

Consultation Newsletter

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all existing members of the panel for your continued support, and welcome all new members of our Residents' and Business Panel. This newsletter aims to provide you with the results of our latest consultation exercises.

Street Name and Numbering Policy

We asked members of the public for their views on the Council's naming and numbering policy which sets out naming and numbering conventions to ensure that all properties have addresses which are unique and unambiguous

Responses	What you told us	What we did
98	<ul style="list-style-type: none">94.7 % of people agreed with the street naming conventions97.9% of respondents agreed with the building numbering conventions.97.9% of residents agreed with the building naming conventions.	The results of this consultation will help to form the basis of the Council's Street Name and Numbering Policy. The Policy will be put before Cabinet for approval.

Draft Statement of Licensing Policy (Gambling Act 2005) 2018

Residents of the Borough, community groups, stakeholders and responsible authorities were asked to provide their opinion on proposed changes to the Licensing Policy regarding Gambling establishments.

Responses	What you told us	What we did
20	<ul style="list-style-type: none">100% of people told us that changes to the policy made it more accessible and easier to understand.80% agreed that Council Officer's should be able to determine applications for more than 2 gaming machines in alcohol premises (like pubs) rather than a Licensing Sub Committee Hearing.100% of respondents agreed that the Licensing Authority should be able to restrict the number of betting machines based on factors such as size of premises, number of counter positions and staff supervision.	<p>The Statement of Licensing Policy (Gambling Act 2005) was reviewed by the Licensing Committee on 10 September 2018 and was recommended for approval by Cabinet and Full Council https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=115&MId=10558&Ver=4.</p> <p>The Policy was approved by Cabinet on 16th October 2018 https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=108&MId=10462.</p> <p>The Policy was then approved by Full Council on 5 November 2019 https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=235&MId=10467</p>

Draft Statement of Licensing Policy (Licensing Act 2003) 2018

Residents of the Borough, community groups, stakeholders and responsible authorities were asked to provide their opinion on proposed changes to the Licensing Policy.

Responses	What you told us	What we did
21	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 95% of people told us that changes to the policy made it more accessible and easier to understand. 100% of respondents agreed with the proposal to make the Cumulative Impact Policy separate to the Licensing Policy 95% agreed that types of de-regulated entertainment (as a result of changes in the legislation) are now clear. 	<p>The Licensing Policy was reviewed by the Licensing Committee on 10 September 2018 and was recommended for approval by Cabinet and Full Council https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=115&MId=10558&Ver=4.</p> <p>The Policy was approved by Cabinet on 16th October 2018 https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=108&MId=10462.</p> <p>The Policy was then approved by Full Council on 5 November 2019 https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=235&MId=10467</p>

Cumulative Impact Assessment 2018- Review

We asked residents of the Borough for their views on two proposals in respect of changes to the Cumulative Impact Policy

Responses	What you told us	What we did
259	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 9.9% of respondents did not agree with the proposal to dispense with the Whitby Town Centre Cumulative Impact Zone 78% of people did not agree with the proposal to reduce the size of the Scarborough Town Centre Cumulative Impact Zone 84.3% agreed that the Falsgrave Area should not be included in the Scarborough Town Centre Cumulative Impact Zone 	<p>The Cumulative Impact Assessment was reviewed by the Licensing Committee on 3rd December 2018 and following an amendment was recommended for approval by Cabinet and Full Council https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=115&MId=10558&Ver=4.</p> <p>The amended Policy was approved by Cabinet on 15 January 2019 and recommended for approval at Full Council https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=108&MId=10525</p>

Danby Group Parish Housing Needs Survey 2018

Residents in need of affordable housing within the Danby Parish were asked to complete the survey to determine whether there is a need for more affordable housing for local people in the parish

Responses	What you told us	What we did
22	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 90.9% advised that they wanted to remain within the Danby Parish 59.1% of respondents advised that they would need a house when asked what type of accommodation they require 	<p>The results of the survey have been used to inform the Council on the need for affordable housing within the Danby Parish, including the amount of houses and types of properties required</p>

Dog Control Public Space Protection Order (PSPO)

We asked residents of the Borough for their views on changes to our Dog Control Orders in respect of dogs on leads and seasonal dog bans.

Responses	What you told us	What we did
666	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 70% of people stated that they did not agree with the new boundaries of the seasonal dog ban on Whitby beach 96.8% of these people advised that they thought that the ban area should be reduced to its previous boundary 72.8% of respondents advised that they thought the current seasonal dog ban on Scarborough promenade should be changed to a seasonal dogs on lead area 81.7% of people want the all year dogs on lead restriction removing from the Promenade in front of Scarborough Spa 94.3% agreed that dogs should be on a lead in all pedestrianised areas 	<p>The review of the Dog PSPO went before Cabinet on 13 November 2018. Recommendations were made to approve the proposal to 'reinstate' the Whitby Beach dog ban area to its original boundaries and to approve further consultation on the entire PSPO in Summer 2020 which will include input from the Overview and Scrutiny Board.</p> <p>https://democracy.scarborough.gov.uk/ie/ListDocuments.aspx?CId=108&MId=10463</p> <p>The reinstatement of the Whitby Beach seasonal dog ban was approved by Full Council on 7 January 2019</p>

Impact of Single use Plastics on the Environment

We asked members of the public, schools, youth groups and our residents panel, about their recycling habits and whether they were taking any steps to reduce their consumption of single use plastics.

Responses	What you told us	What we did
261	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 47% of respondents advised that they actively recycled using the Council's kerbside collection scheme and their local recycling centre. The survey results showed that not all residents were aware of what items can be recycled through the kerbside collection scheme. 73% of people stated that they did not think that the current measures in place (e.g. plastic bag charge) were enough to make a difference in reducing single use plastic consumption 69.4% thought that people are "too set in their ways" to change their behaviour in respect of single use plastics 	<p>The results formed a debate with Students aged 14- 18 years old as part of a Young Adults Council Meeting event which was held in the Town Hall in November 2018. The aim of the event is to encourage and promote local democracy within young people in the Borough. The results of the survey have also been reviewed by the Council's Single Use Plastics Working Group to help guide the Council's environmental strategy moving forward</p>

Whitby Market Consultation

Residents within the Borough, Market Traders, Local Businesses and Stakeholders were invited to provide comments on ways to improve the viability and sustainability of Whitby Market

Responses	What you told us	What we did
150	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 28.3 % advised that they visited Whitby Market weekly 28% of respondents visited the market on a Saturday 73.3% of people thought that the market was a positive attraction to Whitby 67.4% advised that they recommended Whitby Market to others. 68.6% agreed that the stalls were in a clean and presentable condition 	<p>The information provided from the consultation has been used to inform continuing improvement at Whitby Market.</p>

We would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your opinions and input into the hard work which the Council is doing throughout the Borough. Please keep an eye on our consultation page on our website at <https://www.scarborough.gov.uk/home/council/consultations?page=1> for future consultations.