



Welcome

... to our consultation event for the Alderholt Neighbourhood Plan.



You can complete this online (scan in the QR code) or take a survey form (and a pen) and let us have your written feedback on the ideas and options we have identified.

If you have any questions, please do ask one of our volunteers (all local residents) who will try their best to answer.

The information and survey can also be viewed at <http://www.alderholtparishcouncil.gov.uk>

Our Vision

To ensure that Alderholt remains a village with the essential amenities and facilities that enables residents and visitors to enjoy the beautiful countryside whilst being part of an active and friendly community in a peaceful rural setting.

Our Objectives

Do you broadly agree with the following objectives for our Plan?

- ⇒ Protect and retain the character of the village – its uniqueness on the edge of Dorset, its compact form and quiet nature, its links to the former railway, historic buildings and the surrounding countryside.
- ⇒ Reinforce the sense of a village centre/high street.
- ⇒ Protect and strengthen the highly valued amenities and community facilities that provide its residents with a strong sense of connection and community, allowing them and newcomers to be active, develop and thrive.
- ⇒ Identify suitable sites for the level of development required to meet the anticipated need for housing, as well as providing opportunities for some local employment, that would be compatible with the nature of our village and limited road access.
- ⇒ Ensure there are safe and attractive walking and cycling routes around the village, and support the project to re-use the former railway for recreation and onward connection to Fordingbridge.
- ⇒ Protect the intrinsic beauty and enjoyment of the countryside and approaches to Alderholt
- ⇒ Protect and strengthen the more isolated settlements – Cripplestyle, Daggons and Crendell - and the wider countryside from inappropriate development ensuring its rural nature and the extensive biodiversity of our parish is enhanced.

Please use this opportunity to comment on the vision and objectives. Have we got it about right? What do you disagree with? What have we missed out that should be included?