

WHY WE NEED YOUR INPUT

Public Consultation is a “first conversation” in a journey toward the goal of having a Neighbourhood Plan shaped by our residents’ views.

1. Our area is part of Lewes District Council (LDC) for all planning policies. LDC has adopted The Lewes District Core Strategy, and is now developing a more detailed document to cover our area up to 2030.
2. Without our own Neighbourhood Plan we will not be able to influence the planning decisions LDC will make on our behalf. An approved Plan will enable us to provide a solid basis for our local councillors to work from.
3. 1224 new homes are designated for “strategic sites” in our area from 2000 to 2030. Many have already been built and 700 additional are planned, not including opportunistic ‘windfall sites’. Thousands of new residents are anticipated and more development means more infrastructure.
4. The environment, design and heritage aspects of our towns must be strongly protected and greatly improved.

PLEASE HELP US TO HELP YOU AND YOUR FAMILIES

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