

Conserving Village Character – Collation of Written Questions

What one thing expresses the character of where you live?

Harrowbarrow 21-09-15	Peace, tranquillity, feeling of safety Rural relaxation Peace, tranquil Rural life
Chilsworthy 24-09-15	AONB, surrounding farmland AONB, rural, no through road
Gunnislake 06-10-15	Community spirit Community spirit
Calstock	Quirky! River valley The River Tamar (with the Viaduct) The Viaduct Interesting The Quay on a sunny day, people mixing

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Where is the heart of where you live?

Harrowbarrow 21-09-15	Post office, Village Hall Post office, local pubs and village hall My garden! Carpenter's Arms, post office, village hall
Chilsworthy 24-09-15	Chilsworthy is strung out along a road, no significant heart (although the Pub serves for some!) Difficult because of ribbon development – there is no village hall for the community
Gunnislake 06-10-15	Round shops, no real heart My home and garden Calstock Quay
Calstock	The Quay Village green and village hall Calstock green/centre The Village centre Home Park, Harewood Road The Quay The Quay

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What is the most important element of where you live which should be protected?

Harrowbarrow 21-09-15	Community togetherness Village community No solar farms! Peace and quiet, community spirit, the village atmosphere without overcrowding of houses
Chilsworthy 24-09-15	Status of AONB, increase in traffic would be detrimental Area of AONB – Chilsworthy is a quiet backwater – more traffic would be a nightmare
Gunnislake 06-10-15	Environment Character of area, street scene, traditional cottage Rail link
Calstock	The River Path, footpaths Riverside from Okeltor to Danescobme The active lively community Countryside The green spaces, open land The countryside – paths – river path Affordable housing

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Are there any significant views that enhance the character of where you live?

<p>Harrowbarrow 21-09-15</p>	<p>Tamar Valley</p> <p>Play area for children</p>
<p>Chilsworthy 24-09-15</p>	<p>Views of River Tamar from top of village</p> <p>View to Dartmoor from north end of village</p> <p>Again, AONB – views towards Dartmoor which add significantly to the quality and character</p>
<p>Gunnislake 06-10-15</p>	<p>Chimney Rock</p> <p>Chimney Rock/Gunnislake Bridge, Sand Hill. Clitters Mine.</p> <p>The River, Viaduct, Cotehele</p>
<p>Calstock</p>	<p>The River, Viaduct, Bere Peninsula Hill, trees at Cotehele</p> <p>Many and view through the gaps in housing should be maintained</p> <p>View from the village hall towards the viaduct and Cotehele</p> <p>River views in all directions</p> <p>The forest on the Devon bank and towards Cotehele, open views of the River</p> <p>Trees – viaduct – the passing trains</p> <p>Many. Viaduct.</p>

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How would you define the edges of the village in which you live?

Harrowbarrow 21-09-15	Views across to the Tamar Valley We have views of Tamar Valley and St Dominic across the valley from our house and garden Signpost Views across the valley, trees, views across to Plymouth and mouth of Tamar
Chilsworthy 24-09-15	2 x Chilsworthy signs on road through village, Chilsworthy beam jandra by “Misty Meadows” Road signs for Chilsworthy but extending to include Chilsworthy beam – Cox Park
Gunnislake 06-10-15	The River and lack of built up areas Newbridge River Attractive, scenic, inviting
Calstock	The River end of houses up Sand Hill, Harewood, Danescombe Vally Tightly – do not allow villages to connect up Blurry By roads and Cotehele (top of hill at Calstock/Gunnislake where road hits traffic lights) Okel Tor – top of Sand Hill. River Railway Line.

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Give a good example of design where you live, which has occurred in the last 5 years

<p>Harrowbarrow 21-09-15</p>	<p>Green space between villages is important</p> <p>Established housing with (large) gardens, parking and views for the most part. Little recent development. A substantial gap between the main A road and houses enabling peacefulness and segregation of community to be maintained.</p> <p>Play area</p> <p>Green space i.e. fields, wooded area</p>
<p>Chilsworthy 24-09-15</p>	<p>Restoration of 'Hingston House"</p> <p>Re-development of existing property – Hingston House</p>
<p>Gunnislake 06-10-15</p>	<p>Tamar Valley Centre</p> <p>Methodist Chapel turned into flats</p>
<p>Calstock</p>	<p>The old garage/commercial premises between Make new and Mend/Limekiln Gallery</p> <p>? Lantern house but that was more than 5 years</p> <p>The solar array on the roof of our house</p> <p>Our new house – Homepark (windows, low roof line)</p> <p>The new 'Mend and Make' shop at Kirstens Place</p> <p>Limekiln gallery</p>

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Is there an important green space near where you live? What is it?

<p>Harrowbarrow 21-09-15</p>	<p>Village Hall, play area and picnic area.</p> <p>We are bordered by agricultural and nursery land. Any development would detract from the quality of life we have sought and change the nature of the locality.</p> <p>All of it! Fields and keep farmers farming the land.</p> <p>The grounds of village hall and play area, kit hill</p>
<p>Chilsworthy 24-09-15</p>	<p>No communal green space in Chilsworthy, village green in Latchley</p> <p>Riverside walks – there is no “heart” or park or green space in Chilsworthy, Latchley has a village green</p>
<p>Gunnislake 06-10-15</p>	<p>The Riverbank</p> <p>Fosters Field</p> <p>The path around the riverbank from Calstock Quay to Okeltor</p>
<p>Calstock</p>	<p>The green on the Quay and the Playing Field, either side of the Tamar</p> <p>Fletchers’ Field/Singing Tree land on north side of lower Kelly. Danescombe both sides.</p> <p>The Devon side of the River Tamar opposite Calstock and Danescombe as it is an important flood plain. Also the fields inside the levee on the Calstock side for the same reason.</p> <p>River bank on both Cornwall and Devon side.</p> <p>The fields that adjoin the riverbank and football pitch.</p> <p>The Quay Green – football field. Trees all around.</p> <p>The football pitch/dog shit area.</p>

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Other comments:

Voluntary tidy group to tidy up Gunnislake - miss the road sweeper. Place getting very untidy with weeds and rubbish (Gunnislake, 06-10-15).