

THE EYEOPENER

HURN PARISH COUNCIL NEWSLETTER



January 2022

HIGH IMPORTANCE FOR HURN RESIDENTS

HURN NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN Consultation 31st January to 14th March 2022

A Group of Parish Cllrs. and residents has drafted a Neighbourhood Plan to 2032, and we want your comments please. This is very important for the future of Hurn. It is based on the results of household and business surveys carried out in Hurn, and an independent housing needs assessment.

This Neighbourhood Plan when adopted will set out the local planning policies for Hurn Parish, which together with the BCP Council Local Plan will be used to determine planning applications as they come forward. This will mean that, when applicants apply for planning permission, their plans are more likely to get approved if they meet the requirements set out in this Neighbourhood Plan, and more likely to be refused if they do not.

A list of our proposed policies and projects are overleaf

WE WANT YOUR COMMENTS

You can view the draft Plan at www.hurnparishcouncil.org.uk
and respond via the online form
or fill out the form with this Newsletter

You can see a hard copy of the draft, talk to Steering Group Members in person about the Plan, and complete a response form

**AT HURN BRIDGE SPORTS CLUB, 2PM TO 4.30PM ON THE
FOLLOWING DATES:**

**SATURDAY 12TH FEBRUARY
WEDNESDAY 16TH FEBRUARY**

OUR POLICIES
with a very brief summary description
the FULL TEXT can be seen on line or in hard copy as noted on page 1

Policy 1 – Respecting Hurn’s Historic Character

Development within the Parish should respect the area’s heritage, historic buildings, Conservation Area and its open rural character.

Policy 2 – Local Landscape Character

Development will respect and where possible enhance the local key landscape characteristics to which it relates.

Policy 3 – Important Local Gap

Proposals for development within the important Local Gap between Hurn Village, the Airport and West Hurn as shown on Map 3 will not be supported.

Policy 4 – Access to the Countryside

Support for proposals to increase opportunities for quiet enjoyment of the countryside, where compatible with the rural character of the area and nature conservation interests.

Policy 5 – Woodland, Heathland and Farmland

Development must avoid any adverse effect on the varied protected and unprotected wildlife habitats in the Parish, demonstrating net biodiversity gain.

Policy 6 – Supporting Community Facilities and Local Services

Retention of key community facilities listed in the policy will be supported.

Policy 7 – Creating safer roads and pedestrian/cycle routes

Provision of safe routes for pedestrians, cyclists and horse riders will be encouraged. Two new road crossing points shown on Map 5 will be supported.

**PLEASE DO LOOK AT THE PLAN
AND SEND US YOUR RESPONSE FORM**
Either by - e mail – post – at our events – or hand it into Hurn Stores
FULL DETAILS ARE ON THE RESPONSE FORM

If you have any queries or require explanation about the draft Neighbourhood Plan - contact:

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