



Borden Parish Council - Neighbourhood Plan

Thank you for participating in our survey. Your views are important and will help in formatting our Neighbourhood Plan. All questions relate to the Parish of Borden not just the village. The Survey is open to all residents, and we would ask that at least one householder answers the questions. If necessary, please use a separate sheet for answers. For more copies, please contact bb.bordenpc@gmail.com or access website www.bordenparishcouncil.gov.uk.

Borden Neighbourhood Plan will put in place a legal planning policy for our Parish to guide future development. It will be about the use and development of the land, and we want it to contain your vision and aims. It will also deal with social, economic, and environmental issues such as employment, housing design, heritage, and transport. This is a huge task and a lengthy procedure, but if we are successful at consultation, our Neighbourhood Plan will become part of the statutory development plan for Borden. Our first step is to see what you, the resident, has to say about Borden using the questions below.

Question 1. Conditions in Borden Parish.

Why do you live in Borden Parish? Please put a cross, X, by all that apply.

- Always lived here
- Close to family/friends
- Good road links
- Good public transport links
- Prefer to live in a rural location
- Employment

If you could improve Borden, how would you?

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4.3 Has anyone living with you had to move away or stay living with you due to lack of affordable housing in Borden Parish? Please put a cross, X, next to your answer.

..... Yes No

If yes, please put a cross, X, below on all which apply.

- No affordable housing to buy
- No affordable housing to rent
- Available housing too small/big
- Rely on public transport
- No deposit to get on housing ladder

4.4 What type of new Housing would you like to see in the Parish? Please put a cross, X, by one answer.

- Starter homes – 1-2 bedrooms
- Family homes – 2-4 bedrooms
- Bungalows
- Flats/apartments
- Social housing
- Rent/shared ownership
- Other

4.5 Where do you think housing development should be in the future? Please put a cross, X, by one answer.

- Re-use of brownfield sites in Borden (land that was used commercially and has been or could be cleared for development)
- Re-use of brownfield sites elsewhere
- Use of greenfield sites in Borden
- Use of greenfield sites elsewhere
- Re-use of farm buildings for housing
- In filling, using existing sites (additional housing within property boundaries)
- Other, please specify.....

4.6 In Borden, if there are areas of land that you think should be protected or used for development, please state location?

Protected areas.....
Developed areas.....

4.7 If a new housing development took place in Borden Parish, which of the following types would you prefer it to be? Please put a cross, X, alongside all that apply.

- Traditional building styles
- Eco-friendly design
- One-off exceptional designs
- Large executive style
- Small terraced
- Small/medium semi-detached
- Small/medium detached
- Located next to existing buildings
- Social housing
- Housing for the elderly
- Other – please state.....

4.8 How do you think 'affordable housing' should be defined?

4.9 What should Borden Neighbourhood Plan do to implement affordable housing?

4.10 What worries you about further development in Borden Parish? Please put a cross, X, on one answer per line.

	Yes	No	Don't Know
Loss of Borden's identity as a Parish
Loss of countryside
Increased traffic
Impact on medical facilities
Impact on nature/wildlife
Impact on education
Unsafe pedestrian routes
Developments not fitting in with current character
Impact of conservation environment

4.11 Should new business be encouraged to develop in Borden Parish? Please put a cross.

- Yes -- what type and how?.....
- No -- why?.....

Question 5. Travel.

5.1 If you travel to work/school. Please put one cross, X, as to how you travel.

- Car
- Motorbike
- Cycle
- Walk
- Public transport
- Other – please state.....

5.2 What changes in Borden Parish would make it easier for you to get to work/school? Please put a cross by one answer.

- Better parking facilities
- Improvement to pavements and/or walkways
- Improved bus service
- Improvements to the roads
- Other – please state.....

5.3 Where you live, how much of a problem are the following? Please put a cross, X, on one answer per line.

	Major	Minor	No Problem
Traffic speed
Traffic volume
Traffic noise
Traffic pollution
Other – please state

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5.4 Which following measures do you think might improve road safety? Please put a cross, X, by one or more answers.

- Traffic calming – 20mph zones, speed reduction measures
- More pavements
- Improvements to existing pavements
- Improved street lighting
- Speed indicator devices
- More signage
- Cycle routes
- Other – please state.....

5.5 If you are in favour of 20mph zones, would you be happy if the whole of Borden Parish was a 20mph zone?

..... Yes

..... No, why not, please say?

5.6 If you use on street parking is this a problem for you?

..... No

..... Yes, why.....

Question 6. Countryside and Wildlife.

6.1 How important to you are the following features in the landscape? Please put a cross, X, by each answer.

	Very Important	Not Important	Not Sure
Hedgerows
Drystone/flint walls
Woodland
Trees in the landscape
Farmland
Wildlife habitats

6.2 The Nature Reserve at Cryalls Lane is part of Borden Parish, how much do you use this area? Please put a cross, X, by the appropriate answer.

..... Once a week or more

..... Once a month or more

..... Once or twice a year

..... Never

If you use it, what do you use it for, please describe?

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6.3 Do you, or have you, used the following facilities that are available in Borden Parish? Please put a cross, X, in each appropriate answer.

	Used Facility	Happy with Facility	Not Happy with Facility
The Playstool
Toilet facilities in Playstool
Sports Pavilion in the Playstool
Children's play area in Playstool
Adults exercise area in Playstool
Nature Reserve
Public Houses
Public footpaths
St Peter & St Paul Church
Borden Parish Hall
The Forge
Craft Centre at Oad Street
Bridleways
Clubs, associations, institutes

If you are "Not Happy with a Facility", please say why.....

6.4 What facilities could be provided for the younger generation in Borden Parish?
(Specifically secondary school age) Please state.

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6.5 Do you think there is a need for allotments in Borden or any other community facility?

..... Yes

If Yes, where would you suggest?.....

..... No

6.6 What priority would you give to protecting the wildlife in the Parish? Please put a cross next to appropriate answer.?

..... High

..... Low

..... Not worried

6.7 What areas of wildlife habitats in the Parish would you like to see protected?

Please describe.....

6.8 What types of wildlife would you like to see protected within the Parish?

Please describe

Finally Questions about you.

We are not seeking your name and address but please provide your postcode below so we can see which part of the Parish responses are from.

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It would also be helpful if you would provide the details requested below so we can see whether we have a good cross-section of responses.

Which age bracket are you in? Please put a cross, X, next to your answer.

- 16-24
- 25-44
- 45-64
- 65+

How long have you lived in Borden Parish? Please put a cross, X, next to your answer.

- 0 - 5 years
- 6 - 10 years
- 11 - 20 years
- More than 20 years

What is your current employment status? put a cross, X, next to your answer.

- Employed or self-employed full time
- Employed or self-employed part-time
- Temporary or seasonal employment
- Unemployed or unable to work
- Looking after home/carer
- Retired
- Student living at home

Thank you for completing this survey. If you have any points or comments that are important to you and not covered here, please explain below.

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