

Appendix
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Respondent					Response
Reference Number	Postcode	Age	Gender	Category	
001/JAN15	TA5 2HL	20 - 60	Female	Recreation	I'd like to preserve the public footpaths in the area. I think being able to 'ramble' from our doorstep is a strength of living in Cannington
001/JAN15	TA5 2HL	20 - 60	Female	Business	Just like with new housing new businesses need to provide parking if people are coming to the village just for the business e.g. Brown's Hair Salon
001/JAN15	TA5 2HL	20 - 60	Female	Young People	I support giving/providing young people places to hang out and things to do. I like having all the young college people around, they give the village a nice buzz
001/JAN15	TA5 2HL	20 - 60	Female	Housing	I live in East Street and did not oppose the application for new houses in Gurney Street. I thought it was fine because they were providing parking places. Growth is inevitable.
001/JAN15	TA5 2HL	20 - 60	Female	SWOT	Strengths - walk everywhere, near lots of interesting places, bakers, butchers, walled garden, good Spar, excellent cake maker. Weaknesses - a good takeaway, speeding traffic, sharp bend near Browns is dangerous. Threats - traffic and more accidents on the A39
002/JAN15	TA5 2RL	20 - 60	Female	Recreation	Protecting existing green spaces and access to the countryside is so important. If the village became too large it would lose its identity.
002/JAN15	TA5 2RL	20 - 60	Female	Business	It would enhance the village to encourage rural businesses
002/JAN15	TA5 2RL	20 - 60	Female	Young People	It would be a shame if facilities were provided and they were under used
002/JAN15	TA5 2RL	20 - 60	Female	Housing	Don't know what the existing village development boundary is? Is this published somewhere? More parking spaces definitely required for any new housing. Garages should be of adequate size.
002/JAN15	TA5 2RL	20 - 60	Female	SWOT	Strengths - Cannington has a very nice friendly feel. Weaknesses - a lot of houses are being bought by landlords to let out to Hinkley Point workers - are rents now inflated? Opportunities - At a cost - now its very difficult to get parking spaces at Spar, will this get worse? Lots of vans being parked around the vicinity of the Friendly Spirit. Threats - hundreds of cars each day travel through the village to Hinkley with only 1 person in them. Will these Hinkley workers be using the new by-pass? The increased traffic could ruin Cannington. We would want to move away if it was not controlled.
003/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	N/A	Recreation	I feel that the proposed policies in the A3 booklet are entirely right and sensible. I suspect that many people feel the same and, as a consequence, will not return it. I felt that I should at least record my agreement.
004JAN15		Over 60	N/A	Recreation	The development of 'dead' bits of ground into floral displays has been a great joy. We feel this should be encouraged in all ways possible and any other forgotten corners identified and offered to the generous talents of the 'green' army.
004JAN15		Over 60	N/A	Business	Good ideas
004JAN15		Over 60	N/A	Young People	We agree

004JAN15		Over 60 N/A		Housing	Such a shame short term parking cannot be improved but we cant suggest any wonderful solution, some clever person might
004JAN15		Over 60 N/A		SWOT	Strengths - Basic needs well served. Weakness - Difficult short term parking. Unsightly dustbins on pavements. Threats - Dangerous road from Jubilee Gardens to the war memorial. How about a traffic calming project including a roundabout at East st/Main Road junction?
005JAN15	TA5 2RJ	20 - 60		Recreation	I agree with the above. Recreation facilities need improving i.e. new village hall with parking! Green spaces need protecting but not just for the sake of it. Villages need to provide housing so some sacrifices have to be made.
005JAN15	TA5 2RJ	20 - 60		Business	Businesses are the lifeblood of the local community, everything should be done to encourage them.
005JAN15	TA5 2RJ	20 - 60		Young People	There isn't a lot for older children in the village. Any new developers should be encouraged to help finance recreation facilities - i.e. new village hall.
005JAN15	TA5 2RJ	20 - 60		Housing	I don't agree with sticking strictly to the development boundary. There is a need for more housing n a large village like Cannington. If this means the odd house or small development outside the boundary then it should be considered equally as it were inside. We cannot stick our heads in the sand.
006JAN15	TA5 2JY	20 - 60	Male	Recreation	Agree wit all of the above as priorities
006JAN15	TA5 2JY	20 - 60	Male	Housing	What about affordable housing for those with a connection to the village?
006JAN15	TA5 2JY	20 - 60	Male	Business	What sort of small businesses? Do local IT and Transport networks have capacity?
006JAN15	TA5 2JY	20 - 60	Male	Young People	Older youth?
006JAN15	TA5 2JY	20 - 60	Male	Young People	Weaknesses - No central community facility with modern facilities and parking. Lack of control of parking. Flooding. Threats - no community spirit/cohesion as village grows
007JAN15		20 - 60	Female	Recreation	Pleased you will develop these Cannington access. This is one of the strengths of Cannington
007JAN15		20 - 60	Female	Business	Yes - this would increase prosperity of area
007JAN15		20 - 60	Female	Young People	Cannington to provide enhanced recreation facility. Especially for older youth
007JAN15		20 - 60	Female	Housing	Yes agree
007JAN15		20 - 60	Female	SWOT	Strengths - lively community with variety of people, Brymore, College, EDF etc. Weakness - main transport road to Hinkley. Opportunities - Increased trade due to Hinkley and wish for accommodation near Hinkley. Threats - roads blocked and high traffic queues with certain developments causing long delays at times
008JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Male	Recreation	So 'where possible' is the deciding factor and that could also depend on what the EU is currently telling us what we can do anyway.
008JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Male	Business	Who is doing the suggesting here? Me/You/EU?
008JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Male	Young People	Where possible we propose'.....the gist is easy to spot isn't it?
008JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Male	SWOT	Weaknesses - no power for local representatives
009JAN15	TA5 2HH	Over 60	Female	Recreation	I agree.
009JAN15	TA5 2HH	Over 60	Female	Business	That would be good for Cannington
009JAN15	TA5 2HH	Over 60	Female	Young People	I agree.
009JAN15	TA5 2HH	Over 60	Female	Housing	Parking in Cannington is a problem

009JAN15	TA5 2HH	Over 60 Female	SWOT	Strengths - good local shops. Weakness - Increased traffic. Opportunities - Good opportunity for local B and B's and rental properties. Threats - crossing the road was almost impossible on Friday lunchtime.
010JAN15	TA5 2LY	Over 60 Female	Recreation	Cannington has few spaces for families/children/young people to use safely. Jubilee Gardens and Brownings Road and others have signs to prevent ball games. Where can they play other than the park safely? The nature of the village - heavy traffic/ribbon development means we need more spaces.
010JAN15	TA5 2LY	Over 60 Female	Business	Great so see so many business in the village and so pleased the Spar will take on the PO when Mike Harding retires
010JAN15	TA5 2LY	Over 60 Female	Young People	All weather sports area central to the village (see Stogursey) would be good. The football pitch at Rodway is too far out - would the college buy so we could invest somewhere more central. Could we use the school field when school is out?
010JAN15	TA5 2LY	Over 60 Female	Housing	Parking of cars is a huge problem and needs to be addressed when new houses are planned. Low cost family/singles housing is needed for younger people 18+. Residential care home/independent living would be an asset for those elderly wanting to remain in Cannington
011JAN15	TA5 2NW	20 - 60 Male	Recreation	Keeping green spaces is important for the villages, however, I feel that we need to utilise those spaces with facilities rather than just as an 'open' field which will cost money to maintain. I completely agree that access to the countryside should be kept up together and access available where possible for all users. With the population we have in Cannington and more likely to come in over the next 10 years in particular, could we think about sports facilities for all ages, I feel it would be very well received and very well used.
011JAN15	TA5 2NW	20 - 60 Male	Business	I'm not sure how the bypass will affect business in the village, if anything has been done to safeguard what we already have, I think we should do what we can. This could mean discussing with EDG/FPC, updating local signage, considering the road layout on the other side of Rodway Hill so that limited traffic could flow through the village? I'm not sure that we should get rid of all HPC traffic as this might have a negative affect on the village.
011JAN15	TA5 2NW	20 - 60 Male	Young People	I'm not entirely sure on what percentage of the village are children i.e. 18 and under, however I do feel that the facilities we have here are targeted at children up to say 10, 11 or the most 12 years of age. If possible I feel we should have sports facilities or recreation facilities for teenagers and upwards including adults of all ages. Is there a possibility of talking to the College and/or EDF (even both - College with ground and EDR with funds) to see if there is an appropriate space for any development of this kind?
011JAN15	TA5 2NW	20 - 60 Male	Housing	Although all for moving on and providing improved facilities for all our villagers, I feel the size of our village is just about right, not too big to lose that friendly feel and not too small. I agree that any further residential development should be kept where possible within the village boundary. This should mean that business of all types are supported. It would be good to see some modern housing but appreciate that they should be 'in keeping' where necessary.

011JAN15	TA5 2NW			Strengths - Supportive community, successful businesses. Weakness - Poor storm drainage which could hamper future developments (not sure if this is a maintenance issue?). Opportunities - An annual flow through of students/staff via the College, most of whom will spend with most businesses in the village. Threats - Potential rise in crime i.e. theft, through successful business being targeted and increased population via Hinkley C workers.	
		20 - 60	Male	SWOT	
012JAN15	TA5	Over 60	Male	Recreation	I agree, however you were not able to offer to protect the 'green wedge' in Popham's Field at Southbrook. Will you have enough power to prevent the loss of other green spaces?
012JAN15	TA5	Over 60	Male	Business	We need to help existing businesses prosper and encourage new small businesses to the village. More car parking would help.
012JAN15	TA5	Over 60	Male	Young People	I'm not sure that 'older youth' would use recreational facilities. Noise could also be a problem.
012JAN15	TA5			Housing	I agree adequate parking is essential, the existing boundary should be maintained. New housing should add to the architectural aspect (?couldn't read this word) of the village, no square boxes. We need more houses in the £250 - £400k price range to bring wealth into the village.
		Over 60	Male		
012JAN15	TA5				Strengths - plenty of shops and facilities. Countryside easily accessible. Weaknesses - Susceptible to flooding. Poor architecture, too many low cost homes. Opportunities - traffic flow will decrease substantially when by-pass is complete. Threats - Flood risk may deter new residents and de-value existing houses.
		Over 60	Male	SWOT	
013JAN15	TA5 2LX	Over 60	N/A	Recreation	All good.
013JAN15	TA5 2LX	Over 60	N/A	Business	We hope that parking facilities would go side by side with these policies
013JAN15	TA5 2LX	Over 60	N/A	Young People	Recreation facilities badly needed. Sports hall as well as outdoor - such as tennis courts
013JAN15	TA5 2LX	Over 60	N/A	Housing	Keeping development within the present boundaries
013JAN15	TA5 2LX				Strengths - pleasant village with attractive centre. Weakness - not enough to interest teenagers. Ask them what they would like. Opportunities - doubtful that they would stop to shop (i.e. Hinkley workers) we do not want to ruin our village ethos. Threats - lack of infrastructure e.g. doctors and schools
		Over 60	N/A	SWOT	
014JAN15	TA5 2HE	Over 60	Male	Recreation	Make use of land accessed from Denmans Lane with a bridge over brook to Court Orchard. <i>(All policies mentioned are ticked)</i>
014JAN15	TA5 2HE	Over 60	Male	Business	Develop existing Woolens site! <i>(All policies are ticked)</i>
014JAN15	TA5 2HE	Over 60	Male	Young People	Encourage active integration within the village. College and Brymore should be more active in village activities. <i>(All policies mentioned are ticked)</i>
014JAN15	TA5 2HE	Over 60	Male	Housing	We can create more parking; it requires will and real effort. Completion of by-pass will help. <i>(All policies mentioned are ticked)</i>
014JAN15	TA5 2HE				Strengths - sometimes friendly community, good location, rural setting, cosmopolitan community, balanced age range. Weakness - lack of parking, unacceptable levels of traffic through village. Opportunities - Improve village life following by-pass construction. Increase trader community (more shops). Threats - lack of participating interest by general populous in village affairs
		Over 60	Male	SWOT	

015JAN13	TA5 2LY					Weakness - Parking - desperate need of more. Opportunity - Why not take 4 or 5 feet from the grass in the Bowling Green to facilitate angle parking? To my knowledge there has been no bowling on this green for 80 years - children not allowed to play there, so why not increase the parking available? Threat - when the bypass from Minehead to Combsich road is completed there should be less not increased traffic through the village.
		Over 60	N/A		SWOT	
016/JAN15	-	20 - 60	N/A		Recreation	At present the village has plenty of countryside access with ample footpath access to agricultural land. To much access to the countryside brings trouble to livestock via dogs with worm problems and worrying of stock. Could incorporate sports facilities/social hall but you have to have development for this to happen.
016/JAN15	TA5 2HF	20 - 60	N/A		Young People	Housing development to incorporate sports facilities, green areas for youth. The village needs to remember with the expansion of Hinkley Point housing will be required. We have areas in the village that state now no ball games, no cycling, what's the point of this.
016/JAN15	-	20 - 60	N/A		Housing	All new housing to stay within present village boundaries (bypass, flood scheme). Too many in the village don't want any change to the present this was proved with the development in Southbrook (Pophams Field).
017/JAN15	TA5 2HW	20 - 60	Male		Recreation	Protecting green spaces should have stopped building on Pophams Field - it did not! How about upgrading footpaths & bridleways to RUPPS for better countryside access.
017/JAN15	TA5 2HW	20 - 60	Male		Business	Good idea(s). As a local business owner though I have not been approached. New businesses will need secure storage & yards at affordable rates - these do not exist.
017/JAN15	TA5 2HW	20 - 60	Male		Young People	Good idea(s). Improve & expand on Cannington Activity Centre, paintballing & scout hut perhaps use Village Hall more.
017/JAN15	TA5 2HW	20 - 60	Male		Housing	1. Good idea. 2. Yes you could, more parking could & should be created especially on High Street, Bowling Green & Dukes Avenue. 3. Ok - self build would be good. 4. Good ideas, but enforce it. 5. Encourage & support community self build idea.
						Strengths: Small, close knit community, low crime, good services.
017/JAN15	TA5 2HF	20 - 60	Male		SWOT	Weakness: As above a Big issue (lack of less expensive housing), inadequate parking, too much through traffic, no 30 kph limit past school access.
						Opportunities: Disagree with above, problematic, tourism opportunities.
						Threats: As above. Too many transitions in Cannington, traffic major issues will turn away tourism and businesses alike.
018/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Female		Recreation	Presumably any green spaces will be on the outskirts of the village as these are none in the actual village.
018/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Female		Business	Not that much choice for business development until EDF are out of the area & roads. Yeo Valley already have their future plans in hand. Yes definitely encourage small businesses.
018/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Female		Young People	Important to consider youth but please don't consider older generations.
018/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Female		Housing	Adequate parking is a priority.
						No point in a design brief as the village is a hotch-potch of development designs over the years.

018/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Female	SWOT	<p>Strengths: There is a need to encourage this (friendly community) as the village expands in the future.</p> <p>Weakness: There should be an embargo on expensive developments until both low cost & social housing is catered for.</p> <p>Opportunities: Temporary boom & bust! Not a definite future benefit (increased business from Hinkley).</p> <p>Threats: With more & more house building traffic will increase anyway. One day a proper bypass will be built.</p>
019/JAN15	TA5 2QH	Over 60	Male	Recreation	<p>The proposals are sensible and I hope that they can be achieved without commercialisation by other agencies.</p>
019/JAN15	TA5 2QH	Over 60	Male	Business	<p>These could be beneficial to residents of Cannington but could increase traffic underlining the need for more parking facilities.</p>
019/JAN15	TA5 2QH	Over 60	Male	Young People	<p>These are important policies for encouraging our youth to remain within the area, providing that they respect any facilities provided.</p>
019/JAN15	TA5 2QH	Over 60	Male	Housing	<p>I have seen the effects of over development else where and the loss of environment and local ambience can be detrimental to a community so do all within your powers to maintain these assets.</p>
020/JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Female	Recreation	<p>Yes and we don't need anymore housing. Areas that can benefit all ages & have maximum use. Reduce costs & avoid it being vandalised.</p>
020/JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Female	Business	<p>We need to support our local business so that we don't loose them and they continue to benefit everyone & keep us firmly on the map. This Should include Cannington College & Brymore School</p>
020/JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Female	Young People	<p>Making sure we involve the youth group & organisations that are in our area, including Cannington School and Cannington College as this will encourage them to also help look after these areas.</p>
020/JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Female	Housing	<p>We can't keep having cheap housing otherwise the balance of quality housing versus housing associations will tilt the wrong way, never to be returned back & long term will not benefit the rest of the village/future generations.</p> <p>Too much low income also brings gradually lower standards/poor appearance & then bad habits.</p>

					Strengths: close to lots of green areas, mixed ages living in the village, being close to Bridgwater/M5 but far enough away as well, good facilities for all agrees e.g. Shops, GP's, pubs, churches, bus service to Bridgwater, house prices staying at the same level year on year, nice village. Weakness: Don't agree we don't need any more housing, lack of parking for village hall, peoples lifestyles are changing and more people are working so we need to support groups in the village, so we don't lose them i.e. Brownies, Hinkley & everything related to it. Opportunities: Don't agree with this businesses contending benefit from students attending Cannington College each year. Threats: Roads falling into disrepair due to extra traffic, increased pollution/noise & general speed of vehicles passing by, lack of respect by passer by e.g. rubbish/fly tipping, noise, cheap housing being pushed on use that we don't want, what about other housing i.e. 3/4/5 bed houses, people going through the village but don't care about it.
020/JAN15	TA5 2JT	20 - 60	Female	SWOT	
021/JAN15	TA5 2HD	Over 60	Male	Recreation	I agree with all of the above and would underline the importance of protecting our existing green spaces within the village which are minimal.
021/JAN15	TA5 2HD	Over 60	Male	Business	With the establishment of EDF in the centre of our community (a massive organisation) I think we should be very cautious about future business expansion until we see what happens with EDF.
021/JAN15	TA5 2HD	Over 60	Male	Young People	Fine but Bridgwater College holds vast tracts of land surely we would liaise with them to make recreational land available for village use.
021/JAN15	TA5 2HD	Over 60	Male	Housing	I agree with the first 2 statements. I agreed with the 3rd but consideration must be given to the effect on Cannington village. The 4th is jargon but I would hope any development would reflect the existing Cannington character with emphasis on the vernacular aspect.
021/JAN15	TA5 2HD	Over 60	Male	SWOT	Strengths: Agree good local businesses Weakness: No cycle ways, fast traffic, dangerous pavements East Street/Fore Street/Brook Street Threats: Increased parking, EDF takeover
022/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	Male	Recreation	Tennis court and club facilities need to be public, no issue with security arrangements the facilities of Brymore and Bridgwater College e.g., swimming pool.
022/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	Male	Business	Try to encourage agricultural ??? To come to the village maintain
022/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	Male	Young People	Badly need sports/community hall, could it be part of the EDF Hinkley investment deal?
022/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	Male	Housing	Exiting village boundary totally protected no creeping joining up with Bridgwater e.g. North Petherton

022/JAN15	TA5 2LU	Over 60	Male		<p>Strengths: Historic Village with many listed properties, most facilities, essential shops e.g. Bakery, newsagent, hairdressers, Cannington Store. Good choice of pubs including place for coffee shop in gardens.</p> <p>Weakness: Should be fixed as brownfield land is cheaper than in towns.</p> <p>Opportunities: May not be much spending in village by Hinkley workers, they may want to rejoin their cars at park & ride and get home.</p> <p>Threats: Increased traffic yes, but Cannington By-pass will be great.</p>
				SWOT	
023/JAN15	TA5 2HG	Over 60		Recreation	We need a new more modern village hall, the entrance and exit from the existing one is very dangerous being so near the road plus better parking if we do get a new one.
023/JAN15	TA5 2HG	Over 60		Business	We need a more attainable doctors clinic, plus more parking on site, parking in the road is a nightmare for people living in the vicinity (at Mill Lane)
023/JAN15	TA5 2HG	Over 60		Housing	A proper parking lot for local and visiting people
024/JAN15	TA5 2RU	Over 60		Recreation	I agree with the above proposals
024/JAN15	TA5 2RU	Over 60		Business	I agree with the above proposals
024/JAN15	TA5 2RU	Over 60		Young People	I agree with the above proposals. Can the facilities at the existing amenity area for young children be upgraded/improved. Provide building/covered area if recreation space is found for older youth.
024/JAN15	TA5 2RU	Over 60		Housing	I agree with the above proposals
025/JAN15	TA5 2HU	20 - 60			In theory this is a great idea but in practice I don't feel this would be possible. With Hinkley C being built so more traffic coming through the village and more people coming to live in the village - temporary and permanent we need to house these people. I feel we would be better off using local house builders who are sympathetic to the area, and try to incorporate recreational facilities.
			Female	Recreation	
025/JAN15	TA5 2HU	20 - 60	Female	Business	I feel we should be encouraging small businesses into the area. Employing our young people through apprenticeships etc., bringing more money to the local economy - take away etc.
025/JAN15	TA5 2HU	20 - 60			I think more should be done for the younger children. The youth club is great, but there is nothing for the younger children aged 4 upwards. Trying to keep them entertained throughout school holidays and also include the older youth to help out
			Female	Young People	
025/JAN15	TA5 2HU	20 - 60		Housing	We need more housing similar to the Brownings Estate with different sizes of property and more than adequate parking! I want my children to continue to live in the village but with limited housing and rising prices I fear we may be pushed into moving into town. We moved from Bridgwater because Cannington is such a lovely village and school.
			Female		
025/JAN15	TA5 2HU	20 - 60			Strengths: Fantastic School, Fantastic Pre-school, Clean and Tidy Weakness: Amount of dog faces everywhere, Lack of extension facilities in the school to house the amount of children. Opportunities: More Housing. Threats: Rising (even More) House Prices due to the influx of Hinkley Workers.
			Female	SWOT	
026/JAN15	TA5 2HP	20 - 60	Male	Recreation	Yes, with green spaces for sports, social and environmental understanding and protection for all (wildlife and plants) Dogs behaved on leads

026/JAN15	TA5 2HP	20 - 60	Male	Business	Yes, encourage more banking facilities (ATMS) and shop/post office facilities and mini supermarket shops
026/JAN15	TA5 2HP	20 - 60	Male	Young People	Sports and orienteering, organised walks and orienteering with supervised guides for all with geological archeologically interest
026/JAN15	TA5 2HP	20 - 60	Male	Housing	No more housing too many people ?? No more people in village less population less crime
026/JAN15	TA5 2HP	20 - 60	Male	SWOT	Strengths: Unfriendly community, Weakness: more less expensive housing, Opportunities: More shops and banking facilities, Threats: Less traffic through centre of village 20mph speed limit in centre
027/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Recreation	Good
027/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Business	Good
027/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Young People	Good
027/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Housing	Good
027/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		SWOT	Strengths: Good health centre, good church, very good URC church - helping the community in many ways, good Inns and good shops
028/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Recreation	I agree with all three of those proposals wholeheartedly
028/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Business	Again I agree with all these suggestions, however, not if any businesses are so large that they encroach on green areas thus endangering flood possibilities
028/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Young People	If whatever you decide, can help young people to engage in useful leisure facilities, i.e. Sport, semi-educational, but mainly to make life as enjoyable as possible.
028/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		Housing	Just do what you can (above) within your limited boundaries. This is a lovely village, I would hate to see it abused by people with agendas
028/JAN15	TA5 2JR	Over 60		SWOT	Strengths: adequate and helpful shops, good bus service, good eateries, excellent medical facilities Weaknesses: this I can not comment on I do not know anyone in difficulties regarding housing, Opportunities: perhaps new incomes may choose to go to Bridgwater to shop, Threats: sadly this could in fact will happen.
029/JAN15	TA5 2HW	Over 60		Recreation	The village of Cannington should not grow anymore, all building of houses should be built along the bypass leaving the centre of the village as most locals remember it. Cannington is losing its identity because of too much building.
029/JAN15	TA5 2HW	Over 60		Business	Encourage small business by all means but not in Cannington itself.
029/JAN15	TA5 2HW	Over 60		Young People	Young people of Cannington need more supervised facilities. Football pitch nearer the village, youth club etc.
029/JAN15	TA5 2HW	Over 60		Housing	All housing development should be built around the bypass that way you keep Cannington clear, every housing development should have a mix of houses not like large houses on one estate by Northbook. The Council have only allowed this estate as it suits them because they live near it and increases this property prices, you notice there no social housing on this estate which speaks for itself.

				Strengths: Not as friendly as it used to be 15 yrs ago. To many new people trying to take control of village affairs.
029/JAN15	TA5 2HW	Over 60		Weakness: To much housing in Cannington village areas are causing too much traffic and is a health and safety matter.
				Opportunities: Hinkley Point is causing more problems than its worth, this Council should of insisted on a north bypass from Jct 23. I am for Hinkley Point but against the chaos the summer will bring.
				Threats: Chaos and will only get worse.
			SWOT	
030/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60 Female	Recreation	We aim to protect the existing green spaces and safeguard more - I agree
030/JAN15	TA5 2HB			I think the access to the village limits any business development. The A39 is frequently blocked, a burst water main cause chaos the other week with children attending Heygrove School not being able to get to school
		Over 60 Female	Business	
030/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60 Female	Young People	The proposed policies seems a good idea.
030/JAN15	TA5 2HB		Housing	I think that this is a village at the moment and would hate to see a development like North Petherton which is now joined up with Bridgwater. Do we want to remain as a village or not is the question.
		Over 60 Female		
030/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60 Female	SWOT	Blank - excepted increased traffic as a threat was underlined.
031/JAN15	TA5 2LX			Protection of existing green space vital. "Green Wedge" between new by-pass & Chads Hill should remain just that a green wedge. Create safe cycle routes along existing bypass to link to new bypass. Stop on pavement parking so pedestrians do not have to walk in the road. Picnic tables in Jubilee Garden area.
		Over 60 Male	Recreation	
031/JAN15	TA5 2LX			We are extremely well served by local businesses. What they need is ability for customers to park. Parking outside SPA/Post office is at times unacceptable. Parking on pavement and zig zag white lines need to be more agreeably policed. Small business could be encouraged on outskirts near existing premises e.g. by Greenslades or Yeo Valley. Do not allow development on Green Wedge between Chads Hill and by-pass.
		Over 60 Male	Business	
031/JAN15	TA5 2LX			A purpose built village hall with adequate space for indoor sports and safe parking. A village of "our" population should have these facilities. EDF should be paying for this as the legacy, far more useful for everyone's benefit.
		Over 60 Male	Young People	
031/JAN15	TA5 2LX		Housing	Repeating my earlier note protect as Green Wedge, land north of cemetery and west of Chads Hill bordering new by-pass.
		Over 60 Male		
				Strengths: Excellent local facilities i.e. Grocer, post office, pubs, paper shop, butcher, baker, hair salon, car repair, health centre & 2 churches.
				Weakness: lack of monitoring and policing parking near Spar shop. Some parking is a) dangerous, b) selfish, C) prohibits prams and wheelchairs on pavement. Poor village compared to neighbouring villages. No parking, dangerous access for pedestrians.
031/JAN15	TA5 2LX			Opportunities: Find a site for a new village hall.
		Over 60 Male	SWOT	Threats: Because EDF failed to take local advice re. route of by-pass and did not build it before bulk of traffic flow. Hence High Street has multi-increasing lorry movements.

032/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Male	Recreation	We have good access to the countryside now. Future developments such as flood alleviation scheme may enhance that access.
032/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Male	Business	Tincknells site would lend itself to small sized businesses. Potential for two employees per unit, therefore 24 more families supported financially.
032/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Male	Young People	Make better use of the playing field & potential cycle track for access.
032/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Male	Housing	We could alleviate the parking issues around the Brook by putting down grasscrete in Jubilee Gardens. Promote affordable housing to encourage young families to remain in Cannington.
033/JAN15		20 - 60		Recreation	I think we must protect any existing green spaces and safeguarding more is very important. How will any development improve the access to the Countryside?
033/JAN15		20 - 60		Business	Small business encouragement would be a good idea.
033/JAN15		20 - 60		Housing	Its very important to keep existing village development boundaries. Parking should be a priority as all families now have a car.
034/JAN15	TA5	Over 60		Recreation	It would be good to have walking, running and cycling lane along the side of the new bypass, so that villagers can have a circular route around the village. Improving the footpath from Cannington to Combwich would also make it possible to walk/cycle to the new area at Steart Marshes.
035/JAN15		Over 60	Male	Recreation	We have lost green space in the village already. This would have been ideal for recreation as it was in the centre of the village. The Parish Council have been short sighted in the past by to quickly accepting mitigation for development that the village never received. Power to the people does not seem to apply to this village,
035/JAN15		Over 60	Male	Business	I think we are too close to Bridgwater to encourage very much interest. At the moment there are no possible sites for business.
035/JAN15		Over 60	Male	Young People	Need to get young people on to the steering group it have a say in their own future village plan.
035/JAN15		Over 60	Male	Housing	This village has had many problems with traffic and parking. Future development should be on the edge of the village. This would ensure free & safe access from the bypass. Strengths: Good infrastructure, school, college, bypass, attractive village. Weakness: Apathy which could be shown by the numbers of this survey returned. Opportunities: EDF funding College facilities more power for the people in the village. Threats: Increase in temporary residents, not enough involvement. Parish Council not listening. Any new Government changing policy.
035/JAN15		Over 60	Male	SWOT	
036/JAN15	TA52LX	Over 60	Female	Recreation	The development boundary should stay as it is. No building on productive agricultural land. Resist filling in space between the new bypass being built and the edge of the village.
036/JAN15	TA52LX	Over 60	Female	Business	There must be parking for any new business.
036/JAN15	TA52LX	Over 60	Female	Young People	No opinion
036/JAN15	TA52LX	Over 60	Female	Housing	Keep the existing development boundary and do not lose agricultural land.
036/JAN15	TA52LX	Over 60	Female	SWOT	Threats: EDF
037/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Female	Recreation	Yes, I think existing green spaces should be protected. For example the loss of the dog walking field is a dreadful thing. That space was important and should have been protected more.

037/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Female	Business	I think these policies are sound. But not too many to change the character of the village.
037/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Female	Young People	There is very little for older youth to do. Would it be possible to expand the playing field facility for example purpose built youth club, squash or badminton court, tennis court, netball etc?
037/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Female	Housing	Adequate parking for new homes is essential. But sensible, look at Reedmoor in Bridgwater. The roads are curved with very spaces, and there are lots of unhappy people and parking wars. The parking needs to be really thought about - you can't build a four bed house with a drive for one car. Strengths: Scenic, community involvement, Cannington in Bloom, Good Parish Council, pro-active school head. Weakness: Occasional litter problem, Parking in North/Southbrook, too much pavement parking, nowhere for kids to go except village hall youth club. Opportunities: Increased trade in wall garden? larger tea shop, time to increase sports facilities for youth, more clubs at village hall. Threats: Park & Ride will be very destructive to our environment in terms of noise, bored youth, traffic too fast on Main Road, getting faster.
037/JAN15	TA5	20 - 60	Female	SWOT	
038/JAN15	TA5 2HH	20 - 60	Male	Recreation	Try to restrict the overall size of the village with regards to housing, to retain the village atmosphere. Better maintenance of kerbside paths and village road potholes.
038/JAN15	TA5 2HH	20 - 60	Male	Business	Small business would be welcome as long as they recruit and blend into the village landscape. Recruit if possible within or around the village area.
038/JAN15	TA5 2HH	20 - 60	Male	Young People	All of the above should be made a priority where possible and enforced.
038/JAN15	TA5 2HH	20 - 60	Male	Housing	All of the above policies make perfect sense and should not be taken for granted and enforced where possible. Weakness: Increased traffic for Hinkley, poor maintenance of village paths & roads i.e. East and Fore Streets. Opportunities: Enhance village colour and greenery. Threats: Robbery, vandalism, mugging, road accidents & deaths.
038/JAN15	TA5 2HH	20 - 60	Male	SWOT	
039/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Male	Recreation	A - Aim to protect green spaces - Agreed. Any new development should not block public footpaths or completely fence off open land. Development should not be at the expense of creating a public nuisance & noise.
039/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Male	Business	Agree with first two policies, oppose dirty/heavy industry e.g. Scrap yards.
039/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Male	Young People	Agrees with policy 1, except where possible nuisance might arise i.e. Late night noise. Agree with policy 2 but easily policed to avoid abuses such as drugs etc.
039/JAN15	TA5 2HP	Over 60	Male	Housing	Agree with first two policies. Agrees with policy three but not "affordable housing". Agrees with policy four but any such brief should not favour "affordable housing" and should include more expensive housing to encourage more residents with middle class ambitions.

039/JAN15	TA5 2HP			Strengths: Every where within walking distance, basic needs available within village i.e. Butcher, baker, post office, newsagent, hairdresser, cash machine, grocer. Weakness: Not enough expensive housing, the village is becoming a magnet for benefits claimants. Threats: with increase in traffic comes increase in danger to pedestrians. Affordable housing with rents paid by benefits attracts less desirable occupants.
		Over 60 Male	SWOT	
040/JAN15	TA5 2RJ	Over 60 Male	Recreation	Any development should also ensure adequate provision is available, or provided in respect of services, i.e. Health, education & roads.
040/JAN15	TA5 2RJ			Cannot see space within village centre to allow new businesses to open. Would therefore need to be on the outskirts. If developed on the outskirts it has the potential to damage existing businesses. Any growth in businesses would see an increase in both population and traffic, would our health centre, school and roads cope with this? Development of both residential and business is the beginning of the transition from village to town and the loss of our present status of friendly village to one of a faceless town.
		Over 60 Male	Business	
040/JAN15	TA5 2RJ	Over 60 Male	Housing	See earlier comment - any development should ensure that existing services are adequate or increased to ensure adequate cover i.e. Health, education, roads.
040/JAN15	TA5 2RJ			Strengths: Friendly community created by being a small village. The village layout cannot be changed so let us not try to put 2 litres into a 1 litre jug. Threats: Traffic is the major problem. We have seen the effect EDF has had on this issue, isolating the village on numerous occasions. This should be the first consideration of any development plans.
		Over 60 Male	SWOT	
041/JAN15	TA5 2LU			Protection of the village as a green and pleasant place to live is paramount, the fabric of the village will be considerably eroded with the Hinkley Point development. The new road will disrupt access on foot to the countryside so we should look at how this should be negated. Retaining the green spaces, parks etc should not be overlooked.
		20 - 60 Male	Recreation	
041/JAN15	TA5 2LU			Businesses should enhance the village itself not just benefit those who run the businesses. The plan should look at the impact of the business any associated infrastructure would have on all parties.
		20 - 60 Male	Business	
041/JAN15	TA5 2LU			The recreation facilities in the village are underused by young people as it is so am unsure how they should be restructured to encourage participation. I believe the plan should look at existing facilities in the area and not complete with them but develop opportunities.
		20 - 60 Male	Young People	
041/JAN15	TA5 2LU			I strongly believe that the village should retain its existing boundary. I am sure the new road will encourage some to wish to expand out and fill in to develop the land to the new road. This should be strongly resisted.
			Housing	I struggle with the concept of "social housing" as it seems we cannot limit this to house young people from the village in need and has attracted some issues to date. We need to retain the character of the village as a village.
		20 - 60 Male		

041/JAN15	TA5 2LU	20 - 60	Male	SWOT	Strengths: facilities in village, road network, community, open spaces, access to the countryside. Weakness: Lack of affordable housing for local people, traffic, lack of policing, village being dominated by college i.e. Buildings, traffic and people. Opportunities: To retain character of village, the ability to enhance the village for everyone not just a few. Threats: Traffic, new road, more housing, increase in population but are transient, loss of community feeling.
042/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60		Recreation	Existing park, I think all those wooden stumps should be removed and bike ramps built not great big ones but suitable for young and old (6-10 years) as those stumps are an eyesore and dangerous a fall off one could cause serious injury on a close one i.e. facial or broken leg but they won't get used any way.
042/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60		Business	Encourage small businesses to the area i.e. Competition for Spar shop. By the side of new by-pass with parking/lay-by so people can stop without entering the village, as most people just speed through the village, I have watched it.
042/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60		Housing	Yes
042/JAN15	TA5 2HB	Over 60		SWOT	Strengths: tick for friendly community. Opportunities: See business comments. Threats: Traffic may calm down a bit after by-pass but speeding needs addressing.
043/JAN15	TA5 2HU	Over 60	Male	Recreation	You did not protect the chance of a new village hall and parking when you let planning give permission to the 16 houses and garages on land next to the playing field in Brook Street.
043/JAN15	TA5 2HU	Over 60	Male	Young People	You did not propose any development or enhance recreation facilities when you gave planning to 16 houses on the land next to the playing field in Brook Street, it could have been a great chance to help the whole village.
043/JAN15	TA5 2HU	Over 60	Male	Housing	You give permission to 16 houses and garages on a site that could be more good to the community. A new village hall with plenty of parking.
044/JAN15	TA5 2RH	Over 60	Male	Recreation	New development should be diluted rather than one huge building site. Also be in keeping with the style of surroundings. Green space should not be developed but enhanced and made attractive with parking etc.
044/JAN15	TA5 2RH	Over 60	Male	Business	Ok, but businesses need to show an interest in Cannington.
044/JAN15	TA5 2RH	Over 60	Male	Young People	There is precious little to offer young people in Cannington.
044/JAN15	TA5 2RH	Over 60	Male	Housing	Housing - there is a need for affordable & accessible housing for future generations of Cannington residents, not concentrating on "executive" homes.

Strengths: Friendly community, village ethos, good mix of shops? Pubs, good school & health centre.
Weakness: Lack of less expensive housing, no consideration seems to be given for locals when it comes to housing.

044/JAN15 TA5 2RH

Opportunities: Hinkley not an opportunity more of a threat. Opportunity we are missing - we need a pro-active Parish Council who will stand up for residents.

Threats: Increased traffic yes, less parking, more disturbance due to lack of young persons facilities & extra residents, thanks to EDF.

Over 60 Male SWOT

045/JAN15

Bowling Green, Church Street to be professional landscape designed, low wooden fence with wildlife hedge on perimeter, gated with circle of seating and fountain, planted with grasses and native trees, a place of quiet to meet and walk through on way to Health Centre, Community Orchard, Globe, Cannington Court and Walled Garden, apply for volunteers & ask College to maintain. Cycle, footpaths, wheelchair access paths, walkers (similar to at Steart) from Cannington to Bridgwater using the other side of hedge of Cannington Straights safe and away from traffic, to Blackmore Farm & Deli & Farm Shop & Tea Shop, Marsh Lane to River Parrett, To Comwich, TO Cannington Park (hill near disused quarry) Make the footpath bridge over the weir wider and safer for all, Create a cherry blossom walk on both edge of the right of way footpath going through Popham's (now Fears) field, Put 'green steps' in Jubilee gardens near the pedestrian crossing, plant a three row wildlife hedge inside the railings on Main Road, mass planting of crocuses, snowdrops and daffodils, native trees, three different large ones similar in size to the Ash planted on right hand side of entrance to Cannington College.

Over 60 Female Recreation

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Trees for Cannington to be professional landscape designed. All verges and un owned green space to be identified and native trees planted, installation of Owl and Bat boxes, negotiate with Cannington Centre to share their facilities, they are part of the village, we pay our taxes for them, they need to integrate more, arboretum tree collection, library, access & footpath through grounds, cricket and football grounds to have seating and picnic areas. Negotiate with Cannington Court to share the training facilities. The Head of this project and team have already indicated they intend to do this at first open meeting to the public, so it needs us to grasp the opportunity. To use their venue , evenings and weekends until such time as we have a village hall with safe access and parking, for live music events, dances, groups as listed earlier, use of kitchens to teach cooking.

Over 60 Female Recreation

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Over 60 Female Recreation

Negotiate with the Schools to share their facilities, they are part of the village, we pay taxes for them - during school holiday's and summer break. Cannington Primary school could be used for Open Community meetings, kitchens for cookery & nutrition classes, gardens for gardening and grow your own classes, all these shared facilities will need to be promoted and advertised in a transparent way to all sections of the parish. These institutions are to be invited & must be inclusive with our parish. Negotiate with Doctors survey to put a gap in their hedge and small footpath from their carpark into street which is directly opposite the gate to the Community Orchard. Restore the BBQ area as it is below head height, involve teenagers not just the ones studying woodwork. Install wooden seats and six picnic tables. Put in a proper bread oven or pizza cooker. Invite professional chefs to assist.

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Over 60 Female Recreation

Keep and develop the 'wildlife' corridor that starts from Gurney Street to the Church. Negotiate with the primary school to create a two metre wildflower border along its perimeter fence. These far reaches of the playing field are used but not nearly enough. It would give the village another eye catching walk for its residents. Install recreational information sign posts, remove all the ugly irrelevant 'do not' signs from Cannington. All RLT1 designated land need to be protected from development permanently. All CNE4 Green Wedge land need to be protected from further development as it is in the centre of the village.

045/JAN15

Over 60 Female Business

Promote Cannington as a lovely place to visit with Visit Britain. Encourage a more diverse range of people (more creative, from professional backgrounds, wealthier, different cultures) to live in and visit Cannington. Perhaps artisan type skilled people. One person cell workshops and workplaces could be constructed in the land the other side of Rodway Hill, on the left inside the new bypass. Have it landscaped with trees planted, attractive and integrated with the village with footpaths as mentioned before. It is time to leave the industrial look behind. Ensure they have broadband, Another location could be Crockers Land, far better to have a few small business start ups to create jobs in the long term rather intense housing this this end of the village cannot sustain. Cannington Court (Clifford's Hall) EDF's European training centre next to the walled garden and bowling green will employ 40 people some very skilled on high incomes. This will impact on our village in a positive way attracting entrepreneurs and associated services. Once the pedestrian crossing is moved the High Street needs to be flexible in its planning. For example the village could do with the following: Deli, Farm Shop. Chemist, gift shop, wildlife tourist centre, Volunteers Hub, gym, spa, music club, swimming pool

045/JAN15	Over 60 Female Young People	<p>In the Community Orchard to involve teenagers not just ones studying woodwork to install wooden seats and six picnic tables. We have the space, negotiate with Bridgwater College Cannington Centre to share their facilities they are part of the village, we pay our taxes for them, they need to integrate more. Cannington Court to share its new training facilities, the Head of this project and team have already indicated that they intend to do this at the first open meeting to the public so it needs us to grasp the opportunity now. Schools to share their facilities.</p>
045/JAN15	Over 60 Female Young People	<p>Negotiate with Chilton Trinity School so that a Councillor or Member of the Village (CRB checked) may visit and do a presentation inviting their comments (all) and feedback. A free and easy discussion. Maybe English teachers could incorporate a lesson where they have a debate with one of the teenagers at the front writing down all their comments. To include all abilities in this exercise. Our website needs to be 'responsive' so that it is accessible and readable on all devices such as Smartphone's, mobiles, tablets to assist in engaging young people with the village. The village needs a Young Person Co-ordinator. The Village needs a Technology co-ordinator to invite teenagers to put videos about the village using You Tube. Link up with the YMCA in Bridgwater, Somerset Rural Youth Project (Blackdown Hills Environmental Project) and Somerset Youth to share knowledge and activities. Negotiate with Bridgwater College to get involve and offer services. Young people need somewhere 'grown up' to drop into.</p>
045/JAN15	Over 60 Female Young People	<p>Where possible we propose any development should help enhance recreation facilities. Investigate possible spaces for recreation for older youth. Secret garden behind village hall to be used as summer meeting place for young people, rush shelters to be constructed by them, seating and sun loungers to be constructed by them, BBQ, plant with perennial grasses, wildflowers and veg plot together with Peach and Plum trees, ensure it can pick up wifi signal from Village Hall, give all young people the access code for wifi, give two supervisors key to the gate into the garden.</p>
045/JAN15	Housing	<p>Parking outside the Spar shop is dangerous every time. People park on the zig zags. Move the pedestrian crossing to opposite the College gates to the very wide pavement on the corner of the Bowling Green. Create short parking time lay-bys for shoppers on both side of the street, the pavements are and the road is wide enough. Executive style houses to be encouraged with treed gardens. Opportunities for self-build Eco-Homes. Two storey 1 or 2 bed apartments for those over 65 years of age alongside terrace home with same amount of bedrooms for start buyers. All unnecessary vehicles and heavy vans and lorries to use the bypass when it is finished. Shop deliveries to Bakery and Butcher to be before 10am but not at school arrival time. Shop delivery vehicles to only park along the Main road next to Jubilee Gardens beyond pedestrian crossing. The lay-by outside the Bakery and Butchers for customers only.</p>
	Over 60 Female	

045/JAN15

Strengths: A viable 2,500 strong community with virtually no unemployment.

Weaknesses: Not diverse enough mix of people, no diverse enough wealth brackets, not enough skilled in technology for example under 40s, not enough diverse skills, not enough qualified professionals, not enough artistic people, not enough skilled women, not enough diversity of cultures.

Opportunities: to make Cannington a vibrant, beautiful village for all age groups, To protect Cannington with its improvements via the Neighbourhood Plan from becoming a suburb of Bridgwater.

Threats: NIMBYs negative input, rough elements moving from Bridgwater, ugly insensitive planning. We do not want to look bare like the majority of Bridgwater as it is now, with all its industrial sites and car parks, badly landscaped supermarkets, overhead wires and weeds and litter.

Over 60 Female SWOT