



LOXWOOD COMMUNITY LED PLAN LOXWOOD PARISH SURVEY

WE NEED YOUR VIEWS! - HAVE YOUR SAY! - DON'T MISS OUT! Dear Resident of Loxwood,

The Loxwood Community Led Plan is about the current and future state of Loxwood parish. It is being prepared by and for the village and parish of Loxwood and will reflect the desires and aspirations of those of us who either live or work here.

The Plan will address the issues that are important to us all, such as housing, roads, traffic safety, schools, doctors, play areas, facilities, car parking, safe access to businesses, clubs and societies to name but a few. At the heart of the data gathering exercise to support the Plan is this survey. It has been put together after extensive local consultation by means of a "Walkabout", Workshops, an Open Day and discussions with local businesses etc.

The survey is being sent to all households and businesses and the results will help us formulate short (1 to 2 yrs.), medium (2 to 5 yrs.) and long (5 to 10 yrs.) term action plans for the parish. The results will be fed back to everyone by means of further Open Days and the Community Led Plan page on the village web site (www.loxwood.org.uk).

The whole Community Led Plan initiative is being managed by a voluntary steering group of local people supported by the Loxwood Society and the Parish Council. However, we recognise that in order to be completely independent, the survey needs to be analysed by an external organisation. We have therefore contracted Action in rural Sussex (AirS) to carry out this exercise.

So don't bin this document as just another piece of unwanted junk mail. Make sure you give us your opinion. You cannot criticise future decisions if you haven't made your views known!

THIS IS YOUR CHANCE TO HAVE A YOUR SAY

Participation in this survey is voluntary and anonymous, so please express your views freely. One survey per household has been distributed so, either try to reflect the consensus opinion, or individual responses can be completed on line (see below for *url*). We have split the survey into easily understandable areas. There is also a separate sheet devoted to the views of our younger residents - the "youth of the parish", so please make sure that their opinions are included. If possible, let them fill it in on their own, on paper or online. If you feel the questions do not accurately cover the way you feel about a specific topic, please add your comments in the spaces provided or on additional sheets of paper. Make sure that any additional sheets are securely fastened to your survey. You can complete a paper copy of the survey and mail it back to AirS in the prepaid envelope provided; complete the survey online or drop it into the collection box at the village Store/Post Office.

URL for completing the survey online is

https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/SN7SDQR

LAST DATE FOR SUBMITTING COMPLETED SURVEYS IS FRIDAY 28th SEPTEMBER 2012

How to complete the Survey -

Each question has either a multiple choice "tick the box" answer, a box requiring a number input or an answer where you rate the statement within the range given.

You can answer on behalf of all members of your immediate family who live with you at your address or individuals can complete the survey online. There is a separate sheet for the younger members of your family to complete who are less than 18 years of age.

1. 1.1.	ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES How do you rate the cleanliness of the parish? – (tick one box only)					
1.1.	now do you rate the cleaniness	poor	average	good	excelle	ent
1.2.	Should your general and recycled	d refuse be coll	ected ?	Fortnightly	Weekl	У
1.3.	Should food waste be collected?			Fortnightly	Weekl	у
1.4.	What is your opinion of the follow	wing environm	ental issues?			
		Sufficient	More	Needs	Not	None
	Green spaces in the parish Community Areas Allotments spaces in the parish Street Lighting Litter bins Dog waste bins		needed	improving	needed	available
1.5.	What other environmental facilit (comment in the box below (cont	•			parish?	
1.6. 1.7.	To what extent are any of the fol (rate from- (1) not important, (2) Graffiti Litter Crime Vandalism Would you like to see Loxwood a	moderately im Lack of public Lack of public Limited Parkin Dog waste on	portant,(3) in toilets seating ng paths	nportant , (4) ve		Curo .
	would you like to see Loxwood a	s a No colu ca	annig area:	163	NOT	sure
<i>2.</i>	TRAFFIC & TRANSPORT					
2.1.	Are you worried about road safe	,		Yes	No Not	sure
2.2.	What aspects of road safety are y	you worried ab	out? - (tick on	iy those that co	oncern you)	
	Speed through parish Narrow Roads No cycle lanes/routes	Narrow/obscu Safety crossin School arrival Hedges obscu	g the roads s and pick up	La De	GVs in parish ack of pavements elivery vehicles ar parking at sho	
	Other traffic issue - (please list - o	continue on sep	parate sheet if	necessary)		
2.3.	The CLP workshops and consultation a safety aspect. Please income Traffic Regulations will prohibit source (tick only those that concern you, B2133 Junction/Station Road	dicate those th some locations	at you believ or require lin	e are a safety	issue (be aware rking and street	that Road
	B2133 at North Hall			oad/B2133 junc	tion	
	B2133 Church parking		Alfold Bars			

Other locations - (please identify)		
Which of the following traffic calming measures would you support if permitted by West Susse County Council and funding was made available? - (tick only those that you would support)		
Rumble strips Mini roundabout Speed Bumps Speed Indicating Devices Pedestrian crossings Wider pavements Cycle lanes/paths Speed cameras/enforcement 20mph limit in village centre and/or school approaches		
Do you support the Operation Crackdown initiative where members of the public can report anti-social driving incidents to the police by means of a web site? Yes No Not sure		
Do you use the bus service within the parish? Yes No		
What concerns you about the local bus service? (tick only those that apply)		
Timetable Bus stop locations Destinations Route Frequency		
Other - (please specify)		
Are you aware of local community transport services within Loxwood? e.g. Billingshurst Community Transport/Smallpiece Trust		
Would you use a voluntary community service? Yes No Not sure		
If a voluntary community bus service was available within the parish, which locations would you visit on a regular basis (min. once/week)? - (tick all those you would visit regularly)		
Billingshurst Cranleigh Horsham Guildford Chichester Bramley Other - (please specify)		
Some people have access or mobility issues, e.g. people with wheelchairs/crutches/disabilities, parents with buggies. Do you or a member of your household have a mobility/access problem?		
Yes No		
What access improvements to the local infrastructure would you like to see? - (tick all that apply)		
More lowered kerbs Wider pavements Improved shop access Better pavement surfaces		

	In their Local Plan consultation, Chichester District Council have identified the potential for between 12 and 20 new houses per year for the next 15 years covering the villages of Loxwood, Kirdford, Wisborough Green, Plaistow and Ifold. Loxwood will be required to take its proportional share of this new development.
3.1.	The CLP workshops and open day have shown there is general acceptance that the parish of Loxwood will grow. Do you consider that any of the following will occur as a consequence of further housing development? - (tick only those that you believe will occur)
	Strain on utilities Insufficient local shops Loss of green spaces Potential for Village Centre Increased business opportunity Increased pollution Potential for new school Loss of village identity Financial levy from Developers
3.2.	If further development is inevitable, what type of housing would you prefer? - (tick all that apply)
	Housing Association (HA) Homes for the elderly Flats Private housing Eco friendly housing Village centre incorporating shops/facilities
3.3.	Available development land within the Loxwood village boundary is now full. Chichester District Council has identified five potential green field sites for potential development adjacent to the village boundary. Please list them in order of your preferred priority (see CLP page on village web site for detailed map) (tick one box for each location:- 1= most preferred to 5= least preferred) 1 2 3 4 5
	Farm Close – south of the doctor's surgery Land adjacent to North Hall Conifer Nursery Site to west of B2133 Land adjacent to Willetts Way Land immediately south of Loxwood Farm Place
3.4.	Farm Close - This site is currently subject to a planning application for 8 Housing Association (affordable) houses. In order to provide improved financial benefit to the parish and to deliver a development which is more sympathetic to the immediate locale, would you support a mixed development of 8 Housing Association houses and up to 7 private houses (15 in total) plus an open green area and overflow car parking for the Doctor's Surgery? Yes No Not sure
	Each of the other four sites has been identified as having potential for development but, because of their location, will support various differing types of development. In the following four questions, please tick those possibilities listed which you would support, subject where necessary to agreement with the developer and planning approval.
3.5.	<u>Land Adjacent to North Hall</u> - This land is adjacent to the North Hall Driveway (to the North) and may require access from North Hall. Which of the following would you support? - (tick all that apply)
	Housing Association (HA) Tennis/netball courts Other - (please specify) Open space leisure facilities Allotments Housing for the elderly Retain as open space

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HOUSING & DEVELOPMENT

3.6.	Confer Nursery Site - which of the following would you support? - (lick a	iii that apply)
	New Village centre Café retail shops+	Village green
	New School on site Mixed HA and Private housing	Maintain rural vista
	Housing Association (HA) Retain agricultural land	Community facilities
	Other - (please specify)	
3.7.	<u>Land adjacent to Willetts Way</u> - Which of the following would you suppo	
	Housing Association (HA) Private housing	Green space
	Mixed HA and Private housing	Play area
	Other - (please specify)	
3.8.	<u>Land south of Loxwood Farm Place</u> - Which of the following would you so	unnort? - (tick all that annly)
3.0.	Housing Association (HA) Private housing	Community centre
	Green space Mixed HA and Private housing	New Village centre
	Other – (please specify)	
	(preserve)	
<i>4.</i>	<u>COMMUNITY & INFRASTRUCTURE</u>	
4.1.	In the context of living in the community, do you believe Loxwood is a saf	fe and secure place to live?
	Yes	No Not sure
4.2.	Have you been a victim of crime in Loxwood parish?	
	Within the last month Within the last 6 months	Within the last year
4.2	Which of the fellowing covered do you use to find out shout local estimition	a avente and information?
4.3.	Which of the following sources do you use to find out about local activities rate from – (1) don't use it, (2) infrequently, (3) often, (4) regularly	es, events and information?
		"RH14"
	Parish Council Newsletter Village Tweet Loxwood village website Historical Society Newsletter	Parish notice boards
	- H	
		Local newspaper Other
	Home delivered flyers Loxwood & Alfold Parish News	Other
4.4.	Have you visited North Hall for any event?	Yes No
	Are you aware of the fund raising initiatives and activities?	Yes No
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4.5.	Do you have any suggestions for additional uses for North Hall? - (please	comment)
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4.6.	Are you happy about the delivery of the following utilities and facilities w	ithin Loxwood?
	rate from- (1) poor, (2) average, (3) good or (4) excellent Electricity supply Broadband/internet access	Water supply
	Electricity supply Broadband/internet access LPG supply Telephone system	Water supply Main Sewerage
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	Oil suppliers TV reception	Mobile phone coverage
4.7.	Are you interested in joining/starting a collective oil bulk buy syndicate?	Yes No

4.8.	Do you attend a religious institution in Loxwood? – (if so please indicate which) St. John the Baptist Fellowship Chapel Other
4.9.	Is there anything that you would like your Church to provide? - (please comment)
<i>5.</i> 5.1.	EDUCATION Are you happy with the pre-school provisions in the parish? Yes No N/A
5.2.	Do you have children of school age? Primary Secondary Yes No N/A N/A N/A
5.3.	With the need for more housing in the parish, do you think that Loxwood needs a new Primary School? Yes No Not sure
5.4.	If "Yes" to 5.3 above, what level of additional housing development would you be prepared to accept to fund the provision of a new school? - (tick one box only) Up to 50 houses Over 100 houses No development
5.5.	Would you support adult education programmes in the parish? Yes No No Not sure
5.6.	If "Yes" to Question 5.5, which adult education courses would you be interested in - if available? (continue on separate sheet if necessary)
5.7.	Thinking about the Primary School and its facilities, would you support any of the following improvements/additional uses? - (tick all those that apply)
	Better indoor facilities Better outdoor facilities Adult classes at school More Computers Easier access Safe drop off area Improved sports facilities Facilities open w/e & evenings Dedicated controlled crossing
<i>6.</i> 6.1.	THE ELDERLY & DISABLED Does the parish adequately cater for the elderly and disabled? Yes No Not sure
6.2.	How many people in your household are over 60 years of age? – (insert number in box)
6.3.	How many people in your household are registered disabled? – (insert number in box)
6.4.	What facilities could be improved to assist both the elderly and disabled? - (tick only those that you believe should apply) Wider pavements Chemist Public toilets Local Village centre

	Other - (please specify)
7. 7.1.	SPORTS & LEISURE The Parish has the following sports available, which do you participate in - (tick only those you support) Football Cricket Stool ball Cycling Walking Zumba Running Badminton Squash None of these
	Zumba Squasii None or triese
	What other sporting activity would you actively participate in? - (please list below)
7.2.	Please list those clubs or societies that you currently belong to within the Loxwood parish area? (continue on separate sheet if necessary)
7.3.	Do you believe the parish benefits from external events, e.g. Canal events; Loxwood Meadow Joust? Yes No No Not sure
	What other events would you support in the parish? - (please list below)
	(prease not serious)
8. 8.1.	ECONOMY & SHOPPING How important are the following local shops to you? - (tick one box for each line)
0.1.	Village Store don't use it not important useful very important
	Post Office don't use it not important useful very important
	Butcher don't use it not important useful very important
8.2.	What would encourage you to use the local shops more?- (tick all that apply)
	Better Opening Hours More choice Better parking Competitive prices Better accessibility Variety of retail outlets
	Other - (please list below)
8.3.	Do you want to see more retail shops in the parish? Yes No Not sure
8.4.	More retail shops will only be possible if a redesigned village centre including housing becomes available. In this event, what type of retail shops would you like to see and which you would support? (please list below)
8.5.	If you work from home, either self-employed or for an employer, would any of the following facilities be helpful to you? - (tick all that apply)
	Meeting rooms Better broadband/Wi-Fi Village hub with Computers
	Printing/Photocopying Business website/directory Business networking forum
	Office space

	that meet the criteria described.
9.1.	How many people are there in your household in each of the following categories? Employed Unemployed Retired Self-employed House wife Widow Widower Carer Further Education House husband
9.2.	How many people in your household have the following journey times/work locations? Work in Loxwood Work over 20 miles away Work over 30 miles away Home based worker with travel requirements
9.3.	How do the people in your household get to work? - (tick only those that apply) Bus Train Bicycle Car Car Sharing Combination
9.4.	How long have you and your family lived in the parish of Loxwood? - (tick one box only) Less than 1 year
9.5.	How many people reside in your household? - (insert number in appropriate box) Overall number of people How many Adults (18 and over) How many children
9.6.	Of your children how many are:- (insert number in appropriate box) Less than 5 At infants school In sixth form/college In a playgroup At junior school At college/university In Nursery school At secondary school
9.7.	How many vehicles are located at your household? - (insert number in appropriate box) Cars Vans Motor Bikes Bicycles
10.	ADDITIONAL SURVEY INPUTS Below are two generic questions concerning the future development of Loxwood parish. The Community Led Plan will be developing a Community Action Plan following this survey. What one single action would you like to see implemented? - (please comment below and use additional sheets if necessary)
	How would you prefer to see the parish developed for the future in terms of housing/ infrastructure/ facilities/ locations? - (please comment below and use additional sheets if necessary)
	If you wish to expand on any issues raised in this survey or you have additional issues, suggestions or ideas that you believe should be considered by the CLP Steering Group in formulating the Community Action Plan, please note them on a separate sheet(s) and enclose these with this survey document.

For those resident in your household who are 18 and over indicate the number of people in the boxes

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DEMOGRAPHICS

THIS PAGE IS FOR YOUNG MEMBERS OF THE FAMILY TO EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS ABOUT LOXWOOD

If you are under the age of 18, please complete this sheet and enclose it with the main Survey. If there is more than one young person under 18 then please combine the views of all the young members of the family.

<i>11.</i>	YOUTH AND YOUNG PEOPLE			
11.1.	What age group are you? – (enter the number of young people of each age group in the box)			
	Under 5 years old 6 to 10 years old	11 to 15 year	rs old 16 to 18 years old	
11.2.		all playground	Loxwood Sports Association	
	It's a quiet village It's a fur		It's a cool village	
	_	e village	I like the canal	
	Other likes - (please list - continue on sepa	rate sheet if necessal	ry)	
11.3.	What don't you like about Loxwood? - (tic	k all that apply)		
		een spaces	Nothing much happens	
	No Youth Club Nothing fo	r teenagers	No indoor play activities	
	Cannot cycle safely Pavements	s too narrow	Not many outdoor play activiti	es
	No skate park No discos		No music club	
	No film club No Library		Tennis courts too far away	
	Nowhere to hang out Nothing fo	r under 12s	Nowhere to meet my mates	
	Other dislikes - (please list - continue on se	parate sheet if neces	ssary)	
11.4.	If there was a Youth Club in Loxwood, wou	ıld you go to it?	Yes No Not su	re
11.5.	What activities would you like to see in a Youth Club? - (tick all that apply)			
	Music Juice bar Pool/snooker table Coffee b			
	Disco/dance TV	Game consol		
	Book club Music exchange		,	
	Book club Music exchange Special interest clubs Table tennis Other activities - (please list - continue on separate sheet if necessary)			
	preuse list continue on	separate sheet if need	cssury,	
11.6.	When would you like to go to a Youth Club	o if available? - (tick o	all that apply)	
	Weekends (Friday through Sunday)	Mid-week	Friday & Saturday	
	Friday only	Saturday only	Evenings only	
	After school		During school holida	ys 📄
11.7.	What other activities would you like to see		L	
	Skate park Outdoor exercis		Clubs for teenagers	
	Safe cycling All-weather play	areas	Scouts/Guides/Brownies	
	Tennis Court Baseball court		Football posts	
	Bush craft Outdoor advent	_	Playground with equipment	
	Other activities - (please list - continue on	separate sheet if nec	essary)	

Thank you for completing this section – please attach to the main Survey

THIS PAGE IS FOR BUSINESSES TO EXPRESS THEIR VIEWS ABOUT LOXWOOD

If you are running a business in Loxwood, please complete this separate section to identify your specific opinions about running your business in the parish. If also a resident, complete the main Survey and return all sheets together

<i>12.</i> 12.1.	BUSINESS INTERESTS Please indicate what type of business activity you are engaged in
	Retail Farming Self-employed Publican Home Worker Financial Sports Therapy Mail order Professional Services
	Other business - (please list)
12.2.	Do you live within the parish?
12.3.	How long have you been operating your business in Loxwood parish? - (indicate number of years)
12.4.	What do you like about being in Loxwood parish from a business point of view? - (please list)
12.5.	What do you dislike about being in Loxwood from a business point of view? - (please list)
12.6.	Which of the following would aid your business most if the community were to support it? - (tick all that apply)
	More car parking adjacent to shops More business premises locally
	Expansion of the parish More retail outlets
	Better access via road Local support for businesses Detter letter access
	Improved parish advertising media Better Internet access Better utility services
	Grants from CDC /WSCC/Parish Council Commercial vehicle parking
	Other facility - (please list)
12.7.	What single thing would help improve your overall business performance? – (please state below)
12 R	Would you be prepared to contribute either financially or otherwise to improving Loxwood for the
0.	community as a whole or from a business point of view? Yes No

Thank you for completing this section – please attach to the main Survey