



Bishop's Itchington

Neighbourhood Development Plan

Bishop's Itchington really needs a Neighbourhood Development Plan. It will mean we can shape development over the next 15 years.



Bishop's Itchington needs you

It is **very important** that we know what **you** think about Bishop's Itchington and what you want to see here in the coming years.

This survey is for every household to fill in. Please DON'T PUT IT IN THE BIN – FILL IT IN!

WIN DINNER FOR TWO AT THE BUTCHER'S ARMS

With thanks to Brian and Selena, everyone who completes and returns the survey has a chance to win a meal for two at The Butcher's Arms. If you wish to enter the prize draw, please complete the information below on the next page. This will be separated from your responses, which will remain anonymous.

Name	
Telephone number	
Email address	

(Do not detach this section – the winner will drawn at random after the surveys are collected and the winner will be announced on the Facebook page (www.facebook.com/bindp) and in the September edition of *Scene*)

The survey is easy to fill in and **no one** who fills it in will be identified (the prize draw information will be detached and kept separate). If anyone else in your household wants to fill in their own survey then please just ask for another one. Contact us at bindp@hotmail.co.uk or call (01926) 614690.

If you have any questions or need help filling in this survey, please ask us:

Adam Dugmore, (01926) 614690 or Alan Heatley, (01926) 613019

Once you have completed your copy of the survey you can drop it into any of the collection boxes at the Butcher's Arms, Bishop's Itchington News, the Greaves Club, or anywhere you see a poster indicating that it is a questionnaire return point. Please return your forms by the **31st JULY**. We will also be doing door-to-door collections.

Once everyone in Bishop's Itchington has agreed the plan, it will be a statutory document since it will become part of the Local Development Framework for the District. This means that housing developers and council planners **MUST** take notice of it. Without a Neighbourhood Development Plan we are less able to control what happens here. It really is very important. This means we need every household to fill in and return this survey.

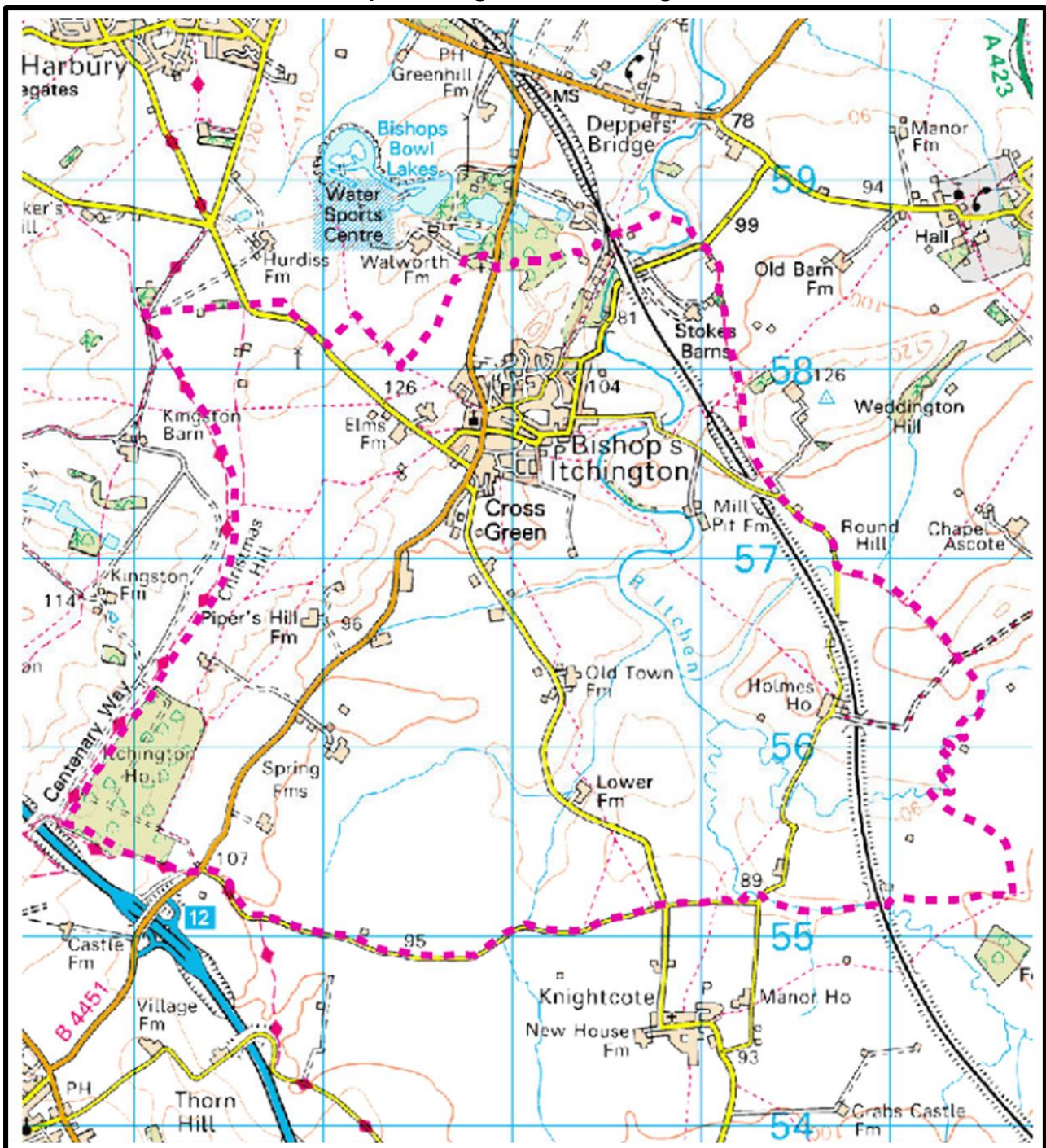
The Neighbourhood Development Plan covers the whole parish, not just the village (please see the map, below).

Your views are important and will help:

- Come up with an idea of what you want for Bishop's Itchington
- Have a say in what housing should be built
- Choose where any new homes, shops etc should be built
- Decide what other things you need here, such as leisure and play facilities
- Decide what areas you want to see protected

Thank you for your help shaping the future of Bishop's Itchington community

Bishop's Itchington Parish designation



Part 1. About your household

It is important that we gain the views of the community; therefore, we would be very grateful if you would complete this information. This information will remain confidential.

1. What is your postcode?

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2. How many people in your household work in Bishop's Itchington? (*please write a number*)

At a business in the parish		Work from home	
Not applicable			

3. Please tell us the number of people in your household who are:

Nursery / pre-school		Self-employed	
Primary school		Unemployed	
Secondary school		Retired	
College / university		Long-term sick or disabled	
Full-time employee (30+ hours per week)		Looking after family / home	
Part-time employee (under 30 hours per week)		Other (<i>please state</i>):	

4. Please tell us the number of people in your household who go to school or work in:

Harbury		Warwick	
Gaydon		Leamington Spa	
Kineton		Rugby	
Southam		Daventry	
Banbury		Stratford-upon-Avon	
Coventry		Other (<i>please state</i>):	
Not applicable			

Unless it says otherwise, please answer the following questions by putting a tick (✓) in the relevant box or boxes.

Part 2. Bishop's Itchington parish

5. (a) To what degree do the following issues cause you concern? (*Tick one box per row*)

	No concern at all	Slight concern	Big concerns
Lack of parking			
Light pollution			
Noise pollution			
Anti-social behaviour			
Burglary			
Car crime			
Dog fouling			
Fly-tipping			
Litter			
Vandalism			

(b) If you have ticked 'big concern' for any of the above, or if you have other concerns not listed, please indicate why in the box below.

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Part 3. Housing

Housing is one part of a Neighbourhood Development Plan. The housing needs of local residents will be examined as part of the Housing Needs Survey that you will have received separately to this. **For this reason it is important to complete the Housing Needs Survey too.**

The questions below will ask for more detail on your opinions of housing in Bishop's Itchington and how any identified needs may be addressed in the future.

6. What mix of housing do you think would benefit Bishop's Itchington? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Need a lot more	Need a few more	Don't know / not sure	About right	Don't need any more
1-2 bed houses					
3-4 bed houses					
5+ bed houses					
Bungalows					
Eco friendly housing					
Flats / maisonettes					
Low cost / starter homes					
Rented accommodation					
Residential care					
Shared ownership (part buy / part rent)					
Sheltered / warden-controlled housing					

7. If new homes are built in Bishop's Itchington, local people should be given priority to (*Tick one box per row*)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Market / owned homes					
Housing association (rent / shared ownership)					
Retirement / sheltered homes					
Low cost / starter homes					

8. Do you think any redundant agricultural buildings such as barns should be converted into homes?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't know / not sure	<input type="checkbox"/>
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9. If Bishop's Itchington needs more housing then what size of housing developments do you think would be appropriate? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Appropriate	Not appropriate	Don't know / not sure
Individual home (1)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Small groups (2-4 homes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Minor developments (5-10 homes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Medium developments (11-25 homes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Large developments (26 or more homes)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

10. Are any specific areas in Bishop's Itchington that could be used if more housing was required?

11. Are there any specific areas in Bishop's Itchington that you think should **NOT** be developed for housing?

12. (a) Do you think that any future development in Bishop's Itchington should be in keeping with the character, heritage and setting of the surrounding countryside?

Yes	<input type="checkbox"/>	No	<input type="checkbox"/>	Don't know / not sure	<input type="checkbox"/>
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(b) Please write any comments you may have about future development below:

Part 4. Services

In circumstances where new developments do occur, there is a Community Infrastructure Levy (CIL). This can make money available to communities to improve existing or provide new services. Therefore, it is useful to know what you use and value in Bishop's Itchington.

13. (a) Which of the following do you think Bishop's Itchington need more of: (*Tick one box per row*)

	We need more of this now without more housing	We will need more if there is to be more housing	We have enough of these	Don't know / not sure
Allotments				
Superfast broadband internet				
Built leisure facilities (eg sports hall, hard play areas, tennis courts)				
Bus services				
Community facilities				
Local health facilities (eg GP, dentist)				
Local primary schools				
Local shops				
Parking areas				
Parks and play areas				

(b) If there are others not listed above please list in the box below

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14. How often do you and your household use or visit these facilities in Bishop's Itchington? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Never	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Up to six times per year
Bishop's Fryer (fish & chip shop)					
Bishop's Itchington News					
Cemetery					
Children's play area					
Community Centre					
Hard courts at the playing field					
Mobile library					
Post Office and shop					
St Michael's Church					
The Butcher's Arms					
The Co-Op					
The Greaves Club					
The Memorial Hall					

15. Looking ahead to the future, which of these would you like to see in the village? (*please tick all that apply*)

A dental surgery	
A library	
A pharmacy (chemist)	
More allotments	
More pre-school services	

More shops and/or more services	
More takeaway food outlets	
Recycling facilities	
Additional health facilities (<i>please state</i>):	

Part 5. Community groups

16. Do you or anyone in your household participate in any of these community groups? (*please tick all that apply*)

Baby and toddler group	
Beavers	
Bishop's Itchington Nature Group (BING)	
Bowling club	
Crafty Cuppa	
Darby and Joan Club	
Scouts	
Women's Institute	
Other: (<i>please state</i>)	

Badminton	
Bishop's Itchington Football Club	
Bishop's Itchington Sports Association (BISA)	
Brownies	
Cubs	
Rainbows	
Senior Residents	
Youth Club	

17. (a) Do you think there should be more facilities for residents over the age of 65 years or who are retired in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, what is needed?

18. (a) Do you think any more community groups are needed in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, what is needed?

19. (a) How much do you agree or disagree about the problems that community groups face in Bishop's Itchington? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree or disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
Facilities are too small for many activities					
Many groups are full so there is no space for new people to join the group					
Finding enough volunteers to run groups is always a problem					
Getting enough funding to start groups is always difficult					
Many groups don't have the resources they need to work properly					
The cost of running some groups means they may struggle and close					
The facilities in Bishop's are too expensive to hire					
Other (<i>please state</i>):					

(b) Please tell us of any groups that you think struggle with any of these problems.

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Part 6. The character and environment of Bishop's Itchington

20. How do you rate the public green open spaces in Bishop's Itchington Parish?

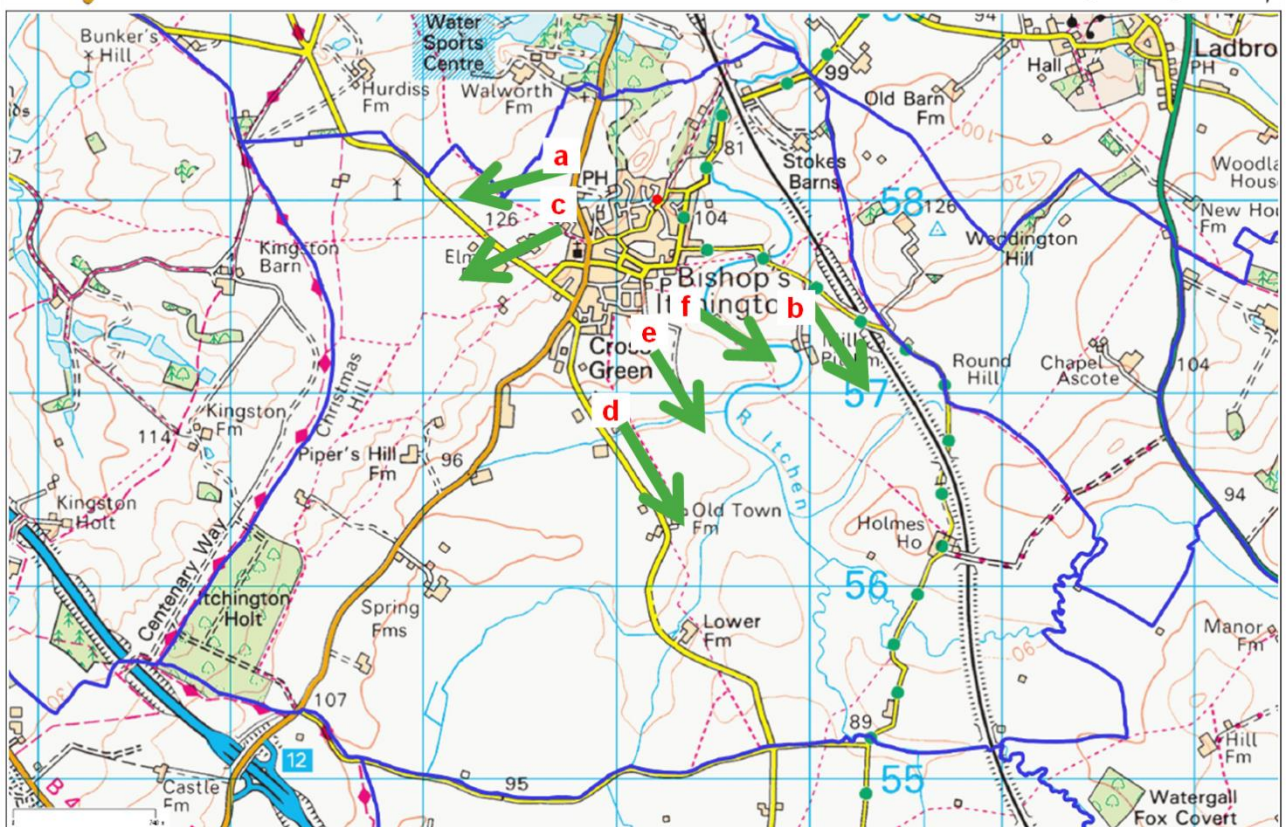
Very good	Good	Satisfactory	Poor	Very poor	Don't know / not sure

21. Do you use or visit any of these spaces? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Never	Daily	Weekly	Monthly	Up to six times per year
The Yellow Land					
Allotments / The Hidden Green					
Playing field					
Public footpaths and bridleways					

22. Previously, residents of Bishop's Itchington have identified the following views in and around Bishop's Itchington that should be kept. Do you agree or disagree? (please refer to the map)
(Tick one box per row)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure / don't know
a. View from Station Road looking west					
b. View from Hambridge Road looking south east					
c. View from Mount Pleasant looking west					
d. View from Knightcote Road looking south east					
e. View from Starbold Road towards Dadglow Farm					
f. View from playing field towards railway and Burton Dassett Hills					
g. Other (<i>please state</i>)					



23. The following parts of Bishop's Itchington should be kept for future generations: (*Tick one box per row*)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Not sure / don't know
Bishop's Fryer (fish & chip shop)					
Bishop's Itchington News (the paper shop)					
Children's play area					
Community Centre					
Post Office and shop					
The Butcher's Arms					
The Co-Op					
The Greaves Club					
The Memorial Hall					
The 'Yellow Land'					
Allotments / The Hidden Green					
The playing field, hard courts and children's play area					

24. What priorities should the Neighbourhood Plan have in protecting and enhancing the quality of the existing built environment? (*Please tick the **three** you consider most important*)

Define and preserve the boundary of the village	
Building design to be in keeping with the scale, location and appearance of existing buildings	
Use traditional, local building materials	
Promote a high level of energy conservation/environmental sustainability in new buildings	
Identify any current buildings that should be protected as a local listed building or community asset	
Ensure that business and residential development is in harmony with the rural character of Bishop's Itchington and sits well within the landscape	
Improve flood prevention measures within the design of buildings and elsewhere	
Minimum standards for public green space and gardens	

25. What priorities should the Neighbourhood Plan have in protecting and enhancing the quality of any new buildings? (*Please tick the **three** you consider most important*)

Design to be in keeping with the scale and appearance existing built environment	
Use traditional, local building materials	
Promote a high level of energy conservation/environmental sustainability in new buildings	
Ensure that business and residential development is in harmony with the rural character of Bishop's Itchington and sits well within the landscape	
Improve flood prevention measures within the design of buildings and elsewhere	
Minimum standards for living space in dwellings	
Minimum standards for public green space and gardens	

Green spaces are any open spaces that are accessible to the public. This includes playing fields, sports pitches, wildlife areas, parks, community gardens, greens, playgrounds and cemeteries. The National Planning Policy Framework (NPPF) gives local communities the opportunity to protect very important green areas by designating them as 'Local green spaces'. This prevents them being built on in all but exceptional circumstances.

26. What are the most important aspects of green spaces in Bishop's Itchington? (*Please tick the **three** most important only*)

Better day-to-day care of existing open green spaces	
More green spaces linked to green corridors	
A 'Green Spaces Plan' to manage the future of existing green spaces and promote more green spaces in new developments	
More work to protect local wildlife habitats	
More help to support volunteers and manage the open green spaces	
Separate spaces for wildlife and pets	
More allotments	

27. What are the **three** things that you think are most important to provide in and around green spaces in Bishop's Itchington?

Play equipment for children under 5 years of age	
Play equipment for children aged 5-12 years of age	
Equipment for teenagers	
Fitness equipment for adults	
Communal orchards and edible plants	
Benches	
Walking routes	
Cycle friendly paths	
More trees	
Wildlife areas, hedgerows, wild flower meadows, bird and bat boxes	
More litter and dog waste bins	
More rigorous policing of littering, dog-fouling and fly tipping laws	

28. Please describe any sites in Bishop's Itchington that you think should be protected as Local Green Spaces

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29. Bishop's Itchington needs more areas for: (*Tick one box per row*)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know / not sure
Cycling					
Dog walking					
Horse riding					
Picnics					
Sports					
Walking and exercise					
Watching wildlife					

30. Do you think the Neighbourhood Plan should aim to promote the following: (*Please tick all that apply*)

Maintain and improve present green space and recreational areas	
Enhance the protection of historic and natural features	
Enhance the protection of the landscape	
Provide better pedestrian and cycle access	
Positive management of local wildlife	
Improve flood prevention measures	
Other (<i>please state</i>)	

31. Are there any other buildings, places, views or other parts of the local environment, which you believe are important to protect? Please give details

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Part 7. Education

32. How many members of your household are under 12 years of age and go to any of these (*please put a number in the box*)

	In Bishop's Itchington	Outside Bishop's Itchington
A parent and toddler group		
A pre-school nursery		
A primary school		
An out of school club		

33. What do you think of these educational services in Bishop's Itchington? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Very good	Good	Satisfactory	Poor	Very poor	Don't know
Pre-school						
Day nursery provision / child minding						
Parent and toddler groups						
Primary school						
Breakfast club						
Holiday clubs						
Out of school club						
Adult learning opportunities						

34. (a) Do you think there should be additional facilities for children (under the age of 16 years) in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, what is needed?

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Part 8. Transport

35. (a) How many vehicles are there in your household? (*please insert numbers*)

Car		Motorbike	
Van		Mobility vehicle / wheelchair	
Bicycle		Other (<i>please state</i>):	

(b) How often are the vehicles in your household used? (*please tick to account for all vehicles*)

	Daily	A few times a week	A few times a month	Twice a year	Annually
Bicycle					
Car					
Van					
Motorbike					
Mobility vehicle / wheelchair					

36. What is the main form of transport that you use to travel? (*please tick only one per column*)

	In and around Bishop's Itchington	To and from Bishop's Itchington
Car		
Bus		
Bicycle		
Community transport (eg Ubus)		
Motorbike		
Mobility vehicle / wheelchair		
Walking		
Other (<i>please state</i>):		

37. How often do you use the bus service from Bishop's Itchington?

Never	Daily	A few times a week	A few times a month	Twice a year	Annually

38. What do you think of the local bus service?

Very good	Good	Satisfactory	Poor	Very poor	Don't know

39. How do you think the bus service can be improved?

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40. What do you think of the following in Bishop's Itchington? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Too many	About right	Too few	Don't know / not sure
Number of cycle paths				
Number of parking spaces				
State of pavements / footpaths				
Number of pedestrian crossings				
Number of speed humps and traffic calming measures				

41. To what degree do the following issues cause you concern? (*Tick one box per row*)

	No concern at all	Slight concern	Big concern
Speed of traffic			
Traffic calming measures			
Pavements / footpaths			
Pedestrian crossings			
Traffic near the primary school			

Part 9a. Jobs and employment in Bishop's Itchington

42. What do you think of the job opportunities in Bishop's Itchington?

Don't know / not sure	Very good	Good	OK	Poor	Very poor

43. a) Do you think the Neighbourhood Development Plan should support developments that create jobs and employment in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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b) If yes, how do you think this should be achieved? *(please tick all that apply)*

Growth of existing businesses	
Clustering near existing businesses (eg industrial estate and office areas)	
Brownfield (previously developed) site development	
Greenfield (previously undeveloped) site development	
Helping people work from home	
Other <i>(please state):</i>	

44. (a) Is there anything that would make Bishop's Itchington more attractive to new business developments?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, please say what:

45. (a) Are there other types of business, services or shops that you would like to see in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, please say what:

46. (a) Are there any suitable sites in Bishop's Itchington that you think could be used for new business development?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, please say where:

47. (a) Are there any places in Bishop's Itchington that you think should NOT be used for new business development?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, please say where:

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48. Do you think that any of the following could stop businesses growing in Bishop's Itchington?
(please tick all that apply)

A lack of affordable premises		Not enough business support	
Current planning policies		Poor broadband / mobile phone services	
Poor transport links		High rents and rates for businesses	
Lack of skilled workers		Other (please specify):	
Lack of suitable premises			

49. (a) Have you got any ideas for encouraging businesses to grow?

Yes		No		Don't know / not sure	
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(b) If yes, please tell us:

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Part 9b. Local businesses

This section is **ONLY** for people who own/operate a business in Bishop's Itchington parish.
If this does not apply to you, please leave blank

50. What type of business do you have? (please state how many)

Charity		Partnership	
Company		Sole trader	
Franchise		Other (please state):	

51. Please state the nature of the business (please tick all that apply)

Building, Construction & Property		Health & Care services	
Creative / Artistic		Maintenance	
Distribution		Property investment / development	
Engineering		Pubs, restaurant, B&B etc	
Farming / Agriculture		Repair or manufacturing	
Gardening		Retail	
Hair & Beauty		Travel	
Knowledge based (eg IT, business services, consultancy etc.)		Other (please state):	

52. How many employees (including yourself) do you have?

Full time (35 hours or more / week)	<input type="text"/>	Part time (less than 35 hours / week)	<input type="text"/>
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53. Where is your business located?

In your home	<input type="text"/>	In leased / rented premises	<input type="text"/>
At customers' premises	<input type="text"/>	In owned premises	<input type="text"/>

54. What other things are important to your business? (*Tick one box per row*)

	Very important	Important	Neither important or unimportant	Not very important	Not at all important
Transport links	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Internet and telephone services (including mobile phones)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other business in Bishop's Itchington	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Adequate utilities (eg electricity, gas, sewers, water pressure)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Parking for customers and employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Accessibility for people with disabilities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

55. (a) Are there any other forms of support that you and your business needs to be provided in Bishop's Itchington?

Yes	<input type="text"/>	No	<input type="text"/>	Don't know / not sure	<input type="text"/>
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(b) If yes, please tell us:

Thank you for completing this questionnaire.