RYTON ON DUNSMORE

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT DROP-IN EVENT

10 NOVEMBER 2018

CONSULTATION ANALYSIS
1. Background

Project Brief

Ryton on Dunsmore Parish Council through its Neighbourhood Plan Steering Committee organised an open event at the Village Hall on 10 November 2018 (10:00 am – 12:30 pm) to share the emerging policies with those who live and work in Ryton on Dunsmore.

The aim of this event was to see whether or not the local community supported the emerging policies – including ones on housing, Local Green Space and environment; community facilities; design; transport and business.

Publicity

The drop-in event was promoted in a variety of ways:

- The event was publicised in the village newsletter which was delivered to each household in the Parish
- Leaflets promoting the event were distributed to each household.
- Members of the Steering Committee spoke to villagers to inform them of the event and to encourage attendance.
- Anything else?
List of attendees

A list of attendees is available separately. A total of 30 people attended the event.

2. Format of Event

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<th>Sign in</th>
<th>A Member of the Steering Committee welcomed attendees on arrival and recorded attendance. Arrangements for the Open Event were explained.</th>
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<td>Background</td>
<td>The first displays introduced Neighbourhood Planning and described the process and what has been undertaken to date.</td>
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<td>Consultation on key issues</td>
<td>A series of display boards were spread across the room, each of which focussed on the emerging policies within the draft Neighbourhood Plan – including:</td>
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<td>▪ Housing – Method of determining numbers, location; allocation and reserve site; mix, design, affordable housing;</td>
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<td>▪ Environment – Local Green Space and other environmental protections including views;</td>
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<td>▪ Transport – Including parking and congestion</td>
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<td>▪ Businesses and Employment</td>
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<td>▪ Community Facilities</td>
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Having read the displays, attendees were asked to indicate their support for the policy. General comments were welcomed and members of the NP team were on hand to record people’s views, but people were directed to the upcoming pre-submission consultation for expressing detailed observations so that the comments could be formally recorded.

The next pages show the display boards detailing the emerging policies.
3. Consultation findings
The policies on display and the support expressed for each are as follows:

**VISION:**
Support for 25 Y/0 N

**HOUSING**
HOUSING SITE: 20 Y/2 N
RESERVE SITE: 21 Y/0 N
LIMITS TO DEVELOPMENT: 22 Y/0 N
DESIGN: 11 Y/0 N
DESIGN STATEMENT 14 Y/0 N
HOUSING MIX: 16 Y/0 N
TANDEM DEVELOPMENT: 12 Y/0 N
EXTERNAL STORAGE 16 Y/0 N
BUILDING FOR BIODIVERSITY 16 Y/0 N
WINDFALL SITES: 17 Y/0 N
SUPPORT FOR BROWNFIELD SITES 14 Y/0 N
RESIDENTIAL CAR PARKING 17 Y/0 N

**ENVIRONMENT**
LOCAL GREEN SPACE: 18 Y/0 N
SITES OF ENVIRONMENTAL SIGNIFICANCE: 17 Y/0 N
RENEWABLE ENERGY: 15 Y/0 N
RIDGE & FURROW: 16 Y/0 N
IMPORTANT VIEWS: 17 Y/0 N
LOCAL HERITAGE LIST: 19 Y/0 N
IMPORTANT OPEN SPACES: 18 Y/0 N
BIODIVERSITY: 15 Y/0 N
EMPLOYMENT AND BUSINESS

RETENTION OF EXISTING: 15 Y/ 0 N
SUPPORT FOR NEW BUSINESSES: 14 Y/ 0 N
HOMEWORKING: 14 Y/ 0 N
BROADBAND INFRASTRUCTURE: 14 Y/ 0 N

COMMUNITY FACILITIES

EXISTING 18 Y/0 N
NEW and IMPROVED COMMUNITY FACILITIES: 19 Y/ 0 N
PRIMARY SCHOOL: 17 Y/ 0 N

TRAFFIC

TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT: 18 Y/ 0 N
CYCLEWAYS & FOOTPATHS: 16 Y/ 0 N

COMMUNITY ACTIONS

SUPPORT FOR 15 Y/0 N