

## Pillerton Hersey Parish Council – residence engagement

The Parish Council are interested in what you, the residents, believe is important for village life. What would you like to improve? What do you wish to maintain and remain the same? Are there any community activities or support activities you could contribute to, or wish to receive.

We have considered sending out questionnaires, surveys and knocking on your doors and introducing ourselves to you. We need your support & engagement so we can get your views of what is important to you?

### *Our proposal for getting your thoughts:*

The Pillerton Hersey Parish Council wish to invite you to an open forum, a “**Walk in Event**”. Here members of the parish can come to meet and greet their councillors. The Parish Councillors are in place to represent you and to benefit the village- we need to get to know you and what is important to you.

At the “**Walk in Event**” we can discuss topical issues over a cup of tea and cake. We would like you to give us your thoughts and feelings so that we can collate these and publish the pressing topics. These will then act as a mandate for the Parish Council to deliver.

What are you interested in? What is important to you? Do you have any concerns? What could you help with to make life in our village better.

### *We have captured some ideas as thought provokers .....no idea is stupid*

- *Suggest register of talents and exchanges :*
  - Book exchange*
  - Knowledge exchange*
  - Mentoring exchange*
  - Skills exchange*
  - Dog walking*
  - Child minding*
  - Car sharing*
  - Fruit/vegetable garden produce exchange*
  - Furniture exchange*
  - Swimming lessons*

*Pest control*  
*Shopping for elderly*  
*Gardening*  
*Transportation*  
*Volunteer help group – keeping the village beautiful*

- *What is important to the residence :*  
*Social care/GPs/Ambulance/Health*  
*Transport/Speed/Weight/Frequency/ Activities*  
*Infrastructure/roads/sewers/water/electricity/broadband*  
*Environment/trees/flora/fauna/farming*  
*Noise pollution*  
*Police/security/response/neighbourhood watch/named PC*  
*Local council services/Refuse/Recycling/litter collection/grass cutting*  
*Local liaison with adjoining villages/contact with neighbouring village Parish councils*  
*Disaster planning/flood/wind/earthquake/fire*  
*Housing/need/requirements/practicality/controls*  
*Local businesses/need/requirements/controls*  
*Talents available/volunteered locally*  
*Are you prepared to support volunteer groups*

It is your village – what do you want to get from it? What are you happy to offer and contribute to get involved with the community. We live in a lovely location, what can we do to continue to have such a beautiful place to live?

**“Walk in Event” coming soon .....**