

Brize Norton Neighbourhood Plan

COMMUNITY QUESTIONNAIRE REPORT

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INTRODUCTION AND RATIONALE

Brize Norton is currently preparing a Neighbourhood Plan. As part of its evidence gathering process, the Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group commissioned Community First Oxfordshire (CFO) to conduct a community questionnaire survey in September 2017. CFO is a charity that works with and supports communities across the county and has long-standing expertise in helping communities with consultation strategies.

The survey gave all households in the parish the opportunity to express an opinion on various community issues.

The survey had eight sections.

All households were asked to complete *Part 1: Our Community; Part 2- Environment; Part 3- Character and Heritage; Part 4- You and Your Household; Part 5- Housing Needs; Part 6- New Housing; Part 7- Employment Land and Part 8- Transport and Movement.*

DISTRIBUTION AND RESPONSE

- Community First Oxfordshire, liaising with Brize Norton Neighbourhood Plan Steering Group (NPSG), prepared the survey content.
- The NPSG arranged distribution of surveys to 360 households in September 2017.
- 151 questionnaires were returned directly to CFO by respondents via pre-paid *Freepost* envelopes: **a response rate of 42%.**
- CFO analysed the returned surveys and prepared this report.
- No information is known about the non-respondents, and no assumptions have been made about their opinions.

SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

The report gives a detailed breakdown of answers to all survey questions. The following is a selection of findings.

PART 1 – Our Community

Top three village facilities used DAILY, WEEKLY AND/OR MONTHLY:

- Public houses: 47% of respondents (71/151)
- Post office: 29% (44/151)
- Recreation field: 21% (32/151)

Top three most desired facilities and amenities for the village (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Village shop: 1.9
- Post office: 2.2
- Recreation facilities for children up to 12: 2.2

PART 2 – Environment

Top four most important green spaces to households (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Rural landscape with long open views to the north and east: 1.6
- Fields between Manor Road and the RAF Tactical Medical Wing: 1.7
- Country Park extension between new development and Burford Road: 1.7
- Recreation ground: 1.7

Top three ways to encourage wildlife and biodiversity (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- In proposed Country Park extension: 1.5
- By creating a Nature Trail: 1.6
- Planting more trees: 1.6

77% of respondents (114/149) use footpaths in the surrounding countryside. 63% of respondents (81/129) think existing footpaths need enhancing or better connectivity.

83% of respondents (107/130) think there should be an information board indicating footpath routes.

Top three anti-social noise or air quality issues:

- Road traffic: 60% of respondents (71/119)
- Aircraft: 57% (68/119)
- Air quality: 34% (40/119)

PART 3 – Character and Heritage

Top three most valuable village characteristics (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- The setting in a rural landscape: 1.3
- The village separation from Carterton: 1.3
- Open spaces within the village: 1.4

71% of respondents (104/147) think that it is VERY IMPORTANT that the character of existing buildings, structures and layouts should be a major consideration for the design of future houses and housing development

PART 4 – You and Your Household

98% of respondents (141/144) own at least one car.

23 cars and 1 van are recorded as being parked on the public highway.

Top two locations that households live in:

- Station Road: 64% of respondents (94/146)
- Burford Road/Kilkenny Lane: 21% (30/146)

87% of respondents (128/147) are owner-occupiers

PART 5 – Housing Needs

32 respondents require a new home in Brize Norton within the next 5 years:

- 13 whole households
- 19 individuals within a household

Top two reasons for wishing to move but not being able to for both whole households and individuals:

- Unable to afford to buy new home (5 whole households/9 individuals)
- Lack of suitable housing to meet my needs (3 whole households/6 individuals)

Top reason for whole households needing a new home in Brize Norton:

- Need bigger home (7 respondents)

Both whole households and individuals within a household would prefer self-ownership

Top reason for individuals within a household needing a new home in Brize Norton:

- Want to start first home (14 respondents)

PART 6 – New Housing

56% of respondents (79/142) would support NO additional planned houses in Brize Norton

Top three types of housing needed in Brize Norton (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Low cost 1-2 bed houses: 2.1
- General market 3-4 bed houses: 2.4
- Affordable 1-2 bed houses: 2.5

Top two types of development appropriate for Brize Norton:

- On infill plots only: 48% of respondents (69/143)
- On other sites only: 48% (69/143)

Top two most important things to consider when deciding about the location of new housing (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Prevent the merging of Carterton and Brize Norton: 1.3
- Protect centrally located greenfield land: 1.4

Top two most important other considerations (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Limiting the likelihood of flooding: 1.2
- Traffic management and access to/from site: 1.3

Top three most important things to consider about design and layout for new housing (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Sufficient off-road parking: 1.2
- Minimise impact on traffic: 1.2
- Minimise environmental impact: 1.4

PART 7 – Employment Land

82% of respondents (121/148) think the existing sports pavilion and associated fields at Monahan Way should NOT be replaced with employment land

63% of respondents (93/147) agree with the Viscount Court site proposal.

64% of respondents (93/146) agree with the A40/B4477 site proposal.

58% of respondents (83/143) DO NOT think employment land should be identified for B1 use within the village

73% of respondents (109/149) DO NOT think even more employment land should be identified for B1, B2 and B8 use within the village

PART 8 – Transport and Movement

Top four areas of concern about traffic volumes (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Station Road: 1.4
- Manor Road: 1.8
- Carterton Road: 1.9
- Chapel Hill: 1.9

77% of respondents (106/138) DO NOT think current traffic calming measures are sufficient

Top three areas needing traffic calming:

- Automatic speed signs on Station Road: 47% of respondents (55/116)
- Automatic speed signs on Burford Road/Kilkenny Lane: 37% (43/116)
- Automatic speed signs on Carterton Road: 35% (41/116)

70% of respondents (93/133) think there are areas where crossing the road is dangerous.

73% of respondents (98/135) think there are areas where parked vehicles are a hazard to road safety.

Top four areas of concern about large vehicles using roads (based on an average score of importance from 1-5, where 1 = most important):

- Station Road: 1.8
- Manor Road: 2.2
- Chapel Hill: 2.2
- Burford Road/Kilkenny Lane: 2.2

72% of respondents (142/198 individuals) leave Brize Norton to work or study

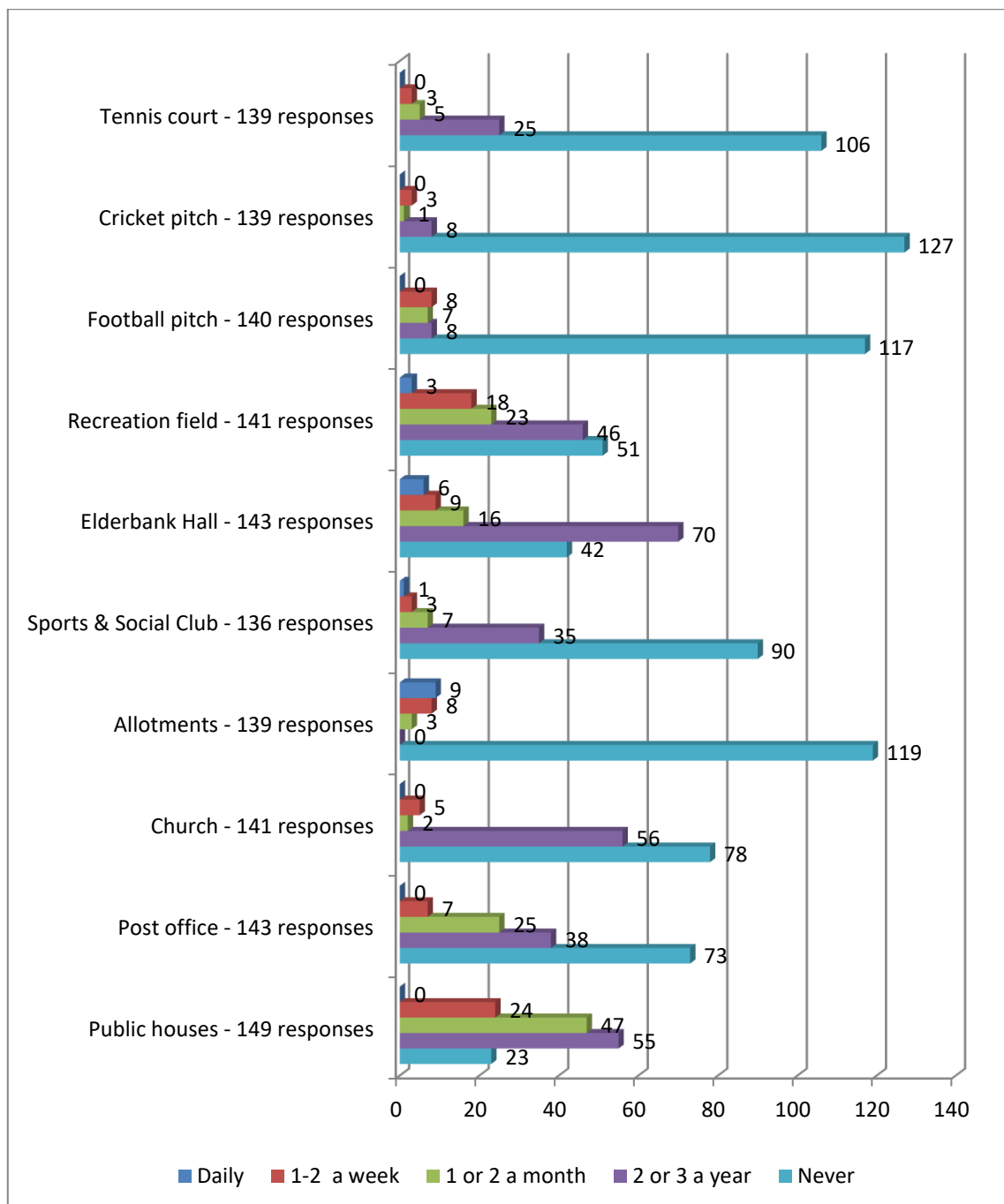
51% of respondents (73/142) think the current network of pavements in Brize Norton is adequate

Detailed Results

Part One- Our Community

1. How often does your household use these village facilities?

151 respondents

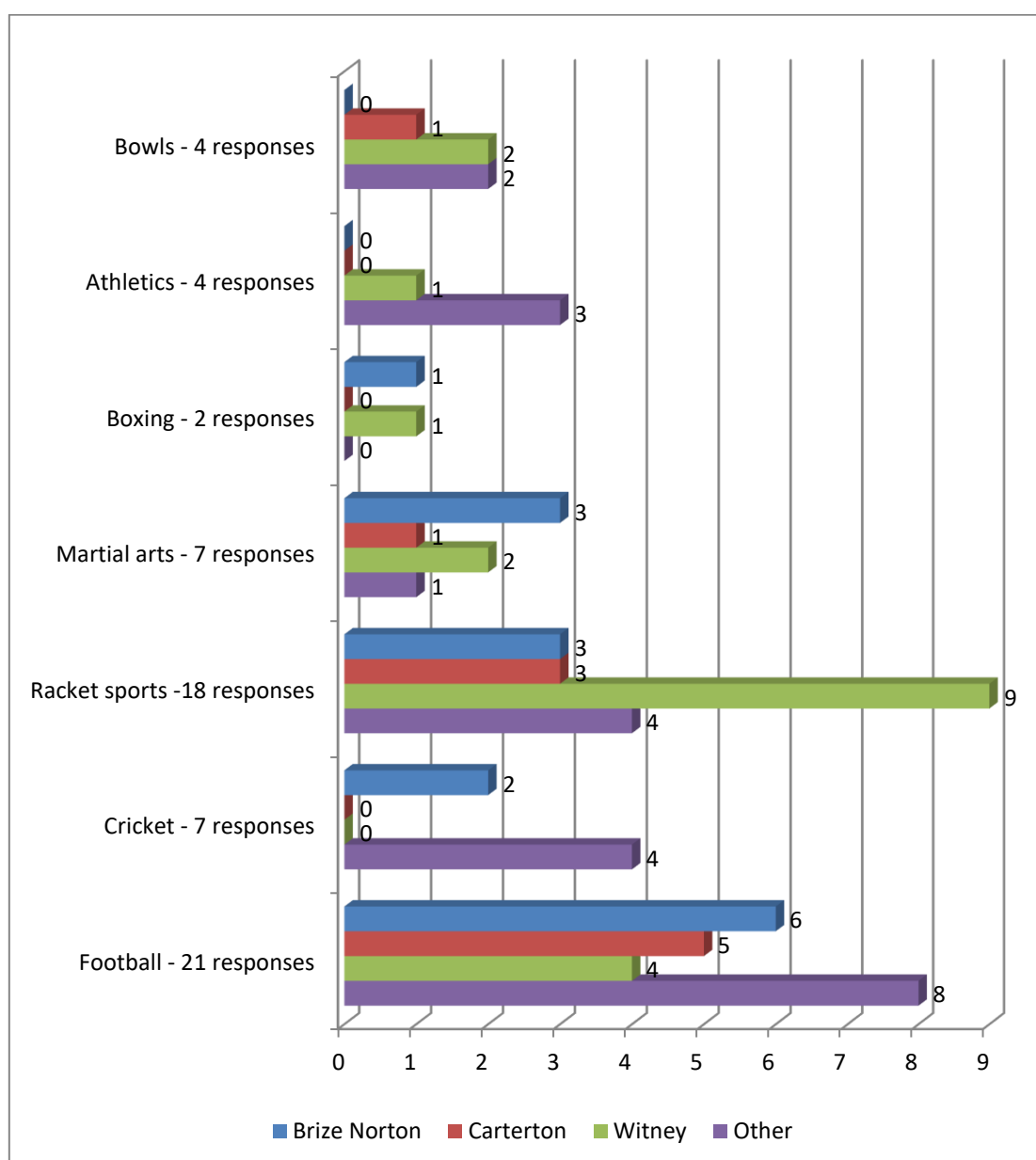
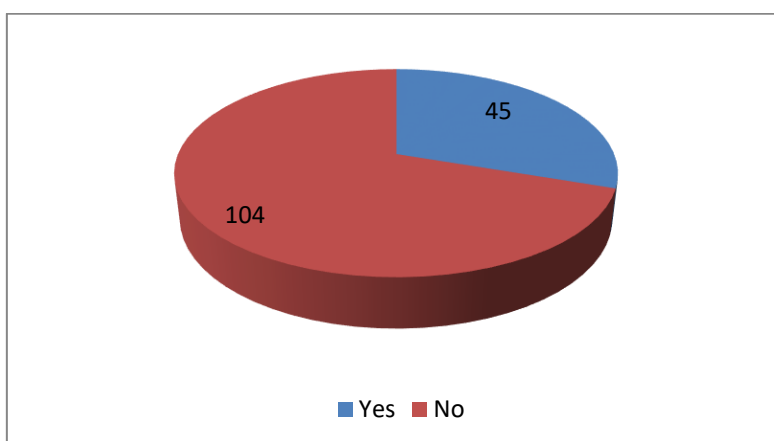


Other – 4 respondents:

Park	2	Footpaths/bridleways	1
Playground	1		

2. Do any members of your household play sport regularly?

149 respondents

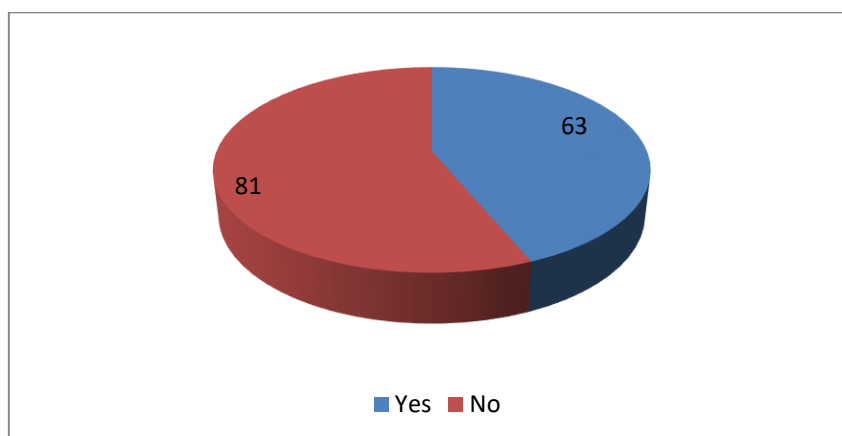


Other locations for above sports:			
Football, Bampton	1	Football, Ducklington	1
Football, school	1	Cricket, Bampton	1
Cricket, Minster Lovell	1	Cricket, Rissington	1
Cricket, school	1	Racket sports, Oxford	1
Racket sports, Standlake	1	Racket sports, school	1
Martial arts, school	1	Athletics, Abingdon	1
Athletics, school	1	Bowls, Burford	1
Bowls, Filkins	1		

Other sports: 9 respondents and 16 choices			
Rugby, Witney	2	Swimming, Carterton	2
Hockey, Witney	2	Rugby, other	1
Swimming, Witney	2	Netball, Carterton	1
Netball, Oxford	1	Netball, Abingdon	1
Golf, Carswell	1	Golf, Burford	1
Climbing, North Leach	1	Trampolining, Witney	1

3. Do any members of your household attend clubs/social activities?

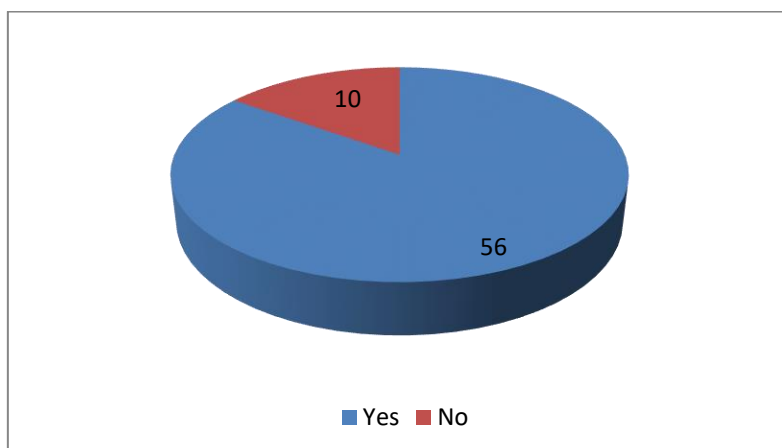
144 respondents



Sports:			
Football, Brize Norton	2	Football, Carterton	2
Cricket, Worcester	1	Rugby, Witney	1
Hockey, Witney	2	Hockey, Abingdon	1
Swimming, Standlake	1	Netball, Carterton	1
Golf, Burford	2	Climbing, Brize Norton	1
Tennis, Witney	2	Tennis, Standlake	1
Tennis, Shipton-under-Wychwood	1	Squash, Carterton	1
Under 14s football, Bampton	1	Girls football, Carterton	1

Other clubs/activities:			
Women's Institute, Brize Norton	15	Over 60s club, Brize Norton	5
Exercise, Carterton	4	Exercise, Witney	1
20/20/20 Fitness, Brize Norton	3	Quiz nights, Brize Norton	3
U3A, Carterton	2	Dance, Brize Norton	2
Dance, Minster Lovell	1	Dance, Ducklington	1
Dance, Witney	1	Aunt Sally, Witney	1
Aunt Sally, Bampton	1	Aunt Sally, Lechlade	1
Yoga, Carterton	1	Yoga, Bampton	1
Pilates, Carterton	1	Pilates, Bampton	1
Book group, Witney	1	Book group, Standlake	1
Book group, Shipton-under-Wychwood	1	Book group, pub	1
Gym, Carterton	1	Gym, Witney	1
Fishing, Chadlington	1	Fishing, Newland	1
Angling, Witney	1	Angling, Worcester	1
Walking, Witney	1	Walking, Oxfordshire	1
Health walks, Carterton	1	Health walks, Witney	1
Cubs, Carterton	1	Cubs, Minster Lovell	1
Choir, Witney	1	Choir, Stonesfield	1
Classical music, Witney	1	Classical music, Burford	1
Music, various	1	Art, Witney	1
Art, Crawley	1	Crib, Carterton	1
Crib, various	1	Village events, Brize Norton	1
Freedom diet and exercise, Brize Norton	1	Sport and social club, Brize Norton	1
Horticultural show, Brize Norton	1	NGS Open Gardens, Brize Norton	1
Pilgrims Lunch, Brize Norton	1	Young Farmers, Brize Norton	1
Brownies, Brize Norton	1	Gin club, Brize Norton	1
Tea dances, Witney	1	Circuits, Witney	1
Kickboxing, Witney	1	Jujitsu, Witney	1
Weight-lifting, Carterton	1	Drop-in lunch club, Bampton	1
Photo club, Witney	1	Camera club, Cheltenham	1
Model flying, Witney	1	Antique battle club, Appleton	1
Cotswold Fine Arts, Bradwell	1	Quilting, Alvescot	1
Veterans club, Minster Lovell	1	Motorcycle club, Crawley	1
Speedway, Swindon	1		

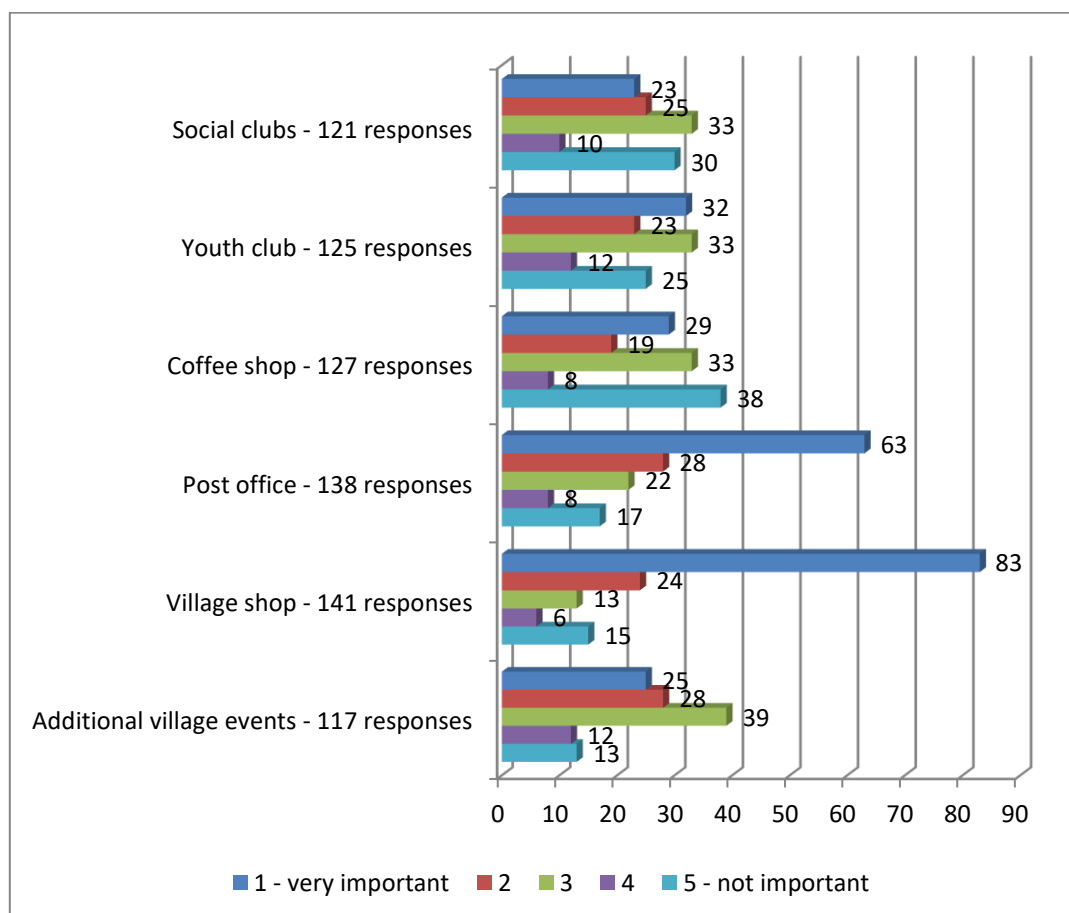
4. If you answered 'Yes' to either 2) or 3), would you play/attend these activities in Brize Norton if they were available? **66 respondents**



If no, why not: 4 respondents and 4 comments

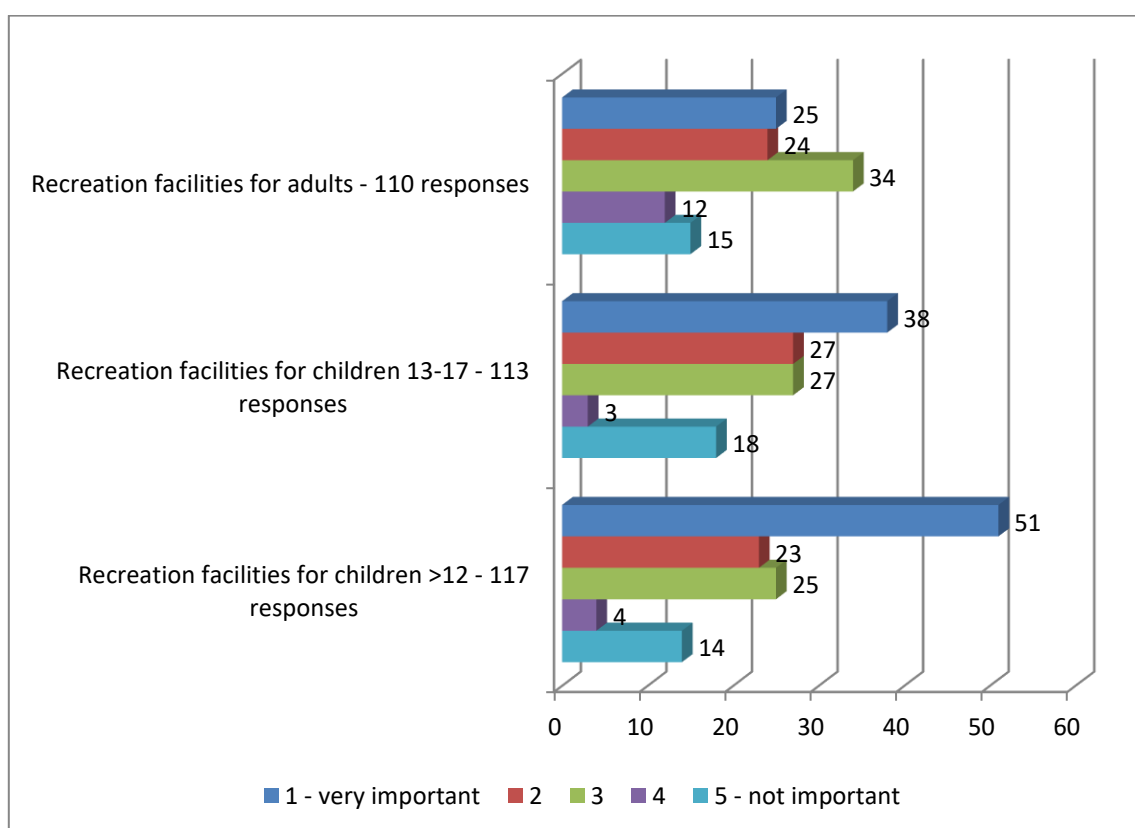
No suitable venues (lectures, music)	1	Friends and family at other clubs	1
Members of long-standing clubs	1	Tried to start a children's football team but cricket team without success	1

5. What facilities and amenities would you like to see in our village? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.* **146 respondents**



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Additional village community events	2.7	Village shop	1.9
Post office	2.2	Coffee shop	3.1
Youth club	2.8	Social clubs	3.0

Other: 13 respondents and 16 comments			
Dedicated full-time pre-school premises	2	Combined shop/coffee shop/post office	1
Decent school	1	U3A group	1
More parking	1	Village police	1
Improved footpaths	1	Dog walking area	1
Fish and chip shop	1	Therapeutic centre	1
Artificial hockey pitch	1	Exhibition of military planes	1
Game night	1	Weekly social event	1



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Recreation facilities for children up to 12	2.2	Recreation facilities for children 13 to 17	2.5
Recreation facilities for adults	2.7		

Recreation facilities for children up to 12: 40 respondents and 48 comments			
Better play equipment/playparks	13	Free space to play/hang out/commune	5
Equipment in play area for older children	3	Better facilities in recreation ground	3
Youth activities for all ages	3	Adventure play park	2
Youth club	2	Youth sports teams	2
Facilities to encourage sport	2	Facilities like country park	1
Mixed playground activities	1	Natural play area	1

Splash park section	1	Skate park	1
More exercise equipment	1	Cycle paths	1
Mini golf	1	Indoor facilities	1
Football coaching	1	Cricket club	1
Brownies/scouts	1	Place for local families to gather	1

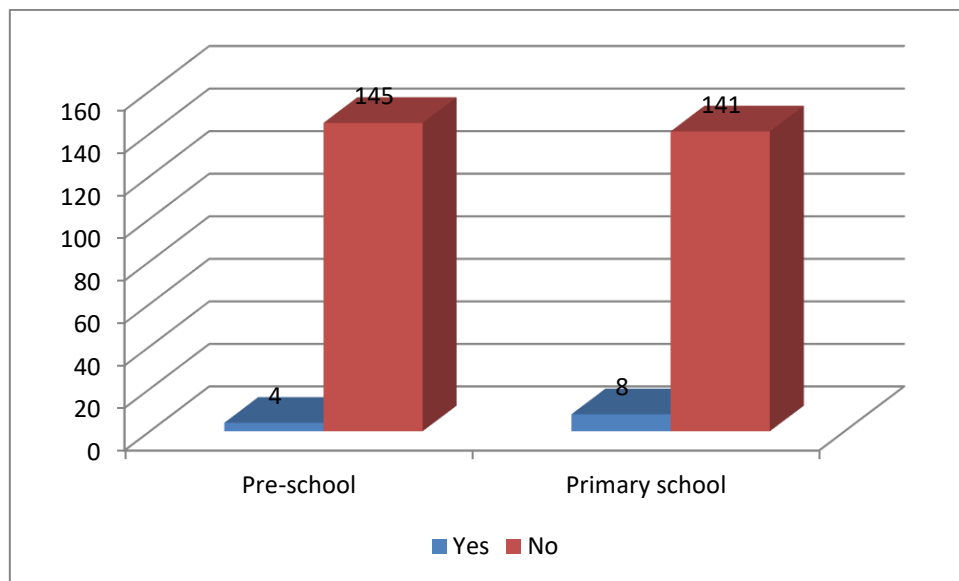
Recreation facilities for children 13 to 17: 35 respondents and 57 comments

Youth club	11	Skate park	6
Sports teams	5	Free space to play/hang out/commune	4
Better playpark	2	Astro-pitch	2
Basketball/netball hoop	2	Cycle paths	2
Playpark for older children	1	Mini golf	1
Zipwire	1	BMX trail	1
Challenging play	1	More exercise equipment	1
Keep fit trail	1	Outside gym facilities	1
Indoor facilities	1	All weather surface	1
Multi-use tennis court	1	Multi-use games area	1
Football coaching	1	Cricket nets	1
Hockey goals	1	Youth activities	1
Community groups	1	Brownies/scouts	1
Music venues	1	Relevant bus service	1
Evening youth club with café	1	Place for families to get together	1
Supported subsidy for running a club	1		

Recreation facilities for adults: 34 respondents and 47 comments

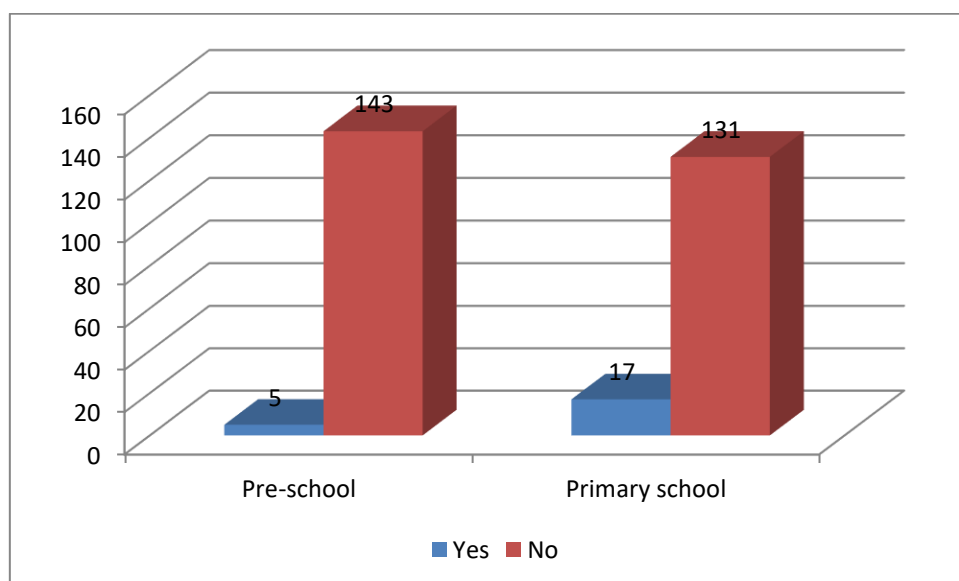
Social events to bring community together	3	Bowling green	3
Croquet green/club	2	Sports teams	2
Cycle paths	2	More exercise equipment	2
Outside gym facilities	2	Dance club	2
Yoga/tai chi class	2	Cinema nights	2
Gym	1	New sports pavilion	1
Multi-use pitch	1	Mini golf	1
Dog walking area	1	Walks	1
Area designed for walking	1	Extension to existing rights of way	1
Ability to get to other villages on foot/bike	1	Football/cricket ground	1
Walking football	1	Better tennis facilities	1
OAP swim sessions	1	Coffee shop	1
Social club	1	Places to socialise	1
Proper pond with seating	1	Garden club	1
Arts and crafts club	1	Comedy/drama	1
Talks on interesting subjects	1	Open bar in hall twice a week	1
Visits to old peoples homes	1	Wider range of clubs/social activities	1
Raise profile of existing activities	1		

6. Do you have children that are not yet school age that are likely to go to our village schools in the future? *149 respondents*



4 children were recorded as due to attend pre-school, 8 children due to attend primary school.

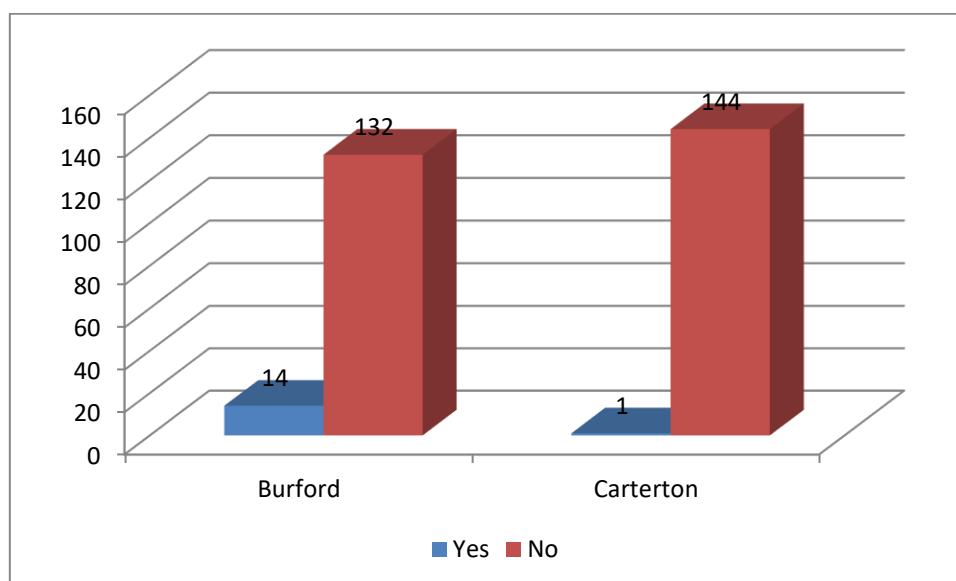
7. Do you have children that attend school in Brize Norton? *148 respondents*



- 5 children in total from the 5 respondents answering 'yes' in Table 7 attend Brize Norton Pre-school
- 24 children in total from the 17 respondents answering 'yes' in Table 7 attend Brize Norton Primary School

8. Do you have children that attend senior school?

148 respondents



- 21 children in total from the 14 respondents answering 'yes' in Table 8 attend Burford School
- 2 children in total from the 1 respondent answering 'yes' in Table 8 attend Carterton School

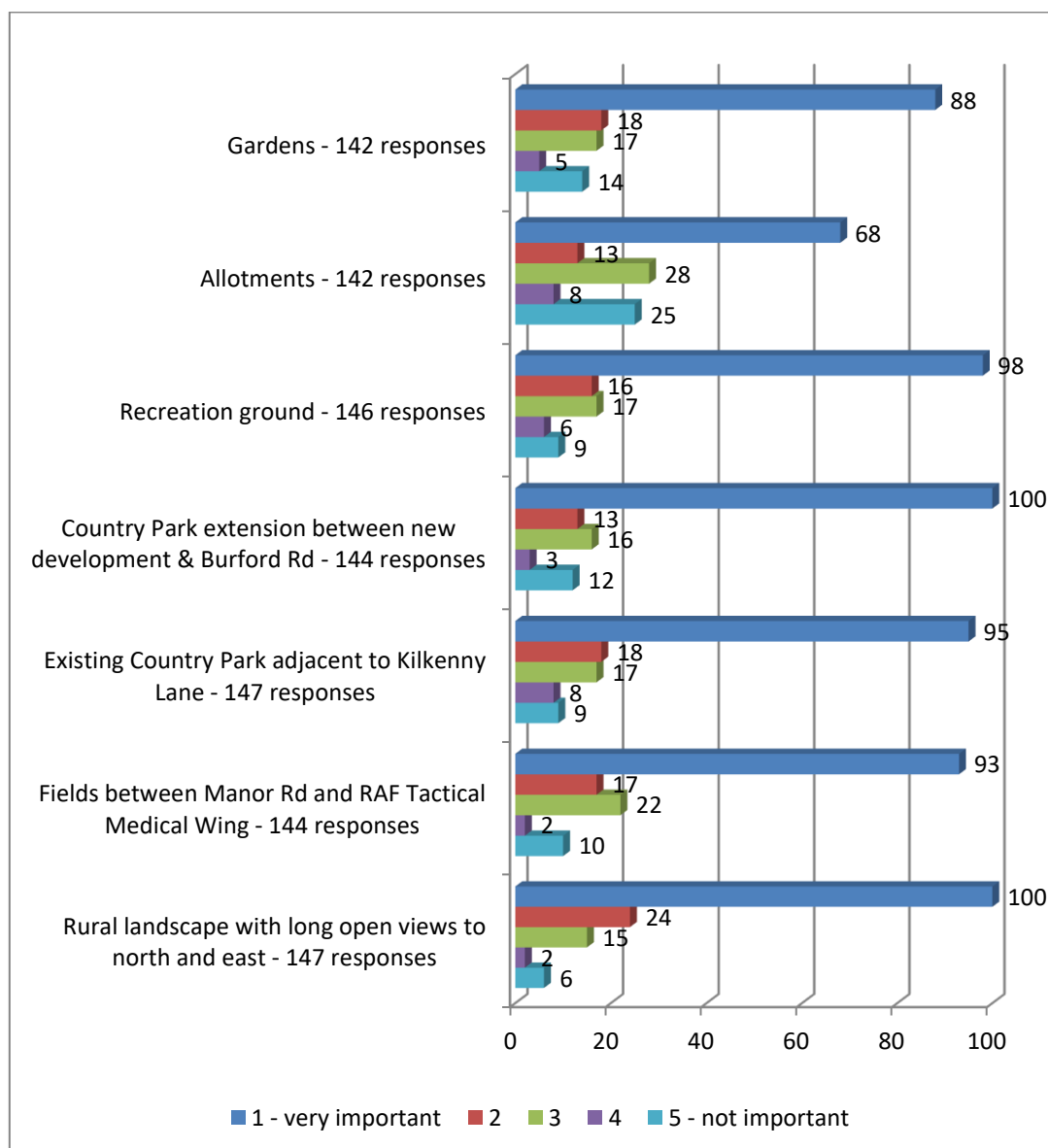
Other schools: 6 respondents and 6 choices			
King's school, Witney	1	Henry Box school, Witney	1
Oxford schools	1	Cokethorpe school	1
Clanfield school	1	No school given	1

Detailed Results

Part Two- Environment

1. How important are these green spaces to your household? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.*

150 respondents – 1012 total choices



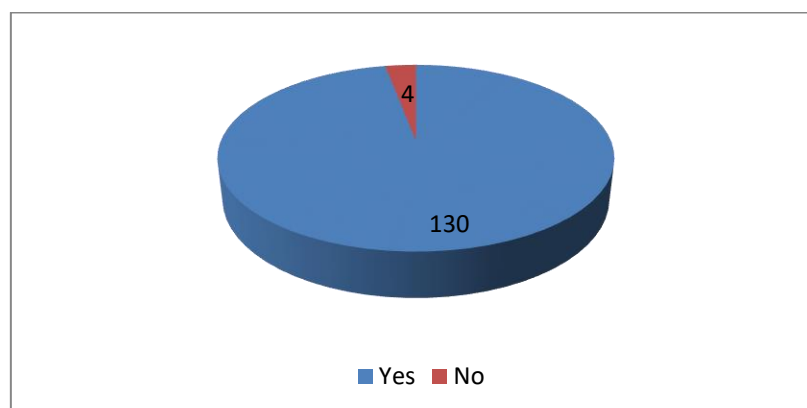
Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

Rural landscape with long open views to the north and east	1.6	Fields between Manor Road and the RAF Tactical Medical Wing	1.7
Existing Country Park adjacent to Kilkenny Lane	1.8	Country Park extension between new development and Burford Rd	1.7
Recreation Ground	1.7	Allotments	2.4
Gardens	1.9		

Other: 12 respondents and 12 suggestions			
Dog walking area	3	Rural landscape with views to west	2
Mrs Brown's fields	2	Local woodland	1
Nature trail	1	Existing public parks	1
Buffer zone extended to area behind South Mere to RAF Camp	1	Space behind Burford Rd/Monahan Way to stay green	1

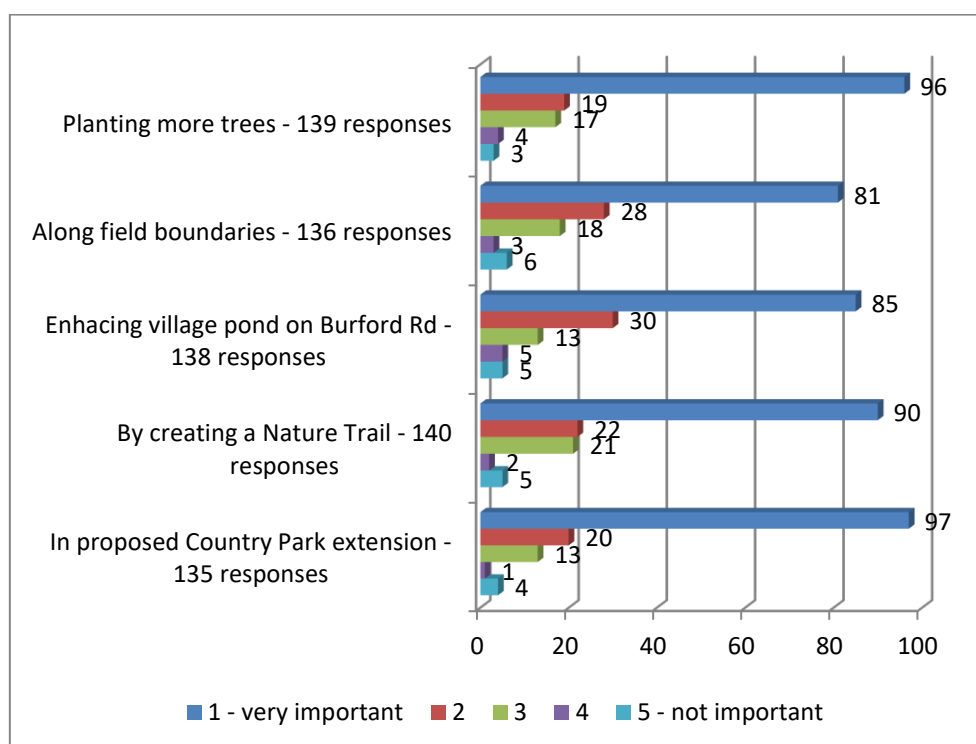
2. Should we do more to encourage wildlife and biodiversity?

134 respondents



Specific ideas to encourage wildlife and biodiversity: please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

144 respondents, 688 total choices

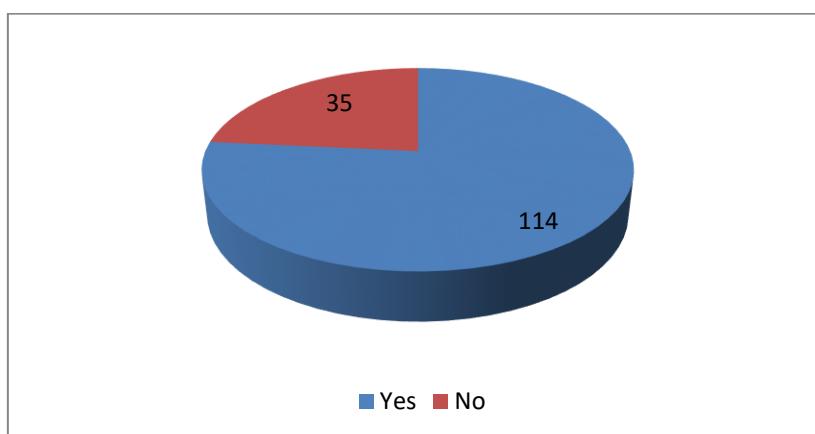


Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
In proposed Country Park extension	1.5	By creating a Nature Trail	1.6
Enhancing village pond on Burford Road	1.7	Along field boundaries (in co-operation with landowners)	1.7
Planting more trees	1.6		

Other: 8 respondents and 8 suggestions			
Wildflower verges/planting	2	Provision of field margins	1
Nature reserve (Mrs Brown's fields)	1	Wild areas in all gardens	1
Designated green space in village centre	1	Put up owl boxdes	1
Don't replace fields with housing	1		

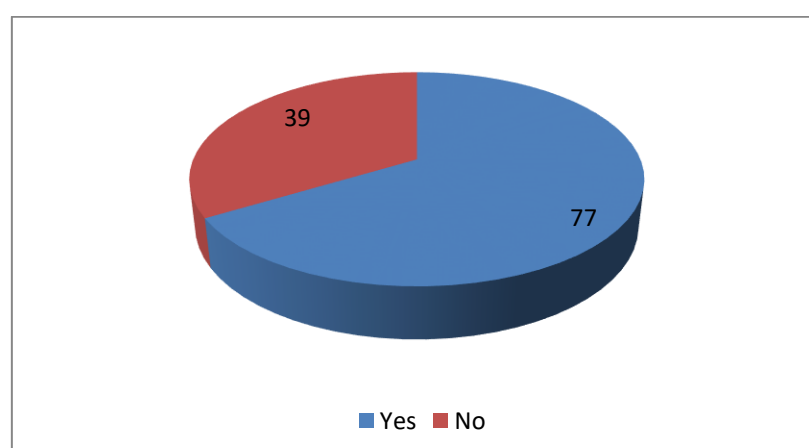
3. Does your household use footpaths in the surrounding countryside?

149 respondents



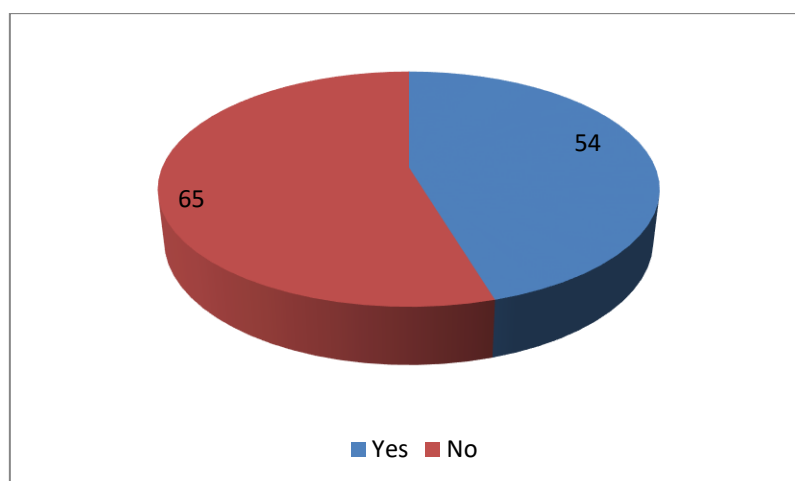
Are they accessible?

116 respondents



Comment: 36 respondents and 52 remarks

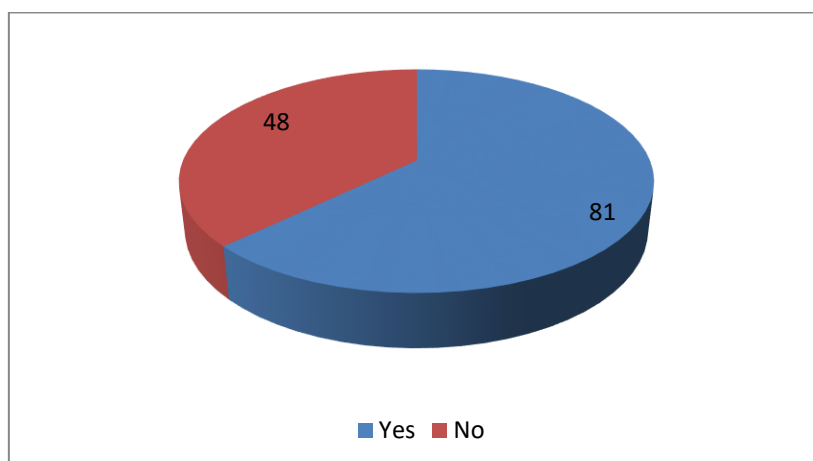
Broken/unsafe stiles	12	Overgrown paths	11
Farmer ploughs up paths	3	Styles are difficult to use	2
No clear signs/broken signs	2	Some paths very narrow	2
Not all footpaths are clear	2	Generally poor access	1
Some are accessible, others not	1	Locked gates	1
Could be friendlier for disabled people	1	Difficult to negotiate fences	1
Difficult to walk with dogs	1	Don't look well-kept or inviting	1
Crops planted too close together	1	Didn't know where they were before	1
No safe footpath along Burford Rd	1	Need footbridge over A40	1
Ting Tang Lane not marked on map	1	Footpath 143/2 overgrown	1
Footpath 143/7 has paddocks over path	1	Footpath 143/8 blocked by slurry pit	1
Foxbury Farm footpath overgrown	1	Path to Curbridge badly maintained	1
Path around RAF perimeter overgrown	1		

Are they well sign-posted?**119 respondents****Comment: 47 respondents and 50 remarks**

Poor signage generally	16	Signposts overgrown in places	4
Signposts not clear across farmland	4	No idea where paths are	4
Some routes not clear	3	Signs are broken/have gone missing	3
Signs need better visibility	2	New signposts required	1
Few paths have required level of signs	1	Yellow arrows missing on many	1
Ambiguous signs	1	Signs fallen over	1
Hard to use without a map	1	Some are marked, others not	1
Footpath 143/2 is poorly signed	1	Ting Tang Lane has no signage	1
Poor signage towards Black Bourton	1	Poor signage from churchyard to Lew Hill	1
Poor signage Kilkenny Lane to quarry	1	Poor signage across fields to Shilton	1
Path to Curbridge confusing	1		

Do our existing footpaths need enhancing/better connectivity?

129 respondents

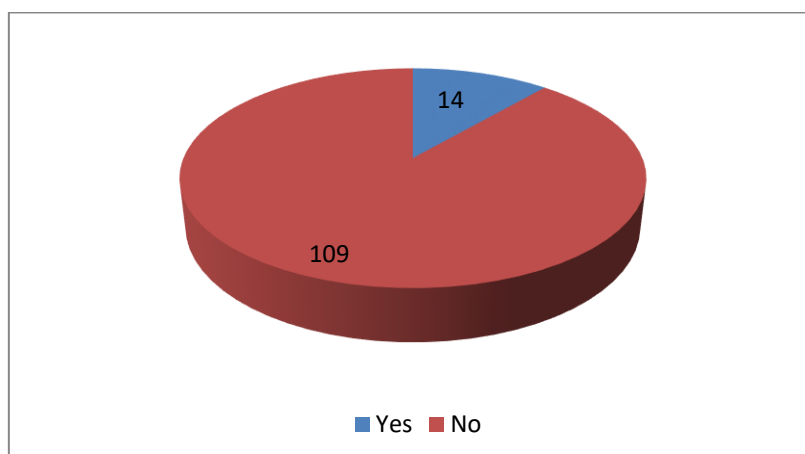


Comment: 55 respondents and 78 remarks

Need improved signage	14	Create circular paths	6
Cut back overgrowth	6	Need clearer/wider paths	5
Repair/improve stiles	4	Define footpaths across fields	3
Improve path to Curbridge	3	Ensure regular maintenance	2
Join them up	2	Have local footpaths leaflet/map	2
Network of paths needs overhaul	1	Need connectivity to other parishes	1
Need better access generally	1	Some circular paths don't link up	1
Have gates not stiles	1	Have better surfaces	1
Make more disabled friendly	1	Need more co-operation from landowners	1
Improve paths so as not to anger farmer	1	Cycle path	1
Have nature events	1	Plant trees/shrubs to make more inviting	1
Encourage villagers to go for walks	1	Paths need improving everywhere	1
Footpath 143/2 is poorly signed	1	Footpath 143/2 needs clearing	1
Footpath 143/4 is poorly signed	1	Carterton Road to recreation ground	1
Crossroads to Shilton Park roundabout	1	Crossroads to Masons Arms	1
Church to Masons Arms	1	Church to garage	1
RAF perimeter path	1	Off-road path to RAF	1
Footpath to Crocodiles of the World	1	Improve path to Bampton	1
Improve path to Minster	1	Path to west of Station Rd is dead end	1
Field behind Chestnut Close	1	Walkers have to leave field at end of Daubigny Mead	1
Paths from main road	1		

Are there any footpaths/bridleways (not shown) which you use?

123 respondents

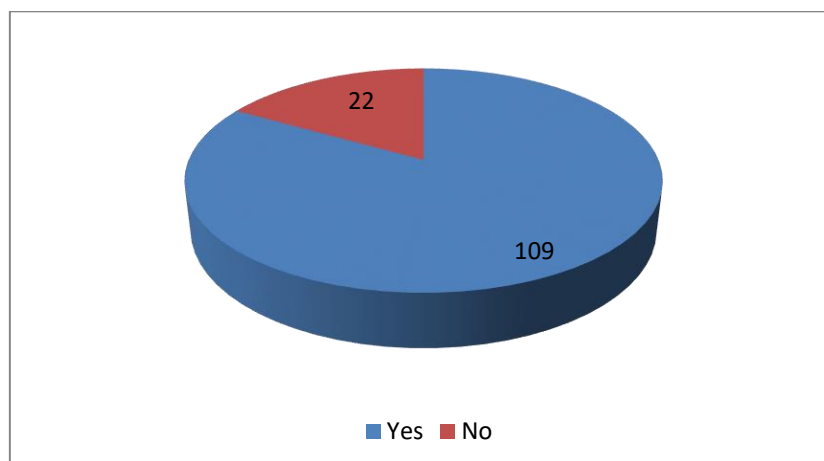


Location: 14 respondents and 14 choices

Ting Tang Lane	3	Station Road	1
Green Lane	1	Abingdon Lane	1
Path to Lew Hill	1	Rear of Chestnut Close	1
Kilkenny Lane to Shilton	1	Restricted byway to east of village	1
Behind Fosse Way, Chichester and Chestnut Rd	1	Footpath near Minster roundabout to Minster	1
Roundabout on Minster Rd to A410	1	RAF fence line from Carterton Rd to Viscount Court	1

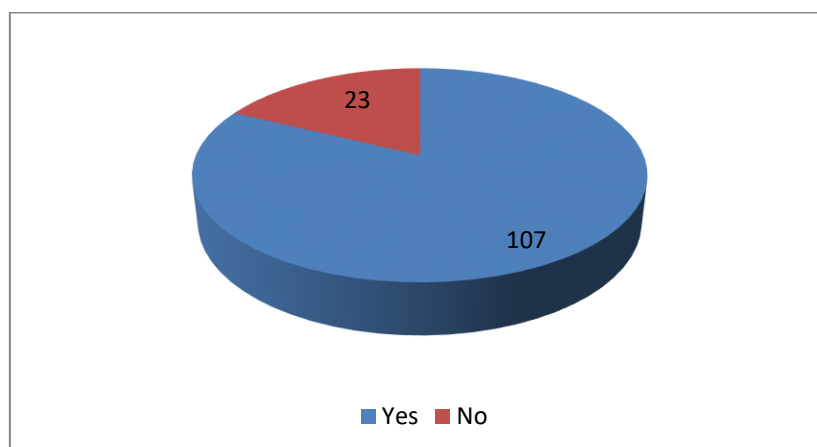
Should we publish a guided walks leaflet?

131 respondents



Should we have an information board indicating footpath routes?

130 respondents

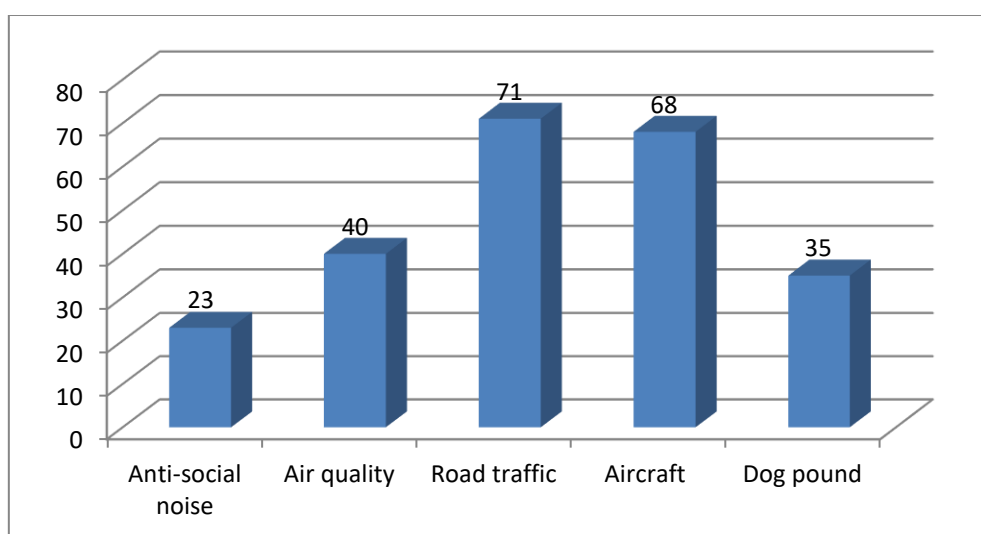


Location: 87 respondents and 129 choices

At Elderbank Hall	34	Existing village notice boards	30
At start of footpaths	11	By church	8
At pubs	6	Notice board near school	5
Notice board on Burford Rd	4	By recreation ground	4
Village centre	4	At pavilion	3
At sports and social club	2	Near Kilkenny Lane	2
Online	2	In new development	1
At entrance to village	1	On entry to field	1
Village car park	1	Near parking spots	1
By waymarkers	1	At bus stops	1
At park	1	At leisure centre	1
At proposed nature trail	1	Near church roundabout	1
Notice board on Station Rd	1	By postbox at corner of Chestnut Rd	1
Top and bottom end of village	1		

4. Is there an anti-social noise or air quality issue where you live?

119 respondents – 237 total choices



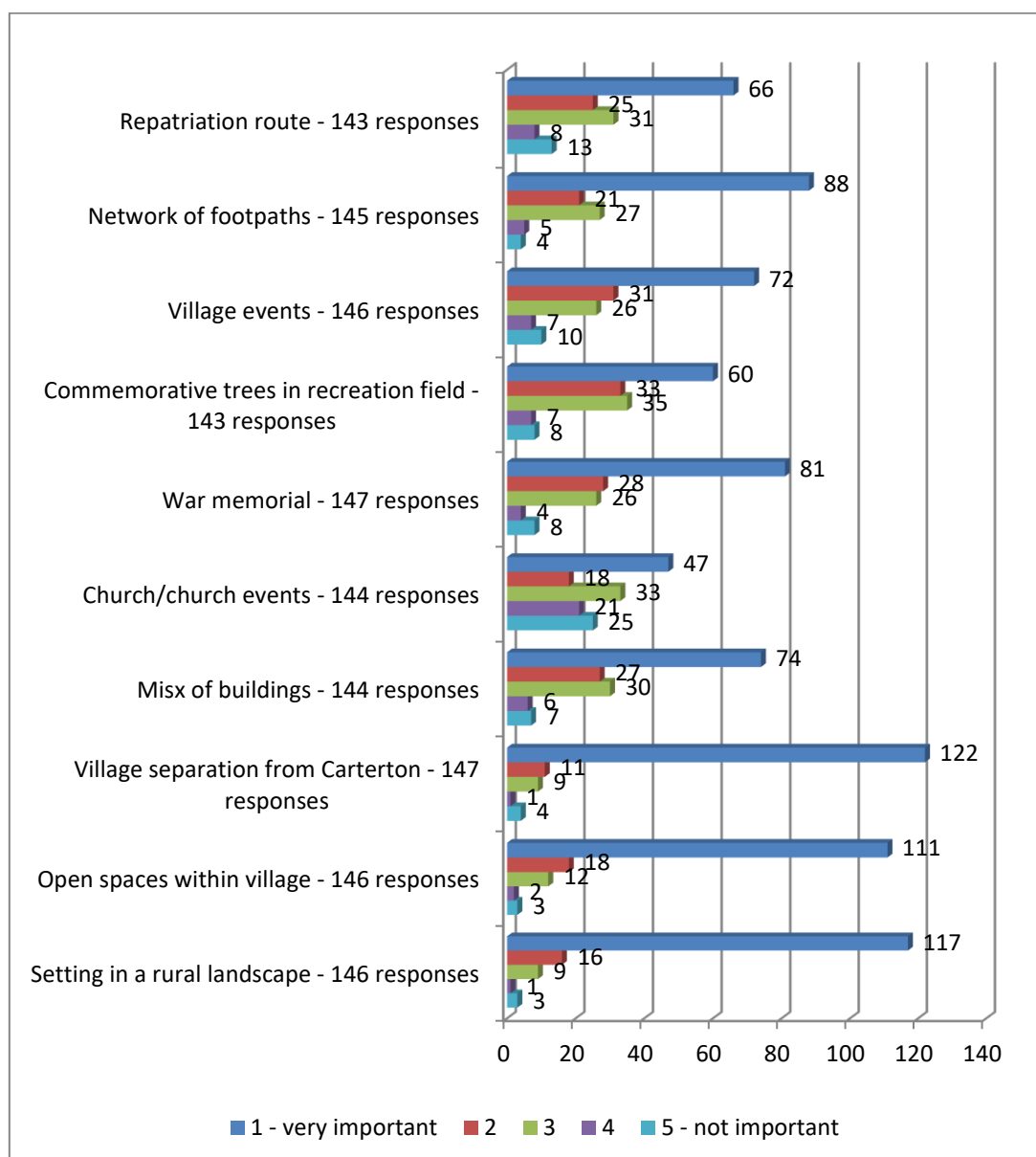
Other: 14 respondents and 14 comments			
Dumping of unused aviation fuel	3	Noise from barn	2
Noxious fuel smells	1	Agricultural/road dust	1
Excessive dust from Timms	1	Problems near Timms	1
Farm traffic	1	Overnight work on RAF base	1
Road humps noisy with empty vehicles	1	Light pollution from Chapel Hill roundabout	1
Neighbours dogs	1		

Detailed Results

Part Three- Character and Heritage

1. How much does your household value these village characteristics? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.*

149 respondents – 1451 total choices

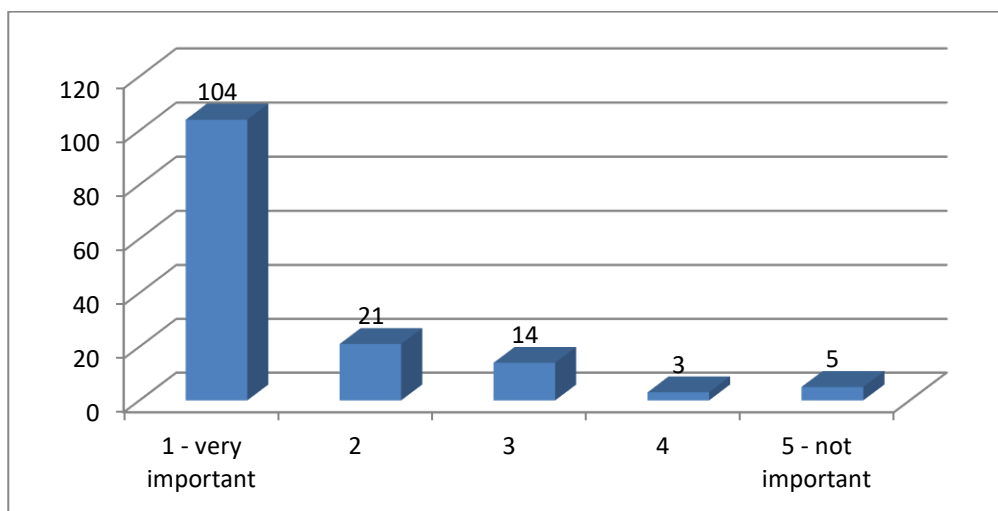


Average score for each option (top two answers highlighted):

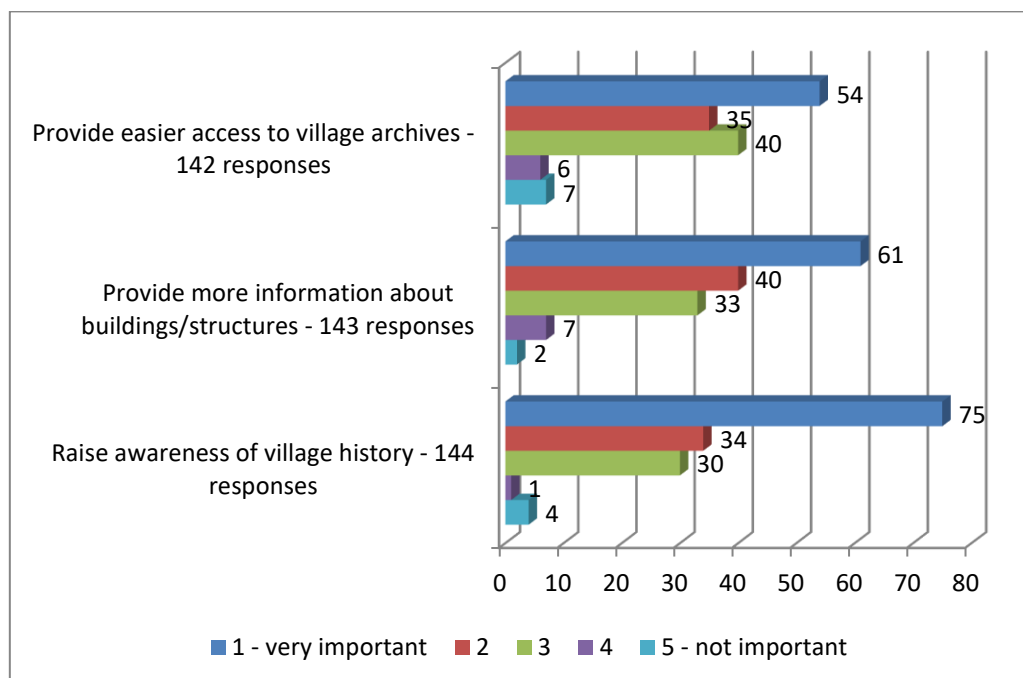
The setting in a rural landscape	1.3	Open spaces within the village	1.4
The village separation from Carterton	1.3	The mix of buildings of different ages	1.9
Church and church events	2.7	War memorial	1.8
Commemorative trees in recreation field	2.1	Village events	2.0

The network of footpaths leading into fields	1.7	Repatriation route for fallen service men and women	2.1
Other: 4 respondents and 4 comments			
Mention in the Domesday book	1	Trees on/around Manor Rd	1
School/pre-school being involved in village events	1	Love the village layout, the people, the school, I'm proud of the village	1

2. Does your household think that the character of existing buildings, structures and layouts should be a major consideration for the design of future houses and housing development?
147 respondents



3. Regarding the village history, how important is it that we...? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.
144 respondents - 429 total choices



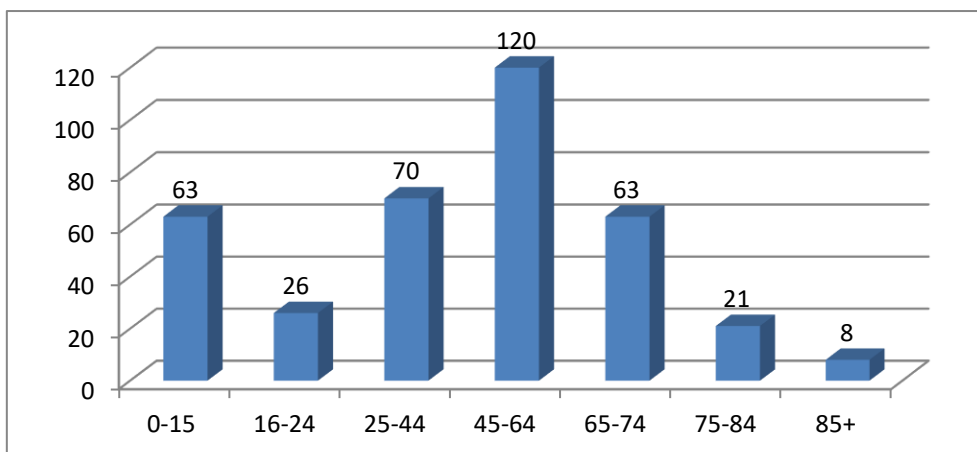
Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Raise awareness of village history	1.8	Provide more information about listed and significant buildings and structures	1.9
Provide easier access to village archives	2.1		

Other: 4 respondents and 4 suggestions			
Reintroduce village traditions	1	Circulate village history to all households and publicise on website	1
Streamline/upgrade community website	1	History walk/website with histories of different houses	1

Detailed Results

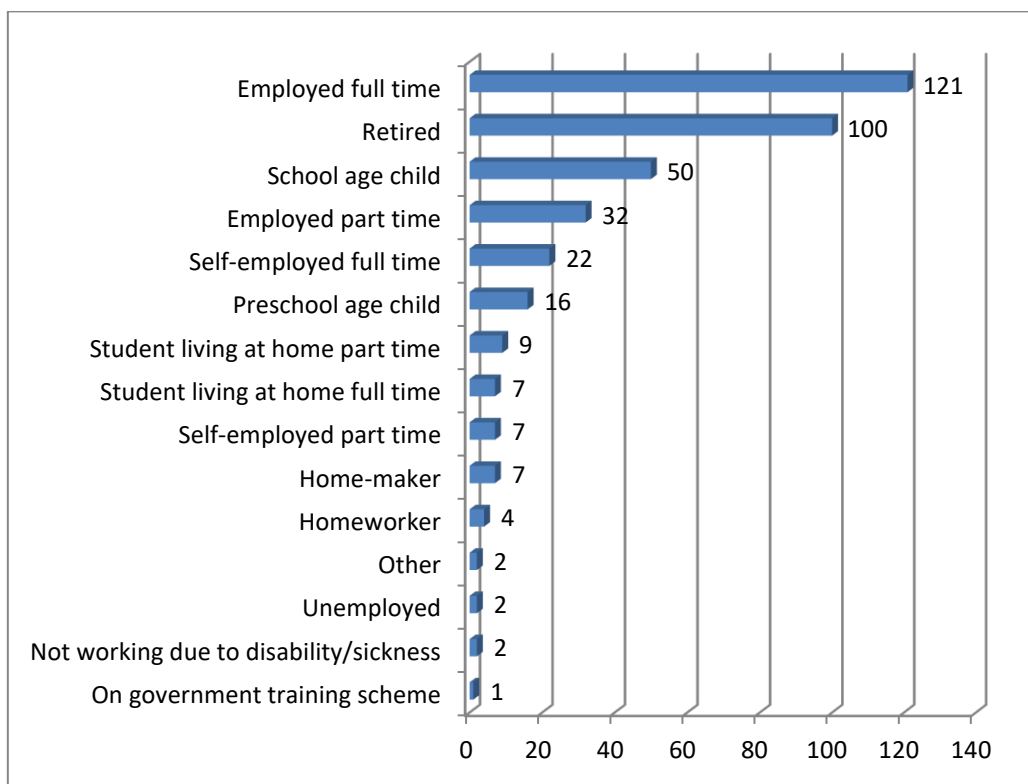
Part Four- You and Your Household

1. How many people of each age live in your household? 147 respondents – 371 individuals



2. What is the work/study status of the people in your household?

149 respondents – 382 total choices



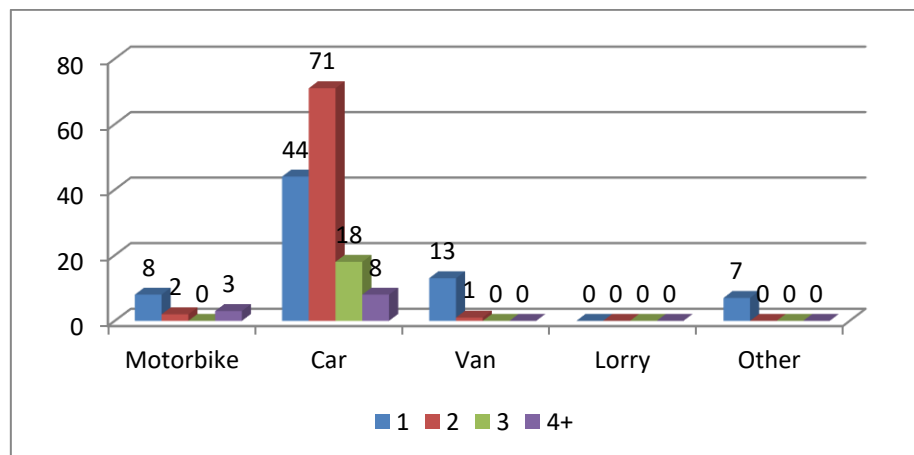
Other – 2 respondents:

RAF apprentice	1	Husband lives away working	1
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3. How many motorised vehicles do you have in your household including company vehicles?

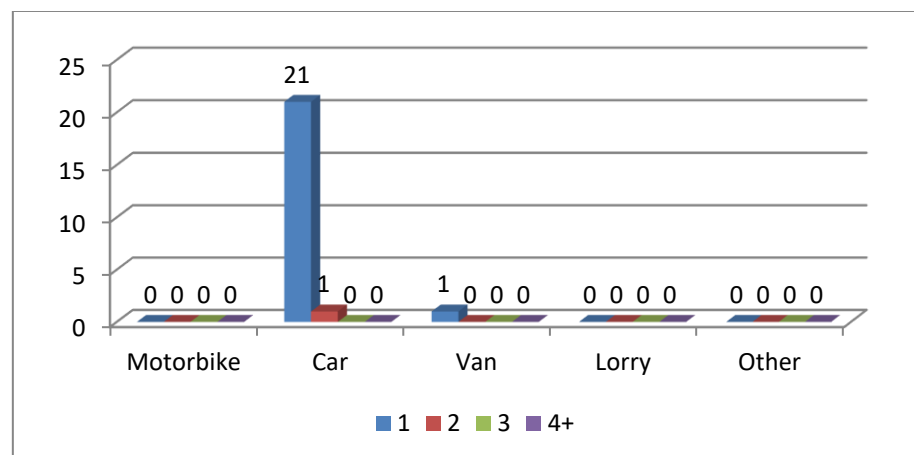
How many motorised vehicles?

174 total choices



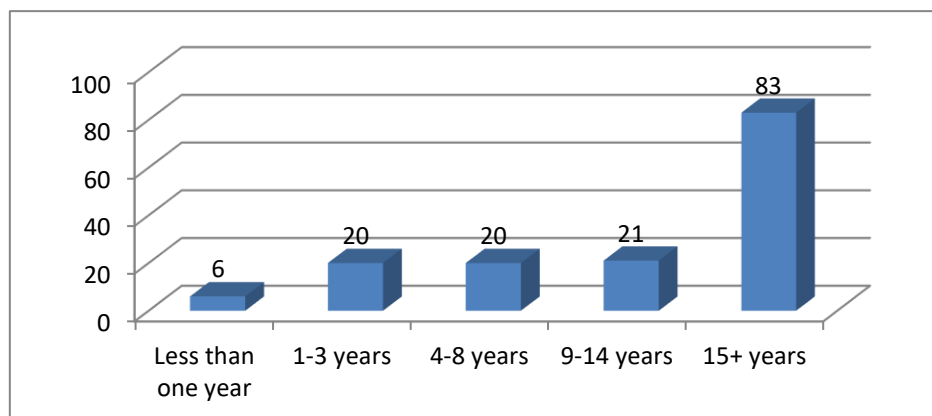
How many are parked on the public highway?

23 total choices



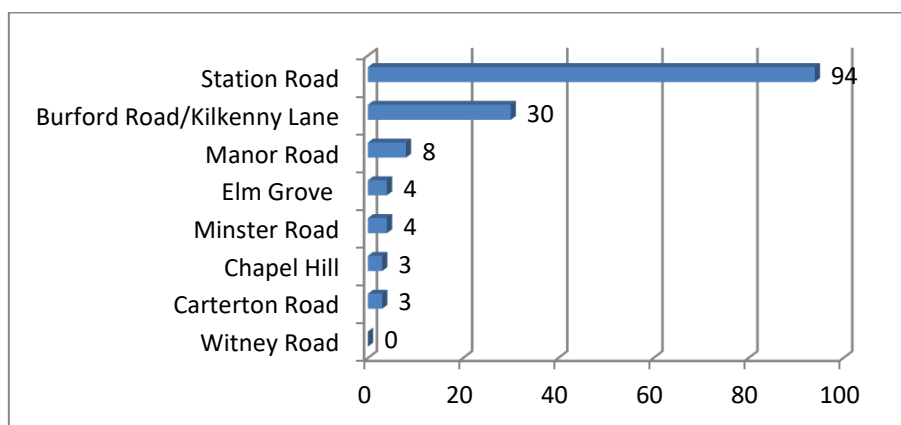
4. How long has your family lived in Brize Norton?

150 respondents



5. Which part of the village do you live in?

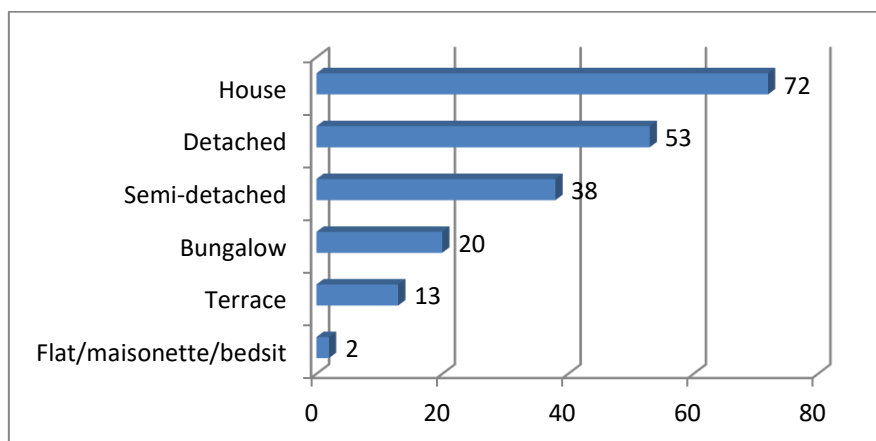
146 respondents



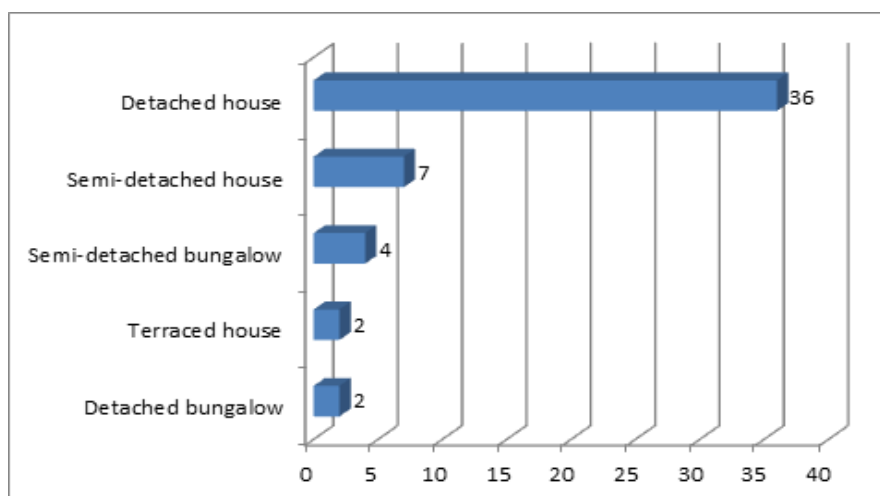
6. What type of accommodation do you live in?

147 respondents – 198 total choices

Note: some people ticked two boxes, e.g. for house and detached.

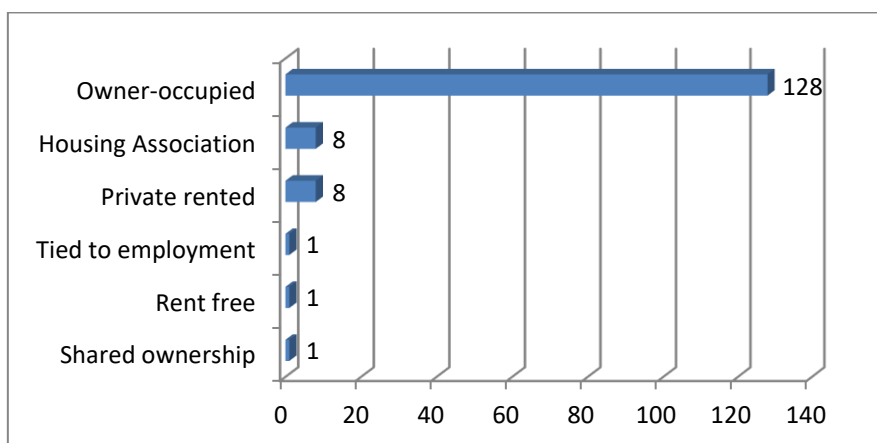


51 respondents ticked two boxes, one for one for house/bungalow/flat, one for detached/semi/terraced – the results are presented below.



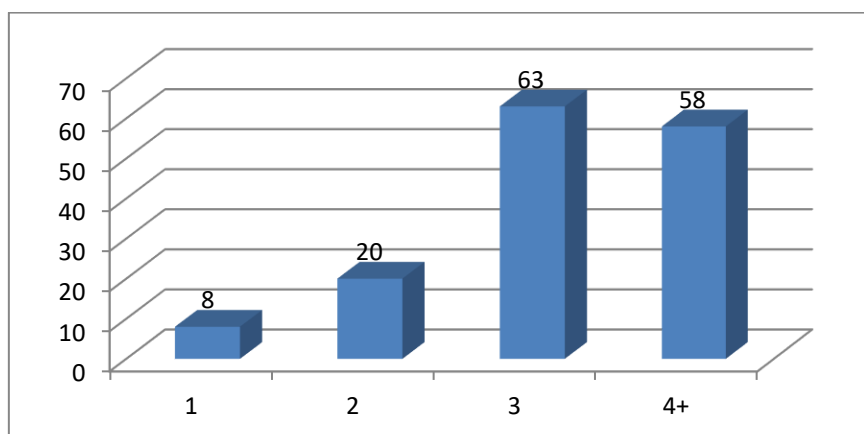
7. Is your present home...?

147 respondents



8. How many bedrooms does it have?

149 respondents

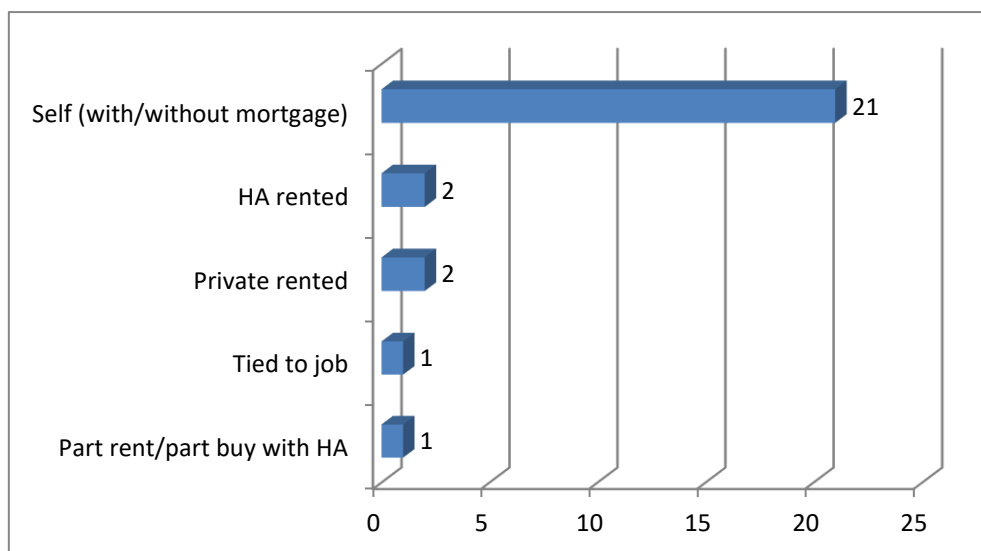


Detailed Results

Part Five- Housing Needs

1. Who owns the home you live in now?

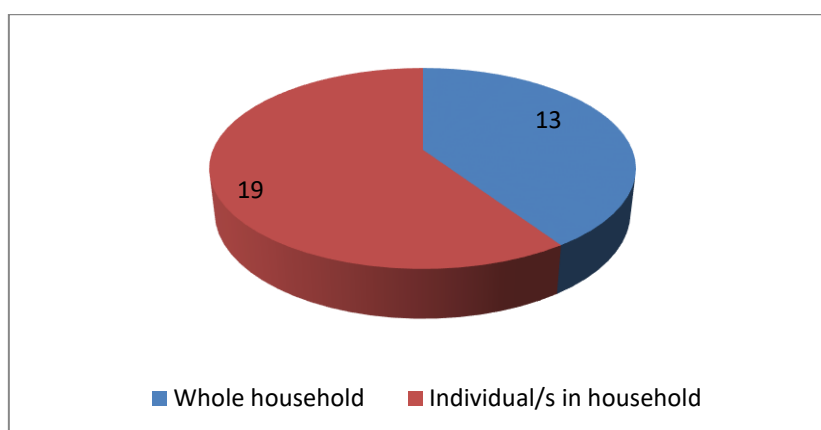
27 respondents



2. Does your whole household or any individuals within it require a new home in Brize Norton within the next 5 years?

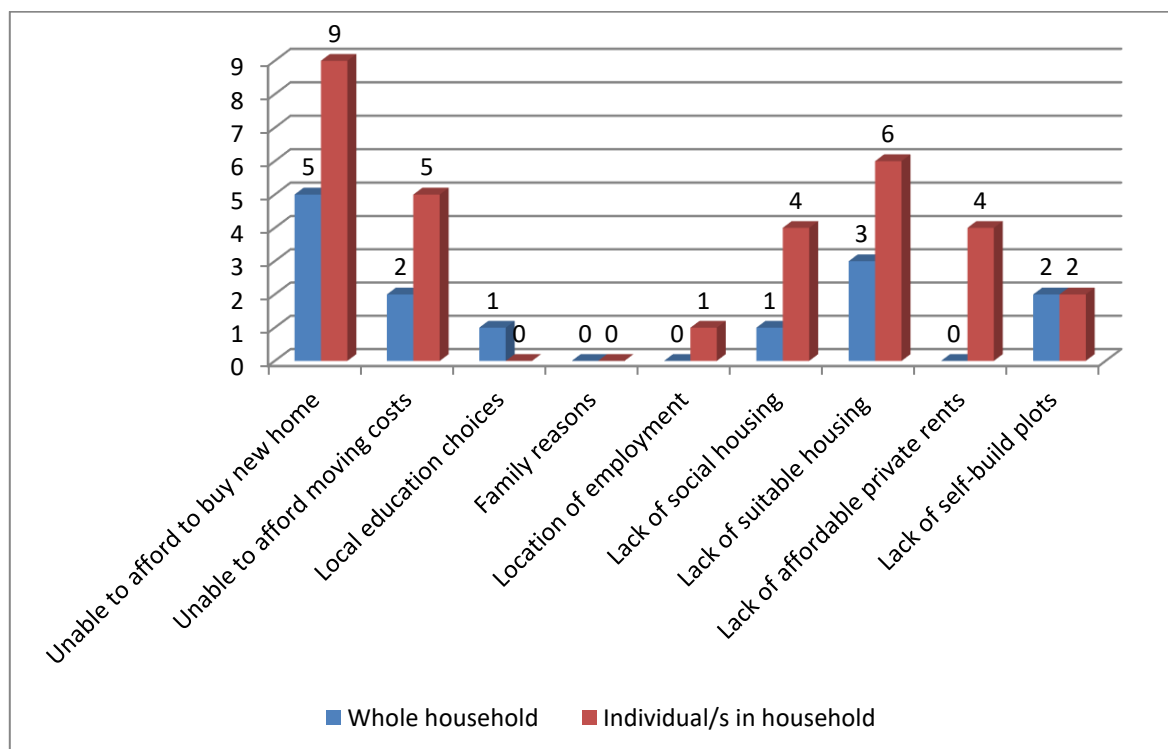
32 respondents

Note: 3 of the 27 respondents from Q1 answered for both whole household and individual/s, and 1 of the 27 respondents answered for 2 separate individuals. 1 additional respondent for Q2 did not answer Q1.



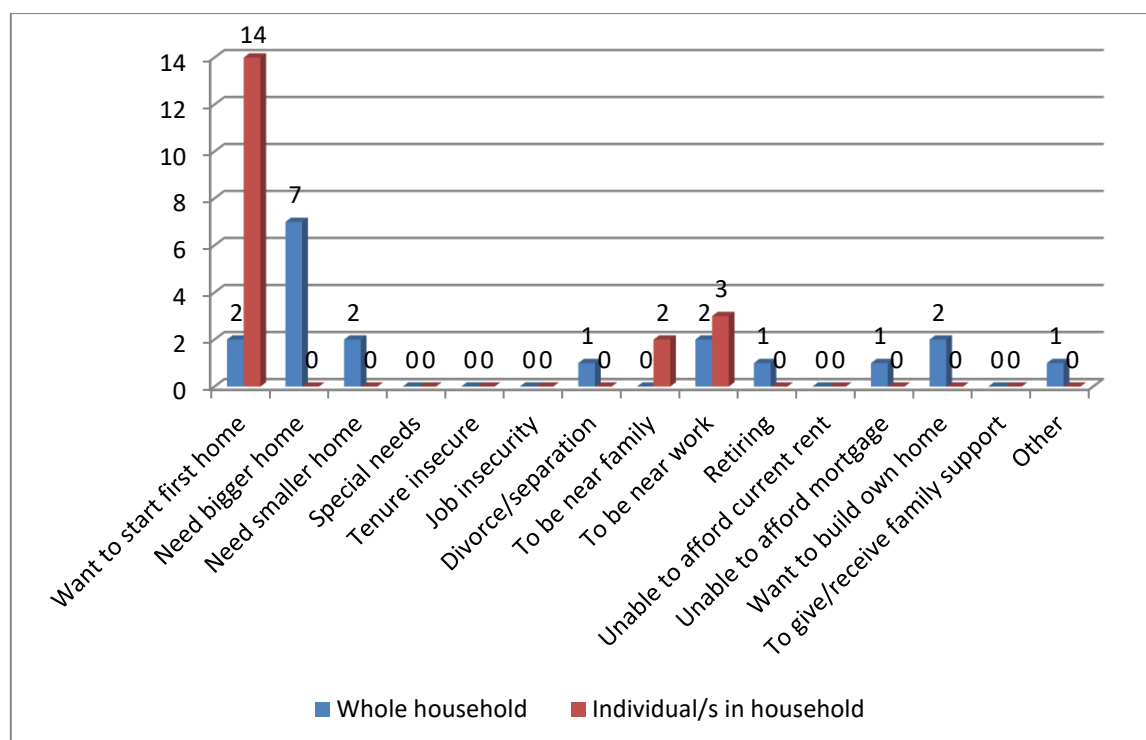
3. If you wish to move but cannot, what are the reasons preventing you?

20 respondents – 45 total choices



4. Why does your household need a new home in Brize Norton?

27 respondents- 38 total choices



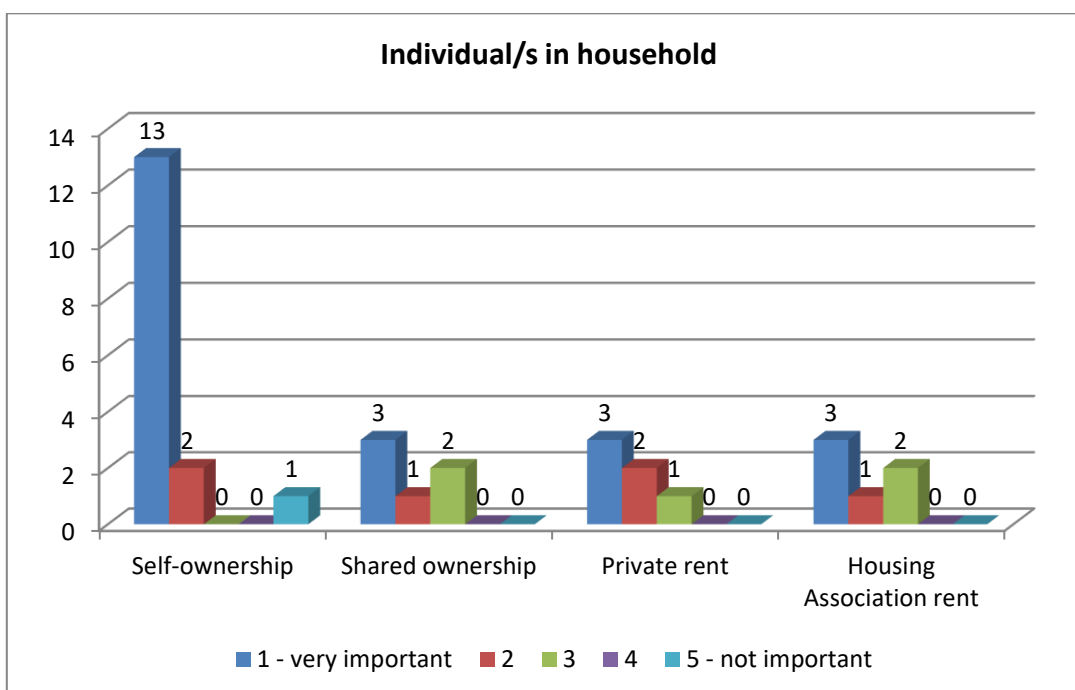
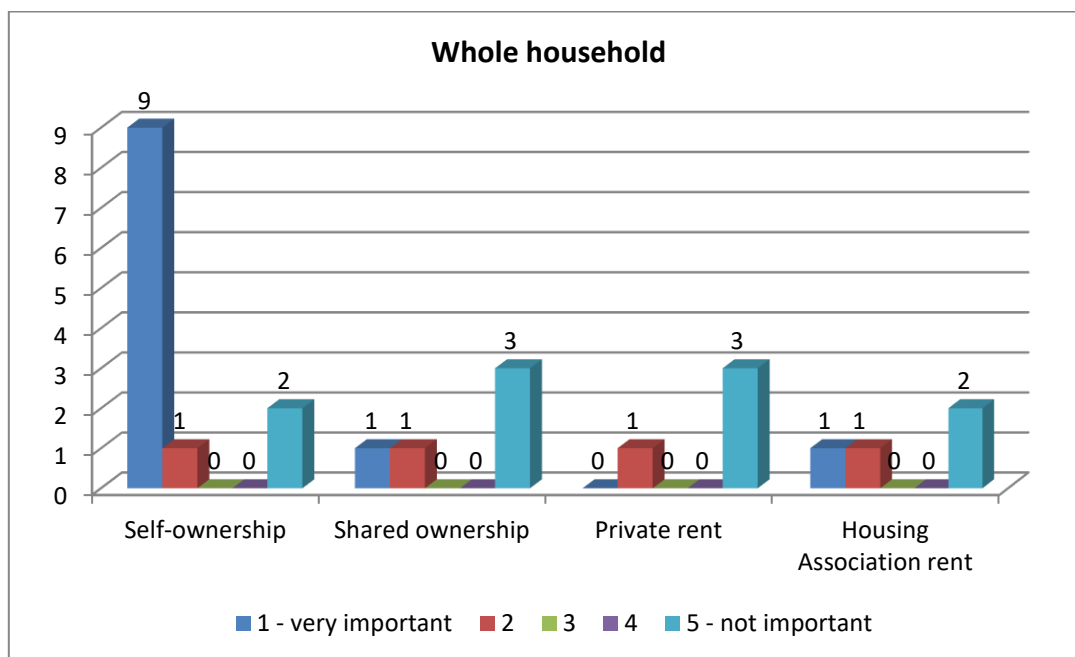
Other: 1 respondent

Would like to live in a sustainable house/community

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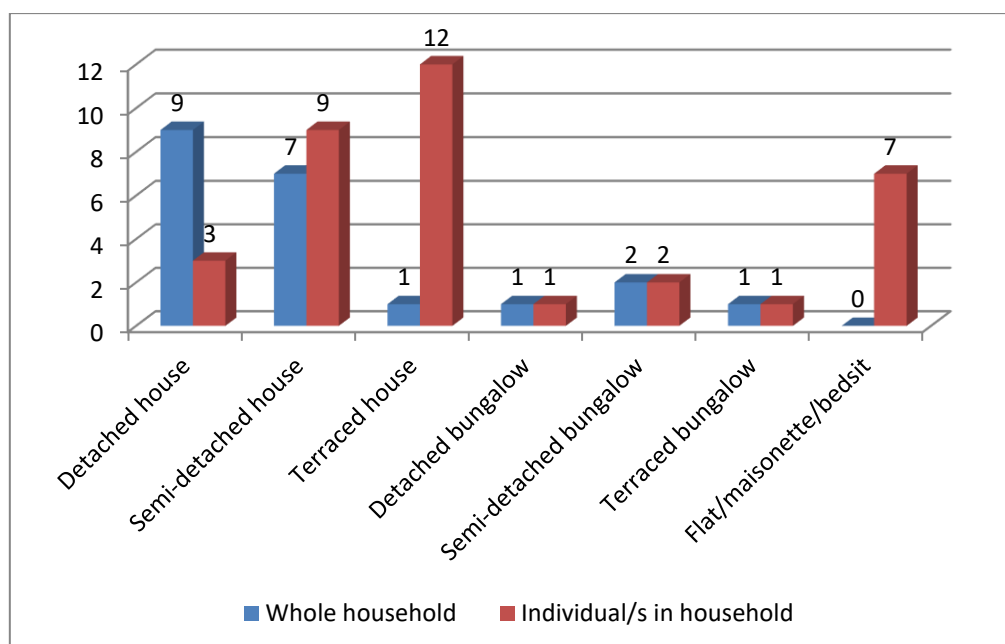
5. What kind of home would you prefer in Brize Norton? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.*

28 respondents – 59 total choices



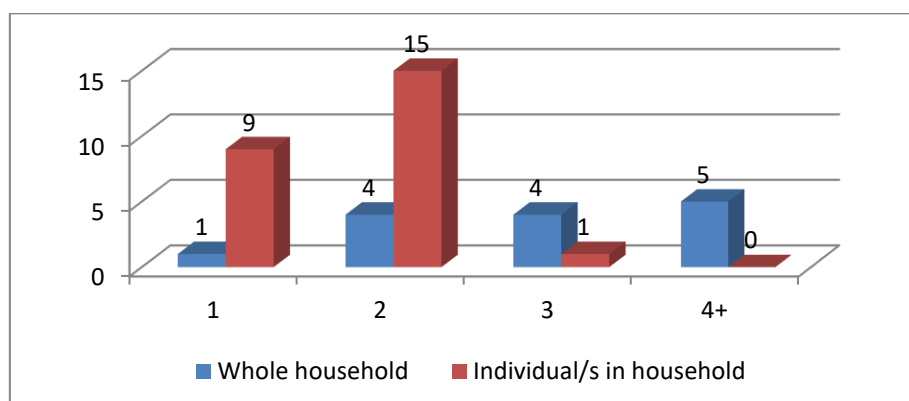
What type of home do you need?

27 respondents – 56 total choices



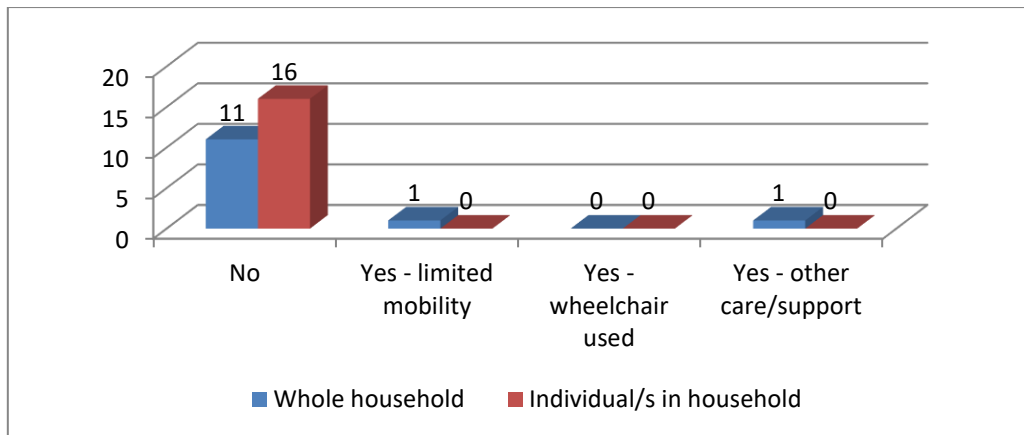
6. How many bedrooms would your new home need?

27 respondents – 39 total choices



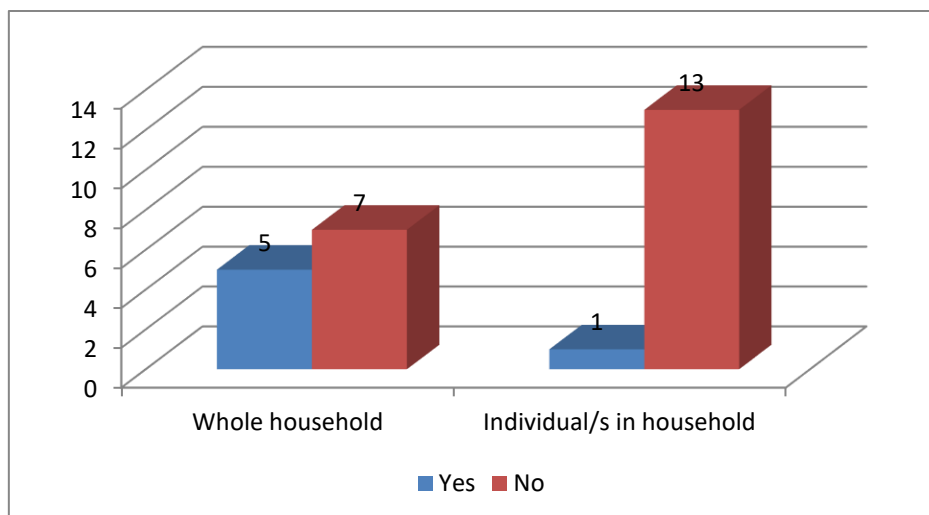
7. Does anything affect the type of home you need?

27 respondents – 29 total choices



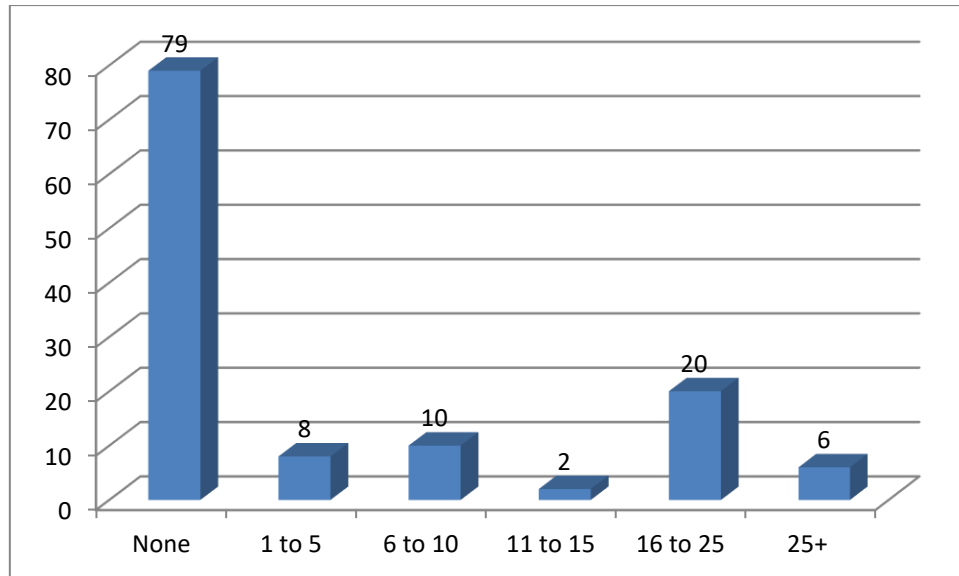
8. Does anyone in your household have a supported housing need? If so, what type do they require? *0 respondents*

9. Are you on the West Oxfordshire District Council Housing Register? *24 respondents – 26 total choices*



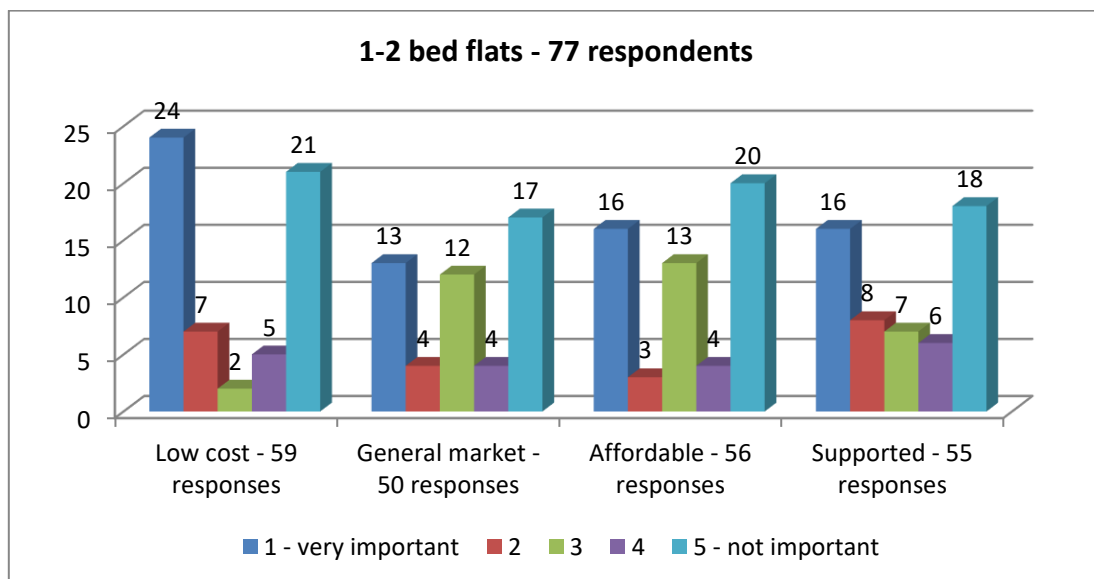
Detailed Results Part Six- New Housing

1. In addition to these 700 houses, how many additional planned houses would you support in Brize Norton? *142 respondents, 17 of which had 'no opinion'*

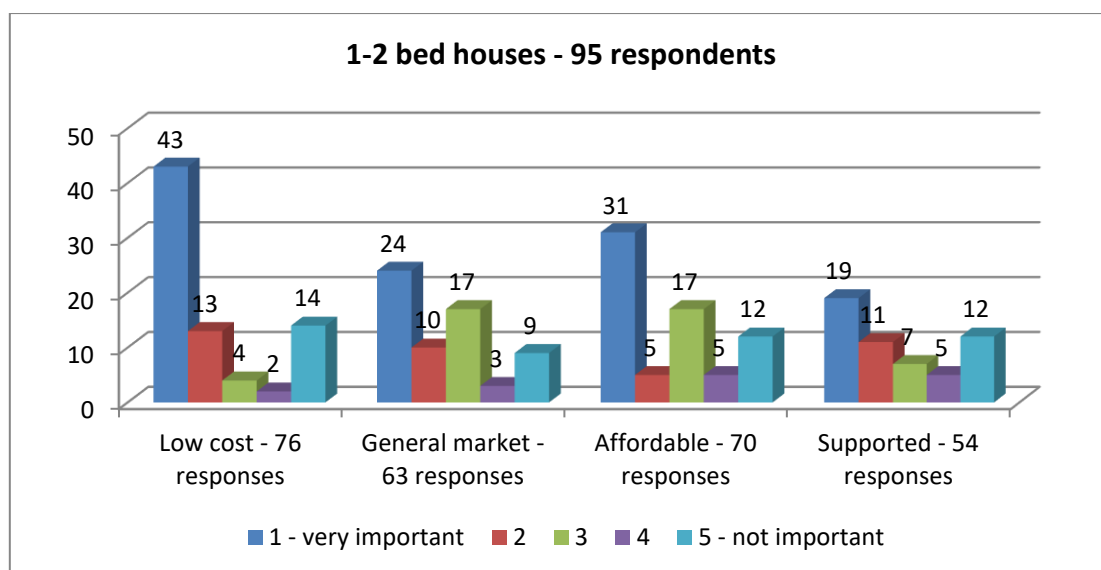


2. What type of housing do you think Brize Norton needs? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.*

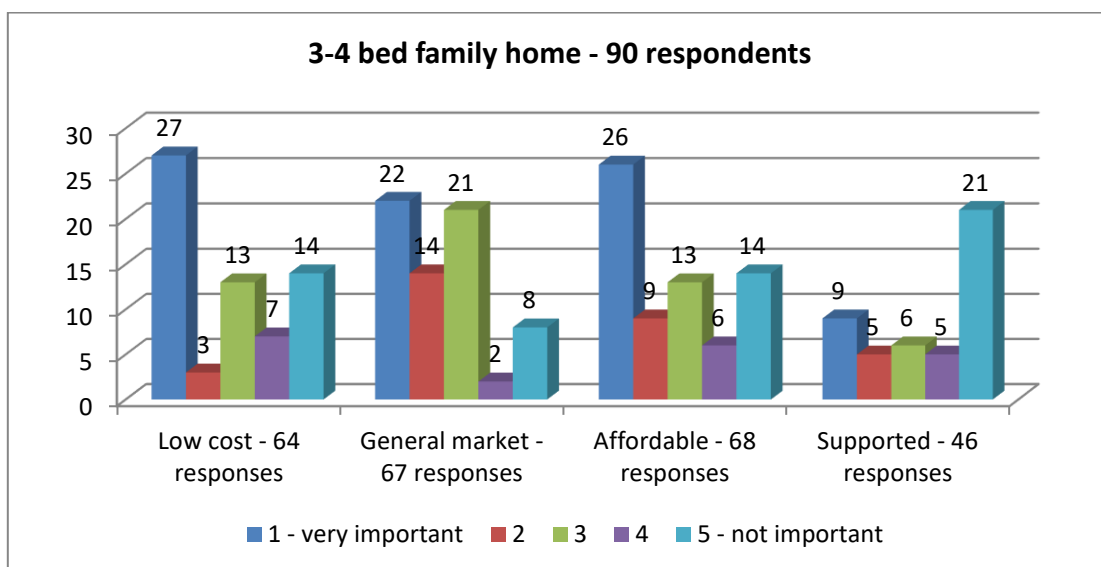
135 respondents, 32 of which had 'no opinion'



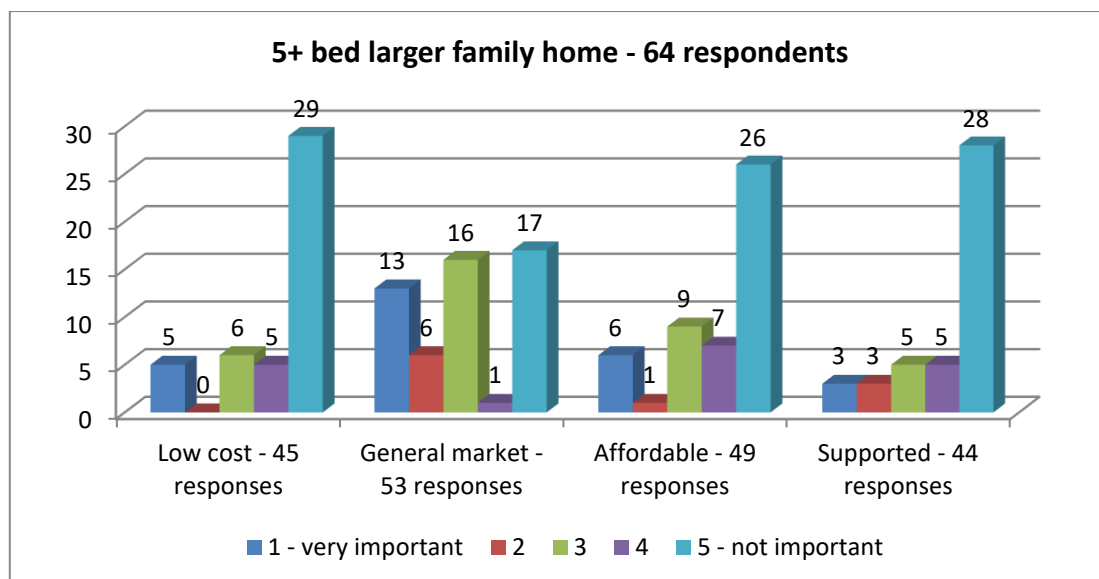
Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Low cost	2.9	General market	3.2
Affordable	3.2	Supported	3.0



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Low cost	2.1	General market	2.7
Affordable	2.5	Supported	2.6



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Low cost	2.7	General market	2.4
Affordable	2.6	Supported	3.5

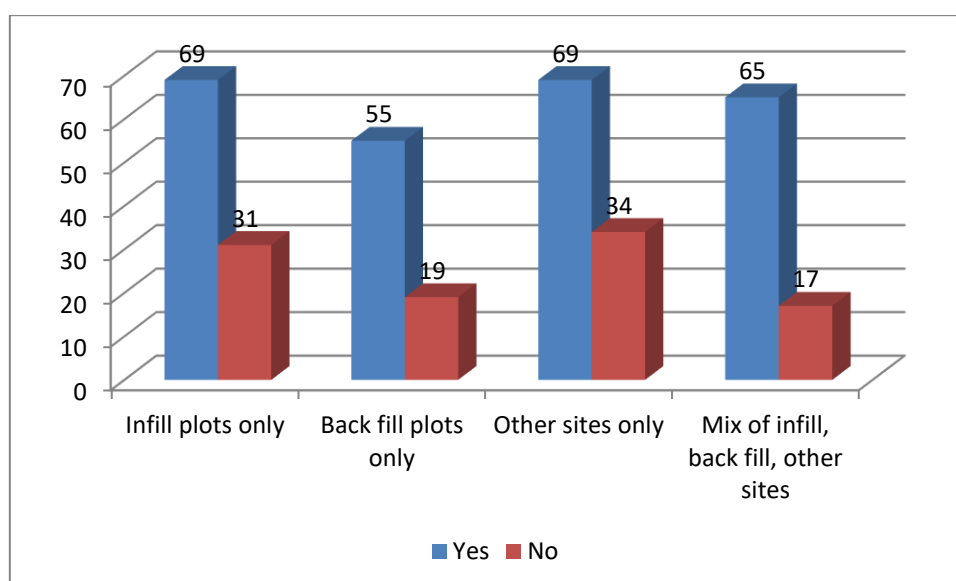


Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Low cost	4.2	General market	3.1
Affordable	3.9	Supported	4.2

Other: 7 respondents and 7 choices			
More social housing	2	Luxury homes	1
Mix of housing	1	General market only	1
Tried to get planning permission for small lineal development in 2005 – whilst in line with WODC design guide, WODC said it was not needed!	1	Maximise use of land that already exists in the village as long as sympathetic builds	1

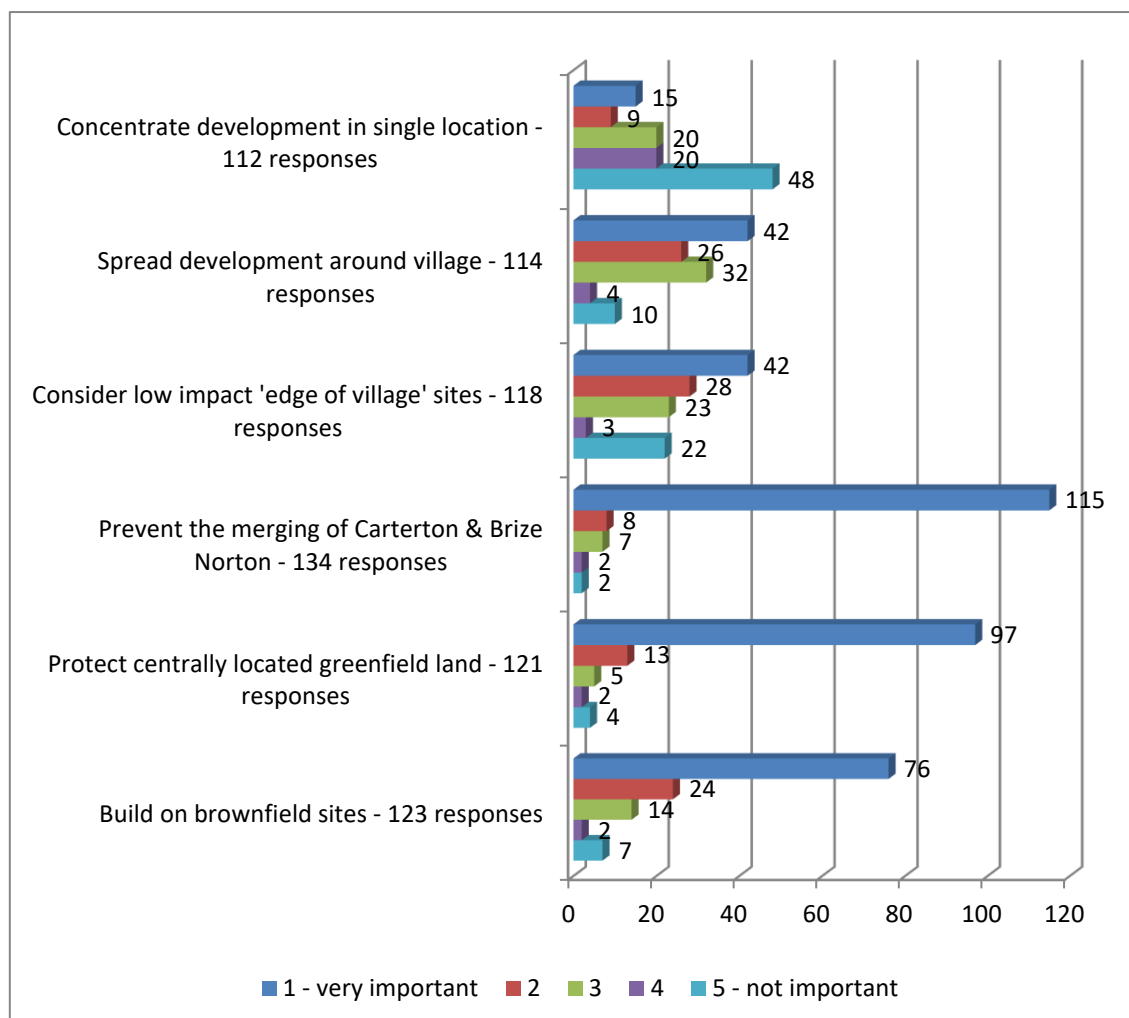
3. What kind of development do you think is appropriate for Brize Norton?

143 respondents, 17 of which had 'no opinion'



4. What are the most important things to consider when deciding about the location of new housing? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

115 respondents, 10 of which had 'no opinion'



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

Build on brownfield sites	1.7	Protect centrally located greenfield land	1.4
Prevent the merging of Carterton and Brize Norton	1.3	Consider low impact 'edge of village' sites	2.4
Spread development around the village	2.2	Concentrate development in a single location	3.7

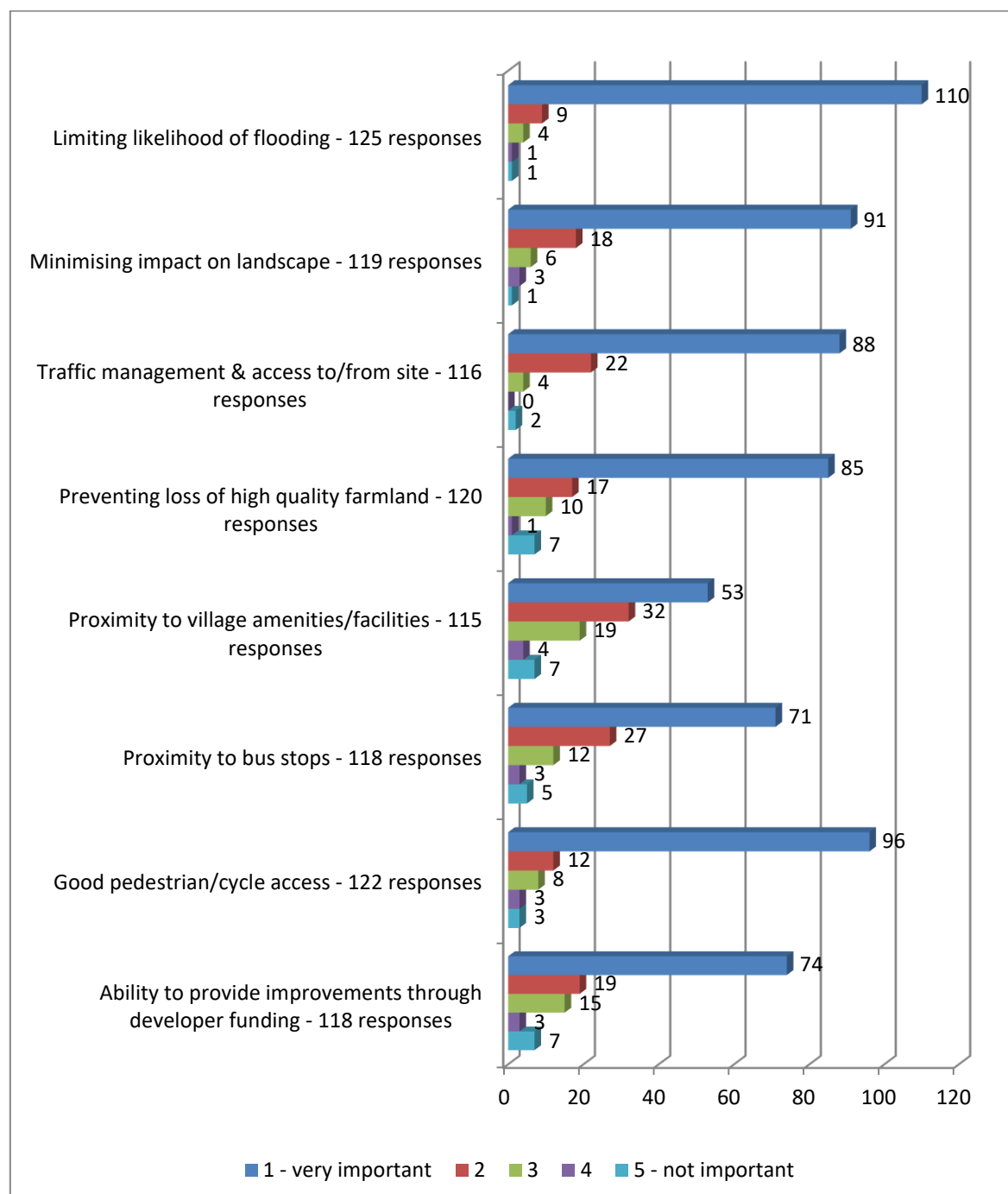
Other: 4 respondents and 4 suggestions

South of Monahan Way Ring Road and fields between Manor Road and RAF BN	1	Land opposite council houses in Minster Rd, the field that comes out on Burford Rd near the 'cottage'	1
Housing needs to be close to bus routes. I would advocate that an allocation for housing should be on the exception basis of solely providing affordable housing	1	No building between RAF camp and Station Rd – that land could be used for allotments or BBOWT	1

with priority given to young people in the village.

5. Which of these other considerations are important? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

147 respondents, 17 of which had 'no opinion'



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

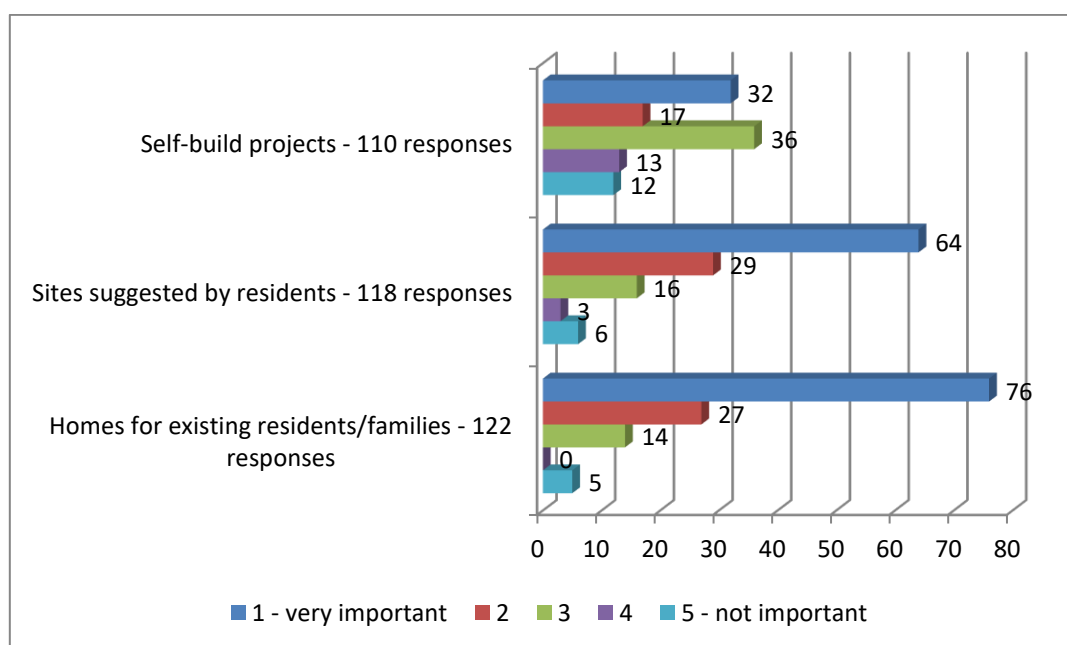
Ability to provide village improvements through developer funding	1.7	Good pedestrian and cycle access	1.4
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Proximity to bus stops	1.7	Proximity to village amenities and facilities	2.0
Preventing the loss of high quality farmland	1.6	Traffic management and access to and from site	1.3
Minimising impact on the landscape	1.4	Limiting the likelihood of flooding	1.2

Other: 8 respondents and 9 comments			
Important not to merge Brize Norton and Carterton	2	Off-road parking	2
Must have Cotswolds 'look'	1	Better cycle-way to Carterton	1
Safer walk into Carterton	1	Traffic management on other local roads	1
No bus route on Station Rd	1		

6. What priority should be given to the following? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

144 respondents, 19 of which had 'no opinion'

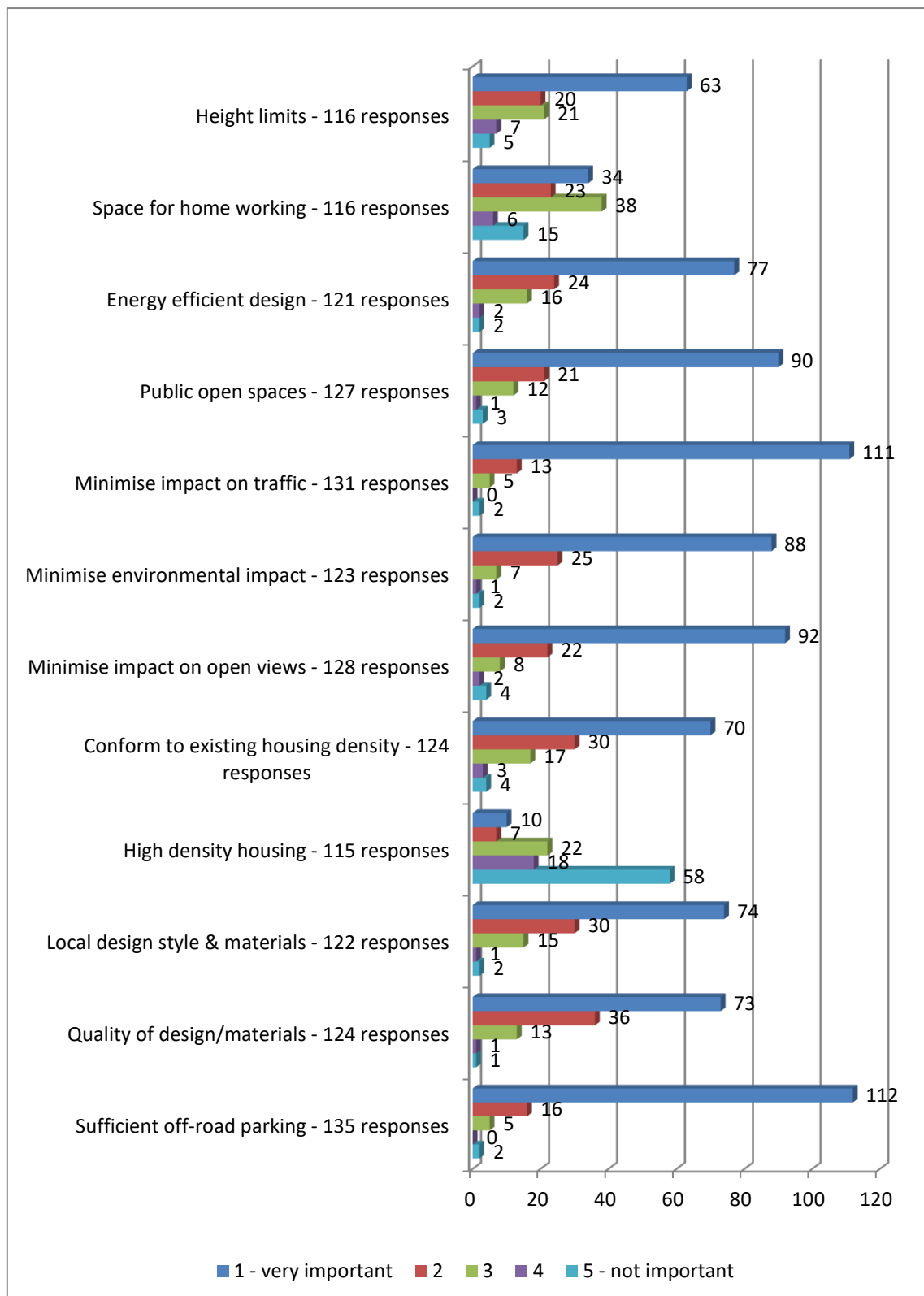


Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):			
Homes for existing residents or families	1.6	Sites suggested by residents	1.8
Self-build projects	2.6		

Other: 1 respondent			
Build them where the community would like to see them, not where speculative builders think they should go	1		

7. What are the most important things to consider about design and layout for new housing?
Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

148 respondents, 12 of which had 'no opinion'

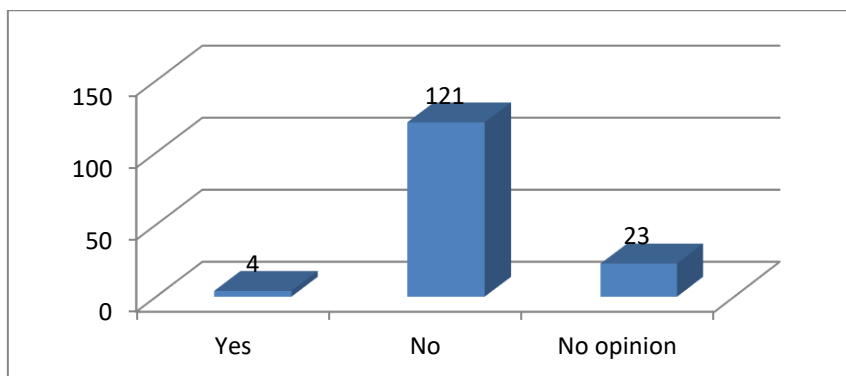


Average score for each option (top two answers highlighted):			
Sufficient off-road parking	1.2	Quality of design and materials	1.6
Local design style and materials	1.6	High density housing	2.9
Conform to existing village housing density	1.7	Minimise impact on open views	1.5
Minimise environmental impact	1.4	Minimise impact on traffic	1.2
Public open spaces	1.5	Energy efficient design	1.6
Space for home working	2.7	Height limits	1.9

Other: 4 respondents and 4 comments			
Minimise noise impact from newcomers	1	Suitable driveway at front	1
Access to A40 and A40 improvement	1	Public open spaces are fine provided they are managed by parish council or district council	1

Detailed Results Part Seven- Employment Land

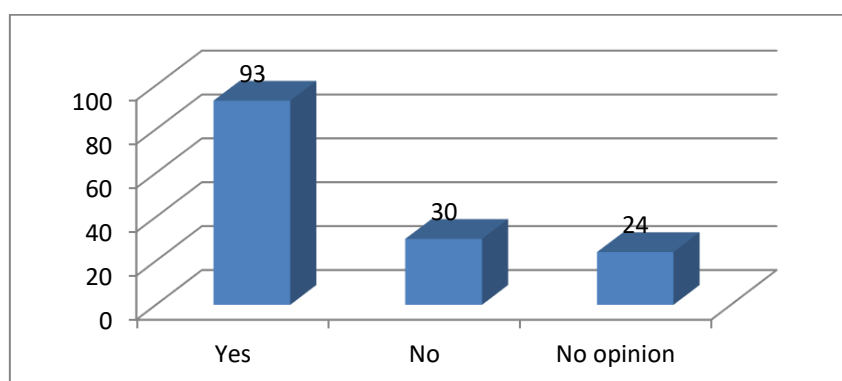
1. Should the existing sports pavilion and associated fields at Monahan Way be replaced with employment land? *148 respondents*



2. Do you agree with the two site proposals recommended by the Parish Council?

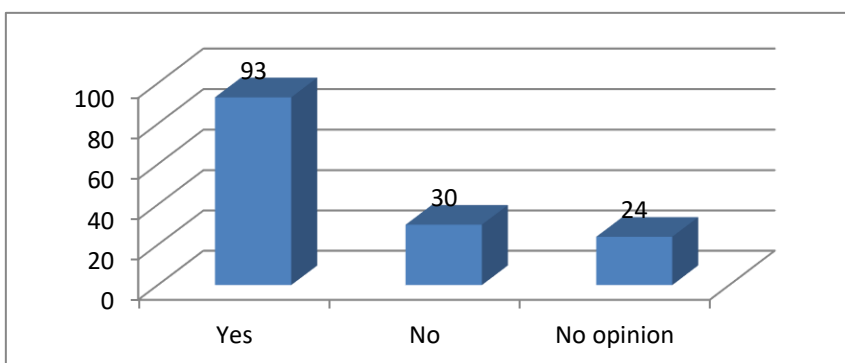
Viscount Court

147 respondents



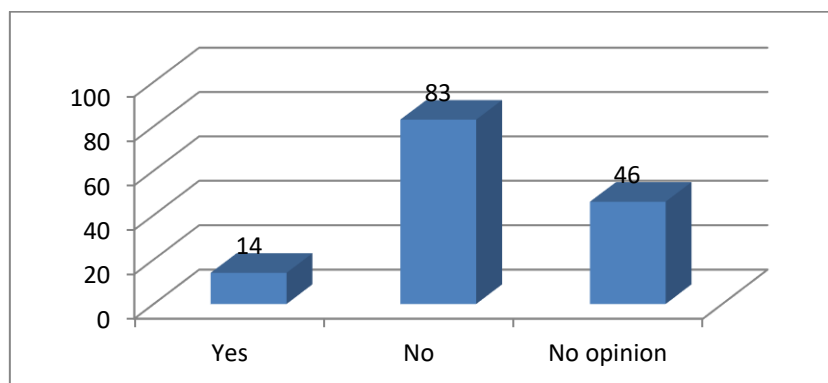
A40/B4477

146 respondents



3. Should employment land be identified for B1 use within the existing village?

143 respondents

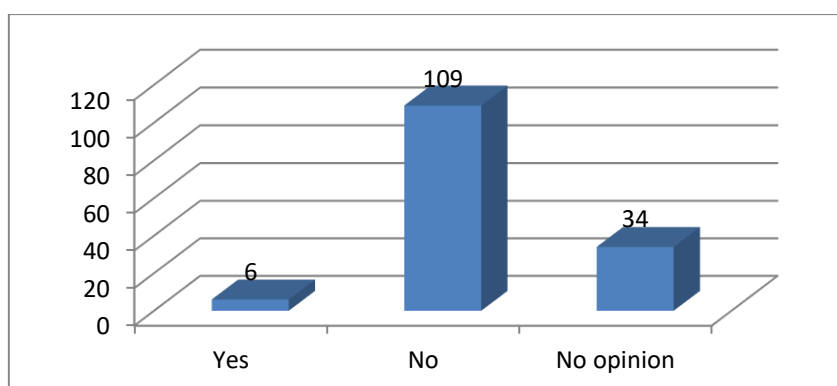


Location: 3 respondents and 3 comments

Extension to Timms with café there	1	Fields left of Manor Rd looking north	1
Before runway going out of village	1		

4. In addition to the three proposed sites, should even more employment land be identified for B1, B2 and B8 use within Brize Norton?

149 respondents



Location: 3 respondents and 3 comments

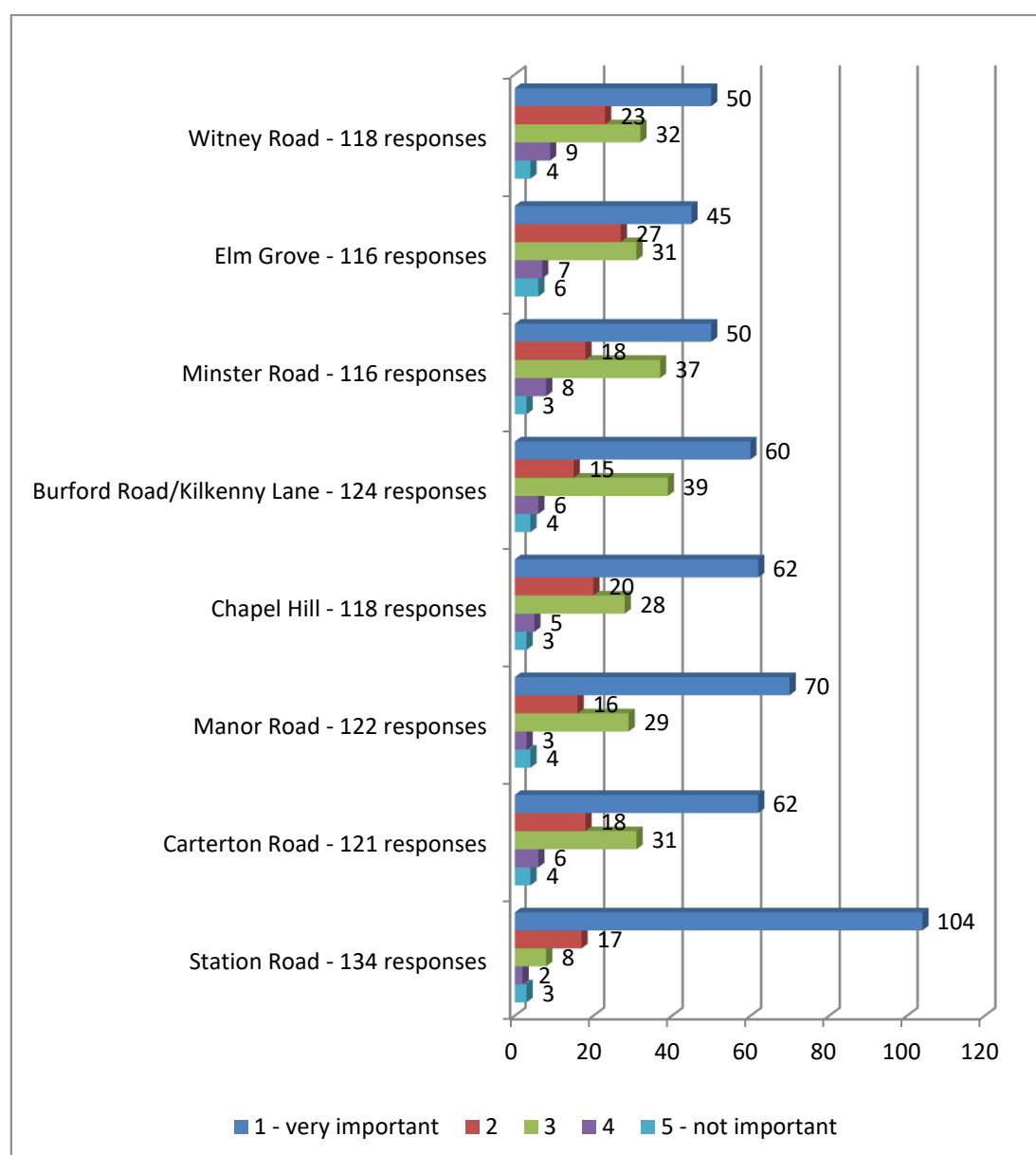
Near A40	1	Before runway going out of village	1
Against Viscount Court expansion because of traffic along Station Rd	1		

Detailed Results

Part Eight- Transport and Movement

1. How concerned are you about traffic volumes in the following areas? *Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.*

142 respondents – 969 total choices

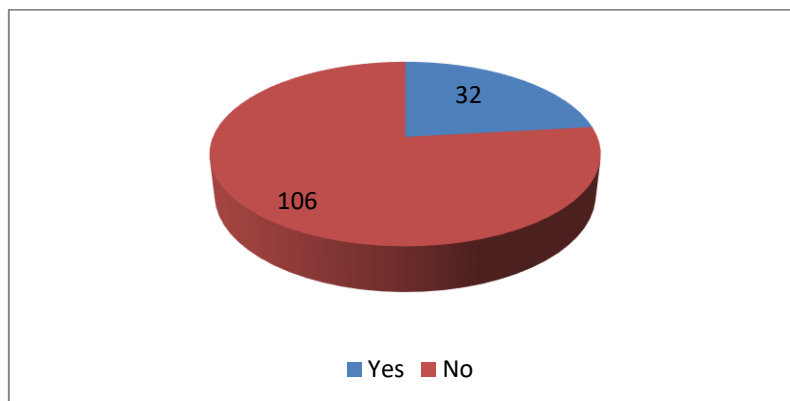


Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

Station Road	1.4	Carterton Road	1.9
Manor Road	1.8	Chapel Hill	1.9
Burford Road/Kilkenny Lane	2.0	Minster Road	2.1
Elm Grove	2.2	Witney Road	2.1

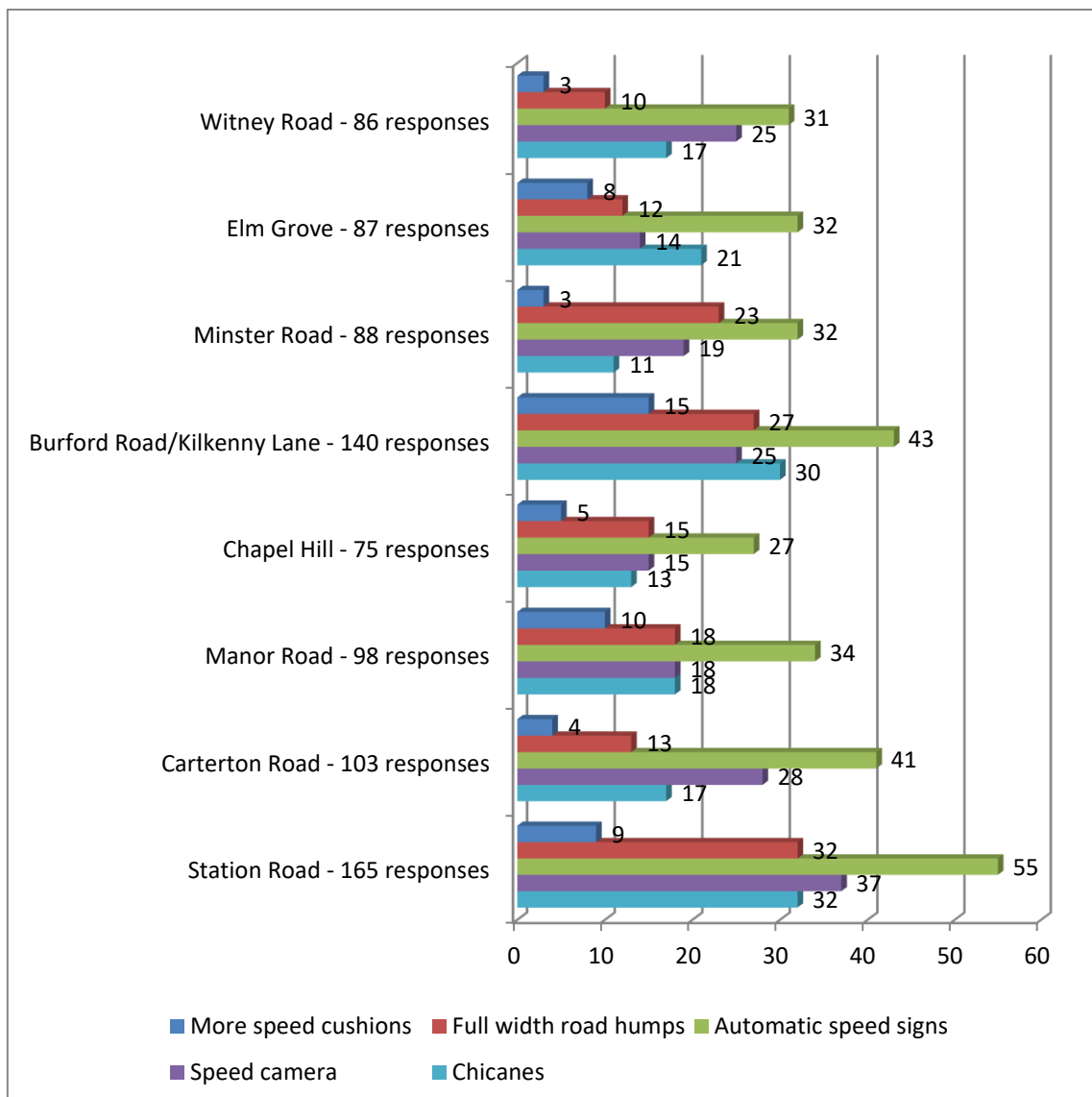
2. Do you think the current traffic calming measures are sufficient?

138 respondents



3. If you have answered NO, please tell us if you think there needs to be traffic calming in these locations?

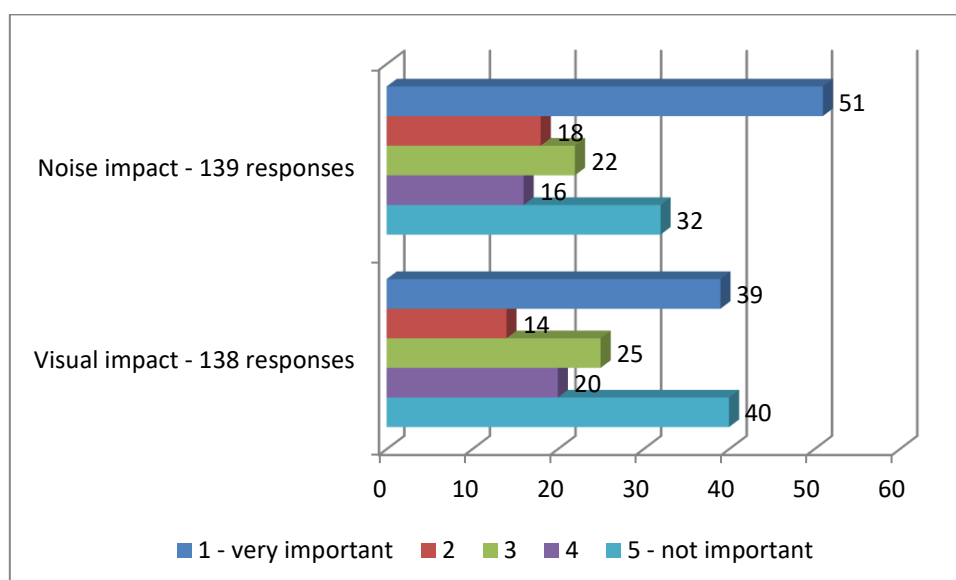
116 respondents – 842 total choices



Comments: 41 respondents and 46 suggestions			
Remove speed humps/cushions – they are ineffective/damaging	10	Replace speed cushions with full-width road humps	2
Lots of speed violations	2	Speeding along Burford Rd	2
Need more effective speed restrictions	2	Limit speed to 20mph	2
Primary school crossing is dangerous	2	Lorries shouldn't use residential areas	2
Speed cushions on Station Rd are in the wrong place	1	Remove speed cushions on Station Road	1
Remove speed cushions on Elm Grove	1	Remove chicanes	1
Provide 'build out' into roads to make single lane at intervals	1	Speeding along Station Road	1
50mph speed limit at Burford Rd/Kilkenny Lane	1	Improve mini roundabout at Monahan Road/Elm Grove/Chapel Hill junction	1
Chicane adjacent to Elderbanks Hall causes problems turning right from car park	1	Roundabout at Burford Rd/Manor Rd/Witney Rd is dangerous	1
Put chicane on roundabout by school	1	Heavy road use by Timms causes problems	1
Encourage traffic to use Monahan Way	1	Village gates are a good deterrent	1
Double yellow lines on corner of streets	1	Use 'slow down' electronic variety	1
Too many HGVs driving at speed	1	Agricultural vehicles don't abide by time set by law	1
Many don't realise Burford Rd is 30mph – streetlights not good enough	1	Size limits	1
Too many cars	1	Cats often killed	1

4. How concerned are you about the visual impact and noise associated with traffic calming measures? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration.

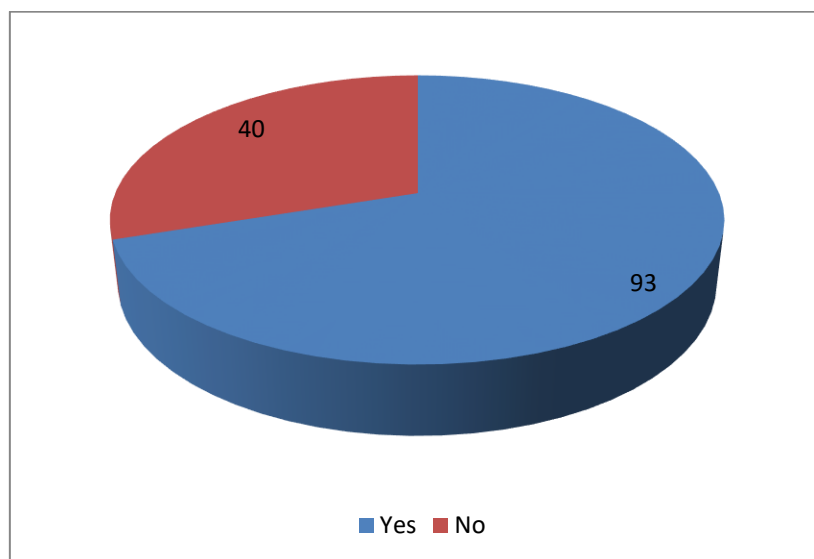
140 respondents – 277 total choices



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

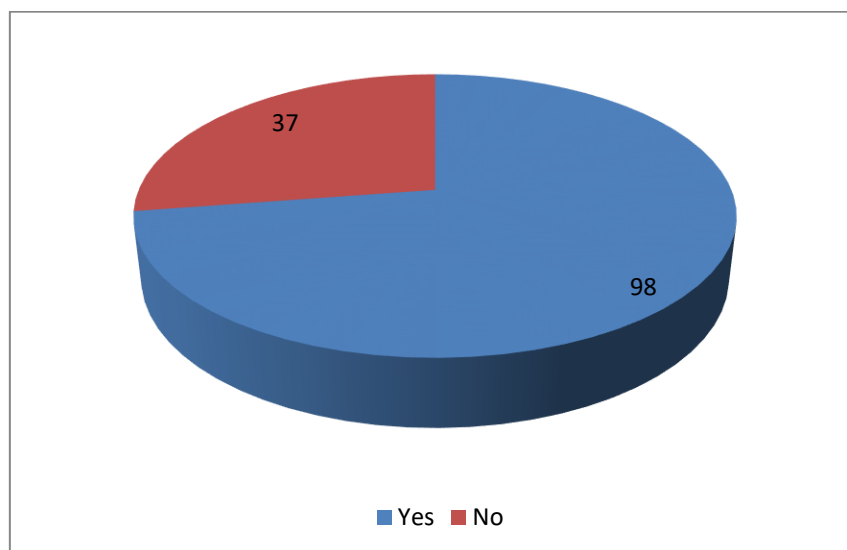
Visual impact	3.1	Noise impact	2.7
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5. Do you think there is anywhere where crossing the road is dangerous and might be improved by a pedestrian crossing?
133 respondents



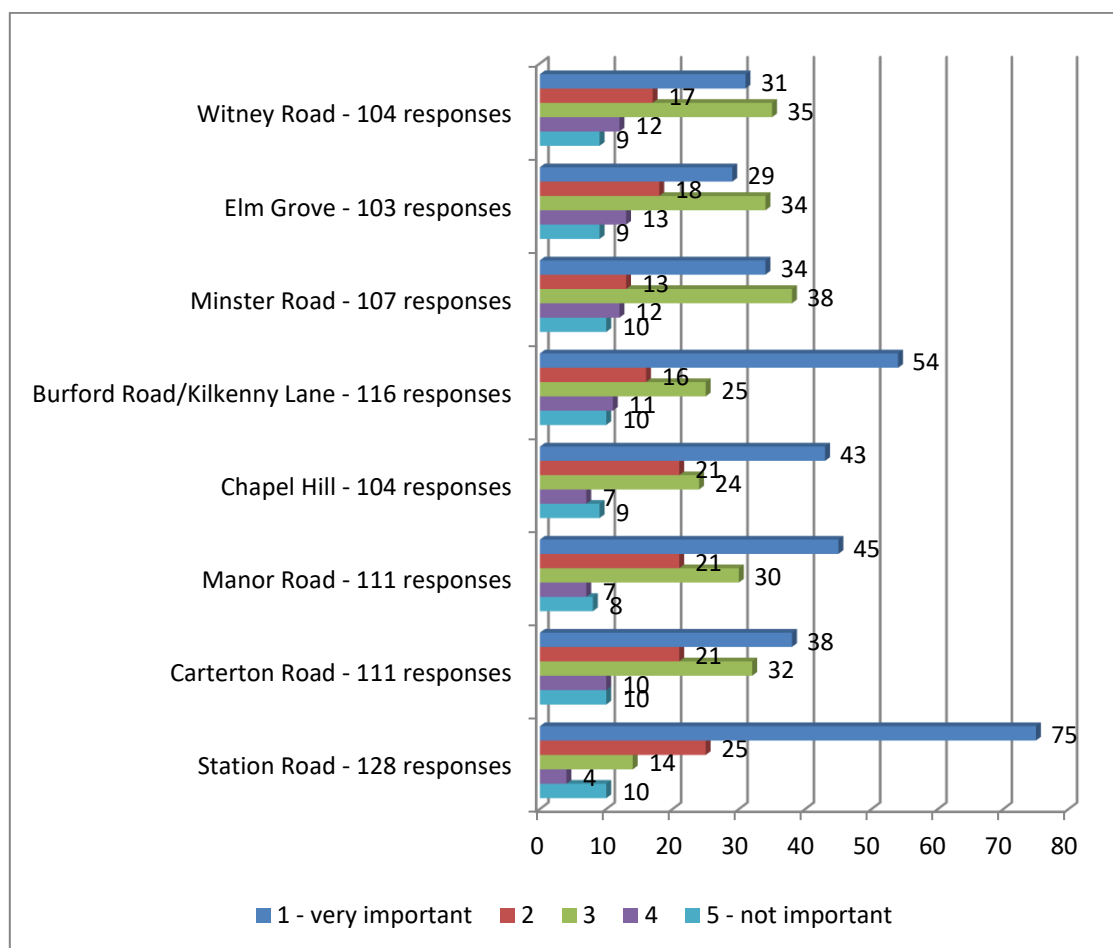
Location: 92 respondents and 121 suggestions			
By the school and/or Elderbank Hall	56	By church	16
By bus stops on Manor Road	13	Manor Road	5
At the rec	3	Burford Rd	2
Elm Grove	2	Chapel Hill	2
Monahan Way near entrance to car park	2	Station Rd/Manor Rd/Carterton Rd junction	1
To cross Monahan Way from Burford Rd	1	Carterton Rd	1
Main Road, Carterton	1	Monahan Way	1
Between bus stop and turning for Carterton	1	School playing fields	1
Collection point for school bus	1	By pre-school	1
Crossing to bridleway on Minster Rd	1	Outside pavilion car park gate	1
By Masons Arms corner	1	By pub	1
By Manor House	1	Watchman Cottage area	1
Bus stop by old shop	1	By chicane	1
Roundabout	1	Wherever you have to cross a road to continue on a footpath	1
Crossing of Burford Rd towards Masons Arms has poor visibility	1		

6. Do you think there are any locations in the village where parked vehicles are a hazard to road safety? 135 respondents



Location: 96 respondents and 122 suggestions			
Station Road	34	Station Rd by Timms	13
Manor Road	9	Entrance to Chichester Place	7
Entrance to Chestnut Close	7	Manor Rd bus stops	5
Near school	4	Burford Road	2
Manor Rd towards roundabout	2	By old shop, Manor Rd	2
Close to junctions	2	All roads	1
Chapel Hill/Burford Rd junction	1	Chapel Hill	1
Along Fosse Way	1	Manor Rd into Station Rd	1
Manor Rd near church	1	Cottages near Manor Rd	1
Opposite old bakery on Manor Rd	1	Corner of all side roads off Station Rd	1
Station Rd between traffic calming	1	Station Rd approaching traffic calming	1
Station Rd from Timms to Chestnut Close	1	Lower Station Road	1
Burford Rd behind Chapel Close to roundabout	1	Burford Road off Chapel Hill	1
Opposite allotment	1	Opposite bus shelter by church	1
Elm Grove	1	Brow of hill by Masons Arms	1
By Masons Arms	1	Opposite church, Sunday mornings	1
Corner of street entrances	1	Top of roads	1
Roundabout near church	1	Main roads	1

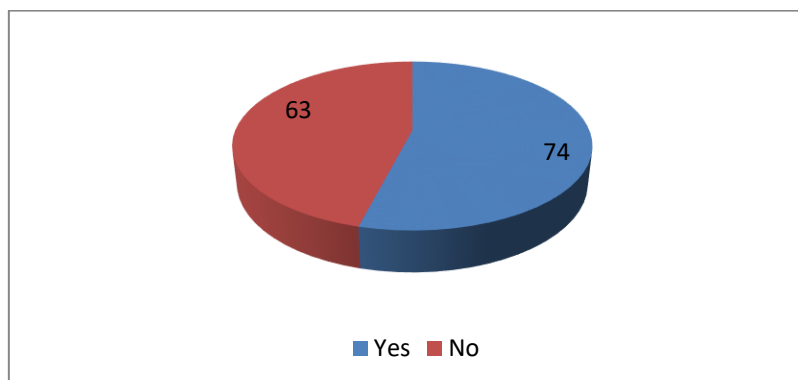
7. How concerned is your household about the number of large vehicles (other than agricultural vehicles) using these roads? Please rate importance where 1= very important consideration to 5 = not an important consideration. **140 respondents - 884 total choices**



Average score for each option (top answer highlighted):

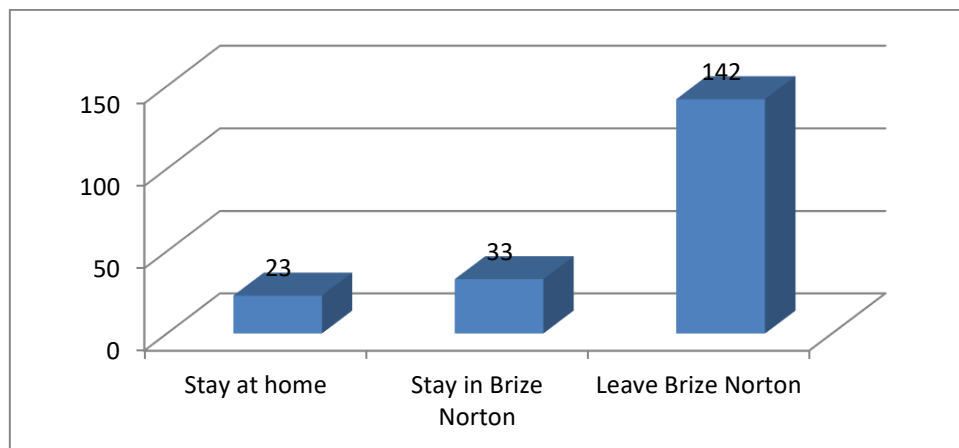
Station Road	1.8	Carterton Road	2.4
Manor Road	2.2	Chapel Hill	2.2
Burford Road/Kilkenny Lane	2.2	Minster Road	2.5
Elm Grove	2.6	Witney Road	2.5

8. Should there be white gates at all entrances to Brize Norton? **137 respondents**



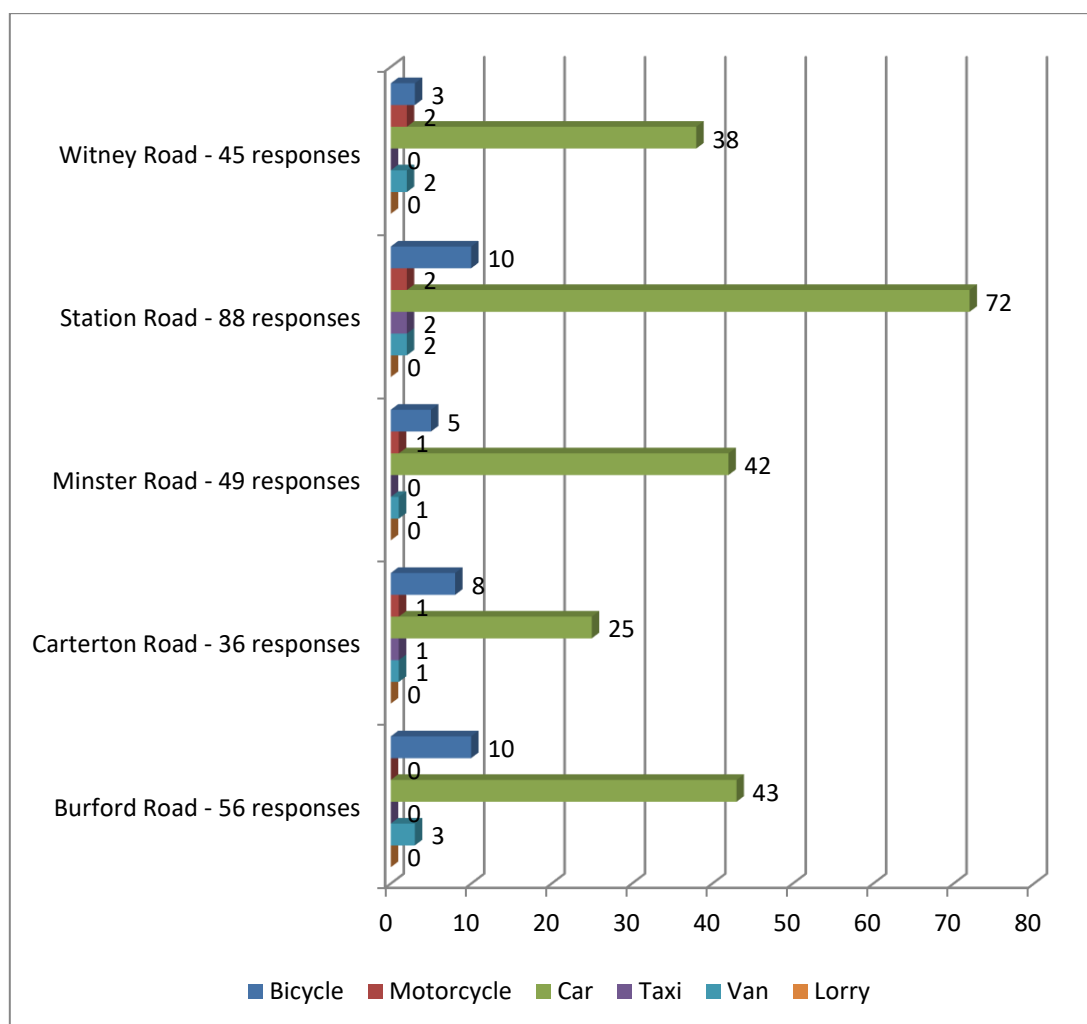
9. Where do those members of your household who work or study go to?

111 respondents – 198 total choices



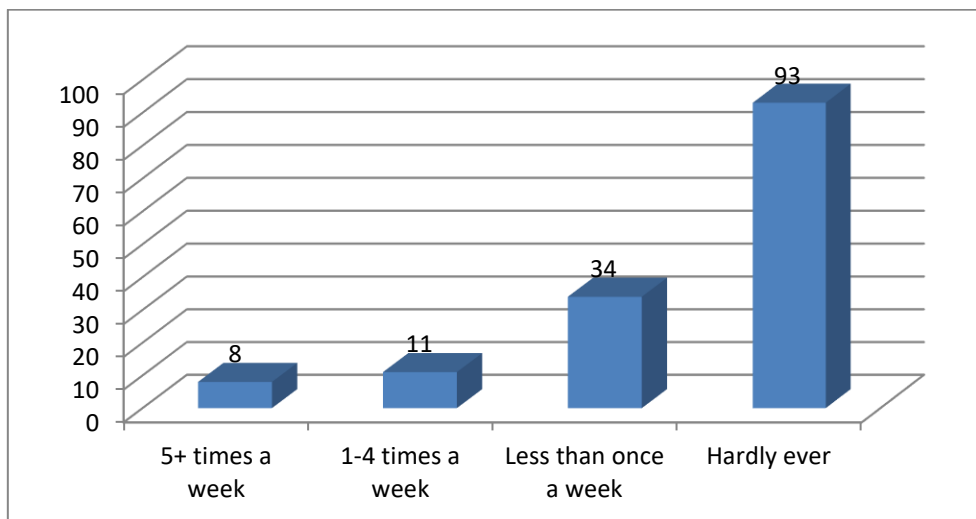
10. Which mode of transport and road(s) do those members of your household, who work or study, use to leave Brize Norton by?

92 respondents – 274 total choices



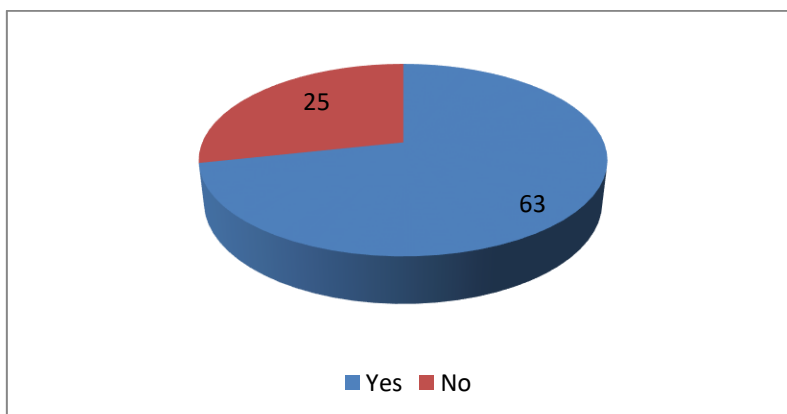
11. How often do members of your household use public transport?

146 respondents



12. If your household uses public transport, does it meet your needs?

88 respondents

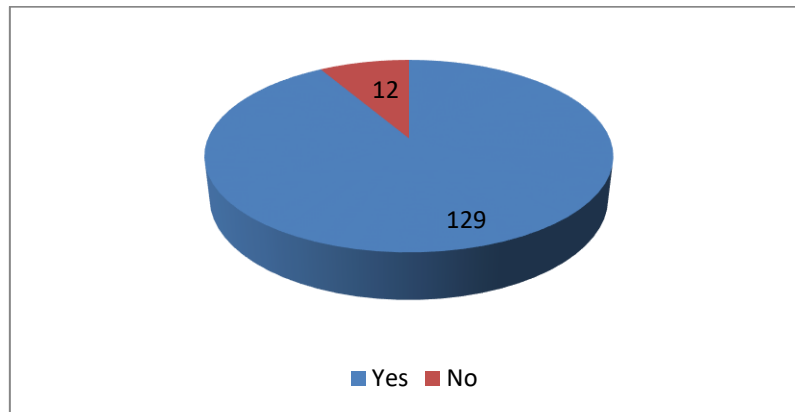


Why not: 21 respondents and 24 comments

Late night buses don't go through the village centre	7	Would like bus to go to other main towns	3
Buses don't stop in the village	2	Expensive when used regularly	2
No bus stop within easy walking distance	1	Buses often late	1
Bus often not in service	1	No bus route through Station Rd	1
Direct service to Oxford via Witney would be good	1	More regular service needed	1
Confusion over where/when S1 and S2 stops	1	Burford Rd dangerous, especially for children	1
Too uncomfortable for my disability	1	Son has autism and can't travel alone	1

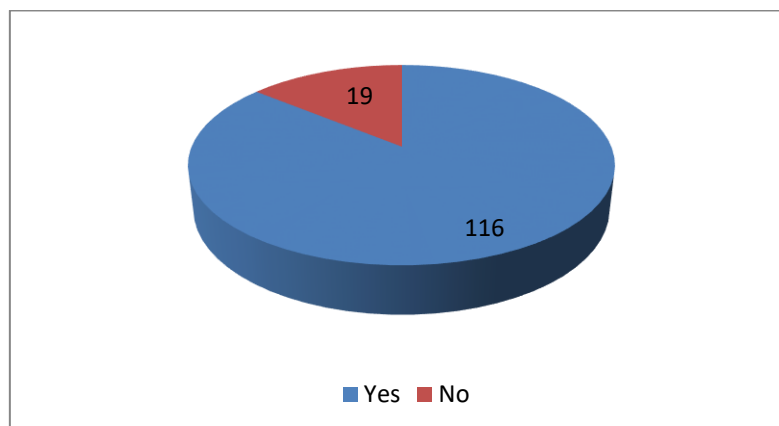
13. Should safe cycling routes be provided for commuting between Brize Norton and Carterton?

141 respondents



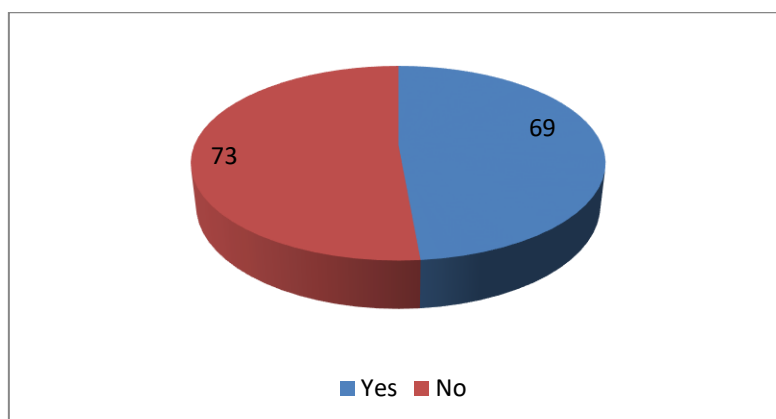
14. Should safe cycling routes be provided for commuting between Brize Norton and Witney?

135 respondents



15. Does your household consider that the current network of pavements in Brize Norton is adequate?

142 respondents



Why not: 63 respondents and 96 comments			
Too narrow in places	18	No continuous pavement through village – have to cross roads to carry on path	7
Burford Rd pavement is poor	4	Some pavements obstructed by parked cars	4
Some pavements obstructed by overgrown hedges	3	Station Rd has to be crossed numerous times for pavement but no safe crossings	3
Burford Rd has no pavements	3	Minster Road	3
Station Rd too narrow	3	Chapel Hill	2
Pavement outside Bognor Terrace, Station Rd, too narrow	2	Wing mirrors of lorries along Station Rd impede pedestrians	2
Combined footpath/cycleway along Carterton Rd too narrow	2	Corner after church is dangerous	2
Burford Rd to Crocodiles of the World	2	Limited access for disabled	2
Carterton Rd too narrow	1	Burford Rd too narrow	1
Manor Rd has poor paving	1	Chapel Hill has poor paving	1
Minster Rd has poor paving	1	Burford Rd West has no pavements	1
Burford Rd East is too narrow	1	Parts of Station Rd	1
Chichester Place to Fosse Way too narrow	1	Path that starts at Manor Rd and joins Station Rd too narrow	1
No pavements from Brize Norton to Minster/Witney/Burford	1	No pavements from Minster to Witney	1
Need safer footpaths to Witney and Carterton	1	Carterton Rd not adequate sized paths for walking with children	1
Parts of Station Rd not adequate sized paths for walking with children	1	Station Rd has no pavement by Chequers	1
Burford Rd too narrow for a pram	1	Burford Rd	1
Station Rd pavements are raised above traffic, difficult with pram and children	1	Pavement on east side of Station Rd disappears south of village	1
Chapel Hill needs pavement or safe crossing	1	Footpath between Brize Norton and Carterton is badly lit and needs resurfacing	1
Path along Daubigny Mead needs resurfacing	1	No path to/from school	1
No footpath from S2 stop to village	1	Manor Rd/Elm Grove no safe route to walk to village when alighting bus	1
Where pavement narrows, it is very close to lorries	1	East of village bypass	1
Elm Grove to Manor Rd	1	Witney Rd to Manor Rd	1
Chapel Hill to Burford Rd	1	Chapel Hill at top of Manor Rd	1
Around chapel	1	Poorly maintained	1

Detailed Results

Part Nine- Notes and Comments

41 respondents: 105 total comments

Segmentation of comments by theme	Number of comments
Infrastructure- general comment	7
Concern regarding the impact of new development on local infrastructure in general and the impact on the village identity, amenities and services	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employment land and local jobs • Footpath and pavement improvement • General comment on infrastructure 	1 4 2
Infrastructure – comment on specific types of infrastructure	
<i>Traffic, speeding and roads</i>	26
General concern about existing traffic, speeding and roads issues and the potential impact of further housing development	1
Specific concerns:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Speed and traffic calming measures • Volume of traffic • Road safety • Conditions of roads 	10 8 5 2
<i>Parking</i>	6
Specific concerns:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Off street parking • On street parking • Antisocial parking • Parking near junctions 	2 2 1 1
<i>Health</i>	1
Specific concerns:	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Concern that volume of traffic increases health issues 	1

<i>Education (schools)</i>	5
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Specific concerns:

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| • Opening hours and venue for playschool | 3 |
| • Secondary school not mentioned in survey | 1 |
| • Concern for sustainability of primary school | 1 |

<i>Public transport</i>	2
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Specific concerns:

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| • Improving position and quantity of bus shelters | 2 |
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<i>Retail and services</i>	5
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Specific comment about retail and service infrastructure:

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| • Need a community shop | 2 |
| • Need for improved phone and broadband signal | 1 |
| • Need for a cashpoint | 1 |
| • Change of hours for post office | 1 |

<i>Sewage, drainage and water</i>	4
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| • General concern about existing sewage, drainage, flooding and water infrastructure and the potential impact of further housing development | 4 |
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<i>Leisure and Recreation</i>	6
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Specific concerns:

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| • Improvements needed to footpaths near Elder Bank Hall | 3 |
| • Improvements needed to Elder Bank Hall | 1 |
| • Want more accessible dog walking areas | 1 |
| • Safety improvements to playground needed | 1 |

<i>Other infrastructure – specific comments</i>	2
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| • Need safer cycling routes | 2 |
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Environment – comments	7
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Specific concerns:

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| • Noise pollution | 2 |
| • Dog fouling | 2 |
| • Climate change | 2 |

- Grass cutting in play area 1

Development- comments

21

- General concerns about development 4
- Need for buffer zones/ protection of green space 4
- Identify specific locations for development 4
- Importance of good quality design for new housing 3
- Queries about need for more employment land 2
- No more development 2
- Impact of infill on surrounding houses needs to be considered 1
- No further development until 700 houses on new development sold 1

Development – meeting local need

3

- Need to consider existing households when granting planning permission 2
- Need to provide housing for local young people 1

Village life – specific comments

10

- Need to maintain community identity 8
- Need to improve amenities and facilities 2