

## Weston-sub-Edge Village Questionnaire 2023

### Top Line responses and initial Parish Council order of priority

Questionnaire Topic / Project	% in favour	Pariah Council / Village Hall Committee comments.	Suggested Priority
Village Hall project: Install Solar Panels*	95%	Substantial funds in place: 60%. Long term financial & environmental benefits and cost savings	1
Village Hall project: Insulate & refurbish games area*	88%	In progress. Modest cost, generates funds and delivers energy cost savings	1
Village Hall project: Install a new kitchen behind stage*	84%	Key reason why users do not hire. Generates funds & external funding possible	1
Security: Install CCTV / ANPR throughout village	79%	In progress. Addresses security concern of villagers. Over 50% funded by Gloucestershire constabulary	1
Would you like to see red road markings (Sharks Teeth) and / or rumble strips on the entrances to the village?	79%	Consult Gloucester Highways. Seek funding sources	1
Bowling Green clubhouse	-	Village Shop (34%). Youth Club (29%). Other (23%) Coffee Shop (14%). The club house needs to be renovated so it can be used for multiple purposes aligned with the bowling green. Explore further	2
Bowling Green - manage for a variety of uses including summers fetes and activities	68%	68% want it to be managed for multiple purposes. Further analysis needed. With planning, the suggested projects may not conflict	2
Would you want a Village Shop in WsE?	68%	68% want a village shop, but financial viability is critical. Anyone wanting to set this up is welcome to put forward a business case	2/3
Do you want a 20 Mph Speed limit on Church St?	68%	Consult Gloucester Highways. Seek funding sources	1
Village Hall Project: Install one or more EV charger points*	66%	Includes better electrical supply for camping. Potential revenue generator. Substantial funds in place. Proceed subject to final funding	1
Do you want the Parish Council to pay cleaning of road signs?	66%	Parish Council to explore how often this can/needs to be done + financial implications	1
Do you want a 20 Mph Speed limit on Stratford Rd/Friday St?	66%	Consult Gloucester Highways. Seek funding sources	1
Village Hall Project: Would you like the car park resurfaced*	60%	Depends on funding	2
Do you want the Parish Council to pay for the verges and hedges to be cut more often?	53%	Depends on funding	2
Do you think the roadside / field footpaths need improvement?	45%	No: 28%. Don't Know: 27%. Low priority	3
Would you want to see more dog waste bins in the village?	43%	Explore funding options	3
Would you like to see WsE compete in Best Kept Village?	38%	Investigate appetite to volunteer from those that did want to enter a Best Kept Village Award	3

#### Criteria for Parish Council / Village Hall Council Support:

**Priority 1 Projects:** Strongly Supported by Villagers (views & volunteer); Can be externally funded; Safety & Security related; Generates Funds and / or Lowers Costs for the village hall; Supports local economy.

**Priority 2 Projects:** Lesser level of support, Outside the remit of the Parish Council and the Village Hall Charity; Financial viability not clear; Progress may be possible with substantial volunteer group support.

**Priority 3 Projects:** Defer unless there is volunteer support and funding for a self-managing project.

\*Combined results of respondents who answered Very Important and Important on village hall questions.