

RAINOW PARISH PLAN CONSULTATION

Rainow Parish Council has been successful in obtaining funds for the development of a Parish Plan. A steering group of volunteers from the village has been established to drive forward the development of the Parish Plan for Rainow. This Plan will be a strategy document outlining an agreed view of how we want Rainow to develop over the coming years. The first stage in developing the Plan is to consult with local people in order to identify local concerns and priorities for improvement, and to ensure that everyone in the Parish has the opportunity to be included in the development of the Plan.

Please complete this questionnaire to ensure that the issues most important to you are taken into account. It should take no longer than 10 minutes to complete.

For more information about the purpose of this consultation or should you wish to assist the steering group, please contact Bob Langstaff (573761) or go to the Rainow Parish Plan website at www.rainowparishplan.org.uk

Any information you provide will be treated as confidential.

ABOUT YOU

(1) What is your gender?

Male ₁ Female ₂

(2) What is your age?

17-19 ₁ 20-25 ₂ 26-34 ₃ 35-59 ₄ 60+ ₅

(3) How many years have you lived in Rainow?

Under 1 yr ₁ 1-5 yrs ₂ 6-10 yrs ₃ 11-15 yrs ₄ 16-20 yrs ₅ 21-30 yrs ₆ 30+ yrs ₇

(4) Please state your HOME postcode: _____

(5) Please tick your employment status:

Student ₁ Housewife/husband ₂ Full-time employed ₃ Part-time employed ₄

Self-employed ₅ Unemployed ₆ Retired ₇

(6) If you are employed, please state your WORK postcode: _____

(7) How many people live in your household (including yourself)?

1 ₁ 2 ₂ 3 ₃ 4 ₄ 5 or more ₅

(8) Do you have the use of a car or motorcycle for your regular travel?

Yes, always ₁ Yes, frequently ₂ Yes, occasionally ₃ No ₄

(9) Do you have a disability as defined below?

The Disability Discrimination Act 1995 defines a person as having a disability if he/she has a physical or mental impairment which has a substantial and long term adverse effect on his/her ability to carry out normal day-to-day activities.

Yes ₁ No ₂

ABOUT RAINOW

SERVICES

(10) Are you satisfied with the following services in the village? (Please leave blank if you don't use the service)

Healthcare Yes ₁ No ₂

Mobile Library Yes ₃ No ₄

Postal Delivery Yes ₅ No ₆

Refuse Collection Yes ₇ No ₈

Recycling Facilities Yes ₉ No ₁₀

Street Maintenance Yes ₁₁ No ₁₂

Telephone (landline) Yes ₁₃ No ₁₄

Mobile Phone (coverage) Yes ₁₅ No ₁₆

(11) Do you think there is a need for street lighting in the village?

Yes ₁ Main road only ₂ No ₃

(12) Do you think there is a need for a shopping facility in the village?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(13) If Yes, what type of goods should it sell? Please tick all that apply:

Local produce ₁ Newsagent ₂ Fruit & Veg ₃ General Food Stuffs ₄ Wines & Spirits ₅

Take-away food ₆ Other ₇ please state _____

TRANSPORT & TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

(14) Do you ever use the bus service in Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(15) If yes, how often do you normally use the bus service?

Daily ₁ Several times a week ₂ Once a week ₃ Once a month ₄

Less than once a month ₅

(16) Are the current bus services adequate for the needs of Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(17) Are you aware of the 'dial a ride' service, a door-to-door service which collects passengers with mobility difficulties?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(18) Do you or your visitors experience difficulty parking in the village?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(19) If yes, how frequently do you or your visitors experience difficulty parking?

Daily ₁ Several times a week ₂ Once a week ₃ Once a month ₄

Less than once a month ₅

(20) What, if any, traffic management measure would most help resolve parking problems in Rainow? Please tick all that apply:

None ₁ Double Yellow Lines ₂ Dedicated Visitor Parking Areas ₃

Resident Only Parking Areas ₄ Road Widening ₅ Other ₆ please state _____

(21) Do you think that there is a need for improved pavements in Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(22) If Yes, please specify where: _____

(23) Do you think that there is a need for better road crossing facilities in Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(24) If Yes, please specify where: _____

(25) Does the general speed of traffic through the village bother you?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(26) Do you think there should be lower speed limits in Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(27) Would you support the introduction of speed cameras in areas of Rainow known for fast traffic?

Yes ₁ No ₂

CRIME & VANDALISM IN RAINOW

(28) Have you been directly affected by crime or vandalism in Rainow within the last 12 months?

Yes ₁ No ₂ (If No, please go to question 31)

(29) If Yes, what type of crime were you affected by?

Car

Vandalism to Car ₁ Theft of Car ₂ Burglary from Car ₃ Other ₄ please state _____

Home

Vandalism to Property or Garden ₅ Burglary ₆ Other ₇ please state _____

Person

Robbery(mugging) ₈ Theft ₉ Assault (Verbal) ₁₀ Assault (Physical) ₁₁

Other ₁₂ please state _____

(30) Did you report this crime to the police?

Yes ₁ No ₂

COUNTRYSIDE, HERITAGE & TOURISM

(31) Are you happy with the control of building development in the village?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(32) If No, please state why not: _____

(33) Do you visit or make use of the countryside around Rainow?

Yes ₁ No ₂

(34) If Yes, please state how, tick all that apply:

Walk dog ₁ Walking ₂ Cycling ₃ Horse Riding ₄ Other ₅ please state _____

(35) How often do you use any of the 40 miles of public footpath in Rainow?

Daily ₁ Several times a week ₂ Once a week ₃ Once a month ₄

Less than once a month ₅

(36) Do you think the footpaths are adequately looked after?

Yes ₁ No ₂ Don't know ₃

(37) Do you think the footpaths are adequately signed?

Yes ₁ No ₂ Don't know ₃

(38) Are you satisfied that the historic features in the village are properly recognised and maintained?

Yes ₁ No ₂ Don't know ₃

(39) If No, please state why not: _____

(40) Would you like to see more people from outside the village enjoying Rainow's attractions?

Yes ₁ No ₂

SOCIAL & LEISURE FACILITIES

(41) Do you take part in any village-based social or leisure activities?

Yes ₁ No ₂ (If No, please go to question 45)

(42) If yes, please tick which:

Keep Fit ₁ Church activities ₂ Mothers Union ₃ Mums and Toddlers ₄

Old Peoples Welfare ₅ Ravens ₆ School PTA ₇ Whist Drive ₈ Women's Institute ₉

Other ₁₀ please state _____

(43) Are the current facilities for social and leisure activities in the village sufficient to support your interests?

Yes 1 No 2

(44) If No, please state what type of leisure facility you would like to see in Rainow:

(45) Do you regularly attend a Church in the village?

Yes 1 No 2

(46) Do you regularly visit a pub in the village?

Yes 1 No 2

(47) Do you think there should be more village-wide events such as the Church Fete and the School PTA bonfire?

Yes 1 No 2

(48) If Yes, please state what type(s) of event: _____

(49) Would an increase in adult education facilities in the village be useful to you?

Yes 1 No 2

VILLAGE COMMUNICATIONS

(50) Do you receive sufficient information about activities, organisations and events in the village?

Yes 1 No 2

(51) If No, please state what you would like more information about: _____

(52) Do you have a need to inform the village about the activities of a business or organisation?

Yes 1 No 2

**(53) Which of the following do you read for information about Rainow?
Please tick all that apply:**

Parish Council newsletter (Rainow News) 1 Church Magazine (Contact) 2

Parish Council Noticeboards 3 Rainow Village Website 4

Other 5 please state: _____

GENERAL COMMENTS

(54) Please state up to three things you like most about living in Rainow:

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

(55) Please state up to three things you dislike most about living in Rainow:

(i) _____

(ii) _____

(iii) _____

(56) In the space below, please provide any other comments that may assist the steering group in the development of the Rainow Parish plan:

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.

A member of the Parish Plan team will collect it from you on _____

To arrange an alternative collection time please call _____

Or leave the questionnaire at: _____