

Please tell us what you think by completing the survey on the website and where you can view all supporting information

www.bodicoteparishcouncil.gov.uk

Alternatively, a paper copy of the survey can be completed.
Please collect from one of our exhibitions and return to:

Bodicote Parish Council
c/o 55 Gillett Road
Banbury, Oxon OX16 0DR

You can find out more about the Plan at one of our drop-in events at. Please come along and let us know your ideas:

Church House, Bodicote:
Saturday 20th June, 10:30am - 1:00pm
Wednesday 24th June, 5:45pm - 8:15pm

Please respond by
Friday 17th July 2026



Policy Ideas Consultation

Thank you to all who participated in earlier consultation events on the Neighbourhood Plan

We have now used your feedback to prepare a set of ideas for planning policies and wider projects.

These have a focus on the design and quality of development, housing mix and needs, green spaces, important views, community facilities, access and movement.

We'd now like your views on the ideas.
Are we heading in the right direction?

This is a Plan for the community, by the community.
It will be used to inform and help determine future planning applications in the Parish.

It is important that you tell us what you think.

VISION AND OBJECTIVES

SCAN FOR INFO



A vision and set of overarching objectives have been prepared for the Neighbourhood Plan. The vision is presented below, with the objectives on the facing page.

“In 2042, Bodicote has retained its distinct village identity separate from Banbury. Its historic charm, reflected in the style of buildings, use of natural materials, relationship with the countryside and sense of community remain the defining features of the village.

Important green spaces, such as Kingsfield, Town Furlong and others have been retained, providing important areas for recreation, health and biodiversity. Views out across the countryside and walking routes through these have been preserved for the mental and physical well-being of the community.

Future development has been carefully managed and is of a scale and design that is sensitive to the character of the village, whilst embedding sustainable design and energy efficient measures. Affordable homes have been successfully integrated within the fabric of the village, as have homes that support the needs of an ageing population.

Community facilities and local infrastructure have been improved, including facilities for the young and old. At the same time, improved bus routes, walking and cycling links enable safe and easy access to wider facilities in Banbury. Traffic calming measures and safer walking and cycling routes have been delivered for the benefit of all ages in Bodicote.

Overall, Bodicote in 2042 is a place where the village atmosphere, green spaces and community spirit have been preserved and cherished.”



Objective 1: Development, design and character

To manage future development so that it reflects Bodicote's village character and supports sustainable living.



Objective 2: Green spaces and countryside

To protect and enhance Bodicote's green spaces, countryside setting, and biodiversity.



Objective 3: Access and movement

To improve access and movement within and beyond the village in a safe, sustainable and inclusive way.



Objective 4: Community infrastructure

To strengthen community infrastructure and support facilities for all age groups.



Objective 5: Living well locally

To promote environmental sustainability and community wellbeing.

Please tell us what you think about these, and associated policy ideas, by completing the survey on the Parish Council website. Please respond by Friday 17th July 2026.

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