



BINGHAM COMMUNITY LED PLAN



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COMMUNITY LED PLAN QUESTIONNAIRE

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WHAT IS A COMMUNITY LED PLAN (CLP)?

A Community Led Plan is exactly that - a plan developed by the community to make the place where we live better.

Our report will take the form of an action plan which will be presented to the various authorities that have an influence on the way we live in Bingham and which would be needed to take appropriate action to fulfill the plan. This questionnaire will be used to develop the plan.

WHO WROTE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE?

The Bingham Community Led Plan Steering Group is an independent body of Bingham residents some of whom are active in Bingham community and leisure groups and businesses.

We formed in July 2014 and would now like you to be involved by filling in this questionnaire in order to provide us with the information we need to write this plan which will reflect your concerns, ideas and aspirations.

HOW WERE THE QUESTIONS CHOSEN?

The questions have been drawn up in a process that has involved public consultations in December 2014 and January 2015. We will also be working with all of the schools in Bingham to get the views of the children and young people in the town.

HOW DO I COMPLETE THE QUESTIONNAIRE AND HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE?

Please complete the questionnaire online if possible - go to www.binghamcommunityledplan.org.uk. If you have completed the online version, put the tear off section at the back of this paper copy in a window near your door on collection day so we know you've completed it online.

If you aren't able to complete it online please fill in this paper version which we will collect on Saturday 26th September or you can leave it at one of our drop points. See page 19 for more details.

The questionnaire takes an average of 20-25 minutes to complete.

IF YOU NEED HELP FILLING IN THE QUESTIONNAIRE SEE PAGE 19 FOR MORE DETAILS.

WHAT'S THE DEADLINE?

Please complete the online or paper version by Saturday 26th September 2015.

WHAT HAPPENS TO THE RESULTS?

We will aim to publish a summary of all the results on our website, early in the New Year and as stated earlier these will then be used to create the plan which will also be published in 2016.

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This questionnaire will only be valid if a substantial number of Bingham residents fill it in. Please help us make Bingham an even better place to live in.

There are 7 sections to the questionnaire:

- 1 About You
- 2 Community Services and Facilities
- 3 Transport
- 4 The Environment
- 5 Business Development and Employment
- 6 Planning
- 7 Anything else?

Please complete all sections of the questionnaire - if there are any questions you do not have an opinion about or you feel are not applicable - just skip that question.

Please use the comments boxes to raise or clarify any further points you wish to make, use an additional paper if required or complete the questionnaire online. There is a box in section 7 for you to raise any issues that are important to you and that have not already been covered by the questions.

We are offering the option to everyone who completes the questionnaire to enter our free prize draw - you will find the details at the end of the questionnaire.

THANK YOU!

SECTION 1 - ABOUT YOU

1.1 Where do you live?

- In Bingham In a nearby village

1.2 Do you work or regularly use the facilities in Bingham?

- Yes No

1.3 Please tell us the postcode of where you live.

1.4 Are you male or female?

- Male Female

1.5 What is your age group?

- 11-17 18-25 26-35 36-45 46-55
 56-65 66-75 76+

SECTION 2 - COMMUNITY SERVICES & FACILITIES

COMMUNITY CENTRE

2.1 Do you think Bingham should have a community centre (the equivalent of a 'village hall') available for hire to groups and for meetings/activities?

- Yes No

2.2 There is a planned new development North of the railway line of about 1050 houses - there are more questions about this later in the survey. Thinking specifically about community centres, if you answered yes to the above question, which of the following sites would you like to see developed to provide a community centre? (See map on page 18). Please mark all options you would support.

- The Manor House and land adjacent to it
 The old police station site
 Warner's Paddock
 In the new development, North of the railway line.

Other (please specify)

2.3 If there were such a facility, what would you like to see it used for? Please mark all that apply.

- A meeting space for groups/activities Theatre/Performance/Dance
 Film Art Gallery Space
 Temporary exhibition space Available to hire for private functions

Other (please specify)

2.4 How important is it to you to have the chance to see/take part in arts and culture activities in Bingham?

- Low Importance Moderate Importance Great Importance

SPORTS, RECREATION AND CLUBS

2.5 If you are involved in a sporting club/activity please tell us overall how satisfied you are with facilities provided for it (Note: a later question asks specifically about the Leisure Centre).

	Poor	Adequate	Good		Poor	Adequate	Good
Football	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Netball	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Rugby	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hockey	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cricket	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Tennis	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Swimming	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Running	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Athletics	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	Archery	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cycling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>				

Are you involved in any other sports? If so please state which.

SECTION 2 - COMMUNITY SERVICES & FACILITIES continued

2.6 How might the facilities be improved?

2.7 Are you satisfied with the facilities and opportunities provided at Bingham Leisure centre?

Yes No

2.8 How might the facilities at the leisure centre be improved? (Mark all that apply).

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Better parking | <input type="checkbox"/> Better maintenance |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improved lighting | <input type="checkbox"/> Improved changing facilities for swimming |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increased opening times | <input type="checkbox"/> More classes |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Re-lay the astroturf | <input type="checkbox"/> Improved tennis courts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Increased opening hours for the cafe | <input type="checkbox"/> Provide a licensed bar |

Other (please specify)

2.9 How might outdoor parks and play areas be improved? Please tick all that apply.

- Better range of equipment for young children in existing play parks (Wychwood Road, Wynhill, Carnarvon, Wallenfels, Cogley Lane - see map on page 18).
- New play areas for children.
- A range of outdoor exercise equipment for teenagers and adults.
- Additional recreational areas for teenagers

Other (please specify)

2.10 Please add any other comments about improving the sports, leisure and recreation facilities in Bingham.

SECTION 2 - COMMUNITY SERVICES & FACILITIES continued

PUBLIC CONVENIENCES

2.11 Are you satisfied with the provision of the one public convenience in Bingham?
(Located near the shopping precinct and car park).

Yes No

2.12 If another public convenience were to be provided, which would you prefer?

The existing facility at Station Street re-opened and refurbished

A new one provided somewhere else - please state where below.

2.13 Would you be happy to pay a small charge (e.g. 20p per visit) to provide improved facilities?

Yes No

HEALTH, SOCIAL CARE AND EDUCATION

2.14 How important is it to you to have:

	Not Very Important	Important	Very Important
Seven day opening of Bingham Health Centre?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Longer opening hours during the working week at Bingham Health Centre?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2.15 How satisfied are you with the care and support for the following groups in Bingham?

	Not satisfied	Satisfied	Very satisfied
Elderly people	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Children and young people with ongoing health problems	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adults with long term physical health problems or disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People with mental health problems	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Carers	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2.16 What improvements to the care and support of people with health and social problems would you like to see?

- | | |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Supported or other appropriate housing | <input type="checkbox"/> Help with access to or support in work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Befriending schemes | <input type="checkbox"/> Local support groups |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Improved transport and access to facilities in Bingham | |

Other (please specify)

SECTION 2 - COMMUNITY SERVICES & FACILITIES continued

HEALTH, SOCIAL CARE AND EDUCATION continued

2.17 Have you had any problems accessing satisfactory and affordable (where applicable) services listed below in the last 2-3 years?

	Yes	No	Not Applicable
Childcare for under 5s at a day nursery.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A childminder	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Breakfast/after school/holiday clubs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Primary school education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Secondary school education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adult education	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

2.18 Please make any other comments about health, social care or education.

CRIME PREVENTION

2.19 How concerned are you about the level of crime and anti-social behaviour in Bingham?

Not at all A little A lot

2.20 Do you live in a Neighbourhood Watch area?

Yes No Don't know

2.21 Would you be interested in taking part in a Neighbourhood Watch scheme?

Yes No

2.22 Please make any other comments relating to crime prevention

SECTION 3 - TRANSPORT

ROAD SAFETY and TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT

3.1 Do you think road safety is a problem in Bingham?

- Not really I think it's a minor problem I think it's a major problem

3.2 To improve road safety, which of the following would you like to see? Please mark all that apply.

- A range of measures to reduce speeds on main roads
- A range of measures to reduce speeds in residential streets
- A range of measures to reduce speeds near schools
- Providing traffic lights at the A52 / Tithby Road junction (see map on page 18)
- Providing more pedestrian crossings (please state where in the box below)

3.3 Would you support the introduction of a 20mph speed limit:

	Yes	No
Across the whole of Bingham?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the town centre only?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
In the residential estates?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3.4 Do you believe that road safety around the Market Place could be improved further by:
(Note, a later question deals with how the Market Place might be used in the future)

	Yes	No
Extending the one way system (whilst maintaining essential access for residents and businesses)?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Improvements to the Market Place to help pedestrians cross the roads?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Redesigning the Market Place to make more of it pedestrianised?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other suggestions to improve road safety around the Market Place;

SECTION 3 - TRANSPORT continued

PARKING

We already know that parking in and around Bingham is a problem. What possible solutions to ease the problem would you support?

3.5 Charging for town centre car parks after an initial free period of 2 or 3 hours to encourage more free spaces for shoppers/visitors through the day?

Yes No

3.6 A long-stay chargeable car park outside the town centre?

Yes No

Other suggestions as to how parking could be improved?

CYCLING

3.7 How important to you is the issue of improving the cycling environment and facilities in Bingham?

Not very important Quite Important Very important

3.8 How would you like to see the cycling environment and facilities improved?
Please tick all you would like to see.

- | | |
|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Better/more cycle lanes | <input type="checkbox"/> Better cycle parking |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Slower speeds on the roads | <input type="checkbox"/> Improved cycle routes to the surrounding villages |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Provision of cycle lockers | |

3.9 Please make any other comments relating to transport issues.

SECTION 4 - ENVIRONMENT

ENVIRONMENTAL CLEANLINESS

4.1 Do you think litter and/or dog fouling is a problem in Bingham?

	Not really	I think it's a minor problem	I think it's a major problem
Litter	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Dog fouling	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

4.2 If you do think either is a problem, which areas are the most affected?

	Litter	Dog Fouling
Town Centre	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Linear Park	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Footpaths	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Roads/Pavements	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other open spaces (e.g. Butt Field)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Other (please state below)

RECYCLING AND WASTE DISPOSAL

4.3 Which of the following do you think are needed, and you would be likely to use, to improve the recycling/waste disposal services/facilities? Please tick all that apply.

- A local tip/recycling centre
- A monthly on-street bulk collection service
- Information about charitable groups that collect and recycle items
- On-street glass collection
- Local collection points for small items (e.g. small electrical appliances, pens, batteries, ink cartridges etc.)

4.4 Would you support a scheme to prohibit or reduce the use of plastic bags in Bingham's shops?

- Prohibit Reduce Neither - leave as is.

4.5 Would you take part in a 'Bingham Bag' scheme that gave a small discount for re-using a durable 'Bingham Bag' in local shops?

- Yes No

SECTION 4 - ENVIRONMENT continued

GREEN SPACE

4.6 Would you like to see more allotments provided?

Yes No

4.7 Would you be interested in being part of a community allotment/garden project?

Yes No

4.8 Which of the following would you like to see retained or improved to enhance the green space in Bingham? (See map on page 18) Please tick all that apply.

Note - there are some specific questions relating to Warner's Paddock in the planning section.

Improving Linear Park

Retaining open space by Wynhill Court for public use

More tree planting

Development of wildlife areas

Communal country park/gardens

Other (please specify)

4.9 Would you like to see a consultation exercise about how Bingham could reduce energy consumption and use greener energy?

Yes No

4.10 Please add any other comments relating to the environment

SECTION 5 - BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND EMPLOYMENT

INTERNET USE

5.1 Would you use a website dedicated to finding out more about Bingham businesses and their services?

Yes

No

5.2 If you are connected with a local business would you advertise your business on such a website for a nominal charge?

Yes

No

5.3 Would you be likely to use a 'Community Website' for Bingham covering community services/information as well as business matters?

Yes

No

5.4 Are you happy with the speed of your broadband service?

Yes

No

I don't have or use broadband

USE OF MARKET PLACE

5.5 Would you like to see the Market Place used more for entertainment?

Yes

No

5.6 If yes, what would you like to see it used for? (Please mark all that apply)

Family activities

Outdoor dining and drinking

Live entertainment

Other (please specify)

SECTION 5 - BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT AND EMPLOYMENT continued

BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT

5.7 From the consultation done so far in preparing this questionnaire, there appears to be demand for workspace for start-up businesses in Bingham. Would you be interested in occupying such a space if made available?

Yes

No

5.8 What type of new businesses/shops would you like to see developed in Bingham?

5.9 Any other comments about business development or employment?

SECTION 6 - PLANNING

MAJOR PLANNED DEVELOPMENT NORTH OF THE RAILWAY LINE

Planning permission has now been given to the Crown Estate by Rushcliffe Borough Council for a major new development off Chapel Lane next to the Moorbridge Road Industrial Estate. 1050 new homes, a new employment area, open space and community facilities are planned (see map on page 18).

Details can be found at

<http://www.rushcliffe.gov.uk/developmentcontrol/potentiallargedevelopments>.

The Crown Estate are selling land to developers who will need to develop more detailed plans which the Borough Council and Bingham Town Council could influence.

6.1 What types of homes do you think the local councils should be calling for the developers to prioritise?

	Low Priority	Medium Priority	High Priority
Affordable housing for local people to rent and buy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Smaller 1 and 2 bedroom starter homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Bungalows	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Larger 3, 4 and 5 bedroom family homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Warden-aided housing particularly suited for older people	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other types of supported housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Homes with larger gardens	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6.2 Do you think developers should be providing the following?

	Yes	No
Land for self-build homes	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Standard, traditional housing designs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The latest modern housing designs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adequate on-street as well as private car parking provision for houses	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

6.3 Providing good pedestrian and cycle access across the railway line will be essential to link the new development area as well as existing facilities at Butt Field and the industrial estate. Network Rail are keen to reduce the number of pedestrian crossings on safety grounds.

Which of the following pedestrian crossings would you most like to see retained? (See map on page 18 and mark all that apply below)

- Moor Lane
- Cogley Lane
- St. Mary's Road
- None

SECTION 6 - PLANNING continued

6.4 How important is it to you that an accessible bridge or lift is provided at the railway station to provide access to the Grantham bound platform, Butt Field, the industrial estate and the new development area for people with limited mobility, pedestrians and cyclists?

- Not very important
- Important
- Very important

THE FUTURE OF WARNER'S Paddock

Warner's Paddock is the open space next to the bowling club off Long Acre (see map on page 18).

6.5 The Crown Estate owns Warner's Paddock and has indicated a desire to see some development on part of this site. Which of these potential options would you favour?

- Leaving the land as it is
 - Developing the land for community use - e.g. a community centre and grounds
 - Developing the land for housing
- Other (please specify)

LEISURE CENTRES

6.6 Around 3 acres of land may be available for 'leisure use' in the new development north of the railway line (in addition to the proposed country park). How would you like to see this land used? Please mark all you would support.

- A small building (e.g. club house/changing rooms) with leisure/sports fields.
- A recreational field with no buildings.
- A new leisure centre with no playing fields.

6.7 A new leisure centre could be built in the proposed new development, it would be smaller, probably have no pool and have minimal outdoor space. Which of the following options would you prefer?

- A new (but smaller) leisure centre in the new development area.
- Upgrade existing leisure centre (near Toot Hill School).

SECTION 6 - PLANNING continued

FUTURE PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

6.8 The Crown Estate owns the majority of land around Bingham. In the future they may want to propose further land for development in addition to the approved major development north of the railway line referred to above.

Do you believe that Bingham people should have a greater say in any future development proposals?

Yes No

6.9 If yes, would you want the Town Council to use its powers to prepare a statutory 'Neighbourhood Plan' which could provide an opportunity for local people to better influence any further development proposals?

(For more information about neighbourhood planning go to www.gov.uk/government/publications/neighbourhood-planning)

Yes No

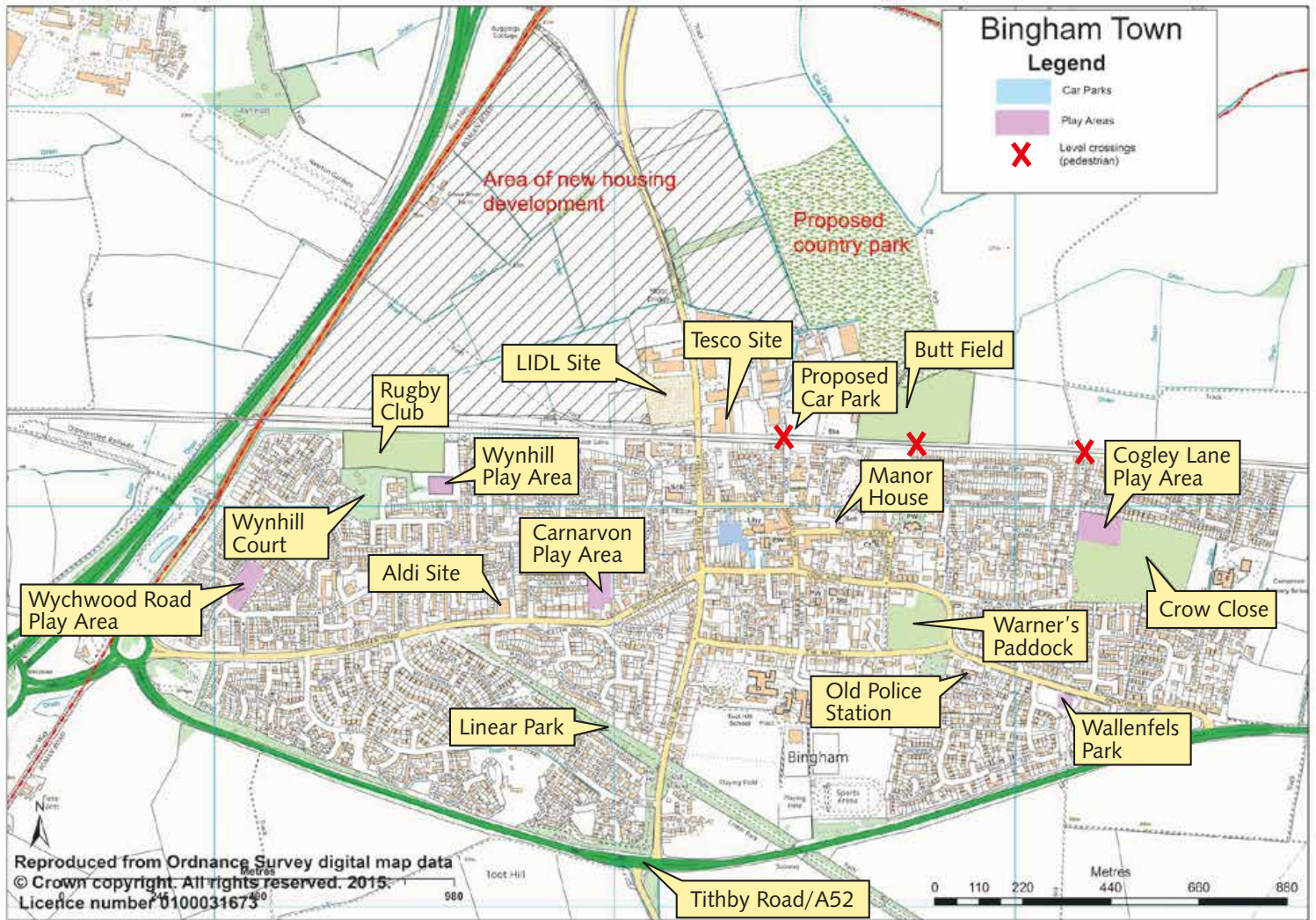
6.10 Please make any other comments relating to planning issues.

SECTION 7 - ANYTHING ELSE?

Is there anything else you would like to say in connection with the questionnaire, issues not covered or anything which will help the Community Led Plan reflect your concerns?

THANK YOU FOR COMPLETING THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

LOOK OUT FOR THE RESULTS OF THE QUESTIONNAIRE IN THE NEW YEAR ON OUR WEBSITE.



Do you want to enter our free prize draw?

We are offering the chance to enter a free prize draw as a thank you for completing the questionnaire. The prize consists of £50 for you and £50 donated to a Bingham-based club, charity or good cause of your choice.

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QUESTIONNAIRE DROP OFF POINTS

Drop off points are in the Library, the Rushcliffe desk at Bingham Health Centre and at a stall at the Thursday market on 17th & 24th September and on the Saturday Farmers Market on 19th September.

HELP WITH THE QUESTIONNAIRE

We will be present at the market on Thursday 17th and 24th September and also at the Farmers Market on Saturday 19th September. We will be able to assist if you need help completing the questionnaire.

COLLECTION OF PAPER COPIES

The completed paper questionnaires will be collected on Saturday 26th September. Please put your completed questionnaire in the bag provided outside your front door for us to collect. If we don't see the completed questionnaire or the tear off page in your window we will call at your door.

DATA PROTECTION

All survey data will remain anonymous, so no individual taking part in the survey can be identified. No personal information will be passed on to other persons, organisations or companies. The personal information given by those taking part in the draw will be deleted immediately after the draw. All information will be treated in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998.

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