

Future Development in Benenden. Take the Initiative

Are you concerned about future development in the Parish?
Do you want a say in planning?
Do we need more homes? How many? What sort?
Do you care what they will look like?
If we want more homes, where should they be?
Are our roads and local facilities up to it?
What do we lack in our community?
What are your key issues?
Do we need more local jobs?
Are you happy to see local shops and pubs close?
Are you concerned about the local environment?

We can't put the whole world right, but we can exercise greater control of our own destiny.
This will be our biggest project for many years.
There will be a proper LOCAL development plan for the Parish.
We need local people to be involved and have their say.
It's your future and that of your children, and future generations.
We want more powers to be exercised here in Benenden.
We have engaged a professional advisor, experienced in these things.

To start up there will be a public meeting in the Village Hall on xxxxxxxxx
Please try and be there. If you can't make it but would like to be involved please contact me.
This will be the first of several sessions.

When we have put our ideas together there will be a draft Neighbourhood Development Plan produced for public consultation and a local referendum. Then, before it can be implemented, it will have to be agreed by Tunbridge Wells Borough Council and approved by Government inspectors. It will then have teeth!



Stop developments that we don't want



Encourage developments that we do

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