



## YOUR DETAILS FORM

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## Response Box

Topic Heading: KEY ISSUES & OPTIONS

Question Number: 13

Answer:

I THINK THE KEY ISSUE IS BEYOND THE CONTROL OF THE COUNCIL. THIS IS THE PROBLEM OF A FAR TOO HIGH LEVEL OF INWARDS MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE INTO THE TOWN PUTTING EVERYTHING UNDER TOO MUCH PRESSURE. THIS PUTS THE COUNCIL UNDER IMPOSSIBLE PRESSURE, CAUSED BY FACTORS THEY CANNOT CONTROL.

COUNTERING THE INWARDS MOVEMENT OF PEOPLE TO LUTON IS THE NUMBER OF PEOPLE WHO ARE LEAVING TO MOVE TO NEARBY VILLAGES AND TOWNS. ONLY KNOW THIS FROM TALKING TO FAMILY AND FRIENDS SO DONT KNOW IF SIGNIFICANT?

ALSO HEAR PEOPLE WHO WILL NOT SHOP IN LUTON BUT WOULD RATHER VISIT M.K. OR ST. ALBANS.

## Response Box

Topic Heading: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Question Number: 15

Answer:

I THINK THE VAUXHALL VAN PLANT LAND, IF IT CLOSES, SHOULD BE SET ASIDE FOR INDUSTRIAL USE.

THE AIRPORT PROVIDES JOBS BUT SHOULDN'T EXPAND AS THE ENVIRONMENTAL COST IS TOO HIGH.

- PROTECTING NATURAL ENVIRONMENT

Q19

- A MAJOR REASON FOR LOSS OF BIODIVERSITY IN LUTON IS THE PAVING OVER OF FRONT AND BACK GARDENS. DONT KNOW HOW THIS CAN CHANGE - EDUCATION?, MOST PEOPLE DONT CARE.

LUTON HOO IS A MASSIVE LOCAL AREA OF GREENSPACE VIRTUALLY CLOSED-OFF TO LUTON PEOPLE.

- HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT

Q21.

LUTON SEEMS TO HAVE LOST TOO MANY OLD BUILDINGS, I THINK WHATS LEFT SHOULD BE PROTECTED MORE

## Response Box

Topic Heading: HOUSING ISSUES.

Question Number: 14

Answer:

ALL THE HOUSING ISSUES ARE VERY DIFFICULT AND MADE MUCH WORSE BY THE HUGE NUMBER OF PEOPLE MOVING HERE IN THE LAST 20 ? YEARS. I THINK THERE ARE LOTS OF UNOFFICIAL DWELLINGS IN BACK GARDENS AND SUB-DIVISION OF PROPERTY. I HAVE SEEN THE RESULTS IN MY NEIGHBOURHOOD - PARKING PROBLEMS, RUBBISH STREWN STREETS, ETC.

I THINK THE ONLY SOLUTION AVAILABLE TO THE COUNCIL, OTHER THAN BUILDING OVER MOST OF THE LOCAL COUNTRYSIDE, IS TO BUILD MORE FLATS.

- TRANSPORT

Q 23

- THE BUSWAY WORKS WELL

- PARKING IS A PROBLEM AND IN MY AREA IT IS MADE WORSE BY THE LARGE NUMBER OF WORKS VANS.

# LIST OF HEADINGS WITH QUESTIONS

## **Developing our Vision and Objectives**

1. What do you think of our draft Vision?
2. What do you think of our draft Objectives?
3. Do you have any views on what our future strategy should look like, where we should identify new sites for development and what factors and information we should consider?
4. What time period do you think our Local Plan should cover?
5. Tell us what you think the issues are in Luton? How can these issues be addressed and what should the policies in the new Local Plan do?

## **Providing suitable and sustainable homes**

6. Are there any housing issues that you want to tell us about?
7. What do think new Local Plan Policies should do?

## **Supporting economic development**

8. Are there any economic issues that you want to tell us about?
9. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Town centres & retail**

10. Are there any town centre and retail issues you want to tell us about?
11. What do you think the new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Health and Wellbeing**

12. Are there any health and wellbeing issues that you want to tell us about?
13. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Addressing and adapting to Climate change**

14. Are there any issues relating to addressing and adapting to climate change that you want to tell us about?
15. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Protecting and enhancing our natural environment**

16. Are there any issues relating to the natural environment that you want to tell us about?
17. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Community Facilities and Indoor Sport**

18. Are there any issues relating to community facilities, indoor sport and recreation you want to tell us about?
19. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **The Historic Environment**

20. Are there any issues relating to Luton's historic environment you want to tell us about?
21. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?

## **Placemaking and design**

22. Are there any public realm and design issues you want to tell us about?
23. What do you think new Local Plan policies should do?