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Your Neighbourhood Plan Vision-2030

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Your chance to influence future development in our area



Key areas already being considered

HOUSING

- * Improve the ability of local residents to get onto the housing ladder.
- * Introduce innovative low-cost housing to give local buyers a fair chance while still being profitable for developers.
- * Encourage sustainable, eco-friendly developments suitable for all age groups across the area.

TRANSPORT

- * Release traffic stranglehold by looking at all options such as pedestrianising South Street or installation of mini roundabout at Town Hall junction.
- * More provision for cyclists; cycle paths and Bike to School routes.
- * Prioritise public transport over cars for moving around locally.

ENVIRONMENT

- * Helping villages and towns retain their unique atmosphere
- Preserving green spaces between villages and towns
- * Protecting the AONB from unacceptable development.

CLIMATE CHANGE

- * Meeting UK commitment to cut carbon emissions by 80% by 2050
- * Pioneering a low carbon economy and society, with energy efficient housing, transport and employment opportunities.

ECONOMY

- * Ensure greater diversity of career options for young people.
- Regeneration of St Michael's to include small business start-up units
- Encouraging the market and independently owned shops, keeping our town centre lively and vibrant and supporting all local businesses including farmers throughout the Plan area

COMMUNITY FACILITIES

* We have mapped existing facilities. What's missing? Are there services you want or need which aren't provided? Let us know!

These are just some initial ideas for future consultation, but WHAT DO YOU THINK?

So - What is a Neighbourhood Plan?

- * The Neighbourhood Plan is something NEW.
- * Once complete, the Plan is a document which MUST be taken into account when ANY planning decisions are made this is REVOLUTIONARY!
- * If you're interested in a REAL opportunity to affect what happens **where we live** in planning terms, you'll want to be involved.
- * With further consultation with YOU, the Neighbourhood Plan will come into being.
- * Before it is adopted the Plan will be fully discussed in public meetings in and around the parishes. There will be further consultation during 2017.

When ready, YOU will get chance to vote on the Plan

