APPENDIX 7

Question 24: What one improvement would make the biggest positive difference to the parish?

Responses to paper survey.

Comments

Adequate health services for the growing, changing population
New shops in Ellendune Centre
Doctors
Green areas (play and open grass areas)
Doctors surgery in Wichelstowe
No one improvement will make much difference. It needs multple amendments
Nice retail park centre
Stop building so many houses
Make Moat Walk pond a feature of the village - it's in a dreadful state
To prevent the future of mass house building
Improved pavements and walking areas
New GP surgery in Wichelstowe to reduce pressure on Wroughton
Road repairs
Not to be a rat run when roads are closed - e.g. the M4
Fix the roads
Pedestrian ways
Having more influence on SBC's planning decisions
Tackling fly tipping
Reduction of traffic
Another GP practice
Improved and cheaper shopping
Healthcare facilities
Traffic reduction
A doctors practice at Wichelstowe
New surgery in Wichelstowe
More healthcare facilities and doctors
Level paths. Service trenches levelled off by service company, not parish council
Wichelstowe having its own doctors surgery
Fix the flooding and stop re-wilding. Clean up Moat pond and make it wildlife attractive.
Cycle and footpaths
Doctors and public transport
Knock down and rebuild the eyesore that was the old Co-op on the High Street. Must have enough parking forany houses built there
Less strain on Ridgeway View Family Practice
Address speeding and volume of traffic and anti-social driving in the village

Comments

Fewer HGVs coming through the village

No further expansion

Need another doctors and dentists and Wichelstowe needs a pharmacy

Stopping all school traffic at all times

4G football facility

No more housing

Keep Wroughton as an independent parish - Wichelstowe should be likewise, it has nothing in common with Wroughton

For Wichelstowe to get its own healthcare facility

Sort out the issues with the roads, especially Brimble Hill

Filling in all the potholes on a regular basis

New doctors

Free bus

More care taken in appearance such as weeding pavements amd clean out drains as many are blocked

Repairing the wall on Brimble Hill

If the wishes of the people are acted upon and not ignored

Stop cars speeding

It suffers from having three separate commercial areas - Ellendune, St Johns Road, The Crossroads and Co-op. It would be good for Ellendune to be more attractive

Speed cameras

A cemetary

Improve management of flooding points

Co-ordinating improvements in security with police and councils

No more building or expansion of the parish

More community events - outdoor carol services, village fireworks display, wildlife walks and lectures

To build no more houses

Make more use of the canal

Residents should cut back trees and shrubs overhanging pavements. The parish council should stinging nettles and weeds growing around the Weir Field

Sufficient infrastructure

No more houses

Healthcentre for Wichelstowe

No more development

More community spirit needs to be developed in Wichelstowe

Separate parishes

Infrastructure improvements - roads, sewage, water

Roads that don't need constant repairs and constant pop-up lights

Tackle anti-social behaviour

Doctors surgery at Wichelstowe

Comments

More green spaces
Stop people parking on pavements
Stopping more building
No development or growth to village
Stop all building
No more house building
Shopping complex - Lidl, Aldi or M&S
Grounds team need to be more proactive in keeping the village clean
Less roadworks
No more houses
Heathcare provision
Stop building
Path maintenance
Creating a strong sense of community and identity across the whole parish
The parish council does a pretty good job
Less houses - keep to being a village
No more building
Wichelstowe should have infrastructure so it doesn't depend on Wroughton
being separate - different people in Wroughton to Wichelstowe with different needs
Follow the example of South Swindon
Another GP practice at Wichelstowe
The traffic congestion to be adressed - double yellow lines on Swindon Road? The Brimble Hill wall to be fixed
Less litter
Keep village status
Diverting through traffic onto the relief road
Fewer housing estates
Less heavy traffic - roads not built for it
Stop cars speeding in Thorney Park and put up more street lighting - unsafe to walk at night
Larger GP surgery
Constant maintenance
More community policing to cut down on speeding, ASB and e-bikes/e-scooters
That parish council and residents were listened to by developers
Another doctors surgery
Beckett Strand - topsoil requires attention, diabolical verges
Reduce housing developments
get rid of the grafitti
Healthcentre for Wichelstowe
Doctors and pharmacy
Traffic isues and speeding through village
Another hall where community events can take place during term time at a reasonable cost

Comments

Control of village roadworks

Separation from Wichelstowe and speed limits enforced

Stop bulding - keep village life

Cycle paths connecting with other areas - i.e. Wootton Bassett

Traffic control for speeding

Protect our green spaces

For Wichelstowe to have its own parish council and community

No more building of large housing estates

Better roads

Additional GP and pharmacy services

Brownfiled/infill housing for young people/first time buyers

Slow speed limit

Stop building houses and making the village into a town

A dedicated route for HGVs without entering village

Would love the church yard to be kept tidy more regularly

Healthcare in Wichelstowe

Stop development

A hub

Better drainage and flood prevention

Making it look tidier, especially the main routes through as there are weeds everywhere

A medical centre in Wichelstowe

A better healthcentre

Road surfaces are poor - need improving

Keep roads clear of congestion. Fix Brimble Hill wall. Improve paths in woods between Maunsell Way playing fields and M4

20mph on most roads

Doctor's surgery in Wichelstowe

Better healthcare services

Slower traffic

No overdevelopment

Get rid of Wichelstowe

Doctor's surgery in Wichelstowe

No more houses

For a large supermarket to be built on old park and ride site - Lidl or Aldi

Community centres and more shops

No more houses

Medical services to suite everybody. Recognition by councils that there is an abundance of over 65s living in this area, especially in Wroughton

Better public transport connectivity and safer walking and cycling routes

Keep Wroughton as a village

Better and wider pavements and lighting for old people and disabled

Comments

Ease of mobility for OAPs and disabled

Traffic through Wroughton to Swindon reduced at peak times

Less litter and weeds

Doctor's surgery

A bypass

Better access to healthcare

Mke the village safer

Clean streets and shopping area

Someone that cares about the pavements and roads. Also traffic calming

A better road system

Connection of communities

Less traffic

Keeping the kerbs and drains clean - it's dangerous after the leaves fall

Wichelstowe to have its own doctir's surgery and pharmacy

Reducing the amount of new housing - it's too much

Better roads and pavements

Telling owners to cut back greenery overhanging pavements

Don't let cars and lorries park on pavements so prams and mobility scooters can't get by

Get rid of the through traffic by connecting M4 J16 up to Uffcott and link with spine road through Wichelstowe and Overtown

Village centre

People on parish that listen to resdients

Better roads with speed limits upheld

Look to protect green spaces

Reduce road noise, espcially loud motorbikes

HGV control and semi-pedestrianised Wroughton centre

Stop building houses, but maybe have a few flats and council rents

The roads to have size and weight limits to avoid large vehicles and cars having to mount pavements

A greater insistence on and enforcement of clean and tidy environements patrolled by bobbies on the beat

Everybody should be responsible for keeping the village clean and tidy. People should have pride in where they live

Continue parish council efforts at keeping Wroughton clean

Traffic flow

Road surfaces to be kept up to date, alos paths - these are hazards for walkers

Roads and pavements. Reduce heavy traffic

Improvement of the condition of the roads

Larger surgery

Another or larger healthcentre

Stop large developments

Comments

Better GP servcies

Doctor's surgery for Wichelstowe

Better healthcare facilities

More shops

Traffic management, less speeding and stop HGVs coming through the village

No more new houses

Fix the potholes

No more building

Additional health services for shorter GP waiting times

No litter. No fly tipping

Keeping the roads, streets and buildings tidy at all times

More and better shops in the Ellendune centre, plus a community café and more dog friendly spaces

Healthcentre and pharmacy in Wichelstowe

The parish council actually fighting against development so residents feel seen and valued

Cleaning gutters and spraying weeds

Sort out the flooding problem on Perrys Lane

Protectiobn of green spaces

Ensure events like duck race and carnival continue

Reinforce parish boundaries and signage

Communication that is geared towards informative actions

Being able to see a GP in reasonable time

No more large new housing - only infill

Sufficient healthcare

Night time police presence to reduce burglaries

Health centre at Wichelstowe

More visible policing

A finish to the roadworks on the M4 bridge

Doctors at Wichelstowe

Removing Wichelstowe to South Swindon PC

Lower speed limit to 20mph through the village

Tidying up of road weeds and litter

Living in Wroughton all my life I have never seen the gutters of roads in such a mess and state of pavements

No new housing

Stop building houses

Doctors surgery being built

Walking and cycling routes

Restrict parking on pavements, single file roads and at junctions

Minimise traffic in the area

Fix the roads, stop building houses and have more GPs

Comments

Planting of trees creating wildlife corridors

Gym, leisure centre, GP and dentist

More local shops

No Wichelstowe

The Wichelstowe canal and medical centre

Better healthcare facilities

No more large estates

A larger GP surgery

Less roadworks

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A Lidl or Aldi

No more building. Don't have enough facilities to cope with more houses

Thames Water doing a proper job

For SBC Cllrs to walk the walk in Wroughton. listen to us and walk the roads, and address flooding

Speed reductions and traffic calming. Being able to go about safetly without a car

Community gardens

Stopping further development in Wroughton