



The Shadwell Neighbourhood Plan Survey

(including businesses and other stakeholders)

Dear Shadwell resident, business or other stakeholder,

Do you have an opinion on the future of your village? Do you care how Shadwell will look and feel in 15 years' time? Are there changes that you would like/would not like to see?

The recent Localism Act has given communities, like ours, the right to unprecedented influence over the nature and extent of the development of our neighbourhood. This comes in the form of a "neighbourhood plan".

What is a neighbourhood plan?

A neighbourhood plan is two things: firstly it is a community vision for the future of the neighbourhood. Secondly it is a formal planning document setting out the agreed strategy which is then submitted to Leeds City Council for approval. Once approved, by a local referendum, neighbourhood plans form part of planning law and are the starting point when any future development is proposed within the neighbourhood. Shadwell Parish Council has been recognised as the qualifying body to produce a neighbourhood plan for the parish of Shadwell.

A **Shadwell Neighbourhood Plan** would bring numerous benefits to the village including:-

- ✓ The ability to influence how, when and where the village develops, and for what purpose
- ✓ The ability to preserve those aspects of the village which are important to us
- ✓ The ability to encourage services and development that are not currently here
- ✓ The ability to identify and seek to secure funding for community projects

But...

We don't have one yet because first we need you to tell us what you value about Shadwell. Please help us to create on your behalves, a plan which includes your views by taking a few moments to complete the attached questionnaire.

The Questionnaire has been designed by the Shadwell Neighbourhood Plan Group (SNPG) at minimal cost to the village. It is going out to all households, businesses and other stakeholders in Shadwell parish and gives you the opportunity to tell us how you feel about Shadwell, and how you'd like to see Shadwell parish in the future.

What's next? Please **complete** the questionnaire and **return** to one of the following locations by **14th February 2013**:

<i>The Post Office, Main Street Open 7.30 am to 7pm</i>	<i>The Library, Main Street Via letterbox at any time</i>	<i>c/o Debbie Potter, 15 Strickland Close, Shadwell, LS17 8JY</i>	<i>c/o Ian Halmshaw, 8 Blind Lane, Shadwell, LS17 8HE</i>
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There will be a surgery session to answer any questions arising from the questionnaire on the 19th January 2013 at the Scout Hut from 10am to 1pm. Once we have received the completed questionnaires we will use the responses as the basis for the first draft of the Shadwell Plan, upon which we will then consult the community again.

Who is SNPG? You may be wondering who we are. We are a diverse group of volunteer residents and other community stakeholders who are committed to developing an effective neighbourhood plan based on the views of Shadwell's residents. We are empowered by Shadwell Parish Council but are a distinct body whose remit is exclusively the development of a neighbourhood plan. SNPG is inclusive and is always pleased to welcome new members who feel they would like to contribute to any extent.

Further Information: on the Shadwell Neighbourhood Plan Group or any other aspect of the Shadwell Plan, is available on our website www.shadwellneighbourhoodplan.co.uk. Please also sign up for our regular newsletter via the website and/or like us on Facebook/Twitter to keep you abreast of forthcoming events and latest developments, including the next community open day.

Thank you for the time you have taken to read this and complete and return your questionnaire. It has not been wasted.

Section A – Your Village

1. What do you appreciate about living in Shadwell?

(Tick one box per row)

		Not important 1	2	3	4	Highly important 5
a	Rural atmosphere					
b	Good school catchment					
c	Good local shops and businesses providing a familiar service					
d	Good transport links to other urban centres					
e	Open/green spaces inside and surrounding the village					
f	Strong sense of community / village identity					
g	Working farms in and surrounding the village					
h	Separation from other surrounding villages by fields, countryside					
i	Overall balance of population and facilities					
j	Varied building styles throughout the village					
k	Variety of village activities/community groups					
l	Easy access to countryside					
m	Low level of crime					
n	Other (please write in)					

2. Which, if any, would you like to have more of in Shadwell in the future?

(Tick one box per row)

		Not important 1	2	3	4	Highly important 5
a	More pre-school facilities e.g. nurseries, playgroups					
b	More pre-teen facilities e.g. cub scouts, junior sports					
c	More facilities for teen/young adults e.g. youth centre					
d	More facilities for older people e.g. social activities					
e	More local shops					
f	More local schools					
g	More built leisure facilities e.g. sports buildings					
h	More parks and play areas					
i	More health facilities e.g. GP surgery, dentists					
j	Improved parking facilities					
l	Improved roads					
m	Improved pavements					
n	The development of a physical centre/heart to the village					
o	The development of a modern multipurpose community centre/meeting place					
p	Another pub/restaurant					

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

SECTION B – Community Needs

3. How important to you, individually / as a family, are the following current village facilities?
(choose one box per row)

		Not Important 1	2	3	4	Highly Important 5
a	The post office					
b	The primary school					
c	The Scout Hut					
d	The children’s playground					
e	The library					
f	The pub (the Red Lion)					
g	The Village Hall					
h	The Recreation Centre (Holywell Lane)					
i	The allotments (Holywell Lane)					
j	The Methodist Church and Church Hall					
k	St. Pauls Church					
l	Public footpaths/bridleways and cycle paths					
m	The green belt					
n	The wildlife habitat					
o	Trees and green spaces outside the greenbelt					
p	The conservation area (incl proposed Holywell Triangle Conservation Area)					
q	The Cricket Club					
r	The current bus services					
s	Fast broadband					
t	Parking capacity					
u	Road capacity					
v	Emergency services (e.g. Police, Fire, and Ambulance etc.)					

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

4. The Neighbourhood Plan allows us to identify important structures features and spaces and help to protect them. How important do you think it is that each of these are protected for future generations?
(tick one box in each row)

		Not Important 1	2	3	4	Highly Important 5
a	The Scout Hut					
b	The Village Hall					
c	St. Pauls Church					
d	Methodist Church					
e	The Cricket Club					

f	Red Lion Public House					
g	The Post Office					
h	Shadwell Primary School					
i	Shadwell Independent Library					
j	The tennis courts					
k	Shadwell Village Fish Shop					
l	The War Memorial					
m	Holywell Park (the children's playground)					
n	The village green					
o	The allotments					
p	Pitts Wood (Collier's Lane)					
q	Dan Quarry (Shadwell Lane)					
r	Recreational Hall, Holywell Lane					
s	The Green Belt					

Comments, if any (*please write in*)

Section C – Educational Needs

5. How well do you think the village is served with educational facilities?

(Tick one box in each row)

		Poor	Satisfactory	Good	Very Good	Don't Know
a	Play groups/ parent & toddler groups					
b	Day nursery provision					
c	Child minding					
d	Nursery places					
e	Child places available at primary school					
f	Breakfast clubs					
g	After school clubs					
h	Holiday clubs					
i	Access to Secondary Education					
j	Access to Further Education					
k	Evening classes					
l	General opportunities					

Comments, if any (*please write in*)

Section D – Transport needs

6. Shadwell’s public transport needs are currently served by two bus services, the 7S and the X99 (Wetherby Road):-

		Extremely Important 1	2	3	4	Not Important at all 5
a	How important are public transport links to members of your household?					
b	How satisfied are you with the frequency of the existing bus services form Shadwell?					
c	How satisfied are you with the range of destinations covered by the bus services					

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

7. In your opinion are any changes needed with regards to the following other transport issues?

(Please tick one box in each row)

		Significant Reduction 1	2	No change 3	4	Significant Increase 5
a	Speed of vehicles through Shadwell					
b	Parking capacity in Shadwell					
c	Road maintenance					
d	Cycle paths					
e	Public Rights of Way					
f	Speed humps/other traffic calming measures					
g	HGV traffic					
h	Pavements					

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

Section E – Other community businesses, services and facilities

8. Please provide details of other development opportunities for businesses, services and facilities that might benefit our community:-

Section F – Housing Needs

9. What do you think about the current composition of housing provision in Shadwell?

(Please tick one box in each row)

		Need more	About right	Too many already
a	Flats/apartments			
b	Bungalows			
c	Low cost / affordable / starter homes			
d	Family housing			
e	Luxury housing			
f	Rented accommodation			
g	Social housing			
h	Eco housing			
i	Single storey			
j	Two storey houses			
k	Three storey houses			
l	Retirement homes			

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

10. What style of accommodation would you like to see included in any new housing provision?

(Please tick one box in each row)

		Very Unsuitable 1	2	3	4	Ideal 5
a	Period style					
b	Modern style					
c	Detached					
d	Semi-detached					
e	Townhouse style					
f	Smaller gardens					
g	Larger gardens					

Comments, if any *(please write in)*

11. As and when new accommodation is built, what type of building scheme, if any, would you prefer? *(Please tick one box in each row)*

Very Unsuitable 1	2	3	4	Ideal 5

a	One large estate
b	A number of smaller developments
c	Individual released plots
d	Garden infill development
e	A phased development over 15years

Comments, if any (please write in)

Section G – Other Issues

12. Are there any other aspects of Shadwell which you feel strongly about and which are **NOT** covered by any of the above questions?

If so please comment below:-

Section H – The Key Issues

13. What do you consider to be the three key issues to be addressed by the Shadwell Neighbourhood Plan?

Please provide details below:-

- i. _____
- ii. _____
- iii. _____

Section I – Demographics

We would very much appreciate it if you could complete the following demographic questions. This information will demonstrate that we have gained the views of a cross section of the population, but rest assured it will not be used as part of the decision making process for the Village Plan.

What is your postcode?

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To which age group do you belong?

Under 20	20 – 29	30 – 39	40 – 49	50 – 59	60 – 69	70+

Please indicate whether you are completing this questionnaire on behalf of a household, a business or in another capacity:-

	Please tick one
Household	<input type="checkbox"/>
Business	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other –please provide details below	<input type="checkbox"/>

There will be a Surgery for any questions regarding this questionnaire at the Scout Hut (Next to the Red Lion Pub) from 10am until 1pm on Saturday 19th January.

Thank you for completing this Survey.