

Have your say **CANNINGTON** PARISH **NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN** NOVEMBER 2013 To contact the Parish Clerk: Tel: 01278 653322 or email: canningtonparishcouncil@cannington.org.uk

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A recent change in government policy gives local parishes more of a say in how their towns and villages should be developed. This is done by preparing a Neighbourhood Plan setting out how residents want to shape the place where they live and work over the next ten to fifteen years. A Parish Plan was carried out some years ago but this will build on the results and will have far more importance where, for instance, the designation for the use of land surrounding the village could be decided by the parish. Cannington Parish Council wants to take this opportunity and is inviting every member of the village to *have their say.....*

The plan will only happen if everyone gets involved – we need to know what is important to you – we want to hear what you like and want to preserve about living here. We also want to know what annoys or upsets you and what you would like to see changed. For example – do you have any views on aspects such as housing and possible development for the benefit of the village, the businesses, the traffic, the services, the sports and the community facilities? Now is the time to make them known in order that a Neighbourhood Plan can be set up to carry out your wishes.

Your input is vital to the process of setting up a Neighbourhood Plan. It will help protect the village environment that you live in today but will also be able to plan where you would like improvements and developments for the future. A public meeting will be held early in the New Year to publicise results, when your replies will have been analysed.

Please help to make a start towards a Neighbourhood Plan by filling in the boxes on the opposite page.

Once completed, please place your form in the collection box in the Post Office or if this will prove difficult for you please telephone the Parish Clerk or leave a message if the office is not manned stating your name and address and a parish councillor will call to collect your form.

*** PLEASE RETURN YOUR FORM BY ***

*** MONDAY 16th DECEMBER ***

THREE THINGS: I like best about living here and want to preserve

THREE THINGS: I don't like about living here and would like to change

THREE THINGS: I would like to see in our parish in the future

THREE THINGS: I would not like to see in our parish in the future