

Crowan NP Survey 2015 – Comments Summary

Comments received from 23 respondents out of 51 (45%)

Leedstown - Traffic etc

- Cars ignoring speed restrictions - too fast through village **x7**
- Need for designated parking bays to avoid on-road parking damage **x6**
- Too many large tractors & too fast **x2**
- No transport service Leedstown to Praze **x2** (Cost for taxi or hospital car for surgery visits)
- Bad parking around crossroads
- Heavy traffic effects water pressure (old pipes)
- Poor regular bus service
- No bus service to/from Hayle
- Bad parking danger for pedestrians
- Accidents within 30mph limit.
- Kerbs & drainage channels at crossroads are a hazard. Low level pedestrian crossing required
- Safeguard children crossing at the crossroads
- Too many yellow lines at crossroads
- Short term parking near shop difficult
- Praze crossroads needs traffic lights as visibility poor
- Parking in Praze
- Praze surgery open 7 days a week
- No weekly surgery in Leedstown
- Prescriptions collection from shop re-instated

Leedstown – Employment

- Council build small business workshop units **x3**
- Better local transport **x3**
- Council should ensure affordable housing for young people to rent to prevent them leaving the parish. **x2**
- Potential for IT development businesses due to Broadband
- As public transport poor & few opportunities in CPC too many barriers for young people to get into employment
- Local advertising of jobs – Post Offices/Shops etc.
- Self-building projects needed with retired tradespeople overseeing
- Units on brown field site
- Ensure local support to local businesses
- By creating jobs
- Not possible as large agricultural businesses in existence already
- Encourage local farmers to take apprentices
- Appoint Parish Councillor with responsibility for identifying opportunities and liaising with business support and enterprising organisations.
- Parish has no authority, money or power to support employment issues.

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- Café/teashop and a working farm for tourists.
- Support for new business start-ups

Leedstown – Renewable energy supported

- Wave hub **x4**
- Solar panels on rooves **x3**
- Solar general **x2**
- Small solar Farms **x2**
- Solar panels on public buildings e.g. village halls
- Solar panels on farm & industrial buildings not solar farms
- Few small turbines x2
- Wind turbines
- All forms to be assessed on merit x2
- None

Leedstown – Playing Fields Improvements

- More maintenance & renewal **x3**
- Keep clean & tidy
- Make bigger areas
- Seats around play areas
- Car parking & toilets
- Consult with schools, parents & children
- Ensure safety checks
- More amenities for youngsters
- Users should respect the facilities by leaving it as they find it
- Picnic tables
- Skateboard park a complete waste of money, used as a car park by football team.

Leedstown – Environment Improvements

- Slow down traffic to limits **x4**
- Fine as is
- Educate people never to drop litter
- Public Toilets in each village
- More wildlife spaces
- Encourage bees etc.
- Highway maintenance
- More litter bins near schools & instructions for use
- No more development
- Roadsides kept cut back and drainage improved
- Restrict the growth of containers as permanent storage
- Footpaths and bridleways should be maintained by council or ramblers not landowners
- Flower baskets
- Better maintenance of footpaths.

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Leedstown – Other Comments

- Survey received late **x5**
- Housing increase needs to be matched with better services including transport, jobs, healthcare & schools. **x4** (21st century not Middle Ages!)
- Stop speeding **x3**
- Water pressure problems sorted out **x2**
- Council has lost respect and trust as it was not sympathetic concerning the size of the development on School Road **x2**
- More money for Village Hall activities
- Beautiful parish but everyone needs to care for it to flourish
- Council should be more open, transparent & visible to parishioners, including meetings in each village not just in Crowan to encourage the public to attend.
- Best wishes for the Neighbourhood Plan development.
- Need gas in village No more housing, as essential to retain village atmosphere & community
- Unplanned Power cuts
- Improved bus services & access to doctors
- Survey should be broader, covering:-
- Planning a safe, secure & sustainable environment
- Facilities for all age groups & sectors, especially the elderly
- Vision for the villages reflecting their differences
- Councillors should not abstain when voting by listening to their parishioners.
- A newsletter would be nice to keep me up to date.
- Building only on brown field sites or redevelopment sites not green/growing fields.
- Parish Council needs more support from Cornwall Council we now miss District Council for helping care for the area.