

# Chesham Bois Neighbourhood Plan: Survey

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**The deadline for responding to this survey is 12 noon on Tuesday, 24th September 2024**

Please note that only one entry per email address will be accepted.

**Clerk to Chesham Bois Parish Council  
2nd September, 2024**

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\* Indicates required question

1. 1. Your connection to Chesham Bois, (please select all that apply). \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Resident  
 Own a business based in Chesham Bois  
 Work in a business based in Chesham Bois

2. 2. Your postcode \*
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3. 3. Your Age Profile \*

*Check all that apply.*

- 18 - 25  
 26 - 35  
 36 - 45  
 46 - 55  
 56 +  
 Prefer not to say

## 4. 4. Your email address \*

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5. 5. What do you value the most about living or working in Chesham Bois? \*  
Please select up to 5 of the options listed below.

*Check all that apply.*

- The tranquil residential environment
- Chesham Bois Conservation Area which includes Chesham Bois Common
- Village centre character and heritage
- Good schools
- Low level traffic
- Proximity to Metropolitan Line and Chiltern train station in Amersham
- Proximity to shops, leisure and entertainment facilities in Amersham and Chesham
- The natural environment, (woodland, green space, ponds and wildlife)
- Leisure options, such as walking, cycling and events organised by local organisations
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

## 6. 6. What do you dislike about living or working in Chesham Bois? \*

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## 7. 7. Chesham Bois has a mix of housing, ranging from flats and cottages to large detached houses and historic listed buildings. In your opinion, does Chesham Bois require: \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- A lot more housing
- A few more houses
- It's about right at present
- Don't know

8. 8. If more housing is required in Chesham Bois in the future, which categories should be prioritised? Please select all the options that apply.

*Check all that apply.*

- Eco-friendly new or extended housing
- Private housing
- Rental housing
- Small houses, bungalows and flats
- Don't know

9. 9. Where should any future developments be located?

*Mark only one oval.*

- Brownfield sites (reusing previously developed land)
- Infill (adding housing to large plots or replacing one large property with smaller housing)
- Green space
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

10. 10. How important to you is a requirement for the design and scale of any future development to fit into the existing street scene and surrounding environment? A score of **1** is 'not important at all' and **5** is 'extremely important'. \*

*Mark only one oval.*

1   2   3   4   5

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11. 11. In your opinion, which of the following features of Chesham Bois should be protected for future generations? Please select all the options that apply. \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Chesham Bois Common
- Chesham Bois Conservation Area
- Woodland, ponds and wildlife
- Thomas Harding Meadow (adjacent to Chesham Bois Cemetery)
- Characterful historic buildings
- Street appearance
- Local shopping parade
- War Memorial triangle
- Chesham Bois Cemetery
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

12. 12. Please indicate whether or not you own or work in a business located in Chesham Bois \*

*Mark only one oval.*

- Yes - go to Q.13
- No

13. 13. If you replied 'yes' to Q12, please select one of the following:

*Mark only one oval.*

- Work from home in Chesham Bois
- Work from dedicated premises in Chesham Bois

14. 14. As a resident of Chesham Bois or as somebody who works in the parish, please select the travel options that you use most frequently. Up to 3 options may be chosen. \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Walk
- Cycle
- Train/Underground from Amersham Station
- Public Bus
- Private car
- Shared car
- Taxi
- Not applicable

15. 15. If you are not in paid employment, please choose one of the following that best describes your primary activity:

*Mark only one oval.*

- Studying
- Voluntary Work
- Retired
- Full time parenting or caring
- Job seeking
- Not applicable
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

16. 16. As a resident or person working in Chesham Bois, are there any facilities that you would like to be improved? \*

\_\_\_\_\_

17. 17. Which of the following local issues are of most concern to you? Please select five options from the list below \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Litter
- Pavements, footpath or bridleway maintenance
- Dog fouling
- Drug abuse
- Anti-social behaviour, burglary, car theft, graffiti
- Parking too close to road junctions, near schools and on grass verges
- Lack of frequent public transport
- Road conditions e.g. potholes
- Traffic volume, speed or noise
- Street furniture such as sign posts, waste bins, dog waste bins, location of streetlights
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

18. 18. How do you find out what is going on in Chesham Bois? Please select all the options that apply. \*

*Check all that apply.*

- Social media
- Conversation with friends and neighbours
- Local magazines and newspapers
- Parish Council website and social media accounts
- Noticeboards in Chesham Bois
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

19. 19. What changes would you most like to see in Chesham Bois over the next 15 years? Please select up to five items from the list below. \*

*Check all that apply.*

- More sustainable ways of travel such as e-bikes provided by the council
- More support services for residents who require assistance
- More local shops and/or delivery facilities for online shopping
- Dial-a-ride community transport
- Improving the natural environment to benefit biodiversity
- A local design code for developments
- Reduced traffic speed limits, e.g. 20 m.p.h. for all minor roads
- More community events and activities
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

20. 20. If you have any other comments to make about the Chesham Bois Neighbourhood Plan project, please provide details.

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