

Question 1: The Vision

What is your vision for Fenland - what should Fenland be like in the future?

Consultee

Title

First Name Melanie

Surname Atwell

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50103-1

I think that fenland should preserve its Town centres and make them more attractive to tourists. Wisbech especially needs more policing to control unruly and dysfunctional behaviour in the Town centre. We need improvements to the roads including major resurfacing and better traffic control I.e better control of traffic flow especially on Freedom bridge /Lynn Road. We also need a third river crossing.

Consultee

Title

First Name Sandera

Surname Austin

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50068-1

The Vision does not mention or include vulnerable horse riders. This needs to be addressed fully as horse riders are put in danger on the roads by ignorant and impatient drivers and even cyclists!

Consultee

Title

First Name Hilary

Surname Bailey

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50039-1

In order to mitigate the real risk of inundation due to climate change, we need to act now, and plant hundreds of trees and re-establish hedgerows. To quote Martin Baker, Conservation Manager at The Wildlife Trust, (March 2019) "We live in the least wooded county in the least wooded country in Europe, with only 4.8% of the county counted as wildlife-rich habitats."

We should also be extremely cautious about replacing absorbent green space with hard standing.

I feel that the emphasis should be on stewardship of the land rather than a heavy push for growth. It will all become meaningless if flooding renders Fenland uninhabitable.

The secondary benefit of this is making Fenland a more pleasant place to live, and to secure the protection of wildlife with whom we share this space. Preservation of existing green spaces such as Wenny Road meadow in Chatteris are a crucial factor in promoting "health and well-being for all".

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Title		Title	
First Name	Serena	Name	
Surname	Bailey	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50007-1

I think Fenland should be a welcoming place which encourages community and an appreciation for the countryside and space around us. There should be spaces where people can enjoy our lovely countryside together.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Bryan	Name	
Surname	Baker	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50046-1

Grow and have more available infrastrucuture i.e. more schools.

Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Martin	Name	
Surname	Baker	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Wildlife Trust for Bedfordshire, Cambridgshire & Northamptonshire		

50081-1

Fenland has long had an aspiration to attract inward investment and to deal with some of the challenges around health and inequality. There is one area which can be at the forefront of this and that is enhancement of the local environment and in the process helping with the biodiversity and climate crises. The Market Towns and most of the larger villages in Fenland do not have strategic natural greenspaces or high quality accessible countryside to help attract the desired inward investment or help meet some of the health and wellbeing needs of the local population. Provision of more and better quality natural spaces must form a key part of the vision and will in turn help to meet multiple environmental, social and economic priorities.

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First Name Sharon, Patricia Joyce and Melanie

Surname Bester, Whittlesey and Curl - C/O NYC

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Mr

Name

Richard

Surname

Mowat

Organisation

Johnson Mowat

50117-1

The growth of Fenland and the ambition to attract inward investment is supported. Fenland should have an ambitious target for both housing and local employment matched by appropriate services and infrastructure improvements. It is therefore considered that the housing target should be greater than 550 dwellings over the plan period. Rather than solely focusing on the 4 Market Towns growth should also be focused and planned in the growth villages of which Wimblington should be given more focus.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Lee

Surname Bevens

Position

Organisation L Bevens Associates Architects Ltd

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50086-1

Fenland should look to lose its stigma, which it seems to have nationally. To do this there needs to be the investment in infrastructure, employment, housing and open space. Appropriate investment in infrastructure is the key driver in this with major improvements required to road linkages and cycle links between the 4 market towns and surrounding villages.

Consultee

Title

First Name Robert

Surname Boddington

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50122-1

Fenland as a whole should be a caring, sharing community. More local bus services, more car parking, more doctors' surgeries and all infrastructure improved. There should be more affordable housing and jobs for local people.

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Title

First Name Fiona

Surname Bryan

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50090-1

A better transport infrastructure e.g. roads and rail supporting an increased population and business. Growth should be planned long-term, including development of all towns, villages and setting up of new towns/villages.

Consultee

Title

First Name Andrew

Surname Burrell

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50083-1

Fenland should be a peaceful place made up of small villages, with their community and open countryside for the well being of the residents and towns with a more populated area and new developments into the towns existing infrastructure

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Title	Mr	Title	
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Surname	Cannard	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Cambridgeshire & Peterborough Combined Authority		

50022-1

The Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority ambition is to make Cambridgeshire and Peterborough a leading place in the world to live, learn and work. To enable this to happen the Combined Authority, in partnership with councils, businesses and residents, is leading work on doubling of the economy over 25 years; supporting the accelerated delivery of housing (particularly more affordable housing); and identifying the need to tackle economic, environmental and social inequalities. Fenland as a place has a key part in this ambition, and the Combined Authority is working closely with Fenland District Council in facing the challenges and opportunities of the area to 2040.

The Combined Authority therefore wishes to see its ambition supported by the vision and objectives of the new Fenland Local Plan. The Authority has produced a 'Growth Ambition Statement' that describes its approach. The objectives for Fenland to 2040 should be compatible with this statement and the supporting strategies of the Combined Authority.

As part of delivering on the ambition, the Combined Authority is already directly investing in strategic infrastructure that will benefit Fenland, including significant investment in the road and rail network. The Combined Authority is also supporting work looking at the economic future of market towns, alongside a wider approach to supporting the skills and training needs across the area. The vision and objectives can be informed by these investments, including their impact on future patterns of economic and housing growth.

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Consultee

Title

First Name

Surname Cannon Kirk

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name Andrew

Surname Hodgson

Organisation Pegasus Group

50027-1

The Local Plan should encourage sustainable growth, both employment and housing, in order to achieve long-lasting benefits for the District. It is important that a flexible balance between housing and job growth is achieved in all sustainable locations.

The focus of housing and employment growth should remain at the main market towns and larger more sustainable villages in the district.

The principle reason that major sites have not come forward is viability and floodplain. These issues must be addressed through the Local Plan.

Fenland is in a unique position in respect of flood plain where the majority of land is actually well defended however this position is not taken into account by National Guidance or the current local plan with sites being refused due to their position in the floodplain and not meeting the sequential test.

We have made separate reps to the viability consultation.

Large Strategic allocations with no prospect of delivery (West March) should be deleted to favour of sites which can meet the delivery tests in the NPPF.

Consultee

Title

First Name James

Surname Carney

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50066-1

To be as equally prosperous and forward thinking in terms of providing quality housing & employment as seen in our neighbouring districts i.e. Huntingdonshire, East Cambs, King's Lynn & West Norfolk, South Holland...

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Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Phil	Name	
Surname	Clark	Surname	
Position	Coordinator	Organisation	
Organisation	Natural Cambridgeshire (LNP)		

50020-1

We find it concerning and frustrating that there is no mention of the Rights of Way network in the document and the economic, social and environmental benefits that a well maintained and easy to use network would provide.

We know that Fenland (specifically the drained areas) is very poorly served by ROW, with the large number of drainage ditches needing to be crossed being one of the hindrances to establishing new routes. The potential new agriculture support schemes are looking to fund landowners partially on the basis of public benefits gained and the creation of public routes in particular radiating out from settlements and around nature conservation areas should be a priority. The Fenland area is strangely "wild" given the intensity of agriculture, and the open vistas and birdlife should be enjoyed by both more local people and a greater number of visitors. The flatness of the landscape makes it suitable for walkers, cyclists and riders, including those of more limited mobility who might find hills too much of a challenge.

We would therefore have a vision for a Fenland that has an easily accessible right so way network that provided routes for all non-motorised users (walkers, cyclists and equestrian).

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Steve	Name	
Surname	Count	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50110-1

Better connected with improved health outcomes and raised productivity.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	John	Name	
Surname	Covill	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50067-1

It should have a system that takes in all modes of travel particularly that horse riders need a diverse system of safe off road paths to ride on.

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Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Charlotte	Name	
Surname	Dew	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Larkfleet Homes		

50124-1

To be a vibrant, growing area that is an attractive place to live, work and relax for all members of society.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Anne	Name	
Surname	Dew	Surname	
Position	Development Planning Manager - East	Organisation	
Organisation	Persimmon Homes		

50121-1

Along the lines of the vision set out in the current adopted Fenland Local Plan.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Eamonn	Name	
Surname	Dorling	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50010-1

It should provide employment opportunities in sustainable occupations using expertise of local residents. The environment should respect the individuals that live here providing healthy living, good transport and affordable housing.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Lesley	Name	
Surname	Dorling	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50009-1

Ensuring infrastructure is in place to allow Fenland to grow. Housing, education, access to jobs for local people.

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Consultee		Agent	
Title	Councillor	Title	
First Name	James	Name	
Surname	Downes	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Leverington Parish Council		

50018-1

Grow and be more dynamic - Fenland needs to look to infrastructure i.e. road, rail, schools, water, sewage and power supply. Encourage more industry, employment.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Valerie	Name	
Surname	Emmons	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50127-1

A place with more trees, to decrease soil erosion, aid in preventing climate change and provide more habitats for wildlife.

A good public transport system so that the number of cars and degree of pollution will be reduced, so that people without cars can get to work, to hospital, and access other towns and friends. The current timetable, woefully lacking as it is, seems to discourage people from using buses, as, even if they can travel outwards, it is often extremely difficult to get back!

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Maxim	Name	
Surname	Emmons	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50119-1

Should remain rural but the town centres need revitalising with shops etc. not being unviable through unrealistic rents/ rates. Better local transport systems, increasing frequency, and increased number of destinations. Definitely more trees and hedges throughout.

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Consultee

Title

First Name Susanah

Surname Farmer

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50100-1

Better transport links (rail and upgrading roads). More access to countryside (accessible, safe, routes for walkers and/or horses, plus country park area). New town development to meet requirements for now and the future without compromising historical integrity of old towns. A major Fenland attraction would be great (activity or entertainment - like Centre Parcs). Encourage Cambridge University to invest in the Fens - quality agritech centre.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Colum

Surname Fitzsimons

Position

Organisation Cambridgeshire County Council

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50031-1

Local Lead Flood Authority Fenland should promote growth and economic development whilst also acknowledging the future implications of climate change and sea level rise for Fenland. Emphasis on improving education - could link this with expansion of green space and SuDS - education of climate change and flood risk implications, connecting local people more with greenspace to improve health and wellbeing. Connect people more with natural beauty of the Fens. Flood risk and Sea Level Rise resilient communities - promotion of sustainable farming and working with farmers to adapt to the impacts of climate change in Fenland. Work with local people in vulnerable communities to put actions in place to protect their homes and villages from future changes. All development should account for the impacts of climate change and Sea Level Rise and should be built to be resilient to this. Ideally development would be avoided in areas predicted to be most threatened by Sea Level Rise. Incorporate other forms of growth into areas predicted to be hit hardest by SLR such as promotion of greenspaces, natural environments and wetland etc - promotion of biodiversity and encourage communities to engage with nature.

Consultee

Title

First Name

Surname Foster Property Developments Ltd

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name Matt

Surname Hare

Organisation Carter Jonas LLP

50114-1

The scope and content of the proposed Vision is supported.

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Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Roger	Name	
Surname	George	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50101-1

Fenland has a lot of history and many limitations, such as flood risk, water management, agriculture and limited transport infrastructure (poor roads, limited rail lines, small and few stations with poor service by Greater Anglia). Therefore, I suggest not much change as regards housing and employment but a concentration on transport and infrastructure.

Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Iain	Name	
Surname	Green	Surname	
Position	Senior Public Health Officer	Organisation	
Organisation	Cambridgeshire County Council (Public Health)		

50032-1

Fenland residents should have life expectancy in line with the national average, reduced levels of health inequalities and these health inequalities are tackled by improving the health of the poorest members of the community fastest.

Residents will have lower levels of smoking, alcohol addiction and obesity compared to current levels. All residents will have access to person-centred care, closer to home that is simpler and easier to navigate. Children in Fenland will have the best start in life and all residents will be supported to have healthier lifestyles through the built environment, which will provide increased opportunities to take physical activity, eat a healthy diet.

Infrastructure in new communities is designed to meet the needs of the community now and in the future, communities are supported to become a self-supporting, healthy and resilient community by helping to build people's capacity to help themselves and others in order to create a good place to live, improve outcomes, support economic prosperity and make people less reliant on public services and where people's needs are greater than can be met within community resources they are supported by the right services and are helped to return to independence.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Kathryn	Name	
Surname	Hearn	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50093-1

Fenland should be an equal part of Cambridgeshire instead being a deprived back water that has appalling transport links.

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Consultee

Title Mr
First Name Mark
Surname Hemment
Position
Organisation

Agent

Title
Name
Surname
Organisation

50033-1

Thoughtful growth, with consideration for people's wellbeing and to the environment. This means preserving the habitats of Fenland, both those in towns and villages, and across the fens. Growth should not consume resources local communities' value; such as Wenny Road Meadow in Chatteris.

Consultee

Title Mrs
First Name M Sadie
Surname Heritage
Position
Organisation

Agent

Title
Name
Surname
Organisation

50012-1

Fenland is a rural area. This should be maintained and encouraged.

Consultee

Title
First Name Stephen
Surname Hodson
Position
Organisation Hodsons

Agent

Title
Name
Surname
Organisation

50128-1

Steady growth in all areas especially education and employment.

Consultee

Title Cllr
First Name Samantha
Surname Hoy
Position
Organisation FDC/WTC

Agent

Title
Name
Surname
Organisation

50112-1

big clear blue skies place for tourism healthy place to live

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Consultee

Title Ms

First Name Ruth

Surname Hufton

Position

Organisation Doddington Parish Council

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50003-1

Fenland will remain a good agricultural community, with associated industry. It will become more important as GB needs to feed itself. It will align itself more with the scientific hub which is Cambridge as a proving ground for the advancement of food production. The road structure will be improved so that Fenland is no longer a backwater, difficult to reach, and therefore unable to attract further industry, and the rail system will improve, to open up more of the area to commuters. The inherent rural nature of the area should remain, so that green and nature reserves are still in situ to enable residents to enjoy the peace and tranquillity of living in a rural area.

Consultee

Title Ms

First Name Shanna

Surname Jackson

Position Chartered Town Planner

Organisation Swann Edwards Architecture Limited

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50056-1

Pro growth, supportive of existing businesses, educational and healthcare facilities.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Simon

Surname King

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50069-1

More prosperous and a population with higher aspirations

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Consultee

Title

First Name

Surname Kings Dyke Business Park Ltd

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title Mr

Name Ed

Surname Durrant

Organisation Pegasus Group

50125-1

For Fenland to continue to be a successful place it needs to provide a sufficient range of employment opportunities that are well located to the strategic transport network and higher order settlements. The Council should seek to expand established employment areas that are either well located to the larger settlements in the district or are well connected by both public and private transport.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Peter

Surname Lankfer

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title Mr

Name Tom

Surname Nellist

Organisation Trundley Design

50079-1

Fenland should be a diverse, supportive community with opportunities for people of all ages to succeed and prosper

Consultee

Title

First Name Karen

Surname Luck

Position

Organisation Romain

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50089-1

An area which promotes environmentally friendly development, has regard to drastically lowering its carbon foot print and grows gradually to meet the needs of its population.

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Consultee		Agent	
Title	Ms	Title	
First Name	Debbie	Name	
Surname	Mack	Surname	
Position	Historic Environment Planning Adviser	Organisation	
Organisation	Historic England		

50044-1

We suggest that the Vision for Fenland should include reference to growth in Fenland to reflect the historic environment and landscape character of the area.

Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Tim	Name	
Surname	Marks	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	MVV Environment Ltd		

50035-1

The general approach set out is reasonable however sustainable growth needs to be supported by sustainable infrastructure. The Vision should incorporate a need to accommodate alternative forms of renewable decentralised energy generation, to be located good proximity to major areas of growth to serve existing and new businesses and the community. The types of technology should not be prescriptive.

Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Ian	Name	
Surname	Mason	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50038-1

To address the threat from global warming a lot more has to be done to conserve the environment and enable people to travel without increasing the carbon footprint. Planting trees and shrubs to process harmful emissions into oxygen, also to soak up water and not covering over earth with un-necessary paving or tarmac would be essential. Providing public transport and green alternatives such as cycleways would alleviate the threat from increased vehicle pollution, especially for Chatteris which has no reliable public transport or simple means of connecting to other places.

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Consultee

Title

First Name Jane Ann

Surname Mason

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50042-1

Fenland is unique in character, being land reclaimed from the sea. Climate change has seen increased rainfall and rising sea levels. Proposed building developments threaten existing communities since they destroy open land which currently mitigates flood risk. Therefore we need more green spaces, trees and hedgerows. Any new developments need to be carefully assessed for their impact on the environment and not just seen as a get rich quick option by local town councillors. New housing equates to an increased population who need more air polluting cars. We will need safe cycle paths to encourage the use of bicycles and a decent bus service which would incentivise people to leave their cars at home.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name John

Surname Maxey

Position

Organisation Maxey Grounds

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50073-1

Prosperous and growing District with increasing and wide selection of commercial premises to attract business, skilled personnel to staff those businesses, quality housing to house the staff and good communication and transport links to connect us to the rest of the country.

Consultee

Title Mrs

First Name J

Surname Melton

Position

Organisation Chatteris Town Council

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50129-1

A vibrant place to live, work and play with good quality housing, job opportunities, leisure facilities and good transport links.

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Consultee

Title

First Name Alan

Surname Melton

Position

Organisation Manea Parish Council

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50126-1

Green, accessible and vibrant.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Geoff

Surname Newham

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50015-1

While I am aware of the drive for an increased housing stock to meet a diverse range of needs, its imperative that the very nature, the essence, of what is typically Fenland should be preserved, even enhanced.

We live in a highly productive agricultural community, set in a unique landscape. Its value and character requires respect and conservation.

Consultee

Title Ms

First Name Janet

Surname Nuttall

Position Sustainable Land Use Advisor

Organisation Natural England

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50023-1

The current Local Plan vision aspires to a more sustainable Fenland, a protected and enhanced natural environment and open space provision. Whilst we welcome this we believe the vision for Fenland's natural environment should be significantly more ambitious and strategic; protection and enhancement of local landscape and designated sites such as SSSIs, SACs, SPAs, Ramsar sites, local wildlife sites and nationally important peat soils should be at the heart of the Local Plan Vision.

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The Vision should incorporate additional aspirations to protect and enhance other aspects of the natural environment including geodiversity, local landscape and Best and Most Versatile land and to contribute towards mitigation and adaptation to climate change

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Consultee

Title

First Name Stephen

Surname Patrick

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50104-1

Vibrant with a positive atmosphere with the council(s) providing simple basic essential services to make it a pleasant and comfortable place. i.e public toilets and street cleaning.

Consultee

Title

First Name Julie

Surname Pope

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50097-1

A place that provides work and recreational facilities to create a pleasant environment for all

Consultee

Title Mrs

First Name J

Surname Richardson

Position

Organisation Benwick Parish Council

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50040-1

Fenland is still a rural community but technology allowing the towns and villages to become more integrated enabling all to benefit in a more cost effective way. Place for local people with employment for local people. Keeping green belt land for food production and not risking flood plains.

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Consultee

Title

First Name Bryan

Surname Rose

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50082-1

The Fenlands is an outstanding area of natural beauty and this should be maintained not only for this area but for the nation. The indiscriminate building of dwellings needs to be stopped, so this heritage can be kept. The Fenlands has a number of unoccupied or derelict housing which can more than meet housing demands and focus should be concentrated on these developments before new buildings are considered. This will ensure that the growth is in places where it would be sustainable.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Jonathan

Surname Stone

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50026-1

Our Vision for Fenland aligns with the NHS Long Term Plan. Fenland should become an Integrated Care System with residents who are able to access health, care, community and broader services locally, and easily. People living in Fenland should be empowered to have more control over their own health and the care they receive; and they should have an average life expectancy which aligns with the national average, along with reduced levels of health deprivation, and a reduction in levels of smoking, alcohol problems, and obesity compared to the area's current levels. Children and young people in Fenland should have the best start in life; older people should be supported to be independent, safe and well; and all residents should be supported to have healthier lifestyles.

Consultee

Title

First Name Paula

Surname Syred

Position

Organisation Fox Narrowboats

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50087-1

Better transport links including the waterways, acknowledgment of the importance of tourism and creating a healthy environment for all

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Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Robert	Name	
Surname	Taylor	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50085-1

Fenland should recognise its rural heritage, build tourism, exploit the waterways, open up currently closed walkways along river banks and develop in areas that can assist with the tourism growth, allowing development of tourist accommodation within localised housing projects, encourage Bed & breakfast in existing housing.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Richard	Name	
Surname	Tester	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation			

50088-1

Fenland should have villages and towns which should be kept separated by open fields. Both rural and urban dwellers should have access to suitable standards of transport system, health facilities (GP/Dentist/A&E/Hospitals), education establishments, sewerage, water and other utility provision. It is important to accept that some people still wish to live in rural areas and not be forced into becoming small towns by over-development which seems to be what has been happening in the UK over the last decade. Development needs to be where the jobs are, otherwise the roads are going to be filled even further by residents who are having to travel a distance to find work. Also suitable provision and mix of shops for the area concerned. Future development should be focused on extending urban areas rather than rural areas.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name		Name	Kimberley
Surname	This Land Limited	Surname	Brown MRTPI
Position		Organisation	Carter Jonas LLP
Organisation			

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Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Katie	Name	
Surname	Thornley	Surname	
Position	Senior Finance Manager	Organisation	
Organisation	Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Sustainability and Transformation Partnership		

50034-1

Fenland residents should have life expectancy in line with the national average, reduced levels of health inequalities and these health inequalities are tackled by improving the health of the poorest members of the community fastest.

Residents will have lower levels of smoking, alcohol addiction and obesity compared to current levels. All residents will have access to person-centred care, closer to home that is simpler and easier to navigate. Children in Fenland will have the best start in life and all residents will be supported to have healthier lifestyles through the built environment, which will provide increased opportunities to take physical activity, eat a healthy diet.

Infrastructure in new communities is designed to meet the needs of the community now and in the future, communities are supported to become a self-supporting, healthy and resilient community by helping to build people's capacity to help themselves and others in order to create a good place to live, improve outcomes, support economic prosperity and make people less reliant on public services and where people's needs are greater than can be met within community resources they are supported by the right services and are helped to return to independence.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	Mr
First Name		Name	Simon
Surname	Triman Developments (UK) Limited and	Surname	Machen
Position		Organisation	Barmach Ltd
Organisation			

50084-1

Fenland should be a thriving district of well connected market towns and rural areas offering a high quality of life and varied employment opportunities for residents. It should make a positive contribution to the Cambridgeshire housing market through accelerated housing delivery aligned to infrastructure investment.

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Nolan	Name	
Surname	Tucker	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Deloitte		

50014-1

We believe that the new vision should set out in a clear and concise manner how development is expected to contribute to the wider aspirations for Fenland and set out how the Vision is also in line with the general requirements of the NPPF.

Question 1: The Vision

What is your vision for Fenland - what should Fenland be like in the future?

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Kate	Name	
Surname	Waller	Surname	
Position		Organisation	
Organisation	Elm Parish Council		

50030-1

The Parish Council would like to see: • improved road and rail transport links • improved healthcare and schools particularly in areas affected by a high proportion of new homes in villages • provision for elderly care • high speed internet access • steps taken to improve and protect the natural environment • improved flood protection measures

Consultee		Agent	
Title		Title	
First Name	Lynda	Name	
Surname	Warth	Surname	
Position	County Access & Bridleways Officer – C	Organisation	
Organisation	British Horse Society		

50050-1

No mention of the Rights of Way network or access to the countryside for ALL (pedestrians, cyclists and equestrians).

Consultee		Agent	
Title	Mr	Title	
First Name	Lawrence	Name	
Surname	Weetman	Surname	
Position	Chairman	Organisation	
Organisation	Chatteris Past, Present & Future		

50024-1

As a Civic Society, we want to see a Fenland that is full of vibrant, interesting and enthusiastic individuals who want to live here. Rather than simply act as an overflow for commuters who have little interest in Chatteris, we'd like everyone to work together to build a town that people are engaged with and proud to call home. This includes fostering a sense of community and building a town with an enticing proposition of local shops, services and amenities where people can socialise, spend their free time and feel a sense of belonging. It also means we should provide meaningful employment opportunities that build upon both our local identity, and our proximity to a wealth of industry and expertise from places such as Cambridge.

We think that developments in the Fenland area should maintain a healthy balance between the provision of commercial facilities and amenities and the retention of open green space and natural green spaces. They should be sympathetic to the background of The Fens. We should try to retain the things that keep Fenland interesting: the rural nature of The Fens, the Historic aspects of our towns and the uniqueness of the geography of this area.

Question 1: The Vision

What is your vision for Fenland - what should Fenland be like in the future?

Consultee

Title

First Name Alan

Surname Wheeldon

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50001-1

Traffic free zones and housing estates with plenty of green open spaces, with easy access to parks and nearby nature reserves. Town centres again pedestrianised with room for street cafes and restaurants. Housing developments that have plenty of room for cars. Green walkthroughs running between housing areas for dog walkers and cyclists. Industrial areas separate from residential areas with exit routes for lorries that do not go through town.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Ray

Surname Whitwell

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50107-1

Fenland will grow and promote its market towns and villages. Growth in homes and jobs will be closely linked to each other with new infrastructure such as road and schools. Development will only be encouraged where the infrastructure, especially roads, can accommodate it.

Consultee

Title Mr

First Name Ray

Surname Whitwell

Position

Organisation

Agent

Title

Name

Surname

Organisation

50108-1

Fenland will grow and promote its market towns and villages. Growth in homes and jobs will be closely linked to each other, with new infrastructure, particularly roads, schools, and doctors. Development will only be allowed where it is supported by adequate infrastructure especially roads.

Question 1: The Vision

What is your vision for Fenland - what should Fenland be like in the future?

Consultee

Title Mrs
First Name Pat
Surname Wilkinson
Position
Organisation Newton-in-the-Isle Parish Council

Agent

Title
Name
Surname
Organisation

50048-1

Appropriate and sensitive development to ensure villages remain thriving local communities.
