

# Bisley-with-Lypiatt NDP Survey

Public meetings were held in 2019, and we thank residents who took part in these initial consultations - they have helped us devise this Survey. Now *YOUR* answers are important - please take 10 minutes to FULLY answer and send back *YOUR* opinions to us.

**THANK YOU!**

## Q1 Which part of the parish do you live in? Please tick one:

30.6%	Bisley	7.4%	Far Oakridge	2.3%	Througham	1.3%	Stancombe / Catswood
30.3%	Eastcombe	4.8%	Waterlane	1.3%	Lypiatts		
17.4%	Oakridge	1.6%	Tunley	2.9%	Bournes Green		

## Q2 What do you like about living in this parish?

100.0%

## Q3 What would you like to change?

100.0%

## COMMUNITY AND LOCAL AMENITIES

### Q4 Which of these village services / amenities / clubs / activities are important to you?

(5 = Very Important; 1 = Not Important)

	5	4	3	2	1
Village Shops / Farm Shops	85.9%	8.4%	4.8%	0.6%	0.3%
Village Pubs	54.8%	18.7%	18.7%	4.3%	3.6%
Churches	25.3%	20.7%	21.7%	10.0%	22.3%
Village Schools	44.4%	16.8%	18.5%	6.7%	13.5%
Playing Fields and Play Areas	55.2%	19.4%	13.7%	7.4%	4.3%
Allotments and Orchards	43.5%	22.3%	16.3%	10.0%	8.0%
Village Greens	52.2%	24.9%	13.8%	3.7%	5.4%
Community Composting Scheme	33.1%	21.5%	22.5%	9.9%	13.0%
Footpaths	80.0%	12.5%	5.2%	1.3%	1.0%
Village Halls	58.7%	22.0%	14.8%	2.6%	2.0%
Sports Clubs and Facilities	30.8%	23.1%	24.7%	12.2%	9.2%
Parish Magazines (What's On, Bisley News)	43.1%	27.4%	20.1%	4.7%	4.7%
Local Websites	24.8%	29.7%	23.8%	8.6%	13.1%
Garages / Petrol Stations	41.9%	26.0%	16.9%	8.8%	6.4%

### Q5 Comments on Community and Local Amenities (Q4):

100.0%

## BUILT AND NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

### Q6 How important are these aspects of the CURRENT built and natural environment to you? (5 = Very Important; 1 = Not Important)

	5	4	3	2	1
Cotswold Landscape Character	84.1%	12.7%	2.9%	0.0%	0.3%
Conservation Areas of Bisley and Eastcombe	75.4%	16.1%	6.9%	0.3%	1.3%
Rural ambience (as opposed to suburban)	88.2%	10.8%	0.7%	0.0%	0.3%
Traditional building materials (stone / wood / render)	65.0%	24.8%	8.9%	1.0%	0.3%
Extensions on historic properties in keeping with the main building	60.7%	24.0%	9.7%	2.3%	3.2%
Traditional settlement patterns	50.8%	26.4%	18.3%	3.4%	1.0%
Cotswold stone walls	66.6%	23.4%	7.5%	2.6%	0.0%
Natural setting (e.g. wild verges, limited road signage and lines)	67.6%	19.3%	8.5%	4.2%	0.3%
Skyline, and vistas to our valleys, hills and woodlands	79.5%	16.9%	2.9%	0.0%	0.6%
Tranquillity and dark skies at night	82.0%	12.7%	4.2%	1.0%	0.0%
Newer development built in vernacular style	45.0%	25.2%	19.8%	6.4%	3.7%

### Q7 In relation to New Development and New Extensions, what are the important issues to you? (5 = Very Important; 1 = Not Important)

	5	4	3	2	1
Traditional design / in keeping with the design of the original house	62.0%	18.7%	15.1%	2.0%	2.3%
Use of traditional materials	56.2%	23.9%	16.7%	2.3%	1.0%
Extensions on historic properties should be in keeping with the main building	66.0%	16.7%	11.4%	3.3%	2.6%
Carbon neutral building	40.5%	27.8%	19.1%	7.7%	5.0%
Blending in with existing properties	59.3%	27.9%	9.5%	2.0%	1.3%
It should help support local shops, schools and services	59.0%	24.4%	12.7%	2.9%	1.0%
Built in modern eco-friendly materials	35.1%	30.1%	19.4%	9.0%	6.4%
Provide housing for local families and / or singles	47.7%	25.3%	16.8%	7.2%	3.0%
Being informed about what is happening with regard to planning applications	60.5%	25.0%	10.9%	2.3%	1.3%
Producing a "Cotswold Design Guide" for the Parish (Design Code for new housing)	42.6%	29.5%	17.4%	4.7%	5.7%
Boundaries of local stone or hedging	57.5%	21.4%	16.9%	2.9%	1.3%
Planning conditions for energy conservation (e.g. retro-fit insulation)	39.5%	29.4%	21.6%	4.1%	5.4%
Stronger planning conditions for controlling building contractors (e.g. works, deliveries, etc.)	38.9%	28.6%	22.9%	6.6%	3.0%
Contemporary Design Ideas	13.8%	24.8%	30.2%	14.8%	16.4%
Planning conditions to limit 2nd home use	43.0%	16.6%	20.5%	8.6%	11.3%
More car parking spaces on site	41.4%	23.7%	22.4%	6.3%	6.3%

**Q8 If we needed to build houses to cater for our changing population, to support our schools, shops and amenities, what types of development do you think would be appropriate?**

	<b>5 Yes</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>3 Maybe</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>1 No</b>
Site with 10-30 houses	3.9%	4.2%	16.5%	11.9%	63.5%
Site with 5-10 houses	20.6%	12.6%	24.5%	11.9%	30.4%
Site with up to 5 houses	42.1%	16.6%	26.2%	4.8%	10.3%
Infill sites (e.g. part of Gardens)	14.5%	12.5%	38.5%	12.2%	22.3%
Smaller houses for older people to 'downsize'	40.9%	22.1%	26.7%	5.3%	5.0%
Smaller houses for younger people	43.0%	19.9%	27.8%	5.6%	3.6%
Allow Rural / farm building conversion to housing	34.3%	25.8%	25.5%	3.6%	10.8%
Well screened by trees, hedges	50.0%	23.0%	23.0%	2.3%	1.7%
Self-build homes	18.9%	20.5%	36.7%	10.4%	13.5%
Homes with sufficient space to work from home	31.4%	28.4%	33.8%	2.3%	4.0%
Affordable / Social Housing	30.0%	21.3%	22.3%	9.7%	16.7%
Community-led housing project (mixed housing) e.g. Community Trusts	20.9%	19.9%	27.0%	14.5%	17.6%
Retirement home / sheltered housing	15.7%	23.3%	35.0%	12.7%	13.3%
Specific site allocation for development (please add suggestions in comments)	12.4%	12.4%	38.7%	7.1%	29.3%
Allow building outside Settlement boundaries	6.0%	4.9%	24.6%	9.5%	55.1%
Only build within Settlement boundaries and adjoining areas (as per current Stroud Draft Local Plan)	35.7%	22.0%	22.4%	7.3%	12.6%
Extend existing Conservation Area boundaries	29.4%	15.0%	30.7%	6.8%	18.1%
Designate a NEW Oakridge Conservation Area	32.4%	14.0%	44.9%	2.6%	6.3%
No new development - keep things as they are	27.3%	10.0%	21.1%	14.5%	27.0%

**Q9 Comments on Built and Natural Environment (Qs 6-8):**

100.0%

## NATURE AND WILDLIFE

### Q10 In your opinion, how important are these ways of supporting / enhancing nature and wildlife? (5 = Very Important; 1 = Not Important)

	5	4	3	2	1
Any development should protect and enhance wildlife and biodiversity	70.0%	21.1%	6.3%	2.0%	0.7%
Create / enhance wildlife corridors	65.0%	20.8%	10.2%	1.7%	2.3%
Stronger planning against suburbanisation	71.6%	15.1%	11.0%	0.3%	2.0%
Support for environmentally-friendly farming methods	63.8%	19.7%	12.5%	3.6%	0.3%
Reduce / ban chemicals in gardens, allotments, farmland	37.5%	20.7%	24.0%	7.9%	9.9%
Add allotments and orchards to list of key wildlife sites	45.2%	23.4%	23.1%	4.7%	3.7%
Planting new and replacing dead or fallen trees (e.g. ash killed by die-back)	65.0%	21.6%	10.8%	1.6%	1.0%
Education and experiencing conservation, tree planting	53.2%	23.4%	18.1%	3.3%	2.0%
Social use of woodland (walking, birdwatching, dog walking, etc.)	64.9%	21.3%	10.2%	3.3%	0.3%
Re-wilding and re-forestation	54.7%	19.7%	17.0%	3.7%	5.0%
More Tree Protection Orders or Tree Group orders	39.6%	19.8%	24.8%	6.0%	9.7%
Creation of new allotments for any future development to service new housing	33.8%	24.7%	26.1%	6.0%	9.4%
Creation of new community orchards	36.0%	23.3%	26.3%	5.7%	8.7%
Maintain existing blue infrastructure (streams, brooks, wells, etc.)	74.8%	19.3%	4.6%	0.7%	0.7%
Protection of existing wildlife corridors	78.4%	14.1%	5.9%	0.7%	1.0%
New development to include communal green spaces	64.9%	17.7%	11.4%	1.0%	5.0%

### Q11 Comments on Nature and Wildlife (Q10):

100.0%

## MOBILITY AND COMMUNICATIONS

**Q12 For each of these modes of transport, please indicate whether it is *important* or *unimportant* to you *now*, and whether you expect it to be important or unimportant to you in the *future* (next 5-10 years).**

	Important Now	Not Important Now	Important In Future	Not Important In Future
Car (petrol / diesel)	89.2%	3.7%	31.1%	23.6%
Car (hybrid / electric)	24.8%	37.9%	70.3%	14.5%
Electric charging points	23.6%	37.8%	68.9%	13.9%
Bicycle	49.3%	42.3%	24.8%	34.6%
Walking	94.1%	2.9%	47.7%	3.9%
E-bike	29.2%	51.2%	33.8%	38.4%
Train	56.3%	33.6%	38.0%	23.1%
Bus	42.1%	44.5%	44.2%	21.9%
Autonomous (self-driving) vehicle	7.0%	57.7%	26.4%	60.9%
'Demand-responsive' public transport (comes when you call it)	19.8%	53.1%	56.6%	19.8%

**Q13 How important to you are each of these? (5 = Very Important; 1 = Not Important)**

	5	4	3	2	1
Safer roads for cycling	51.0%	17.0%	15.0%	6.3%	10.7%
Safer walking in and around our villages e.g. new pavements	51.3%	17.3%	14.7%	7.3%	9.3%
Car-sharing or pooling Community-owned car club	10.3%	18.2%	32.0%	13.1%	26.5%
Hubs for deliveries / restrictions on delivery vehicles	19.7%	20.3%	25.8%	12.9%	21.4%
New off-road car parking sites in villages	31.9%	27.8%	20.7%	7.1%	12.5%
Built traffic-calming measures, e.g. chicanes	31.0%	14.3%	18.7%	12.2%	23.8%
Better mobile phone service	56.0%	17.7%	14.0%	3.0%	9.3%

**Q14 Comments on Mobility and Communications (Q12-13):**

100.0%

## ENERGY AND EMPLOYMENT

**Q15 Which of these would you support or oppose?** (5 = Strongly support; 1 = Strongly oppose)

	5	4	3	2	1
Planning conditions to require renewable energy use on new builds and extensions	46.4%	25.7%	15.1%	7.2%	5.6%
Mobile phone tower for improved phone service	31.7%	15.5%	19.5%	8.3%	25.1%
Solar panels allowed on Listed Buildings	27.0%	20.3%	24.0%	9.7%	19.0%
Community Solar Power Generation	38.3%	21.8%	21.1%	6.4%	12.4%
Community Wind Turbines	31.0%	15.8%	17.5%	7.9%	27.7%
Encourage retro-fitting for whole house insulation	40.9%	24.0%	25.3%	5.4%	4.4%
Create local employment	49.7%	23.2%	22.5%	2.0%	2.6%
Create business hubs in / around villages	31.6%	21.9%	29.9%	7.6%	9.0%

**Q16 Comments on Energy and Employment (Q15):**

100.0%

**Thank you for completing the survey!**

### DO YOU WANT TO BE KEPT INFORMED?

Please fill in your contact details below if you would like to be kept informed of the development of the Bisley-with-Lypiatt Neighbourhood Development Plan.

**Q17 Name** 100.0%

**Q18 Address** 100.0%

**Q19 Postcode** 100.0%

**Q20 Email** 100.0%

**Q21 Phone / mobile** 100.0%

**Q22** Please **tick box** to indicate you agree with the Bisley-with-Lypiatt Parish Council privacy and use terms (these can be found on <https://bisley-with-lypiatt.gov.uk/>) 100.0% I agree

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