

# Burton Latimer Town Council

## Location of two new bench seats – survey



### Analysis of survey responses

**Survey period:** 8<sup>th</sup> August 2016 – 10<sup>th</sup> September 2016

**Questionnaire:** Online form, created using Survey Monkey

The survey was advertised on the town website, Facebook and Twitter, with links to the online form

Respondents were informed that the survey was anonymous

#### The questions:

#### **Burton Latimer Town Council Location of two new bench seats**

Burton Latimer Town Council is seeking local residents' views on the best location for two new bench seats in the town. Please use this form to suggest up to two locations, and say why you think they would be suitable.

Q1 What is your 1st choice for the location of a seat?

Please say why you think this would be a good location

Q2 What is your 2nd choice for the location of a seat?

Please say why you think this would be a good location

**Responses:** 13 responses received (see analysis overleaf)

## BLTC bench seat location survey – 13 responses received

	Location	Reason
1	Between the roundabout and the surgery on Higham Road	Because the Hill is a difficult trek for some of the older or sick member of our community who are on their way to the doctors. They could take a break part way up
	The cemetery	For people who want to sit and reflect on the loss of a loved one
2	Opposite Churchill Way where there used to be a bench	I heard that it was removed to stop youth from loitering, although the millennium gardens is next to it? It is a good spot near the shops to rest in the shade for older people and those with children. It is in a prime location to wait for any of the three buses in either direction under the cover of trees providing protection from the sun and rain
3	Dearlove Rd/Gardner Rd greenbelt	The view over the valley to Isham unless planning permission is granted for more houses to spoil it.
	Pocket Park by Weetabix	
4	In the millennium gardens	A pleasant place to sit in centre of town
	Outside the Civic Centre	Central location
5	My back garden	I'd get to sit on it in the privacy of my own garden, and no-one else can sit on it. Please provide cushions.
	My front garden	Again, I'd get to use it away from everybody else.
6	Near the gates of Burton Cemetery	There are no seats for people to sit if they visit. Especially the older generation
	Top of Higham Hill	For people walking to and from the doctors
7	King George V recreation ground near to skate ramp	When you take young children to play on the amenities there is nowhere to sit
8	One outside the library	To enable the young/elderly/disabled to rest after their journey into town anytime.
	One in the middle of Finedon Road	As a resting place for residents walking to/from the town centre
9	The green at Woodland Drive	As a parent I walk round with my son and often wish there was a bench to sit on
	Outside the Civic Centre	For the old folk
10	Near the top of Higham Road (on the same side as the "welcome stone garden")	It's a simply marvellous view over the valley, recent sunsets have been SPECTACULAR!
	Outside the entrance to Latimer Gardens	Pleasant place to rest for those walking up the hill, to rest if they are tired
11	By the flower bed next to the Duke	Lots of people stop there for a chat
	Somewhere between ghetto library and Civic Centre	Can watch people come and go

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12	Between the Civic Centre and the library	A well-used area and I often sit on the grass there. Civic Centre and library are both busy and used by all ages
13	Outside library / Civic Centre	Central area where people will naturally meet

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	Finedon Road in the area around Villa Gardens / Wesley Close	For the benefit of older residents walking into town or waiting for buses
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