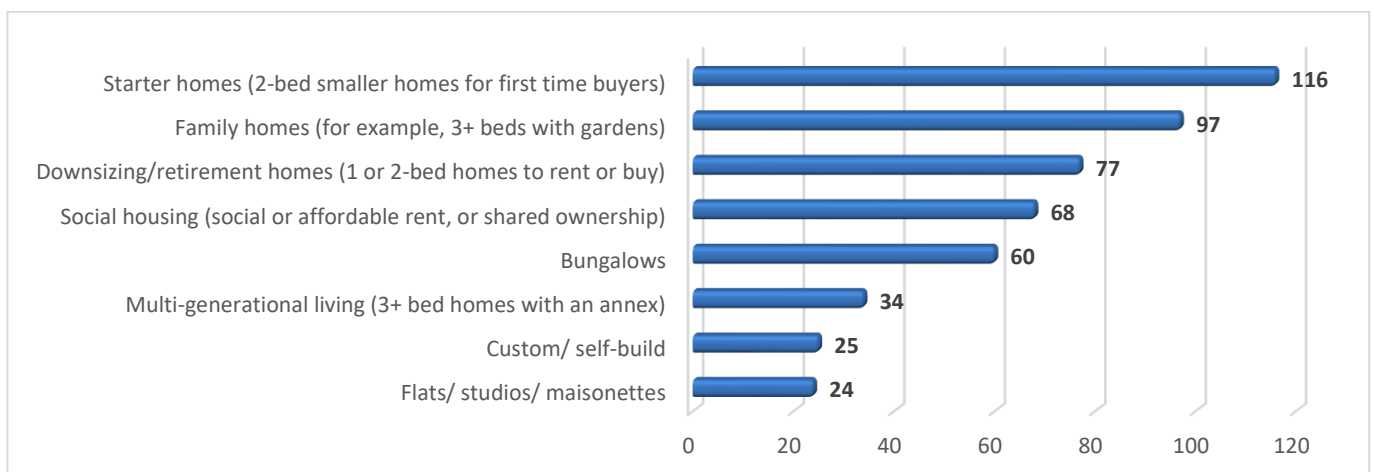
8. How do you feel about the need for new housing developments in Hanborough Parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 210



9. If further housing development is allocated for the parish in the new West Oxfordshire DC Plan, what type of housing do you think is required in Hanborough Parish?

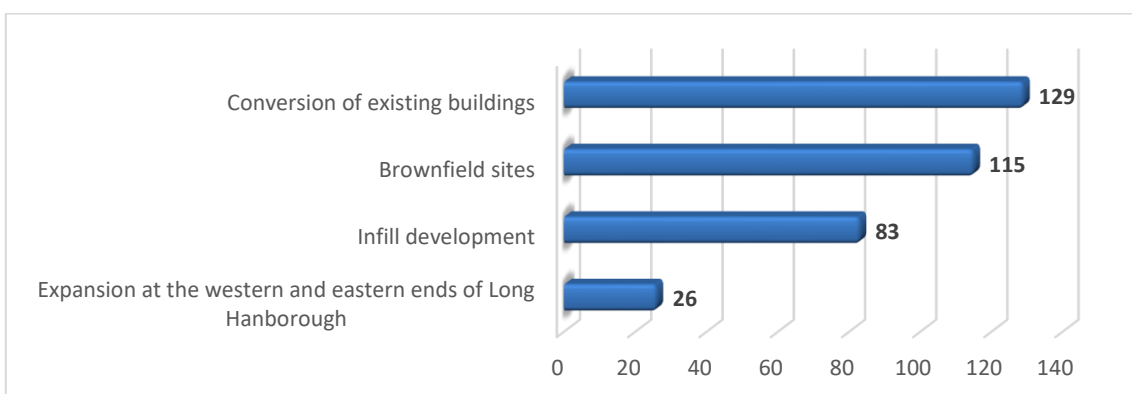
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 201



Other / Comments (24 respondents, 25 total comments):			
No more houses	6	Mixture of all	2
Sheltered / care housing	2	Subject to infrastructure improvement	2
Truly affordable housing	2	Affordable family homes	1
Small developments only	1	Reduce density of new builds	1
Shortage of social/affordable housing in the area	1	Affordable starter homes/ accessible homes to downsize to will help generate movement in the housing market locally	1
Any of these should only be built if sufficient outside space is provided	1	Anything built should incorporate renewable energy	1
Housing should be inclusive	1	Use dilapidated/empty homes in village	1
Priority for young people with connections	1	Already large number of new homes – greed of landowners	1

10. Where do you think new housing development should be focused in Hanborough Parish if allocated in the new West Oxfordshire DC local plan?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 198



Other / Comments (30 respondents, 31 total comments):			
No more houses / no room	8	No infill between villages just within (don't lengthen village)	5
Not without improved infrastructure	4	Village in danger of being over-developed	2
Enough green/arable land already taken for housing	2	Smaller developments with wildlife corridors	1
Extension of existing developments rather than isolated new estates	1	On sites that don't extend present margins of village	1
Better use of military-owned houses	1	On low ecological value land	1
Not on flood plains/agricultural land	1	Where there is sufficient drainage	1
Identify sites through assessment	1	Truly affordable housing	1
Maintain look and feel of village	1		

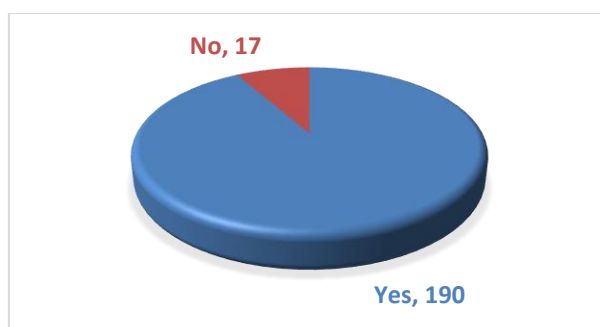
11. If you can think of any suitable sites please provide details.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 20

Comments (20 respondents, 24 total comments):			
Blenheim Palace land	4	Military houses near Churchill Way	4
Land next to/behind Co-op	2	Old GP surgery	2
OCC owned land near station	2	Fields opposite station	1
Past station at industrial estate	1	South of industrial estate	1
Near GP surgery	1	Down Swan Lane/Church Lane	1
Former plant nursery on Church Road	1	Between Fieldfare and Mansell Close	1
South of A4095 between Oliver's Close and Blenheim Motel	1	Avoid already-congested roads like Main Road and Church Road	1
16 Church Road (empty for years)	1		

12. Do you think a Design Code would be a valuable tool to guide developments?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 207



13. Are there any other comments or suggestions you have regarding future housing development in Hanborough?

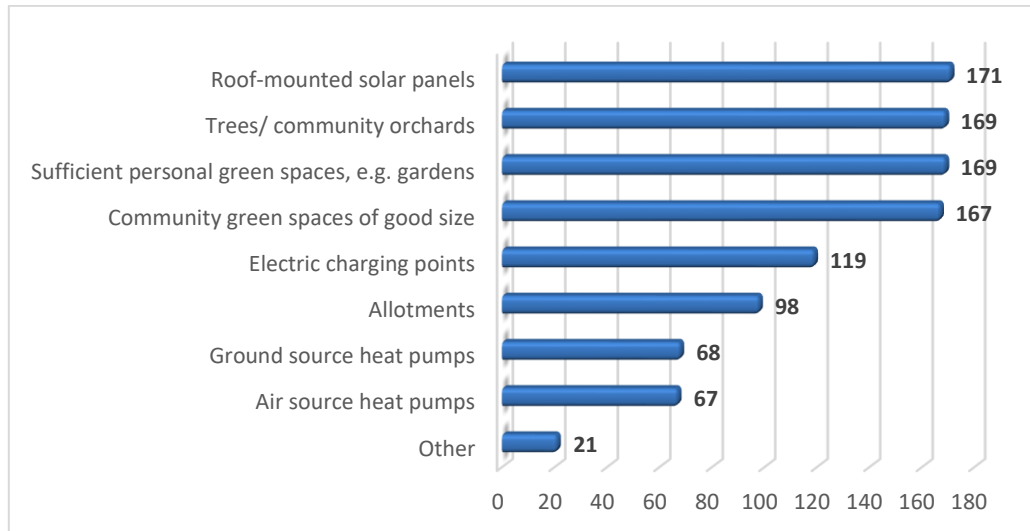
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 90

Comments (90 respondents, 102 total comments):			
Infrastructure can't cope / need better infrastructure before more housing	34	No more housing	15
New housing should be sustainable (zero carbon, renewables etc.)	8	Small developments only	5
Must not undermine rural nature	5	In-keeping with village style	3
Use Cotswold stone	3	Lower density	2
Expansion at ends will merge villages	2	Infill only	2
Link up through paths and cycle ways	2	Improve roads	2
Sufficient outside space	2	Sufficient parking	1
Better public transport	1	Connectivity is the key	1
More parking at the GP surgery	1	Brownfield only	1
More housing for young people that's not social housing	1	Individual builds and social housing only	1
Flats for single people /couples	1	Truly affordable housing	1
Build as many as possible	1	Need good housing, not just cheap	1
Not near Pinsley Woods	1	Building at edges makes for isolation	1
Don't use gas boilers	1	More facilities to keep youth engaged	1
Desperate for 3-bed house	1	Houses to enhance and be admired	1

PART 4 – ENVIRONMENT, HERITAGE AND ACCESS TO NATURE

14. Which of the following sustainability features would you like to see included in new housing development?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 202

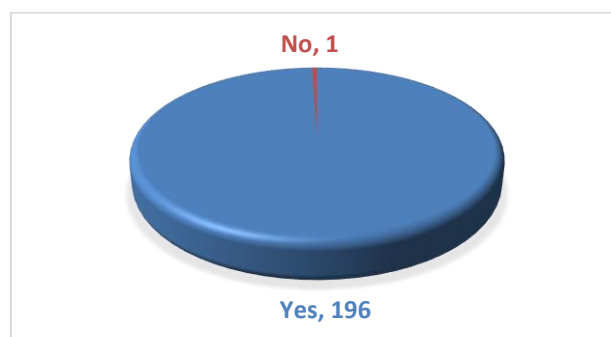


Other (21 respondents, 16 total comments):

Better cycleways and pathways connecting villages	5	Sufficient off-street parking (both at houses and through village)	5
More parks and sporting facilities	2	Minimise carbon footprint	2
Wildlife corridors	1	Water butts	1
Local quarried stone	1	Integrated bird and bat boxes	1
Dog walking field	1	Protection of Pinsley Wood	1
No to heat pumps	1	Last development on Blenheim planted trees and only 2 out of 9 survived as they didn't water them	1

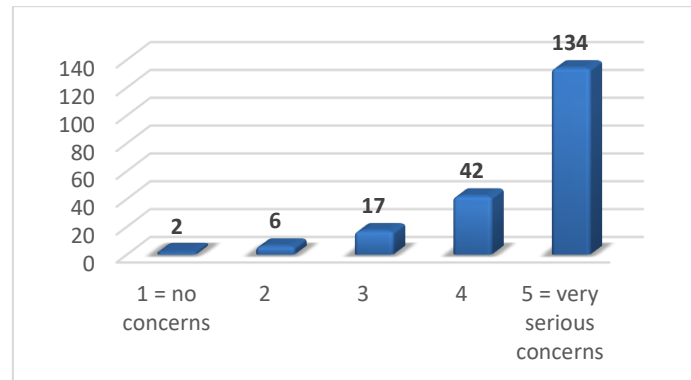
15. Do you believe it is important to preserve the existing nature/wildlife corridors (blue & green corridors) in the parish?

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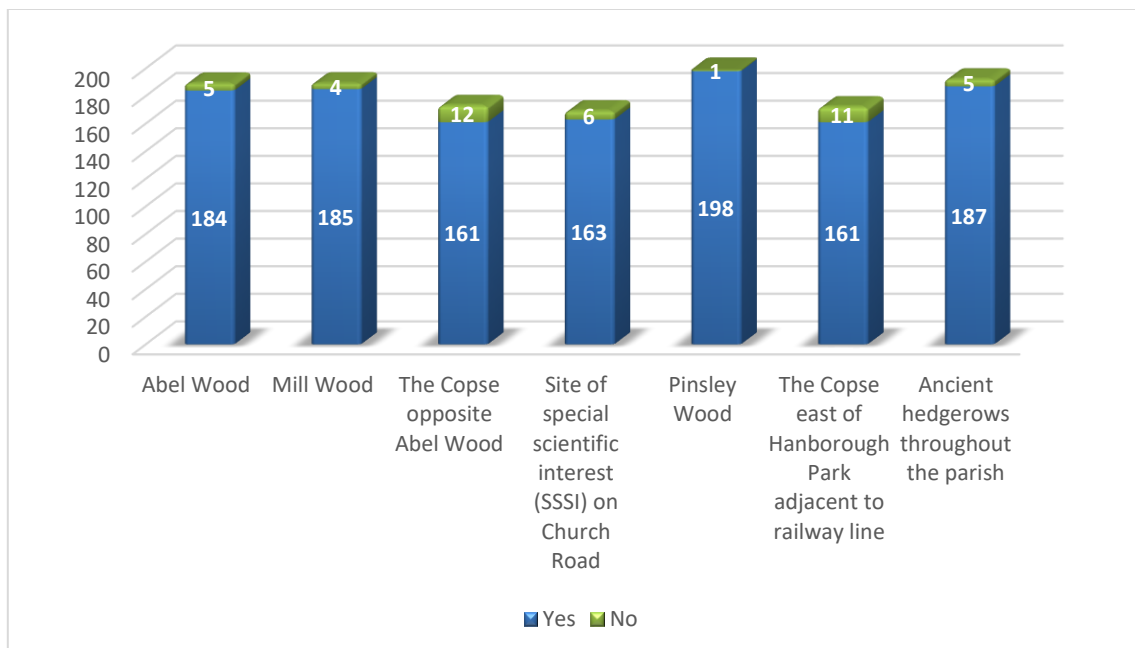
16. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = no concerns, 5 = very serious concerns), how concerned do you feel about the cumulative effects of new housing developments within the parish on the natural environment and landscape?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 201



17. Are there any woodland areas that you would like to protect from harm?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 202

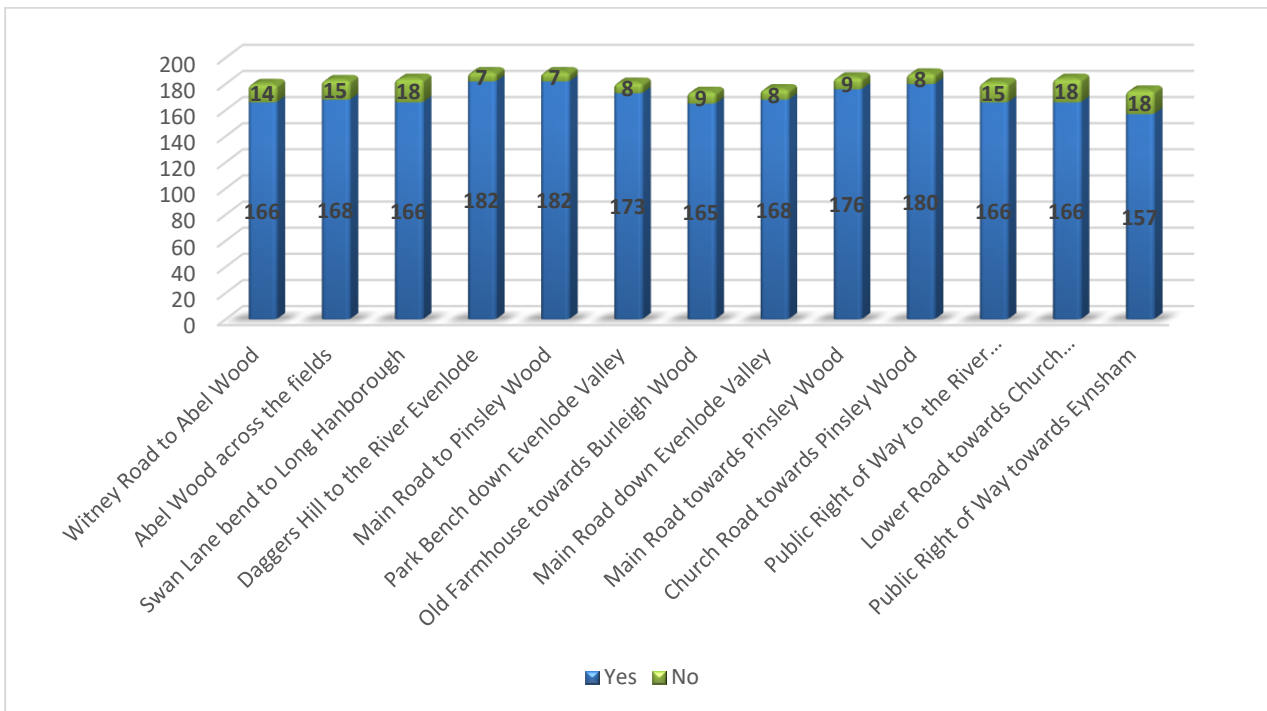


Other (11 respondents, 12 total comments):

Must preserve all green spaces	3	Must protect all woodland	1
Individual ancient trees	1	Protect any land still being farmed or with potential for farming	1
There are still corridors for deer, badgers, bats that must be protected	1	Woodland south of Pigeon House Lane either side of stream	1
Area at end of Park Lane	1	Walk down Dagger's Hill	1
Important not to build on sites of special scientific interest	1	Not only protect but enhance with rewilding initiatives	1

18. The following key views are considered crucial to the character of the parish. Do you think that these should be protected from harm caused by future development?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 200

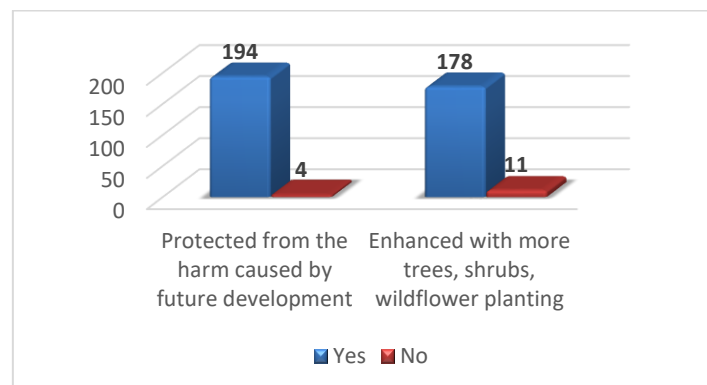


Other (8 respondents, 10 total comments):

Between Church Hanborough and Long Hanborough	2	Church Hanborough church from Coffin Path, Long Hanborough	1
Isis Close towards Church Hanborough	1	Church Hanborough to Pinsley Wood	1
Church Road over to Freeland including Old Pitt	1	West edge of Hanborough Gate looking towards Freeland	1
New Barn Farmhouse, Church Hanborough, towards Eynsham	1	Old Farmhouse but including wider vista beyond Burleigh Wood	1
Noah's bench at end of track overlooking river and Coombes	1		

19. We have many open and accessible green spaces in the parish from playing fields to play areas and greens on many estates. Would you like to see these areas:

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 200



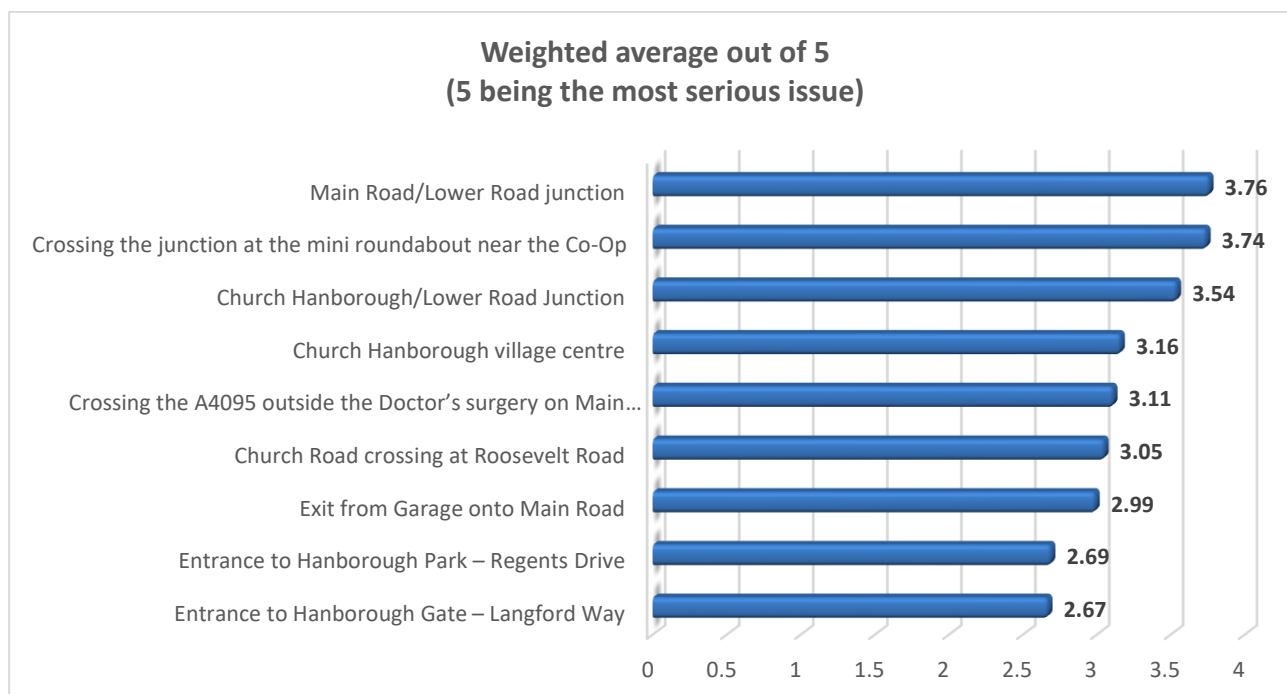
Other (25 respondents, 26 total comments):			
Better maintenance	4	More green spaces	2
More open spaces for children to play when fields are in use otherwise	2	More outdoor recreation spaces (to sit, play etc.)	2
Expand these areas as well	1	Regular cleaning of local rivers	1
Bird nesting boxes	1	More bird/wildlife encouragement	1
More wildflower planting	1	More dense woodland planted	1
Prevent destruction of woodland	1	Improve existing local roads	1
Enhanced for children	1	More investment in sport facilities	1
What happened to the pump track?	1	More benches to sit on	1
More open to allow for community policing	1	Farmers to explore benefits of regenerative farming techniques	1
Better connections to new paths to enable flow	1	Natural environment has been seriously eroded	1

PART 5 – INFRASTRUCTURE

TRAFFIC AND SAFETY

20. Thinking about the safety of pedestrians, cyclists and motorists, on a scale of 1-5 (1 = very minor issue, 5 = very serious issue), what do you feel about the following key road and traffic locations within Hanborough Parish?

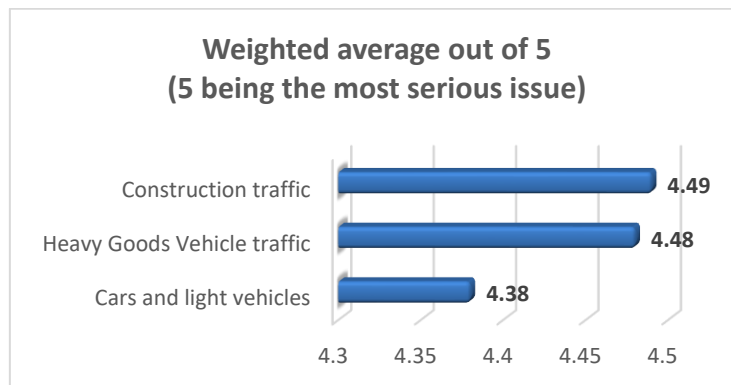
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 185



Other (15 respondents, 15 total comments):			
Address speed limits	3	Main Road - more pedestrian crossings	2
Crossing station bridge	2	Exit from station car park	1
Main Road (Millwood end) difficult and dangerous to cross	1	Village too congested	1
Lower Road needs proper kerbs and better junction controls	1	Lower Road junction at Willow Cottage nursery dangerous	1
No safety for pedestrians walking through centre of Church Hanborough	1	Churchill Way/Church Road junction dangerous	1
Speed camera on Church Road	1		

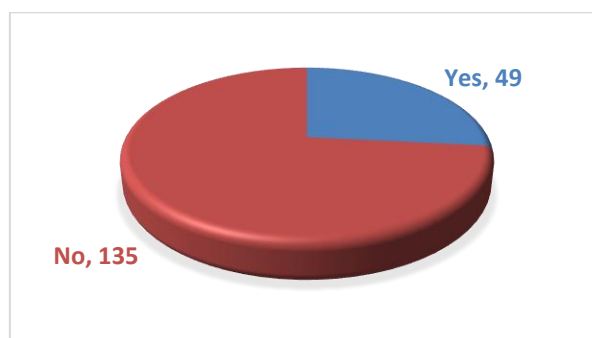
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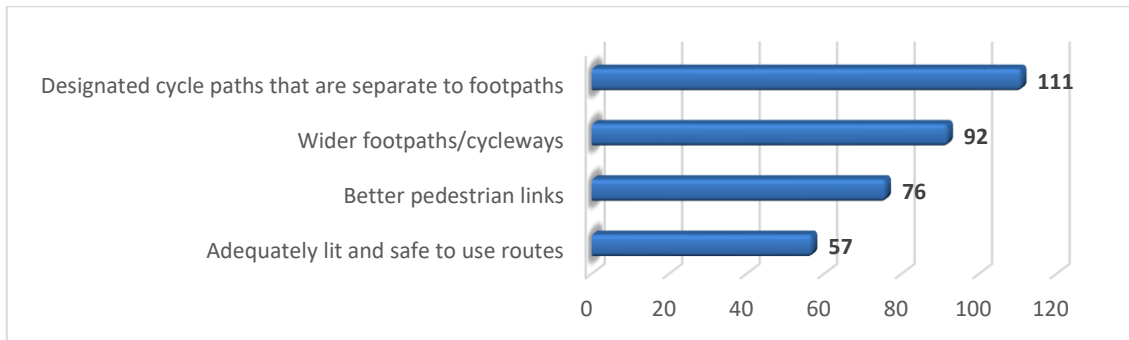
22. Do you think the existing footpaths and cycle ways provide sufficient ease of movement and/or access to the community facilities without resorting to a car?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 184



23. If 'no', what improvements do you think are most important?

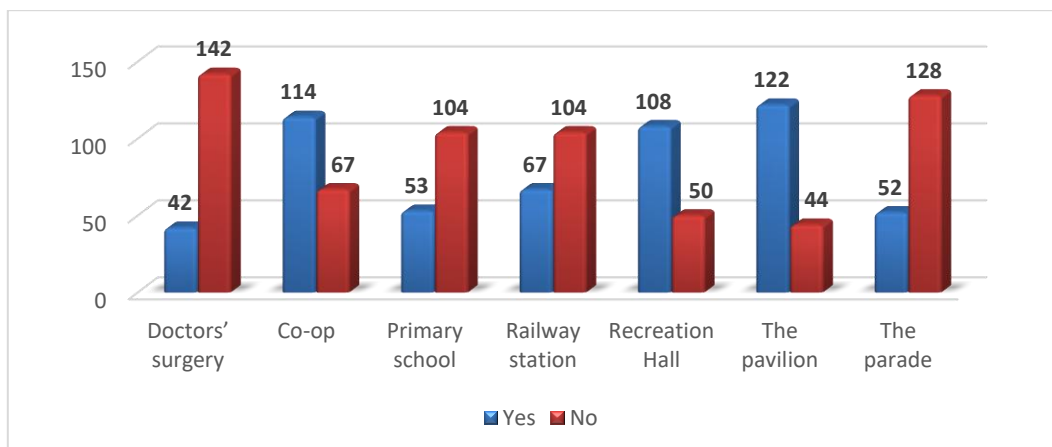
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 133



Comments (34 respondents, 42 total comments):			
Cyclepaths not adequate (ideally separate not shared)	9	Cycle path along Lower Road towards Eynsham/A40	6
Cyclepath into Witney	2	Way to travel on foot through LH without using Main Road	2
Improve state of pavements/roads	2	Improve pedestrian path through CH	2
Improve pedestrian railway bridge	2	Make Coffin Path official cycle path	1
Extend cycle path along Main Road to link whole village	1	Dedicated cycle path to Hanborough station	1
Alternative cycle path to Eynsham avoiding Lower Road	1	Cycle path from CH to Freeland / station / Bartholomews School	1
Better maintenance of cycle paths	1	Better connection of paths/cycle paths	1
Review to see whether any new connecting routes can be created	1	Extend community path SW to link to LH and extend Combe Gate back to LH	1
Further traffic calming in both centres	1	Parking on Church Road	1
Better bus service	1	Improve connectivity to nearby towns	1
Safer crossings / better lit pavements	1	Keep paths clear of hedges	1
Distance of LH makes it difficult to navigate without car	1	Improvements won't help with GP surgery as too far out of village	1

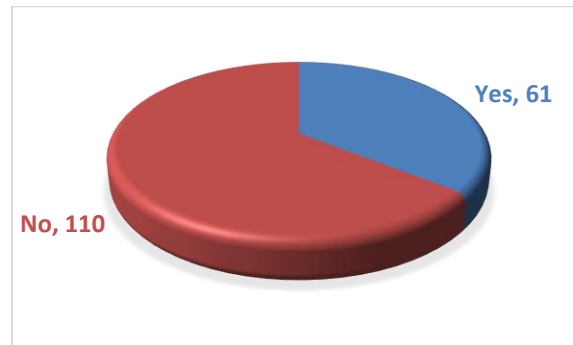
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TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 186



25. Should there be any areas in the village that have restricted parking?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 171



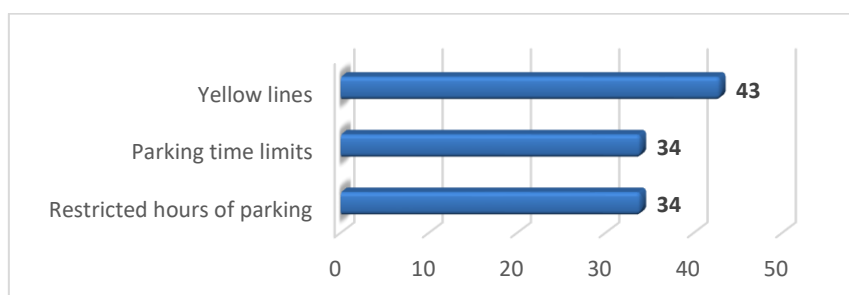
26. If 'yes', please tell us where.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 57

Location (57 respondents, 68 total comments):			
Near station (including nearby streets)	12	Roundabout by co-op, Church Road	8
Church Road	6	The parade	6
Primary school	6	Riely Close	4
Main Road	3	GP surgery	3
Regent Drive	2	Hanborough Gate streets	2
Residential streets	2	All areas / anywhere	2
Main Road from GP to Regent Drive	1	Grass verges on Main Road	1
Church Road to Norridge Way	1	Top of Park Lane	1
Dental surgery	1	Methodist Church	1
Community path to Blenheim	1	Blind bends	1
Anywhere near major junctions	1	Any parking area so no long-term stays	1
More disabled spaces	1	Some will say Church Road but houses have little drive space and it slows cars	1

27. If you think there should be parking restrictions, please tell us what.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 75



Other (10 respondents, 10 total comments):			
No all day parking	1	Red route – no parking at all	1
Greater restrictions on weekends	1	Action but with permits for residents	1
Park Lane speed restriction	1	Blue disc zone (general parking)	1
Bollards to prevent verge parking	1	Restictions on vehicle sizes	1
Keep work vans out of car park	1	Better drives on Church Road	1

28. Do you have any other suggestions about how to alleviate the parking problems?

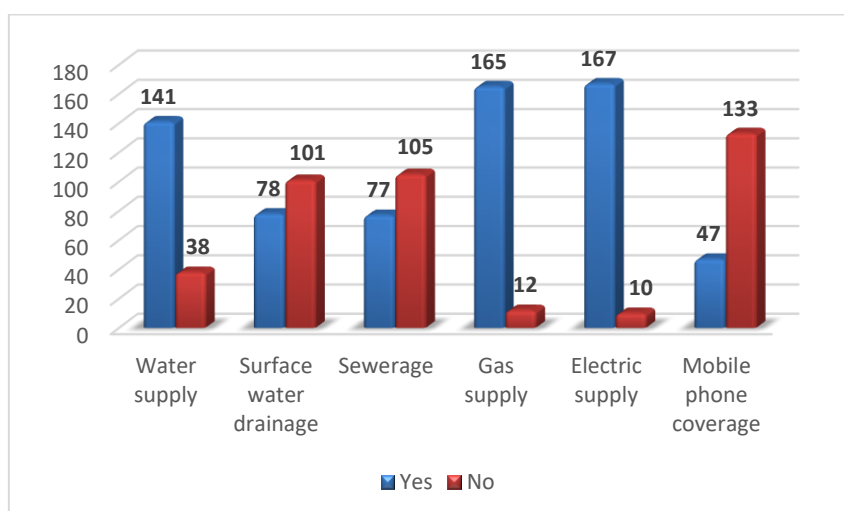
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 48

Comments (48 respondents, 52 total comments):			
Encourage people to walk/cycle	6	Expansion of station car park (possibly mutli-storey)	5
Developers must provide sufficient parking on new developments	5	Resident permits	4
No more houses	4	Yellow lines on Church Road	3
Better public transport	2	School parking at the pavilion	2
Make people park on driveways	2	Bollards to prevent verge parking	1
More parking at GP surgery	1	Make GP parking one way in and out	1
Blue disc zone with limited duration for parking	1	Convert swamp area at school into teacher/parent parking	1
Better use of school parking	1	Better organisation of parade parking	1
Better organisation of Reily Close parking	1	Better parking for Methodist Church	1
Make pedestrian crossing by co-op safer	1	Proper path through Hurdswell Green wooded area	1
Shuttle bus from statoin at commuter times	1	Build car park in nearby field	1
Bike/electric scooter hire points	1	Permits for third vehicles	1
Better education, ie, park on one side of the road	1	Discourage single drivers by imposing fines during peak times	1
Don't allow LH to become commuter hub without resident parking	1	No more space	1

SERVICES, FACILITIES & AMENITIES

29. From your experience, do you think the existing mains services listed below perform adequately in Hanborough Parish?

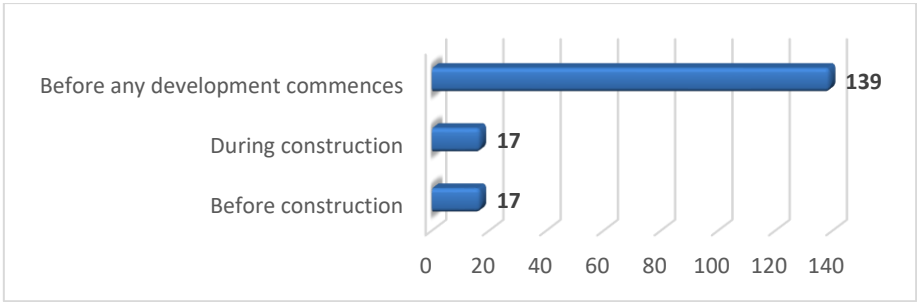
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 185



Other / Comments (39 respondents, 43 total comments):			
Mobile phone coverage awful (especially west of co-op)	20	Internet coverage poor / need better options, ie fibre	8
Water supply insufficient to cope with existing demand	3	Drains need regular unblocking	3
Drains smell	2	Sewage release at Downhills Farm	1
Pollution of Evenlode	1	Lower Road too prone to flooding	1
Utility supply must be mandatory before expansion projects	1	Road and pavement surfaces	1
Need late bus back from Woodstock	1	Need access to NHS dentist	1

30. If existing service systems need upgrading, when do you think this should happen?

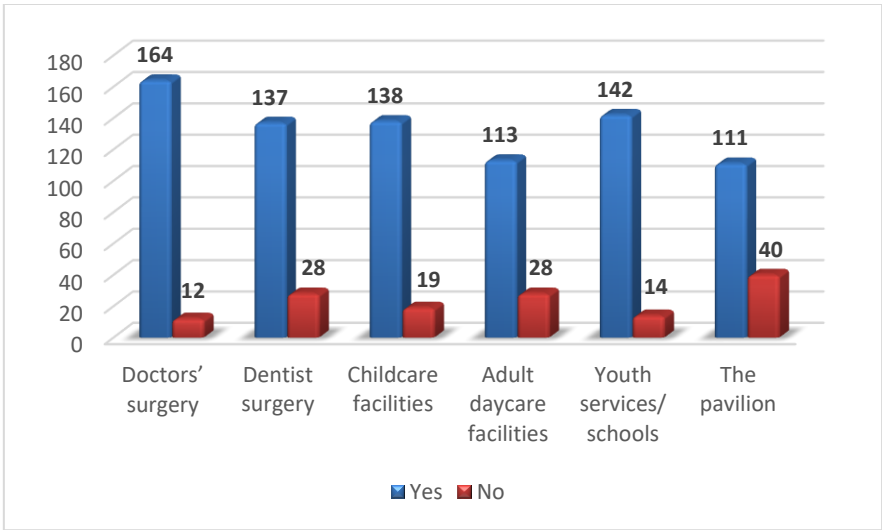
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 180



Other (5 respondents, 5 total comments):			
Before approval / at planning stage and as part of permissions given	2	Better planning, communication and integration with developers so road not dug up twice	1
Prior to sale/occupation of houses	1	Just upgrade without new development	1

31. Do you think any of the following key facilities should be given the opportunity to expand as the population of the parish increases?

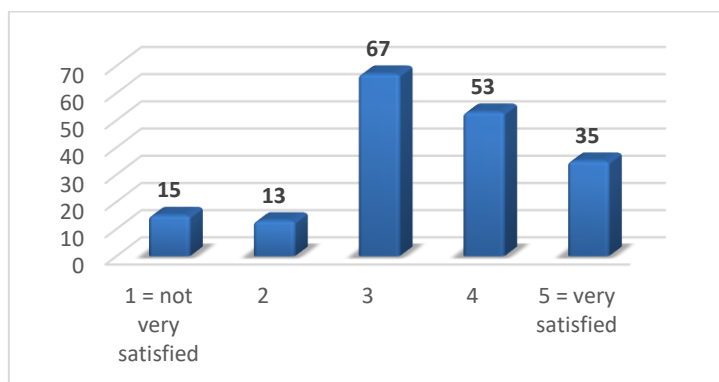
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 183



Other (14 respondents, 15 total comments):			
Restaurants, cafes, pubs	3	Modern sports facilities	2
Dentist should offer NHS	2	Pavilion needs expanding /should become sport and social club	2
Recreation hall	1	Youth club	1
Train station	1	Car park	1
Natural resources / green spaces	1	No more development	1

32. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the provision of shops and retail outlets in the parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 183



33. Are there are shops or businesses we don't yet have that you would like to see?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 59

Other (59 respondents, 93 total comments):			
Another supermarket/food shop – competition for Co-op	10	Butchers	10
Bakery	9	More places to eat and drink	8
More local produce / farm shop / refill shop	8	Greengrocers	6
Re-open Hand and Shears	4	Gym	4
Takeaway (Chinese/Indian)	3	Library	3
More small / individual shops	3	Local garage for car repairs	2
Hairdresser	2	Barber	2
It's a village – don't need supermarkets or more shops	2	Bank / Post Office	2
Food store at other end of Long Hanborough	1	Health and wellbeing services (pilates, yoga, physio, treatments)	1
Community hub or shared space	1	Pop-ups / rotating market stalls	1
Clothes / shoe shops	1	Newsagents	1
Proper café at station	1	Better parking at co-op	1
KFC	1	Florist	1
Optician	1	NHS dentist	1
Off licence	1	Artist/crofters studio with gallery	1
Enough but need better services around existing outlets	1		

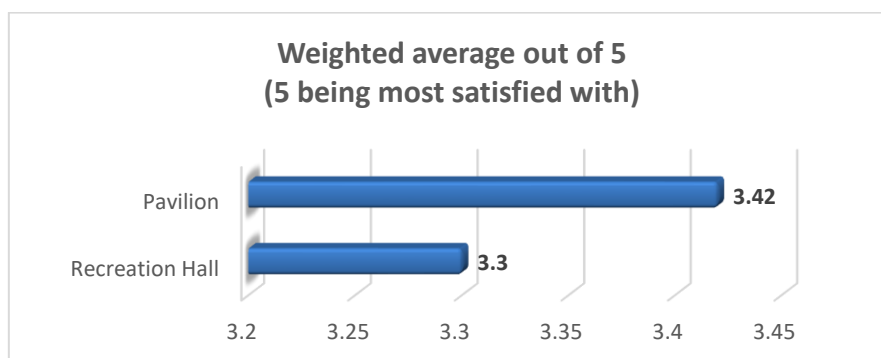
34. Are there any existing shops or businesses that you would like to see expanded?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 42

Other (42 respondents, 47 total comments):			
Co-op	21	Dentist (accepting NHS too)	7
Café	3	Pharmacy	2
GP	2	Re-open Hand and Shears	2
Bakery at cafe	1	Post office inside co-op	1
Cash machine inside co-op again	1	General store (cycle shop)	1
Gym	1	School	1
Community led shop and café supporting local farmers	1	Veg shed or Freeland nursery to become farm shop	1
Community-focussed pubs	1	More services at station end of LH	1

35. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the following community amenities?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 174

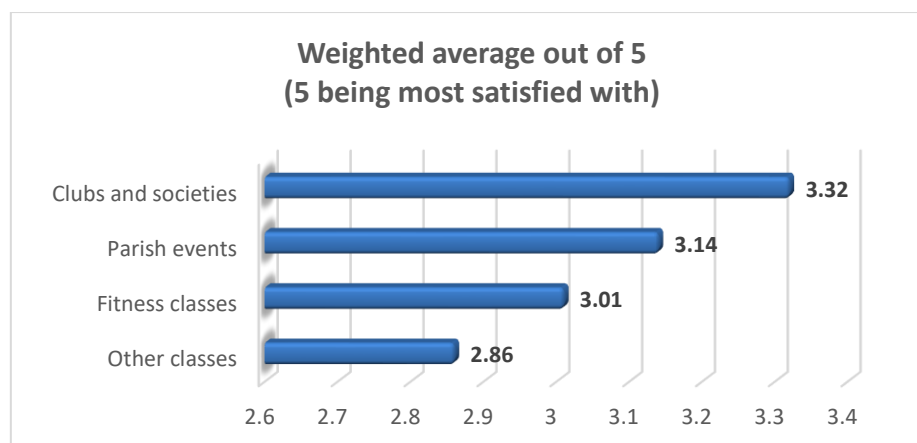


Pavilion comments (37 respondents, 52 total comments):			
Expand/refurbish/modernise with better layout / more space for sports	17	Update kitchen facilities	6
Improve toilets	3	Better stage	3
Have it open more often	2	Bar/café area	2
Youth services	2	Better lighting outside	2
Visually nice / brilliant grounds	2	Improve changing facilities	1
Improve parking / car park	1	Use more for community events	1
Gym	1	Indoor badminton court	1
Swimming pool	1	Balcony for sports viewing	1
Full-time steward	1	Under-utilised	1
Booking can be difficult	1	Knock it down and start again	1
Get on with new construction using money from developers	1	Was under impression improvements were already under way	1
Hall comments (32 respondents, 41 total comments)			
Re-build/modernise/update	13	Improve toilets	7
Improve kitchen	2	Improve parking	2
Re-paint	2	Youth club/youth services	2
Nice as smaller hall/alternative	2	Better maintenance/cleaning	2
Stage	1	Gym	1
New storage garages	1	New curtains	1

Better lighting	1	Natural light	1
Have it open more often	1	Sell & use proceeds to replace pavilion	1
Difficult to expand given location	1		
Other comments (11 respondents, 13 total comments)			
Churches (4/5)	1	Park/skatepark (4/5)	1
Community service funding linked to development for children, young adult, disability groups, dementia, elderly	1	Expand sports fields onto Coffin Path fields	1
Expand playground on new estates	1	Greater availability of halls for groups	1
Better changing facilities	1	More for teenagers	1
Paddle tennis facilities	1	Outdoor table tennis / gym	1
Indoor sports, ie, badminton, table tennis, pickleball	1	Install traffic calming at Church Hanborough village square	1
No parking at Christ Church	1		

36. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the types of activities offered in the parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 173



37. If you have any other ideas for community activities, groups etc. please tell us what.

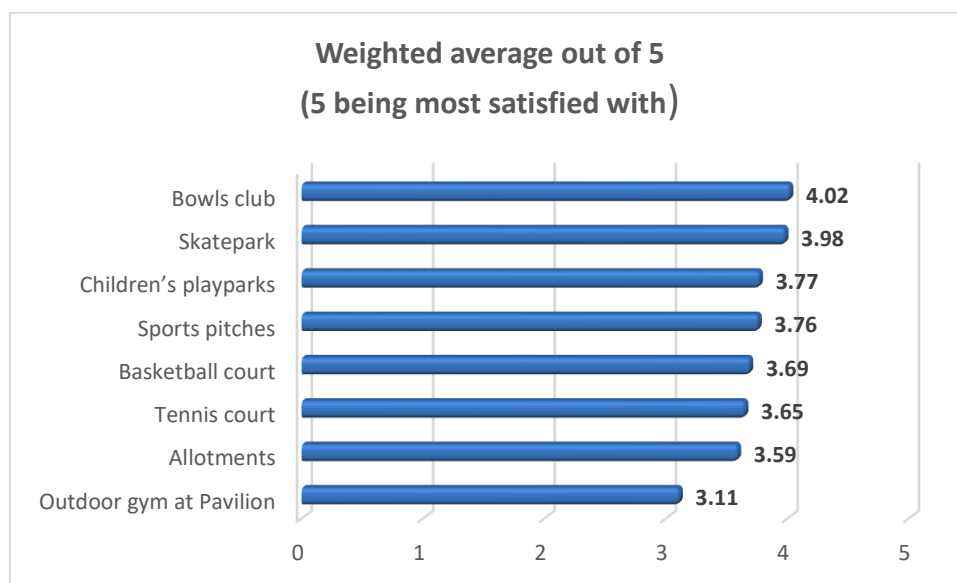
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 30

Other (30 respondents, 45 total comments):			
More for teenagers	3	Youth clubs	3
More things outside working hours (for young adults/parents)	3	Restore Hanborough Show	2
Art and craft group/classes	2	Film nights / cinema club	2
More fitness classes (inc. evenings)	2	Fitness centre	1
Green gym	1	Park Run	1
Sports events	1	Dance classes/events	1
Cycling groups	1	Snooker club	1
Yoga	1	Badminton court	1
Music groups	1	Amateur dramatics	1
Visiting stage companies	1	Men's Shed	1
Pop-up markets	1	Scouts/cubs	1
Community working space	1	Community allotments/gardens	1
Seasonal wildlife walks	1	Volunteering opportunities	1

Activities merging different age groups	1	More diverse activities – not just family	1
More support for existing groups	1	Clubs can't cope with further numbers	1
Invest in community facility used/run by churches	1	Consider parish events when re-developing, ie, storage for fireworks	1
Suitable halls to attract groups	1	More events like Party in the Park	1
Parish Council do nothing to organise parish events – just give money	1		

38. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), how satisfied are you with the following outdoor recreation amenities in the parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 171



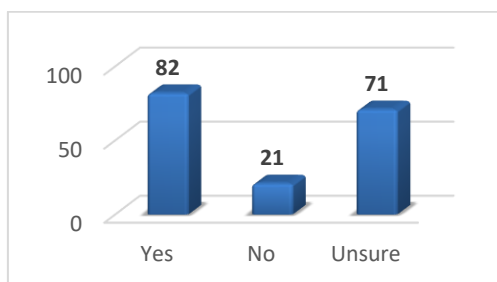
39. If you have any ideas for other recreational opportunities, please tell us what.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 26

Other (26 respondents, 42 total comments):			
More tennis courts (and for sole use)	4	Table tennis court	3
Padel tennis	2	Modern/better playpark	2
Splash park	2	More (and improved) allotments	2
Sort out drug problem	2	Sports club	1
Outdoor gym equipment	1	Gym	1
Badminton court	1	Volleyball pitch	1
Hitting/practice wall	1	Second basketball court	1
Boules/petanque pitch	1	Fitness course/trail	1
Swimming pool	1	Youth groups	1
Pump track	1	Bike facilities for younger kids (<6)	1
Safe cycle routes	1	Improved paths through woods	1
More benches	1	Nature reserves	1
Pop-up markets	1	Car boot facilities	1
Piano in new village hall	1	Performance area for concerts/shows	1
Better lighting at playpark	1	Community police to keep eye on areas	1
More grassed areas for when football/cricket using them	1	Direct funds to football/cricket which helps fund pavilion	1

40. Do you feel the outdoor play areas, including the main playground behind the school and individual estate playgrounds, offer safe and well-maintained environments for users?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 174



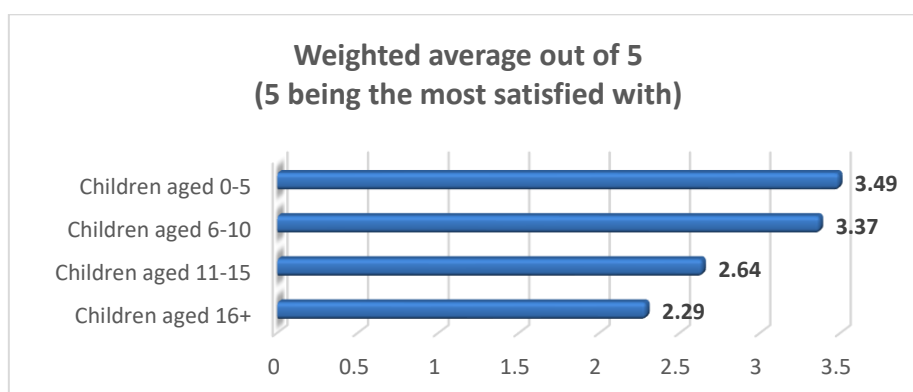
41. If you have any ideas for improving outdoor recreation areas, please tell us what.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 35

Other (35 respondents, 49 total comments):			
Playground needs better visibility to make it safer / deter youth gangs	5	Playground needs more equipment and made more challenging for all ages	3
Playground needs to be better maintained	3	More community policing / monitoring of youth gangs	3
Need larger playing field(s)	3	Improve/expand tennis courts	3
More seating/benches	3	Better lighting	2
Playground needs more for toddlers	2	Improve footpaths for all-weather	2
More bins, emptied regularly	2	Community orchard	2
Safe cycling/walking areas	1	Widen Coffin Path	1
Painted running track	1	Padel courts	1
Croquet pitch	1	Boules/petanque pitch	1
Hitting/practice wall	1	Table tennis	1
Bouldering wall	1	Outdoor chess set	1
Small kids pump track	1	Install CCTV	1
Needs to be allocated into areas that can be easily monitored for safety	1	Increase use with organised groups so more occupancy of playing fields	1
Stop dogs walking on playing fields	1	Don't build on it	1

42. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very satisfied, 5 = very satisfied), what is your opinion about the availability and quality of the facilities available for hosting activities for the following groups of young people in the parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 165



43. If you have any ideas for improving facilities for hosting activities for young people, please tell us what.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 24

Other (24 respondents, 33 total comments):			
Youth club / activities for teens	13	Talk to youth and get their opinion	2
Cinema club/nights	2	Music events	1
Culture events	1	Open air pool/lido	1
Pump track	1	Mountain bike dirt track	1
Athletics running track	1	More outside spaces for all ages	1
Bigger pavilion	1	Indoor sports facilities	1
More seating especially at skatepark and astro	1	Dance class at pavilion overbooks so difficult to book childrens parties	1
More baby/toddler groups	1	Bus service	1
Free facilities	1	Recruit more specialist leaders	1
Get secondary school to encourage sports leaders for sport clubs	1		

PART 6 – ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENHANCEMENT

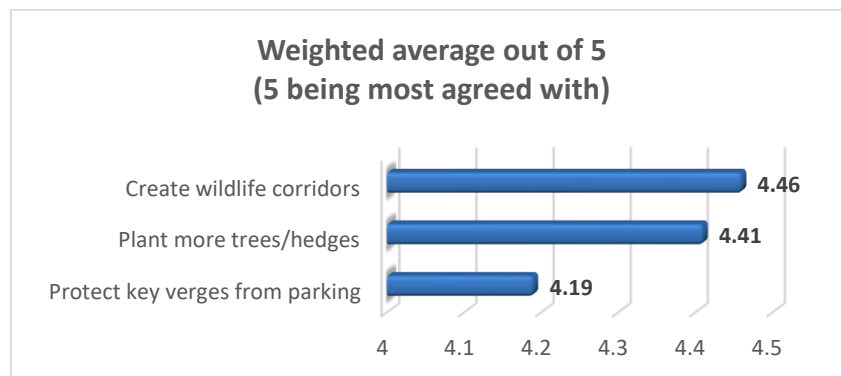
44. Do you think the Neighbourhood Plan should contain policies to protect, enhance and promote the health of nature, biodiversity and wildlife in the Hanborough Parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 178



45. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = strongly disagree, 5 = strongly agree), how much would you like to see the natural environment of the parish enhanced through the following measures?

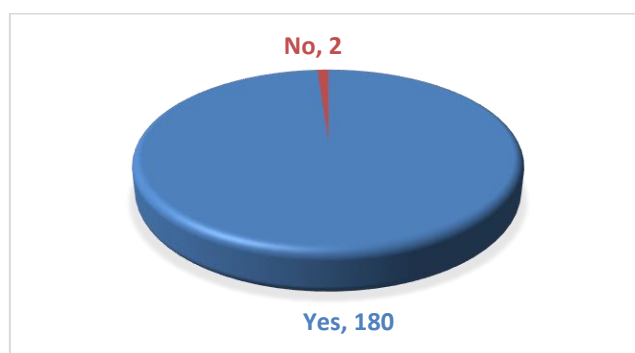
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 180



Other (16 respondents, 20 total comments):			
More wildlife planting	4	Stop solar panels on fields	2
Maintain wildlife corridors	1	Maintain existing assets	1
Rethink untidy rewilding	1	Re-instate natural species of flora and fauna	1
Buffer zone policy to protect natural environment from damage	1	Policies to limit light pollution / promote dark skies	1
Bird/bat/mammal boxes in suitable sites	1	Developments to incorporate space for mammals/bird to move within	1
Planting new hedges not always the answer as needs to be managed	1	As long as it is looked after by someone	1
Don't forget sight lines when planting	1	Support greening of Church Hanborough village square	1
Support solar farms to protect long-term health of nature	1	Build fewer homes	1

46. The parish has some beautiful natural assets such as the River Evenlode and Pinsley Wood; do you feel that the Neighbourhood Plan should try to protect and enhance these areas of rich biodiversity?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 182



47. If 'yes', what measures would you like to see introduced to achieve this?

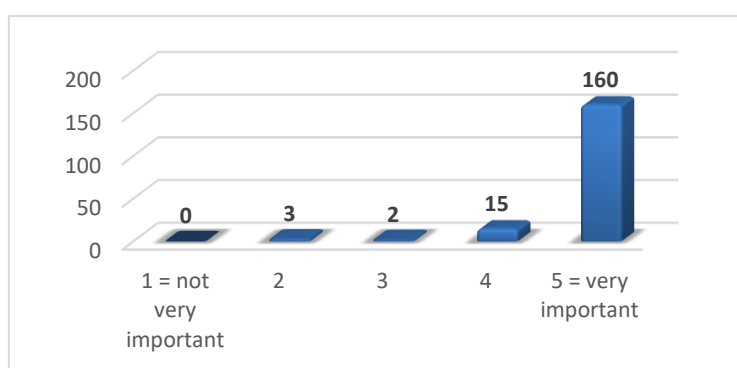
TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 103

Other (103 respondents, 215 total comments):			
Improve water of River Evenlode / reduce pollution and sewage	31	Restrict/limit development around these sites, ie, buffer zones	25
Nore more development/housing	14	Protect Pinsley Wood as natural asset	10
Regular clearing/tidying of River Evenlode and its banks	8	Proper maintenance of footpaths and Public Rights of Way	5
Plant more trees	5	Designated walkways	4
More information/awareness	4	Pinsley Wood at risk of over-use – perhaps seasonal access or allocated areas for public use	3
Better maintenance in general	2	Leave wildlife be	2
Benches and picnic areas along river and at beauty spots	2	Designated no-dog areas or signs to keep dogs on leads	2
Wildlife corridors	2	Green access to Pinsley Wood	1
Tidy dead trees in Pinsley Wood	1	Engage with Blenheim re Pinsley Wood	1

Proper maintenance of river path	1	Legal protection to curtilige	1
Conservation groups	1	Ask experts	1
Monitoring of sites	1	Volunteer groups to manage sites	1
Manage their over-use	1	Bat/bird/mammal nest boxes	
Local parking	1	As much renewable energy as possible	1
Ensure enough bins	1	Litter fines	1
Stop mitigation planting around solar farms	1	Organised wildlife surveys at specific times of year	1

48. On a scale of 1-5 (1 = not very important, 5 = very important), how important is it to you that Pinsley Wood is protected from the harm caused by developments such as housing and solar panels?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 180



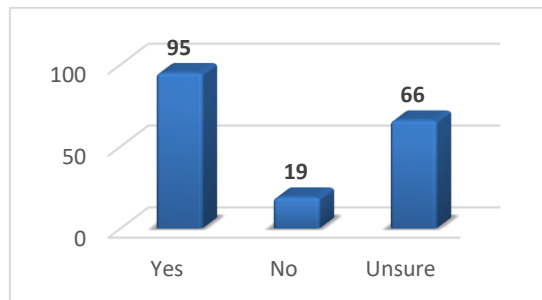
49. If protecting Pinsley Wood is important to you, do you have any suggestions on how any harm might be avoided/mitigated?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 87

Other (87 respondents, 106 total comments):			
Don't develop or build near it, have a boundary, protect the border	49	Stop building houses	8
No to solar farm / have on roofs instead or small nuclear energy units	7	Control number of people walking through / manage over-use	5
Protect it as a designated site of special interest / nature reserve etc.	4	Negotiate with Blenheim to manage/ save it – don't agree to their plans, have restrictions on what they can fell	4
Maintain paths and ensure people keep to designated paths / have signs for this	3	Leave it alone / let it be	3
Avoid unnecessary logging / commercial timber operations	3	Have management that is looking to protect the site not gain	2
Proper monitoring	2	Reduce artificial lighting to minimim	2
Change status to common land	1	Ownership by local people via trustee	1
Future hosting would destroy wildlife	1	Exclude from local plan	1
Preservation order on every tree	1	Protect older trees and plant new ones	1
Don't use large machines for felling	1	Maintain natural corridors for wildlife	1
Temporaty bans on dogs off leads	1	Stop bikes going in and around	1
Stop the forest school	1	Regular litter picks	1
Participate in actions of protest group	1	Do a wildlife survey	1

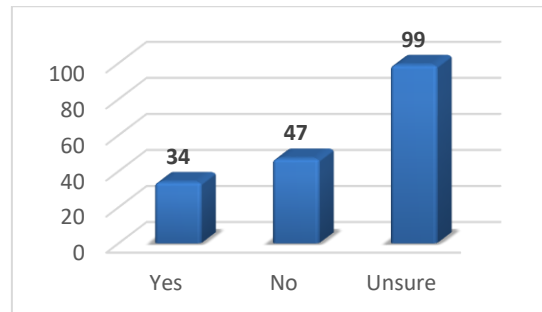
50. Do you think the Neighbourhood Plan should explore the provision of more community orchards?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 180



51. Do you think there are enough allotments in the parish?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 180



52. Are there any areas in the parish which should be considered for designation as:

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 47

Local wildlife sites (45 respondents, 74 total comments):			
Pinsley Wood and surrounds	19	Abel Wood	9
Mill Wood	9	All the woods	6
River Rvenlode	3	Evenlode Valley	3
North Field	2	All of it	2
Wide grass verges between villages	1	Main Road down to river	1
Lower Road (often deer killed)	1	Millwood End	1
Daggers Hill	1	Orchard opposite Suzuki garage	1
North Leigh Common and woodlands	1	Field opposite Corn Hide	1
Fields behind Isis Close to Church Hanborough	1	Fields between Freeland and Hanboroughs	1
Corridor from Freeland to Church Hanborough	1	Corridor from Freeland to Pinsley Woods	1
Ancient hedgerow from Church Hanborough towards Eynsham	1	Hedgerow from Church Hanborough to Pinsley Wood (badger sett)	1
Between Pinsley Wood and housing to north	1	Between Church Hanborough and Pinsley Wood	1
Between Coffin Path and Pinsley Wood	1	Land behind Park Lane to river	1
Hanborough Park	1	Area between Hanborough Park and Pinsley Wood	1
Any area left fallow for more than 5yrs	1		

Local heritage sites (23 respondents, 29 total comments):			
Millwood End	4	North Field	3
Pinsley Wood and surrounds	3	St. Peter and Paul Church	2
Long Hanborough Manor House	1	Long Hanborough War Memorial	1
Broader area around Church Hanborough	1	All listed buildings and settings in Church Hanborough	1
Church Hanborough village square	1	Fields behind Isis Close to CH	1
Gold's between Millwood End and East End	1	Ridge and Farrow field off Regents Drive and Main Road	1
Part of Mian Road from little school to George and Dragon pub	1	Areas that are rarely found forms of farmland	1
Park Lane	1	Some parts of A4095	1
Allotments	1	Restore old allotments	1
All conservation areas	1	All woods	1
Whole village	1		

PART 7 – AND TO WRAP UP...

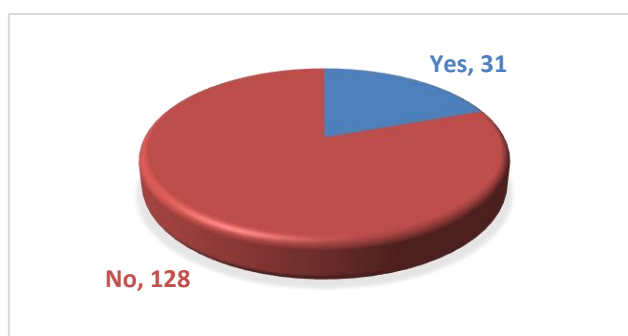
53. Is there anything about life in Hanborough Parish that gives cause for celebration?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 104

Comments (104 respondents, 138 total comments):			
Community spirit, friendly, neighbourly, safe	66	Community facilities, shops, services, and amenities	23
Countryside, rural location	16	Footpaths, views, green spaces, woodland	12
Transport links, train station, easy access to other places	12	Social life, lots going on	10
The campaign against the solar farm	2		
Not friendly, community has changed for the worse, concerned about the future	9		

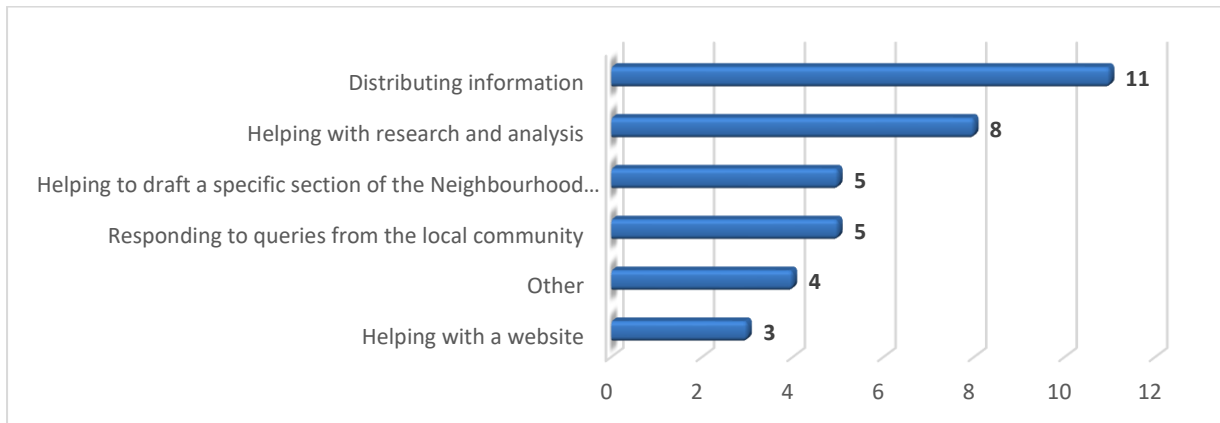
54. Would you be willing to be involved in the preparation of the Hanborough Neighbourhood Plan?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 159



55. If 'yes', which of the following tasks would you be prepared to help with?

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 31



Other (4 respondents):

Drafting and proofreading	1	Designing educational boards	1
Nature recovery work	1	Footpaths and cycling	1

56. If you would like to get involved, leave your contact details below.

TOTAL RESPONDENTS = 22

Data appended separately