# NP PROGRESS REPORT TO CBPC MEETING ON 2<sup>nd</sup> DECEMBER 2019



# 1. ACHIEVEMENTS

- a. First survey on housing has been completed with over 300 responses, a 145 of which were completed online
- b. The paper returns have all been uploaded to SurveyMonkey
- c. The data from the returns is currently being analysed by Jo Witherden
- d. A Business Survey has been prepared and is under review
- e. The second survey on Employment trends is also under review
- f. Meetings have been held with Ilchester Estates and Magna Housing
- g. Efforts are being made to increase the level of online responses next time round
- h. Work has started on trying to "clean up" the housing address data.

# 2. OBSERVATIONS

a. Need to engage with younger members of the Parish to establish their views

### 3. FAILURES

a. Nothing to report

# 4. OPPORTUNITIES

a. Engagement with the small businesses in the community in order to get their views on future prospects is vitally important.

# 5. SOME EARLY OBSERVATIONS FROM ONLINE SURVEY RESPONSES

- a. 56% of respondents are retired and 33% are working
- b. 95% of respondents were living in their main home
- c. Almost 80% were from owner occupiers
- d. 75% were not planning to change home in the next 10 years
- e. 35% stated there was a need for additional homes in their village in the next 10 years
- f. Over 80% either strongly agreed or agreed that the NP should attempt to influence both the location and design of any future development.