

A SUMMARY OF OF COMMENTS AND CONCERNS

FROM ORIGINAL QUESTIONNAIRE

1 (i) Establish strict planning guidelines

Define what applies to the conservation area only and what applies to the village as a whole

Provide a clear statement of definition of conservation

Redefine the conservation village boundaries

Only plant native trees. No leylandii

Maintain benches

Mowing- more frequently

- to bench on Mill Lane
- cut back hedges at Bath Lane junction
- wild flower meadow at top of green
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Pavements and kerbs- pavement for Mill Lane

- pavement from square to A5199
- hard edging on Welford road to A5199
- Pavements around green in poor state

Support farming activities

2 (i) Parking - Issues at events- ask for fields to be made available?

Prohibit parking on Welford Rd to A5199 stretch

(iii) There is room for improvement. Could look to cooperation with other parishes e.g. Arnesby, Bruntingthorpe and Fleckney.

(iv) Issues Speed into square Poor road maintenance. Gritting.

(v) Foot path incl styles maintenance

(vi) No issue. A5199 bus to Leicester? Volunteer taxi service for shoppers etc.?

Suggestions re A5199:- Widening- 50mph limit-Traffic lights or round about at cross roads- Keep sight lines clear

(Dog fowling- General reminder annually

5) Changing catchment area for secondary schooling towards Kibworth and Harborough

6) Issues with broadband and mobiles (information passed on)

Drainage in square is poor possibly due to entry of debris from the edges of Welford road being washed into the square drains.

7) (ii) Pleased to think that facilities within village are important to us all

7.iii) Most people consider village hall and village green very important but are reluctant to see increased use of these facilities by non villagers.

Villagers would like to see the Hall used for charity work, training, cultural events, education, dance, art, games evenings, children parties etc.

7(iv) Villagers would like to see WiFi installed

Good rates

An online booking system

Be better informed of events

Not published enough

Offer more varied events

(viii) Ping Pong, Boules, Picnic Table, brick BBQ, Outside Fitness Equipment, Wild flower, Outside Fitness equipment have been suggested. Other villagers would prefer the status quo.

8(iv) Conditions of drains, Road safety A5199, Overdevelopment in village, Unsupervised children in village, communications 2x a year, short medium and long term goals, more street lighting.

9(iv) Styles should be in keeping with surroundings

10(i) Why commercialise Village Hall

(ii) No because new business would bring in more traffic

11(i) No wind turbines please

12(iii) Car boot sale, No more noise, Regular Coffee mornings, Keep Village Peaceful-increase precept instead.

13 Improve website , Mailing letter box or email

14 Grit boxes , summer tea party, Youth concert free curtesy Andy of The Cottage The Bank)

Planting trees, Annual apple pressing and sell produce at local events, Village sign competition, outside fitness equipment.