



Welcome



Oake Neighbourhood Plan

Community Event - October 2018

Purpose

To display the results of the questionnaire and for members of the community to add further comments, if they have any.



Aims of the Questionnaire:

- Examine in detail any concerns about future development in the Parish and parishioners' views on potential solutions and identified housing needs.
- Explore transport and access issues for parishioners and what may be needed in the long term to meet the changing needs of the community.
- Explore a range of other issues relating to facilities, young people, leisure and recreation, business and employment, the internet, renewable resources, protection of heritage and green space.
- Establish what Parishioners value most about living in Oake Parish, and their future vision of the Parish.



Why develop a Neighbourhood Plan for Oake Parish?

The development of a Neighbourhood Plan for Oake Parish following the designation of the Parish boundary by Taunton Deane Borough Council in 2017 is important to set out a vision for the future.

The Neighbourhood Plan will look in detail at what type of future growth the Parish needs and the most appropriate location for this. For instance, where new workspace and jobs may be encouraged, which community and leisure facilities are needed or if important green spaces need protecting, alongside heritage and the environment.

When adopted, the Neighbourhood Plan will sit alongside the Statutory Development Plan (Local Plan) of Taunton Deane and help influence planning decisions over the next 10 years.

