



Report for Leader Decision (Communities portfolio)

Decision Date: 5 September 2022

Title: Extension of Six Public Spaces Protection Orders

Reference No: CO03.22

Relevant Cabinet Member(s): Cllr Steve Bowles

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Ward(s) affected: All

Recommendations:

- To extend the following Public Spaces Protection Orders for three years, until 2025:
 - West End Road, High Wycombe
 - Buckingham Town Centre
 - Winslow and Steeple Claydon
 - Aylesbury Vale, Town Centre
 - Aylesbury Vale, Public Parks and Open Spaces
 - Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions

Reason for decision:

- The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 gives Buckinghamshire Council the power to create, extend, vary and discharge Public Spaces Protection Orders (PSPO). These Orders give the Council greater powers in relation to dealing with anti-social behaviour in public spaces.
- PSPOs can only be in place for a maximum of three years, and a consultation needs to be carried out in order to create and subsequently extend those identified as they expire in October and November 2022.
- In line with the legislation, a consultation exercise was carried out for each of the listed PSPOs to establish whether there was support from both key stakeholders and

residents to extend them for a further three years. Feedback was supportive and a decision is now required to enable the PSPOs to be extended.

1 Executive summary

- 1.1 The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 introduced the Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) which is intended to deal with a particular nuisance or problem in a specific area that is detrimental to the local community's quality of life, by imposing conditions on the use of that area which apply to everyone using it. It is intended to help ensure that the law-abiding majority can use and enjoy a public space, safe from anti-social behaviour. The Council is responsible for creating PSPOs.
- 1.2 Buckinghamshire Council has 6 PSPOs which are nearing their expiry date. Before a PSPO can be extended, a public and key stakeholder consultation needs to be undertaken to ascertain views on whether each Order will continue to tackle the behaviours outlined within it.
- 1.3 The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 states that before the time when a PSPO is due to expire, the relevant local authority may extend the period it is in effect, if satisfied, on reasonable grounds, that doing so is necessary to prevent:
 - a) occurrence or recurrence after that time of the activities identified in the order, or
 - b) an increase in the frequency or seriousness of those activities after that time.
- 1.4 This report provides a summary of the consultation findings for each of the PSPOs and outlines the options available.

2 Public Spaces Protection Orders

- 2.1 The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act came into force in October 2014. The Act contains provisions for PSPOs. Local authorities have the power to implement a PSPO, if satisfied, on reasonable grounds, that two conditions have been met. The first condition is that:
 - activities carried out in a public place within the authority's area have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality, or
 - it is likely that activities will be carried out in a public place within that area and that they will have such an effect.

The second condition is that the effect, or likely effect, of the activities:

- is, or is likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature

- is, or is likely to be, such as to make the activities unreasonable, and justifies the restriction imposed by the notice.
- 2.2 A PSPO is an Order that identifies the geographic space to which it applies (“the restricted area” within which the impact has or is likely to occur) and can make requirements, or prohibitions, or both within the area. This means that the local authority can, by virtue of the Order, require people to do specific things in a particular area, or prohibit doing specific things in a particular area. The local authority can enforce the prohibitions/requirements where it believes that they are reasonable in order to prevent or reduce the detrimental impact. The Order can be made to apply at all times, or within specified times, and equally to all circumstances, or special circumstances. The Order applies for a maximum of three years, after which the process of review and consultation must be repeated to ensure the issues are still occurring and the Order is having the required effect. Thereafter, following appropriate review and consultation, the Order can be extended for further periods.
- 2.3 PSPOs can be enforced by delegated officers within Buckinghamshire Council, and Police Officers. Within the Council different services have enforcement powers which may be relevant to PSPOs, for example Environmental Health for dog control, Licensing for appropriate retail sales and premises serving alcohol, Planning for unsightly properties, Waste Management and Enforcement for littering and fly tipping. Community Safety’s ASB Team leads on the process of creating PSPOs with enforcement undertaken by them, the relevant Council service and/or Thames Valley Police.
- 2.4 Failure to comply with either a prohibition, or requirement, within an Order is an offence. Upon summary conviction (offences heard within a Magistrates Court) defendants can face a fine not exceeding level three on the standard scale (currently £1000). The defendant cannot be found guilty of an offence under a prohibition/requirement where the local authority did not have the power to include it in the Order. Breaches of the Order can also be discharged by a Fixed Penalty Notice (FPN) which can be issued by either delegated officers within the local authority, or Police Officers.
- 2.5 Section 72 of the Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 sets out the necessary consultation, notifications and publicity which must be carried out before creating or extending the period for which a Public Spaces Protection Order has effect.

3 PSPO extensions

3.1 At present, the following PSPOs are due to expire in October and November 2022:

- **West End Road, High Wycombe PSPO** - This order restricts access to the public right of way. The order authorised the installation of gates which enforce the restriction.
- **Buckingham Town Centre PSPO** - within the restricted area, any person who fails to comply with an authorised officer or police constable's request (a) not to consume or (b) to surrender alcohol in their possession commits an offence. The order was automatically converted from a Designated Public Place Order on 20 October 2017.
- **Winslow and Steeple Claydon PSPO** – within the restricted area, any person who fails to comply with an authorised officer or police constable's request (a) not to consume or (b) to surrender alcohol in their possession commits an offence. The order was automatically converted from a Designated Public Place Order on 20 October 2017.
- **Aylesbury Vale Town Centre PSPO** - within the restricted area, any person who continues to carry out the following activities from which they are prohibited commits an offence:
 1. The consumption of alcohol and anti-social behaviour associated with the consumption of alcohol, taking place in the public place
 2. Public urination and defecation
 3. Aggressive or intimidating behaviour
 4. Dog fouling
 5. The unauthorised parking of motor vehicles on the public realm of Kingsbury and Market Square
- **Aylesbury Vale Public Parks and Open Spaces PSPO** - within restricted areas any person who fails to comply with an authorised officer or police constable's request (a) not to consume or (b) to surrender alcohol in their possession commits an offence. The order was automatically converted from a Designated Public Place Order on 20 October 2017. This Order was also varied in September 2019 to include an additional prohibition on the use of mechanically propelled vehicles in a way that has caused or may be capable of causing nuisance and/or annoyance in the specified restricted areas *.

Specified restricted areas

Location	Location
Alfred Rose Memorial Park*	Walton Court Centre
Bateman Drive	Elm Green
Bedgrove Park and Spinney*	Haddington Way
Carlton Close	Haydon Hill
Aylesbury Cemetery	Riverside Walk
Dunsham Park	Bowlers Field
The Coppice	Oakfield Road
Cottesloe Open Space	Vale Park
Denby Walk and Victoria Park	Somerville Way
Blackwater Drive Open Space	Simpson Place
Edinburgh and Walton Court Playing Fields*	Waivers Way
	Whitehill

- **Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions** - a PSPO was implemented which prohibits at all times consuming alcohol, or having an open container for alcohol.

3.2 In October/November 2022, when these PSPOs will expire, the ability to enforce the prohibitions detailed in them will no longer be available to the police or delegated Council officers. In addition, the footpath within High Wycombe that was closed using the PSPO power would need to be re-opened. The Council has the ability, following appropriate consultation, to extend the PSPOs if it believes the anti-social behaviour will recur.

4 Consultation

4.1 The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 is not specific on what constitutes an appropriate consultation; however, it is clear that it requires the local authority consult with the following:

- Chief Officer of Police for the local area
- Residents
- Landowners in the area
- Any community representative the local authority considers appropriate

4.2 An online survey was designed for each PSPO. These were advertised on the external web pages and promoted through social media, community board newsletters and Town and Parish Council newsletters. Responses received were anonymous and therefore details of individual respondents and their views are not known. This is the usual approach for consultations of this nature. Appendix A contains detailed information on the consultation that was undertaken for each of the PSPO. Below is a summary of the responses for each.

- 4.3 West End Road, High Wycombe PSPO. In this area the PSPO was used to close a public right of way in the form of a footpath which runs along behind the rear garden of several houses. A metal fence was installed at one end of the footpath, whilst a gate was installed at the other, so that maintenance could still be carried out on the path, and emergency services could enter. Letters were sent to:
- Residents whose property backs onto the footpath
 - Ward Councillors
 - Wycombe LPA Superintendent and Thames Valley Police
 - Rights of Way Team and Local Access Forum
- 4.4 Responses were received from 14 residents including those whose gardens back onto the footpath, and all fully supported the PSPO being extended and the footpath remaining closed off. Many of them stated that their quality of life had improved significantly since the footpath had been closed, and the incidents of anti-social behaviour had decreased substantially.
- 4.5 The relevant Ward Councillors were written to. Cllrs Mrs Lesley Clarke and Mr Mahboob Hussain responded and were very supportive of the PSPO being extended. Responses from other Cllrs and Town and Parish councils were received through the online consultation questionnaire. These responses were anonymised and therefore respondents cannot be individually identified.
- 4.6 The Rights of Way Maintenance and Enforcement Team are supportive of the PSPO extension.
- 4.7 The Ramblers Association, the Chiltern Society and the Open Spaces Society were written to, and no objections were received.
- 4.8 Thames Valley Police responded and are in favour of the PSPO being extended.
- 4.9 Buckingham Town Centre PSPO. An online consultation survey was produced and was published on the Buckinghamshire Council website. This was promoted via the Community Safety Newsletters, Community Board and various social media messages.
- 4.10 Overall, 36 people responded to the online survey, with 67% wanting the PSPO to be extended. A full analysis of the results of this survey can be found in Appendix A.
- 4.11 Letters regarding the extension of this PSPO were sent to:
- All Councillors for the Buckingham area, via email
 - Aylesbury LPA Superintendent and Thames Valley Police

- Buckingham Town Council
- 4.12 Buckingham Town Council and Thames Valley Police are both supportive of the PSPO being extended.
- 4.13 No written objections were received in relation to extending this PSPO.
- 4.14 Winslow and Steeple Claydon PSPO. An online consultation survey was produced and was published on the Buckinghamshire Council website. This was promoted via the Community Safety Newsletters, Community Board and various social media messages.
- 4.15 Of only 15 people who responded to this survey, almost 87% wanted the PSPO to be extended, and 13% (two respondents) disagreed. The full results of the survey can be found in Appendix A. Most of the respondents were residents in the area of the PSPO.
- 4.16 Letters regarding the extension of this PSPO were sent to:
- All Councillors for the Winslow and Steeple Claydon area, via email
 - Aylesbury LPA Superintendent and Thames Valley Police
 - Winslow Town Council and Aylesbury Town Council
- 4.18 Chief Supt Loebenberg, Thames Valley Police, responded to say that ‘the engagement and explanation of the PSPO assists to manage issues arising’.
- 4.19 No objections were received in relation to extending this PSPO.
- 4.20 Aylesbury Town Centre PSPO. An online consultation survey was produced and was published on the Buckinghamshire Council website. This was promoted via the Community Safety Newsletters, Community Board and via various social media messages.
- 4.21 Overall, 22 people responded to this survey. 95.45% agreed with extension of the PSPO. A considerable amount of these respondents felt that the ASB has not reduced because of the existing PSPO. This has prompted an action day of enforcement by Buckinghamshire Council’s ASB Team, jointly with Thames Valley Police and extension of the PSPO will support a further programme of such operations.
- 4.22 Letters regarding the extension of this PSPO were sent to:
- All Councillors for the Aylesbury area, via email
 - Aylesbury LPA Superintendent and Thames Valley Police

- Aylesbury Town Council
- 4.23 Chief Supt Loebenberg, Thames Valley Police, responded to say ‘The PSPO that covers the town centre and immediate area is a valuable tool that assists police and partners in tackling street drinking and the associated anti-social behaviour’.
- 4.24 Aylesbury Town Council is supportive of the PSPO being extended.
- 4.25 No objections were received to the extension of this PSPO from any respondents.
- 4.26 Parks and Open Spaces, Aylesbury PSPO. An online consultation survey was produced and was published on the Buckinghamshire Council website. This was promoted via the Community Safety Newsletters, Community Board and via various social media messages.
- 4.27 Only 6 people responded to this survey, with 100% of respondents wanting to extend the PSPO. Specific questions were asked about a well-reported issue of anti-social use of motor vehicles in the parks, 66% responded that they didn’t know of this problem.
- 4.28 Letters and the link to the online survey regarding the extension of this PSPO were sent to:
- All Councillor for the Aylesbury area, via email
 - Aylesbury LPA Superintendent and Thames Valley Police
 - Aylesbury Town Council

Responses to the online survey link were anonymous and therefore the views of Cllrs or any other organisations who completed the survey is not separately recorded.

- 4.29 Chief Supt Loebenberg responded to say that some of these locations have experienced cyclical and persistent anti-social behaviour. The PSPOs are undoubtedly very useful as a deterrent in our key areas of focus for anti-social behaviour - Edinburgh Playing Fields and Alfred Rose Park being the key ones in Aylesbury. The PSPO signs assist in our response.
- 4.30 Aylesbury Town Council is supportive of the PSPO being extended.
- 4.31 No objections were received in relation to extending this PSPO.
- 4.32 Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions PSPO. An online consultation survey was produced and was published on the Buckinghamshire Council website. This was promoted via the Community Safety Newsletters, Community Board and via various social media messages.

- 4.33 Overall, 27 people responded to this survey. Almost 60% wanted the PSPO to be extended. 59% of respondents felt there is a problem with ASB in the area. The full results of the survey can be found in Appendix A.
- 4.34 Representations were received requesting inclusion of drugs paraphernalia in the order. After research and discussion, it was felt that this would be unenforceable due to the forensic proof required and resource needed.

5 Options considered

- 5.1 For each of the PSPOs there are three options:
1. Extend the PSPO for a further two years
 2. Extend the PSPO for the maximum three years
 3. Discharge the PSPO
- 5.2 PSPOs can be extended for up to three years. The previous review led to extension for two years, whilst processes and policies in the new authority were aligned. All PSPOs within Buckinghamshire are now routinely reviewed as they near expiry. It is recommended the renewals for these PSPOs will be for the maximum of three years.
- 5.3 The consultation and stakeholder responses received indicate there is strong support for extending all of these PSPOs. Further, the grounds under which the orders were originally introduced as set out in S.59 of the Anti-Social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014 still remain.
- 5.4 The discharge of the orders will result in the prohibited activities occurring, reoccurring or increasing in frequency and will cause a detriment to the quality of life of those in the localities. The extensions are therefore considered necessary to prevent this from happening.
- 5.5 It is recommended the council and the leader approve option two and extend all the PSPO's subject of this report for a further three years, the maximum time allowed.

6 Legal and financial implications

- 6.1 This report recommends action be taken by the Authority in accordance with legislation, and involves subsequent legal enforcement relevant to that action. The legal parameters laid out within the Act and as set out in the report should be considered carefully against the proposal to extend the PSPOs.
- 6.2 The penalties for breaches of an Order are fines following a prosecution or Fixed Penalty Notices (FPN) can be issued where appropriate by authorised officers,

currently this is limited to the Thames Valley Police and Buckinghamshire Council Community safety Officers.

- 6.3 Charges for any FPN issued are processed by and payable to Buckinghamshire Council, regardless of who has undertaken the enforcement action.
- 6.4 Failure to pay any FPN issued, regardless of the issuing body, will result in the offender being liable to prosecution and subsequent conviction for the original breach of the order.
- 6.5 Financial costs associated with any legal action are borne by Buckinghamshire Council Community Safety Team from their existing budget. Currently no FPN's issued have resulted in prosecution at court. Therefore, there are no true costs available for this report. Discussions with Buckinghamshire Council Legal Services team indicate the costs should any matter proceed to court are expected to be in the region for £350 - £500, depending on the nature of the case, provided there are no appeals or unexpected complications.

7 Corporate Implications

- 7.1 Extending these PSPOs will meet the Buckinghamshire Council's priority of Protecting the Vulnerable by making communities as safe as possible from crime, drugs and anti-social behaviour.
- 7.2 If the West End Road PSPO is not extended there will be a financial cost to the Council to remove the gating already in place, and for removing the signage for all the expiring PSPOs within the specified areas.
- 7.3 Equality Impact Assessments (EqIA) have been completed in accordance with the Equality Act 2010. These have considered the potential impact of the orders and their continued extension on residents and employees of the council.
- 7.4 The EqIA for West End Rd, High Wycombe identifies the closure of the pathway as potentially impacting on the elderly, the young, those with mobility issues, carers and pregnancy and maternity including those using children's pushchairs as the alternative route is longer than the pathway which will mean the distance to walk is further. However due to the nature and condition of the pathway and the amount of undergrowth at the Desborough Avenue End it is not considered to be suitable for those with mobility issues, the elderly or very young, wheelchairs users or those using pushchairs, carers of such groups or, potentially, those within the protected group of pregnancy and maternity. The alternative route identified is considered to be much safer and easier to use notwithstanding the extra length. It should be noted that the alternative route is to both ends of the pathway and it is very likely that the majority of the public will in fact need to continue their journey meaning they will not need to use the full alternative route. In addition, the alternative route

has been in use for 5 years without any issues. Accordingly it is considered that any potential adverse or negative consequences or disproportionate impacts on protected groups as a result of the extension of the PSPO are significantly reduced. Full details are available in the Equality Impact Assessment.

- 7.5 No negative consequences or potential detriment have been identified from undertaking EqIAs for the other orders subject of this report, as they are intended to address behaviour and activities in an area and do not impact on any protected characteristics as identified within the Equality Act 2010.

8 Next steps and review

- 8.1 The Cabinet Member to take to the Leader for delegated decision on whether to extend the PSPOs for three years. Community Safety will update the Co-ordinator and Chair of the relevant Community Boards on progress.

9 Background papers

[Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014](#)

[Appendix B- Original Orders](#)

Your questions and views (for key decisions)

If you have any questions about the matters contained in this report please get in touch with the author of this report. If you have any views that you would like the cabinet member to consider please inform the democratic services team. This can be done by email Abdul.Rahim@buckinghamshire.gov.uk

Appendix A
Consultation results:

Supporting letter from
Thames Valley Police



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Date: 27 September 2022

RE: PUBLIC SPACE PROTECTION ORDERS – REVIEW 2022

Dear Chris,

Thank you for the opportunity to respond to the consultation on the extension of the Public Space Protection Orders (PSPOs) currently being considered across Buckinghamshire. PSPOs are a key tool used within policing in support of the Community Safety Partnership's aim for Buckinghamshire to continue to be one of the safest places to grow up, raise a family, live, work and do business. PSPOs give our officers and staff the legal framework to deal with anti-social behaviour in areas of particular concern.

The Council has the power to implement a PSPO, if satisfied, on reasonable grounds, that two conditions have been met. The first condition is that: *“activities carried out in a public place within the authority's area have had a detrimental effect on the quality of life of those in the locality, or it is likely that activities will be carried out in a public place within that area and that they will have such an effect”*. The second condition is that *“the effect, or likely effect, of the activities: is, or is likely to be, of a persistent or continuing nature or is, or is likely to be, such as to make the activities unreasonable, and justifies the restriction imposed by the notice”*.

Aylesbury Parks and Open Spaces

There are a number of parks listed that are located within residential areas. We are aware from the regularity of calls from the public, as well as the experiences of our officers, that some of these locations have experienced cyclical and persistent anti-social behaviour. The PSPOs are undoubtedly very useful as a deterrent in our key areas of focus for anti-social behaviour - Edinburgh Playing Fields and Alfred Rose Park being the key ones in Aylesbury. The PSPO signs assist in our response.

Aylesbury Town Centre

The PSPO that covers the town centre and immediate area is a valuable tool that assists police and partners in tackling street drinking and the associated anti-social behaviour. Much of our enforcement of

the existing PSPOs has focused in the Aylesbury Town Centre. Without the Parks and Open Spaces PSPO it is likely that police action would displace the issues within Aylesbury Town Centre and thus have a detrimental impact on members of the public who are looking to enjoy the nearby Parks and Open Spaces for the purpose for which they were designed.

As seen with one individual in Aylesbury Town Centre, Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) were issued on several occasions to successfully deal with persistent anti-social behaviour.

Buckingham Town Centre

Our officers advise that the PSPO is used in the management of street drinking as well as behaviour of the public, particularly within the night-time economy. In addition, an increase in homelessness/begging and related anti-social behaviour within Buckingham means that the PSPO is again an important part of our response, although the lack of signage is a barrier to this in Buckingham.

Winslow and Steeple Claydon

With respect of the Winslow and Steeple Claydon PSPO, the Winslow Neighbourhood Policing Team advise that they use the existing PSPO most commonly to prevent anti-social behaviour and drinking behind premises on Elmsfields Gate and High Street, Winslow. Whilst no formal enforcement has taken place, the engagement and explanation of the PSPO assists to manage issues arising.

Chesham and Water Gardens; Chesham Cemetery

Our officers advise that PSPO powers are a familiar and long-standing tool in the Chesham area. With a large population hub, which frequently converges in the town centre, but with public open spaces in close proximity, these legislative measures have proven invaluable in the management of anti-social behaviour. Of note, street drinking has been radically curbed through their use, to the extent that direct enforcement action is now very rarely required. However, this is not to suggest that protection orders are now redundant: Chesham continues to suffer anti-social behaviour, especially as regards youths congregating in open car parks at night, and the neighbouring parkland in the day. Seasonal trends show a peak around Ramadan, Summer Holidays and Halloween periods, and utilising PSPOs have featured in addressing these issues. Researching the period of 2019 to 2022, 18 cases have been found of yellow cards and PSPO warning letters being issued in Chesham; augmenting other anti-social behaviour tactical options. This equates to 98 reported incidents of anti-social behaviour in this period, with 16% explicitly mentioning alcohol-related behaviour. Chesham cemetery has less frequently featured in anti-social behaviour reports, but still serves as a deflection site for street drinkers, alongside Lowndes Park and Watermeadow.

Amersham Land at Roundwood Road; Amersham Old Town; Amersham on the Hill; Amersham Raans Road; Amersham Station Forecourt;

Amersham presents as a comparable picture to Chesham, as regards the use of PSPOs to tackle anti-social behaviour. In contrast to Chesham, Amersham's multi-storey car park has proven to be a nucleus for anti-social behaviour in the old town, although incidents have also sporadically scattered amongst the town centre, and historically included a nearby housing estate. Again, the congregation of youths is a common theme and one particular instance resulted in 12 yellow cards and PSPO warning letters being issued. Over the past three years, 298 incidents of anti-social behaviour were reported, with 8% explicitly mentioning alcohol-related behaviour. To add context, it is right to remember that these numbers occurred against the backdrop of the COVID-19 pandemic, and the lockdown provisions.

West End Road, High Wycombe

Our officers in Wycombe advise that the PSPO significantly assists police and the local authority partners in dealing with street drinking and begging in the town centre. The town centre businesses and community have been very vocal in community engagements regarding these issues. Local officers report that street drinkers in the town centre do comply with the provisions of the PSPO, such as *handing over open drink containers, when required to do so. In addition, town centre wardens have*

been introduced in recent years with CSAS powers being designated to them, which could, where appropriate, support enforcement of the PSPO.

For the reasons outlined above, in each case the PSPOs being consulted on support our work in protecting our communities to safely enjoy those locations.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'ML', written in a cursive style.

Chief Superintendent Michael Loebenberg BSc(Hons) MSc
Local Policing for Buckinghamshire and Milton Keynes

Survey Response Reports:

West End Road, High Wycombe Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

<https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com/communities/west-end-road-pspo-2022>

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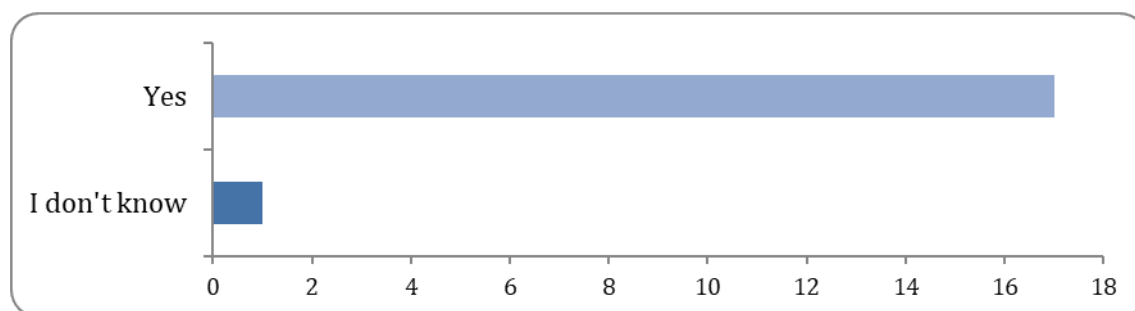
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Responses to this survey: **18**

- **1: Do you think there is a problem with the criminal activity and anti-social behaviours outlined above within the area of the Public Spaces Protection Order?**

ASB problem

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.

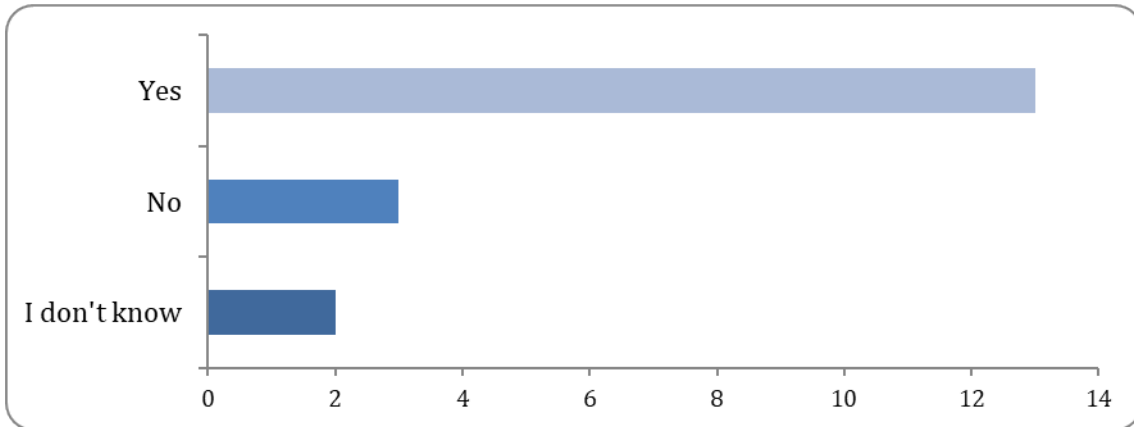


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	17	94.44%
No	0	0.00%
I don't know	1	5.56%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **2: Do you think that the criminal activity and anti-social behaviours outlined above have reduced in the West End Road area since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2017?**

PSPO impact

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.

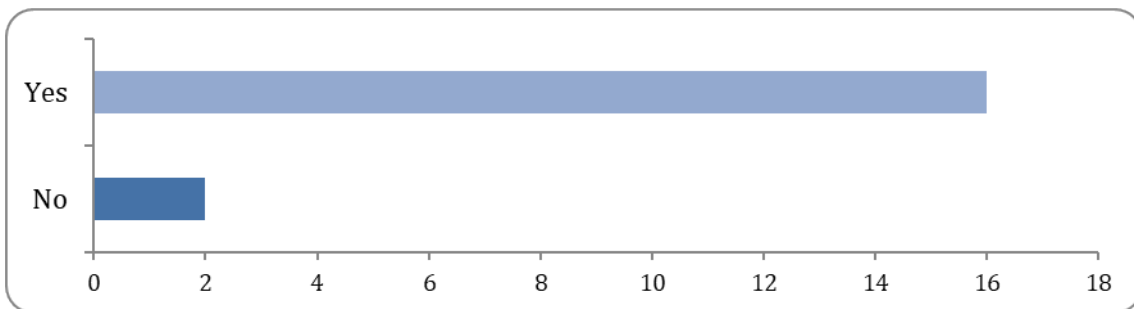


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	13	72.22%
No	3	16.67%
I don't know	2	11.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 3: Do you think that the West End Road Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	16	88.89%
No	2	11.11%
I don't know	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 4: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 16 responses to this part of the question.

- **5: If you have any other comments about the West End Road Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

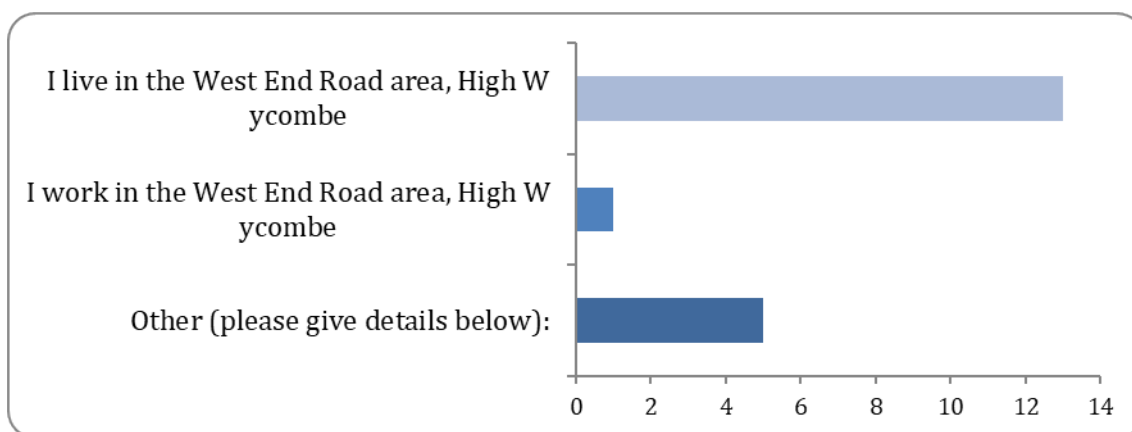
Other comments

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.

- **6: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)**

Capacity

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
I live in the West End Road area, High Wycombe	13	72.22%
I work in the West End Road area, High Wycombe	1	5.56%
I visit the West End Road area, High Wycombe	0	0.00%
I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I am a member of the High Wycombe Town Committee	0	0.00%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	0	0.00%
Other (please give details below):	5	27.78%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 4 responses to this part of the question.

- **7: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: What is your postcode?**

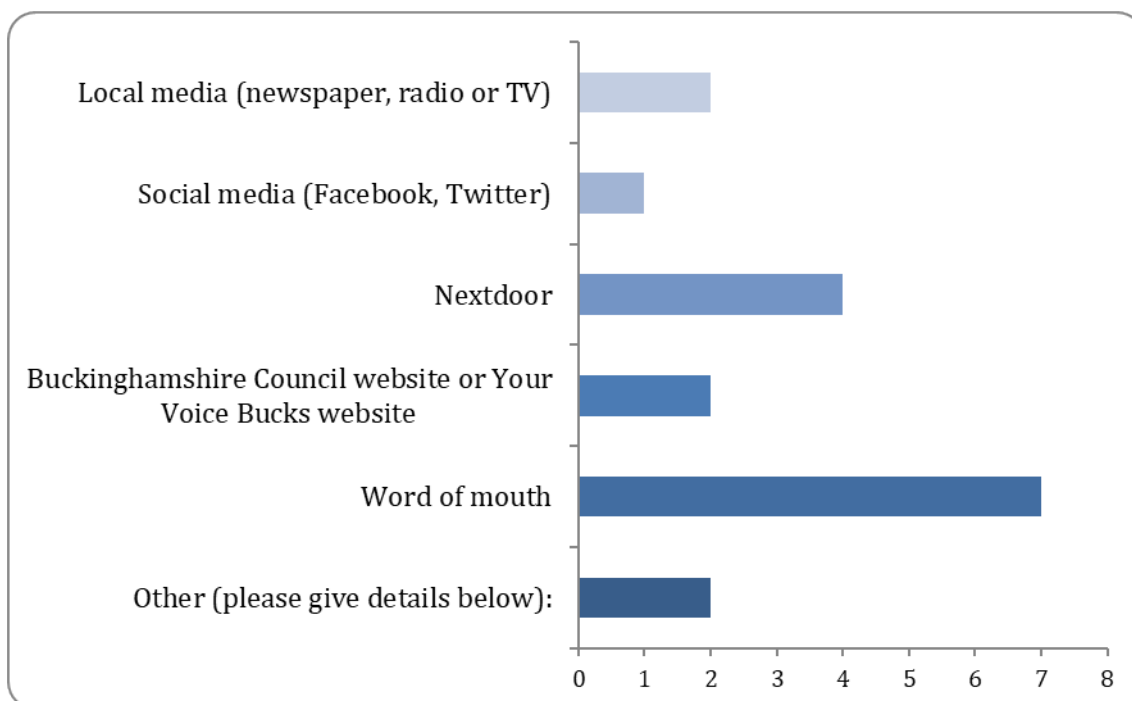
Postcode

There were 16 responses to this part of the question.

- **9: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	2	11.11%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	1	5.56%
Nextdoor	4	22.22%

Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	2	11.11%
Word of mouth	7	38.89%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	0	0.00%
Local Parish / Town Council	0	0.00%
Other (please give details below):	2	11.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 2 responses to this part of the question.

Buckingham Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

<https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com/communities/buckingham-pspo-2022>

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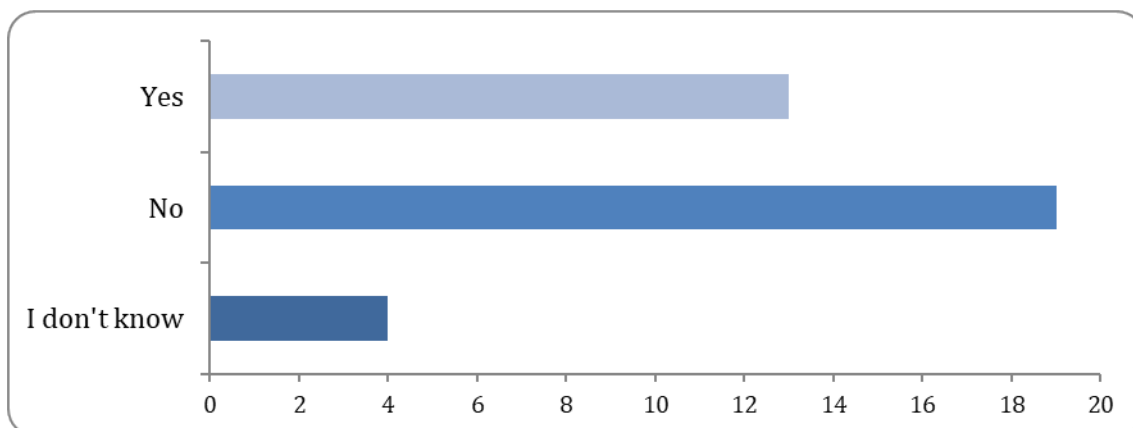
The activity ran from 13/06/2022 to 11/07/2022

Responses to this survey: **36**

- 1: Do you think there is a problem with alcohol-related anti-social behaviour within the area of the Public Spaces Protection Order?**

ASB problem

There were 36 responses to this part of the question.

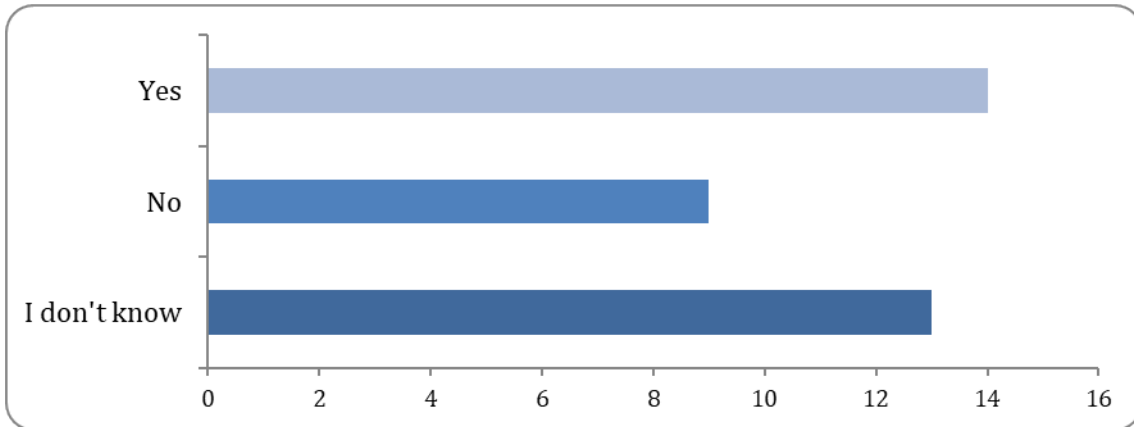


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	13	36.11%
No	19	52.78%
I don't know	4	11.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 2: Do you think that alcohol-related anti-social behaviour has reduced in Buckingham Town Centre since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2017?**

PSPO impact

There were 36 responses to this part of the question.

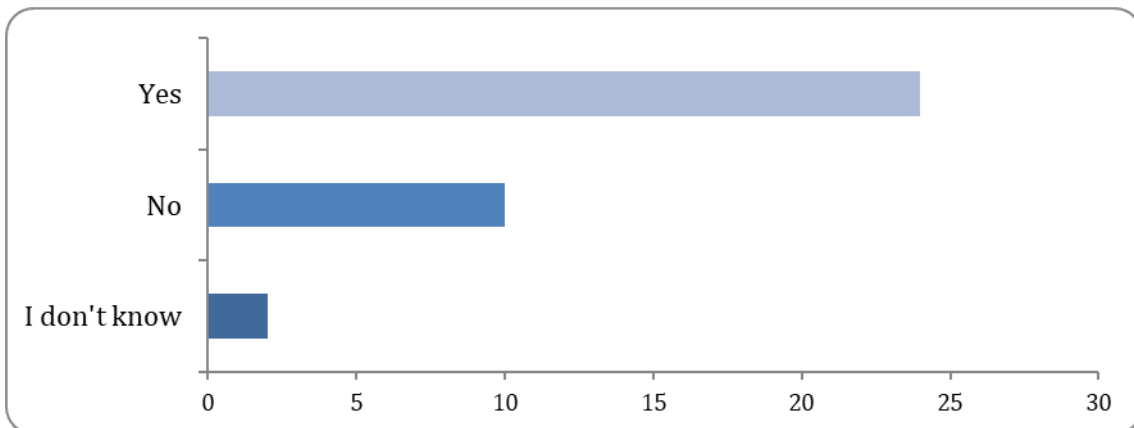


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	14	38.89%
No	9	25.00%
I don't know	13	36.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 3: Do you think that the Buckingham Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 36 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	24	66.67%
No	10	27.78%
I don't know	2	5.56%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 4: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 26 responses to this part of the question.

- **5: If you have any other comments about the Buckingham Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

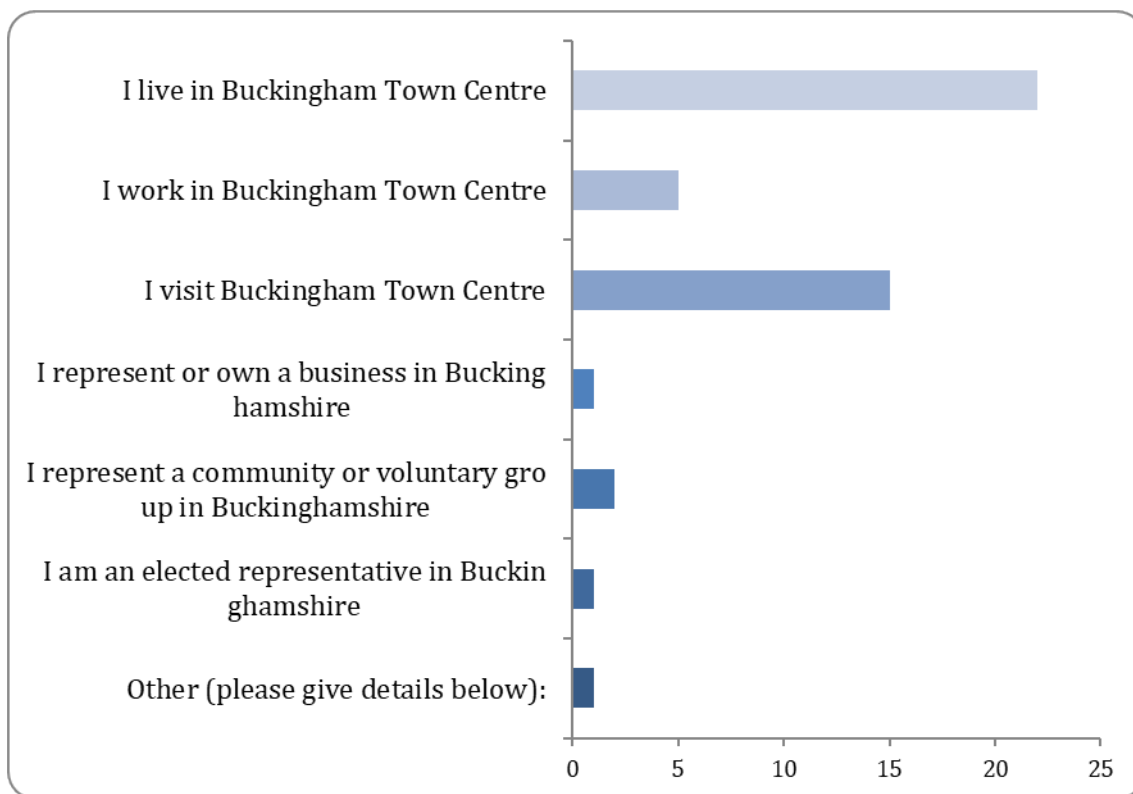
Other comments

There were 8 responses to this part of the question.

- **6: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)**

Capacity

There were 36 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
I live in Buckingham Town Centre	22	61.11%
I work in Buckingham Town Centre	5	13.89%
I visit Buckingham Town Centre	15	41.67%
I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	1	2.78%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	2	5.56%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	1	2.78%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	0	0.00%
Other (please give details below):	1	2.78%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

- **7: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There were 3 responses to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 2 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: What is your postcode?**

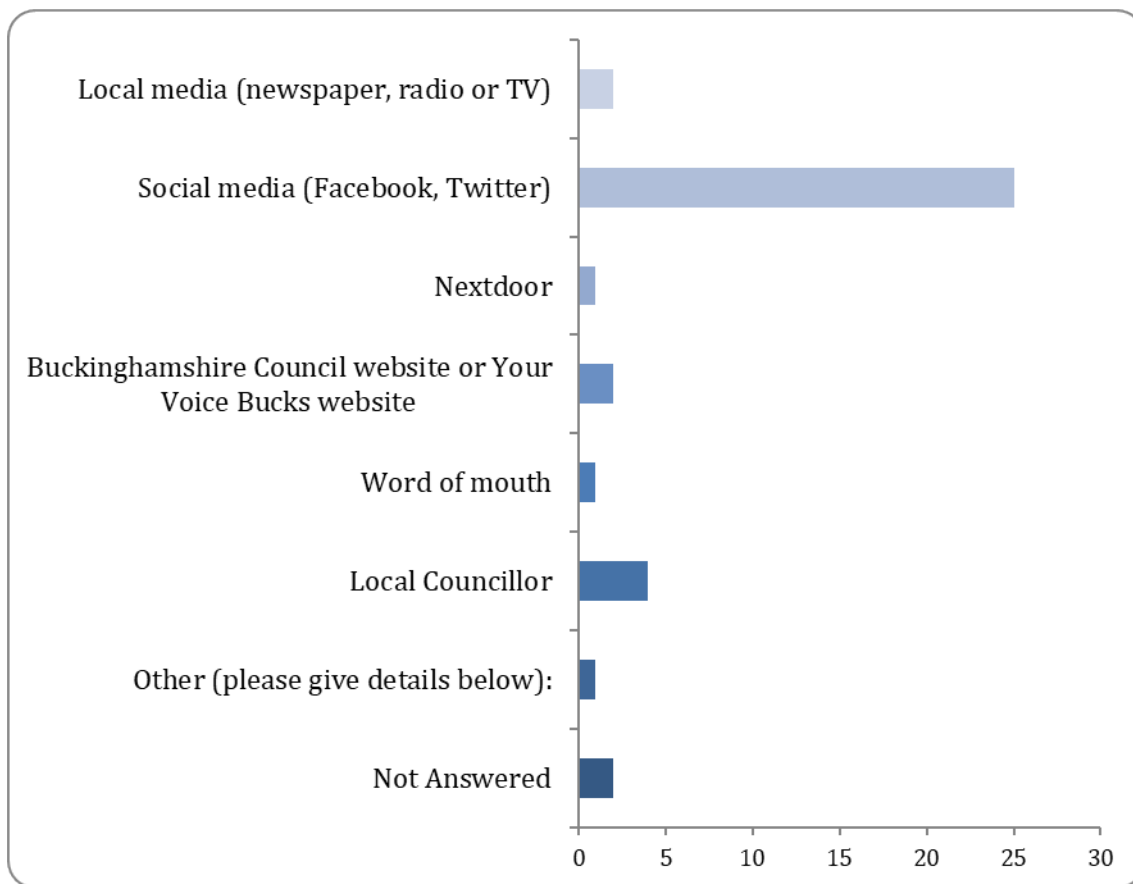
Postcode

There were 28 responses to this part of the question.

- **9: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 34 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	2	5.56%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	25	69.44%
Nextdoor	1	2.78%
Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	2	5.56%
Word of mouth	1	2.78%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	4	11.11%
Local Parish / Town Council	0	0.00%
Other (please give details below):	1	2.78%
Not Answered	2	5.56%

Other

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

Winslow and Steeple Claydon Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

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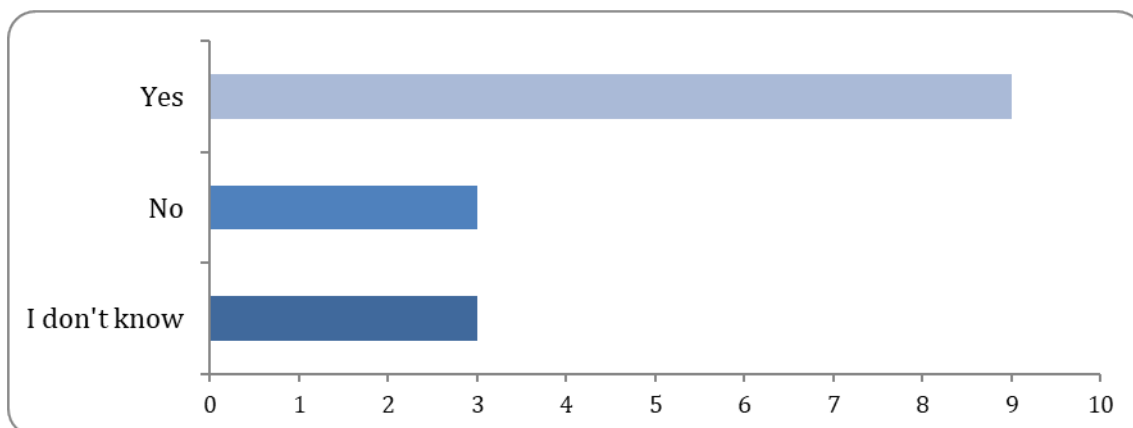
The activity ran from 13/06/2022 to 11/07/2022

Responses to this survey: **15**

- **1: Do you think there is a problem with alcohol related anti-social behaviour within the area of the Public Spaces Protection Order?**

ASB problem

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.

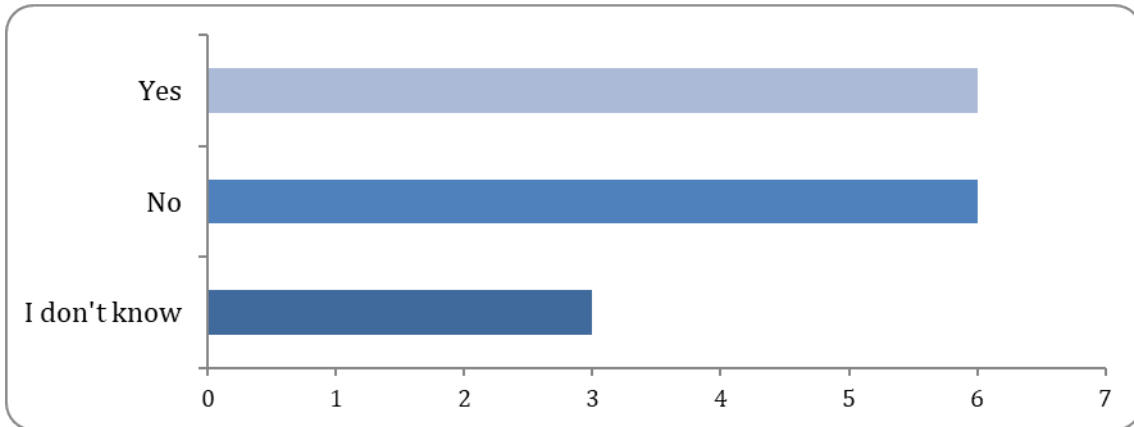


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	9	60.00%
No	3	20.00%
I don't know	3	20.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **2: Do you think that alcohol related anti-social behaviour has reduced in Winslow and Steeple Claydon since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2017?**

PSPO impact

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.

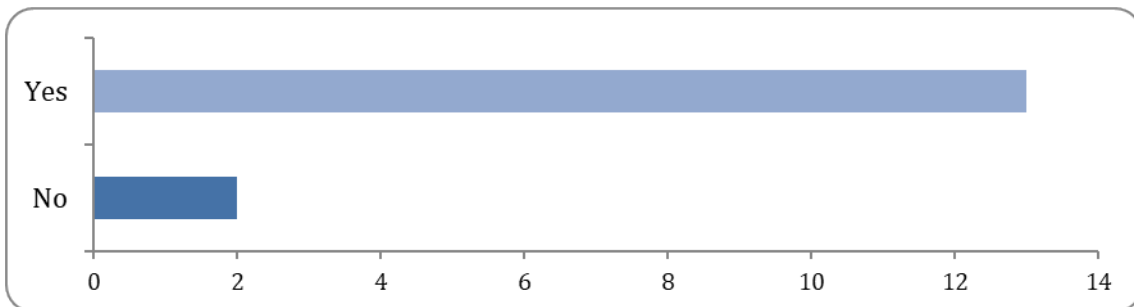


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	6	40.00%
No	6	40.00%
I don't know	3	20.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 3: Do you think that the Winslow and Steeple Claydon Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	13	86.67%
No	2	13.33%
I don't know	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 4: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 13 responses to this part of the question.

- **5: If you have any other comments about the Winslow and Steeple Claydon Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

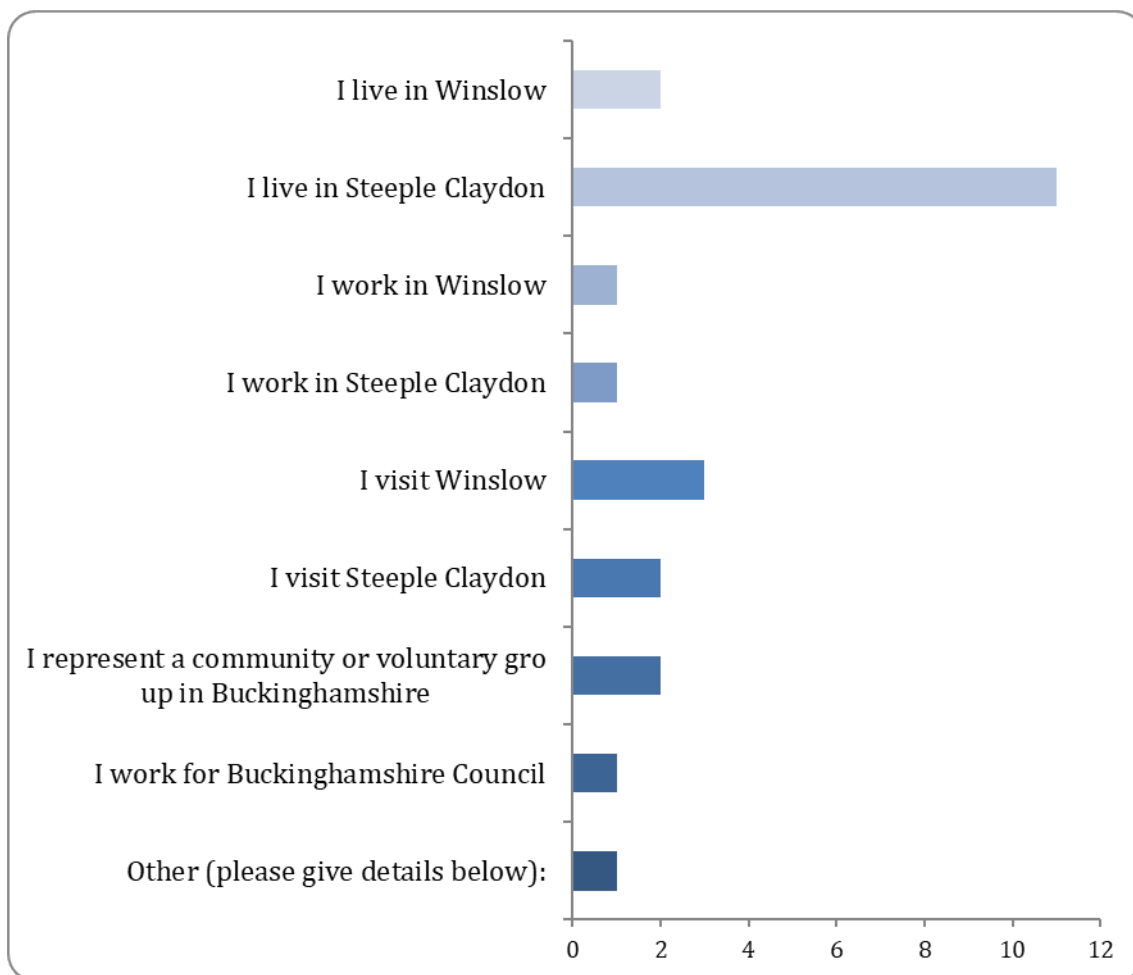
Other comments

There were 5 responses to this part of the question.

- **6: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)**

Capacity

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
I live in Winslow	2	13.33%
I live in Steeple Claydon	11	73.33%
I work in Winslow	1	6.67%
I work in Steeple Claydon	1	6.67%
I visit Winslow	3	20.00%
I visit Steeple Claydon	2	13.33%

I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	2	13.33%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	1	6.67%
Other (please give details below):	1	6.67%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 2 responses to this part of the question.

- **7: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: What is your postcode?**

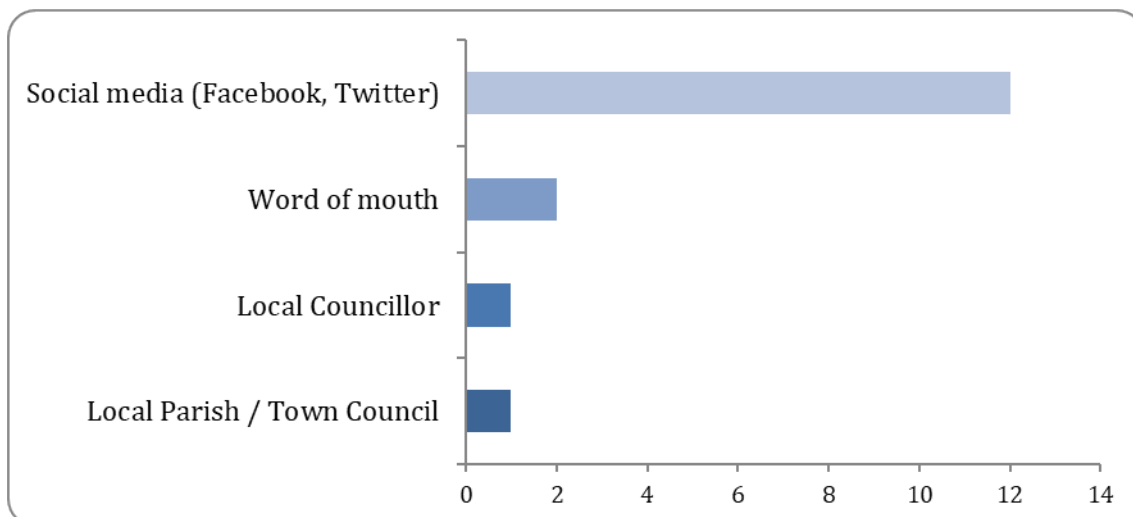
Postcode

There were 12 responses to this part of the question.

- **9: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 15 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	0	0.00%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	12	80.00%
Nextdoor	0	0.00%
Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	0	0.00%
Word of mouth	2	13.33%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	1	6.67%
Local Parish / Town Council	1	6.67%
Other (please give details below):	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

Aylesbury Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

<https://yourvoicebucks.citizenspace.com/communities/aylesbury-pspo-2022>

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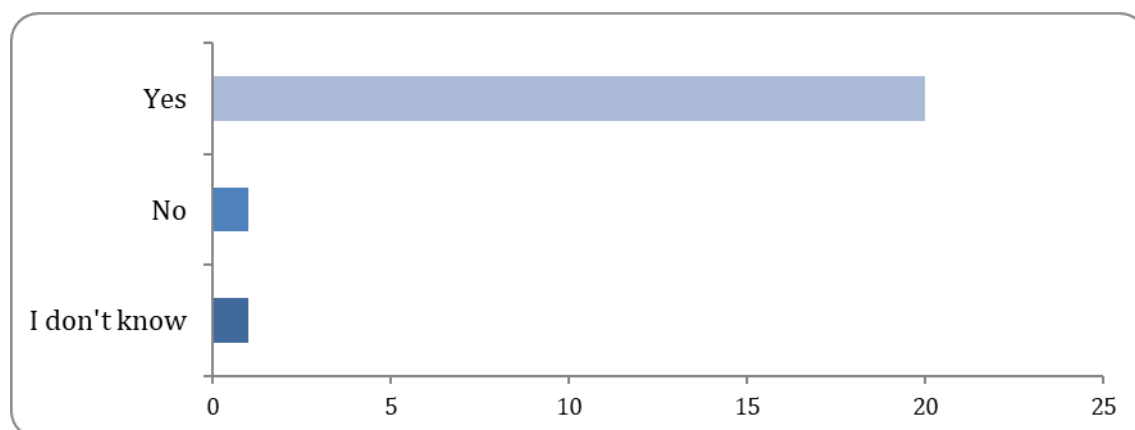
The activity ran from 13/06/2022 to 11/07/2022

Responses to this survey: **22**

- 1: Do you think there is a problem with the anti-social behaviours outlined above within the area of the Public Spaces Protection Order?**

ASB problem

There were 22 responses to this part of the question.

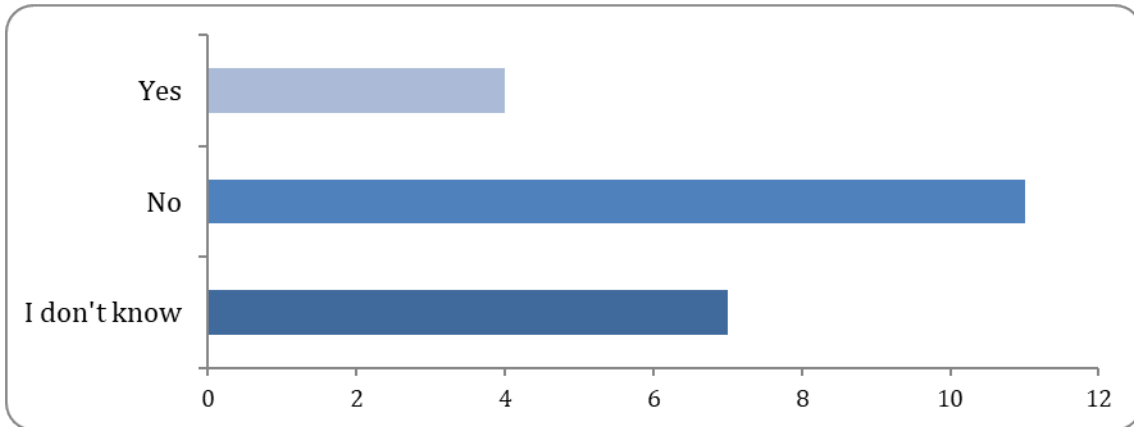


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	20	90.91%
No	1	4.55%
I don't know	1	4.55%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 2: Do you think that the anti-social behaviours outlined above have reduced in Aylesbury Town Centre since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in November 2016?**

PSPO impact

There were 22 responses to this part of the question.

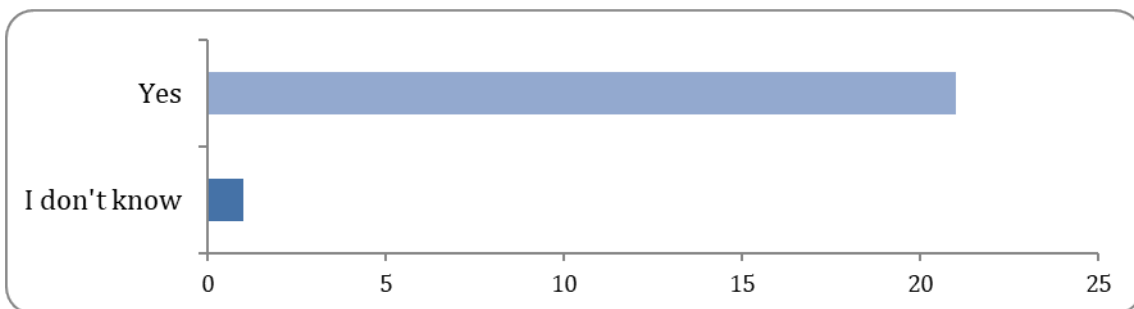


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	4	18.18%
No	11	50.00%
I don't know	7	31.82%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **3: Do you think that the Aylesbury Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 22 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	21	95.45%
No	0	0.00%
I don't know	1	4.55%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **4: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 21 responses to this part of the question.

- **5: If you have any other comments about the Aylesbury Town Centre Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

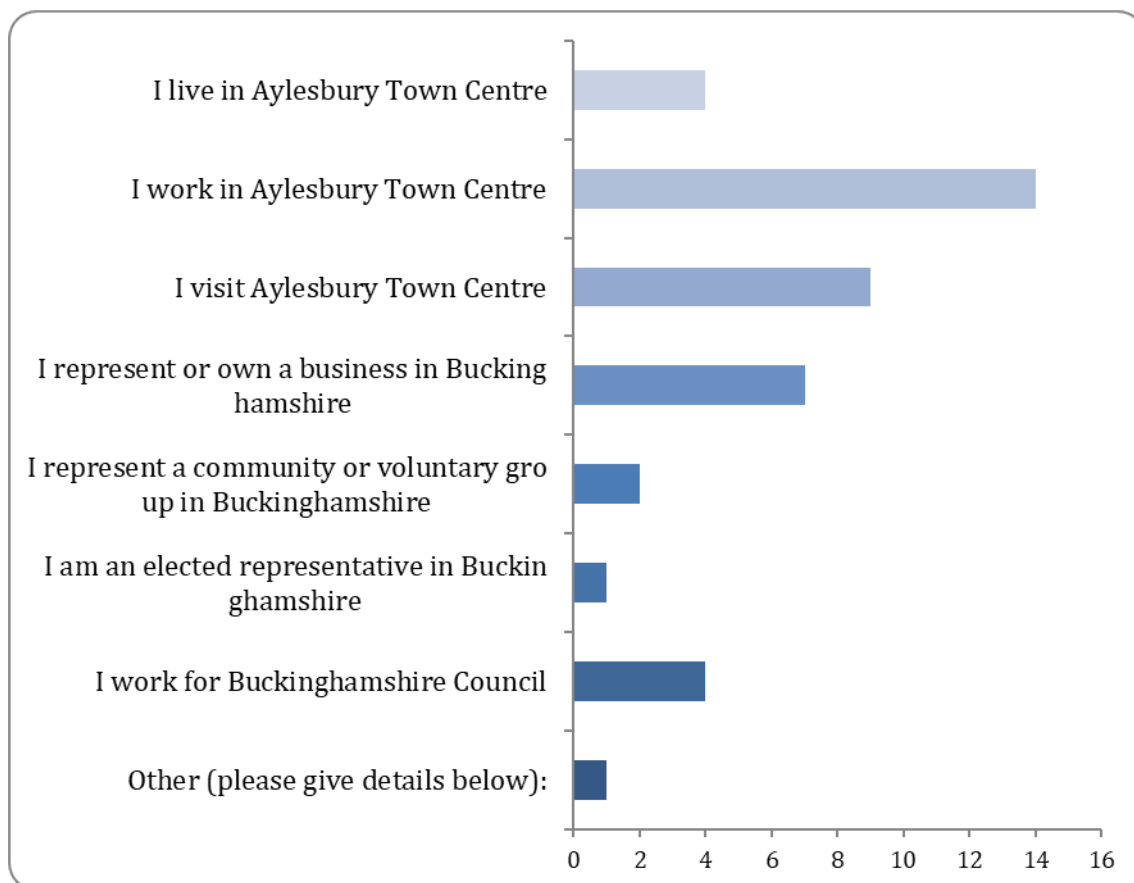
Other comments

There were 10 responses to this part of the question.

- **6: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)**

Capacity

There were 22 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
I live in Aylesbury Town Centre	4	18.18%
I work in Aylesbury Town Centre	14	63.64%

I visit Aylesbury Town Centre	9	40.91%
I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	7	31.82%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	2	9.09%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	1	4.55%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	4	18.18%
Other (please give details below):	1	4.55%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

- **7: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There were 9 responses to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 8 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: What is your postcode?**

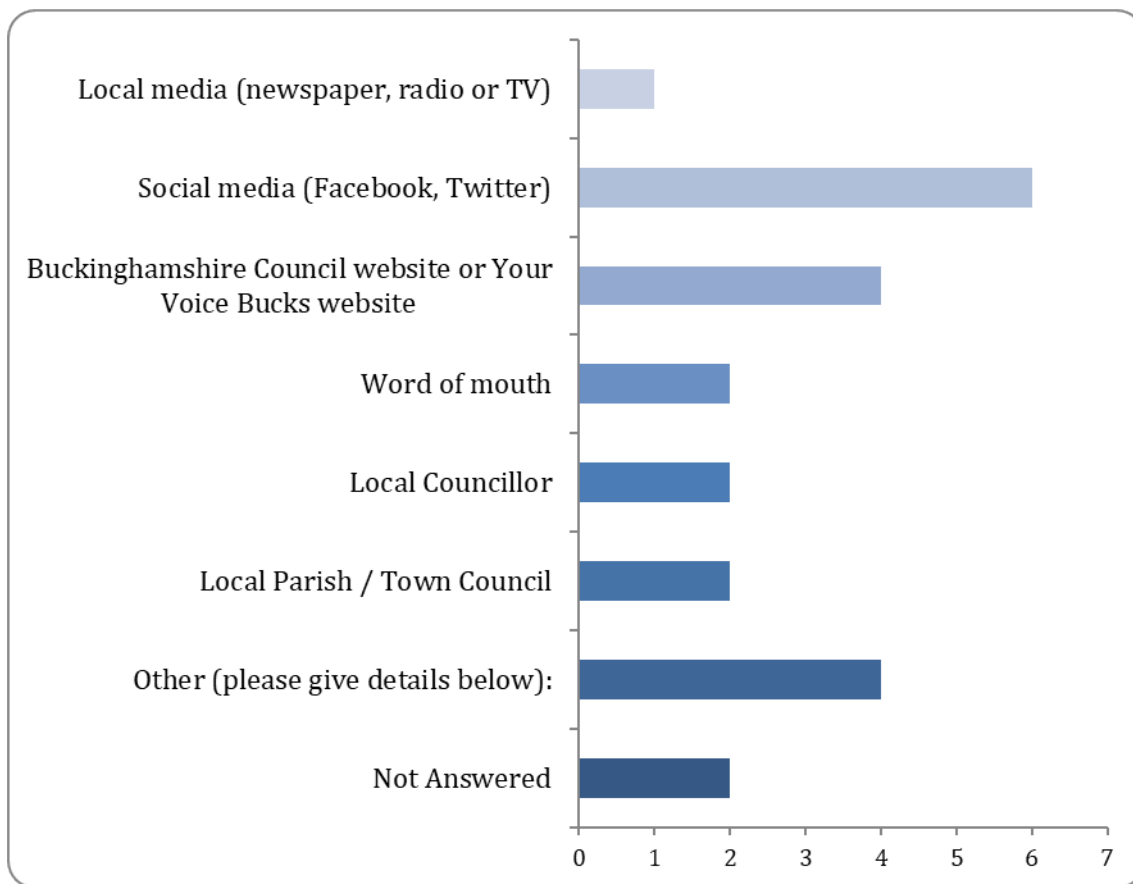
Postcode

There were 18 responses to this part of the question.

- **9: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 20 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	1	4.55%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	6	27.27%
Nextdoor	0	0.00%
Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	4	18.18%
Word of mouth	2	9.09%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	2	9.09%
Local Parish / Town Council	2	9.09%
Other (please give details below):	4	18.18%
Not Answered	2	9.09%

Other

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.

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Aylesbury Vale Parks and Open Spaces Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

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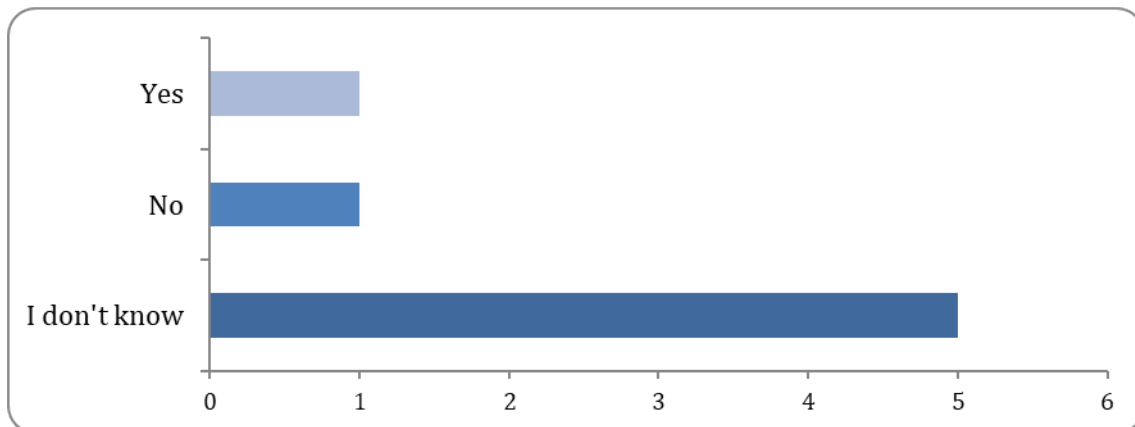
The activity ran from 27/06/2022 to 25/07/2022

Responses to this survey: 7

- **1: Do you think there is a problem with alcohol-related anti-social behaviour in any of the parks / opens spaces outlined above?**

ASB problem

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.

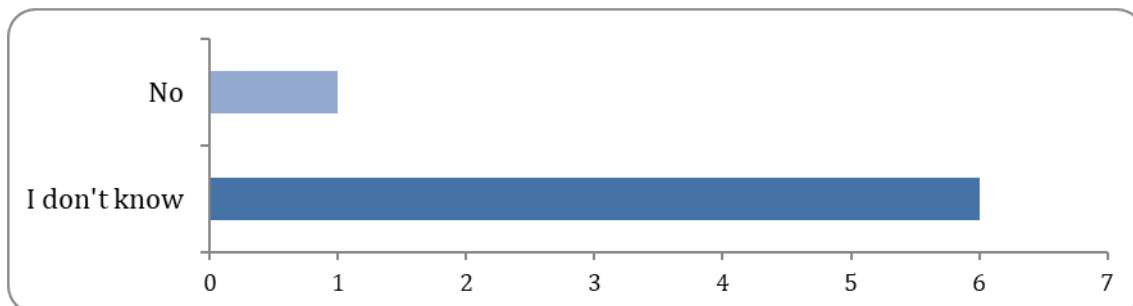


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	1	14.29%
No	1	14.29%
I don't know	5	71.43%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **2: Do you think that alcohol-related anti-social behaviour has reduced in the parks / open spaces outlined above since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2017?**

PSPO impact

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.

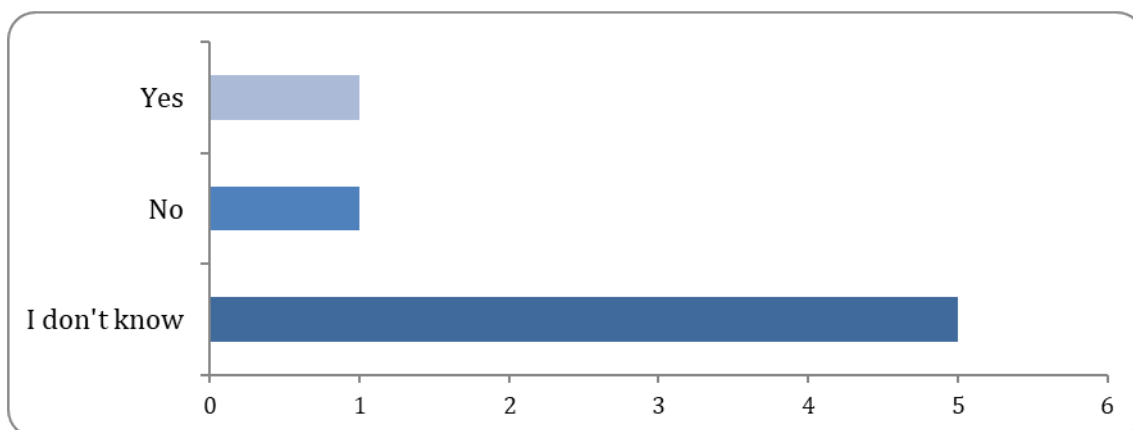


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	0	0.00%
No	1	14.29%
I don't know	6	85.71%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **3: Do you think there is a problem with anti-social use of mechanically propelled vehicles in any of the parks / opens spaces outlined above?**

ASB problem

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.



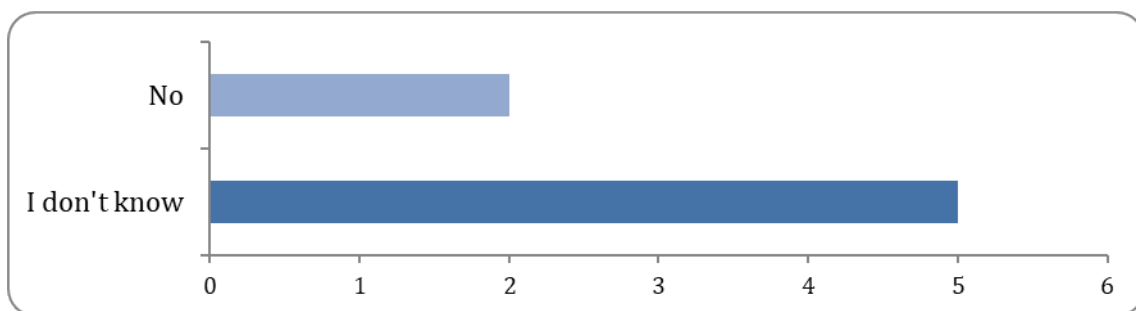
Option	Total	Percent
Yes	1	14.29%
No	1	14.29%
I don't know	5	71.43%

Yes	1	14.29%
No	1	14.29%
I don't know	5	71.43%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **4: Do you think that the anti-social use of mechanically propelled vehicles has reduced in the parks / open spaces outlined above since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2017?**

PSPO impact

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.

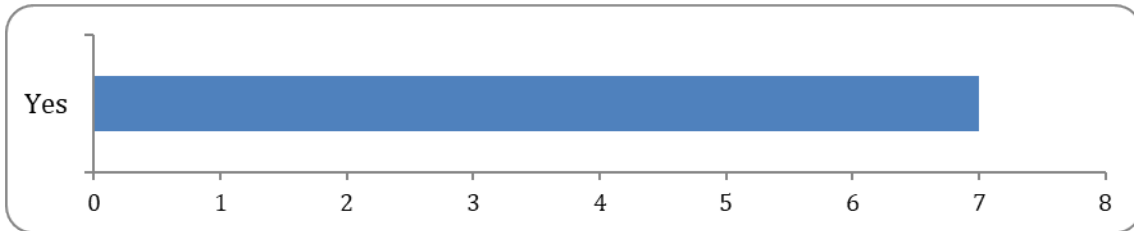


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	0	0.00%
No	2	28.57%
I don't know	5	71.43%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **5: Do you think that the Aylesbury Vale Parks and Open Spaces Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	7	100.00%
No	0	0.00%
I don't know	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **6: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 5 responses to this part of the question.

- **7: If you have any other comments about the Aylesbury Vale Parks and Open Spaces Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

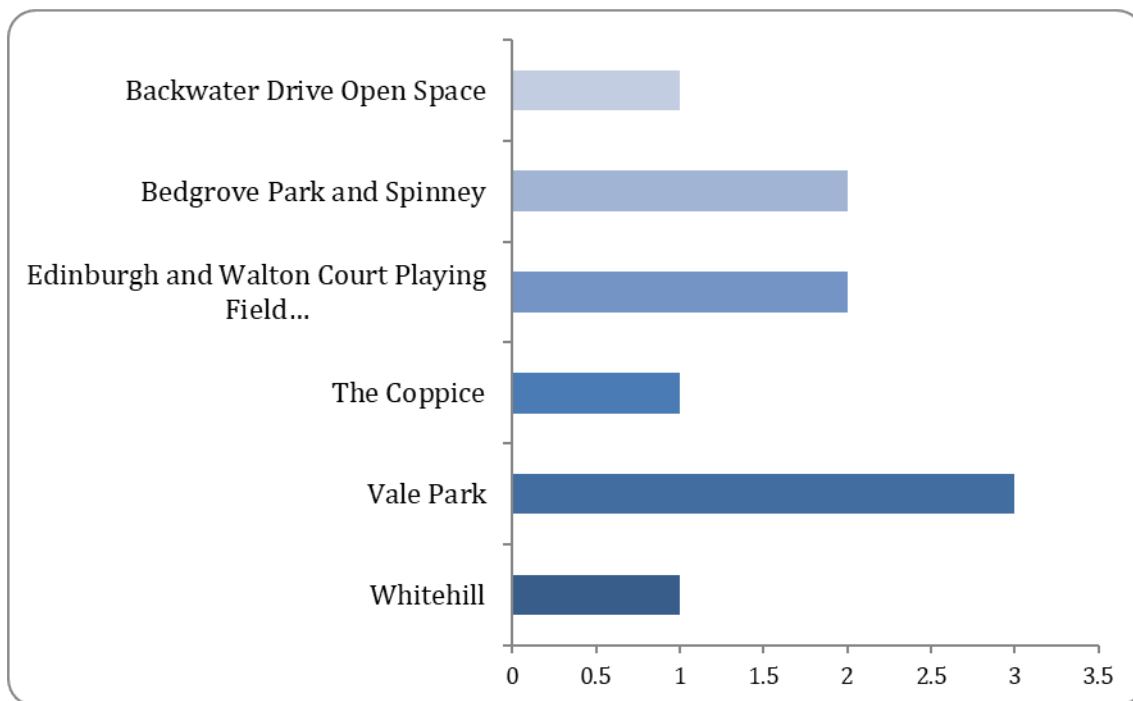
Other comments

There were 3 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: Which of the following Aylesbury Vale parks / open spaces do you use? (Select all that apply)**

Parks / open spaces used

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.



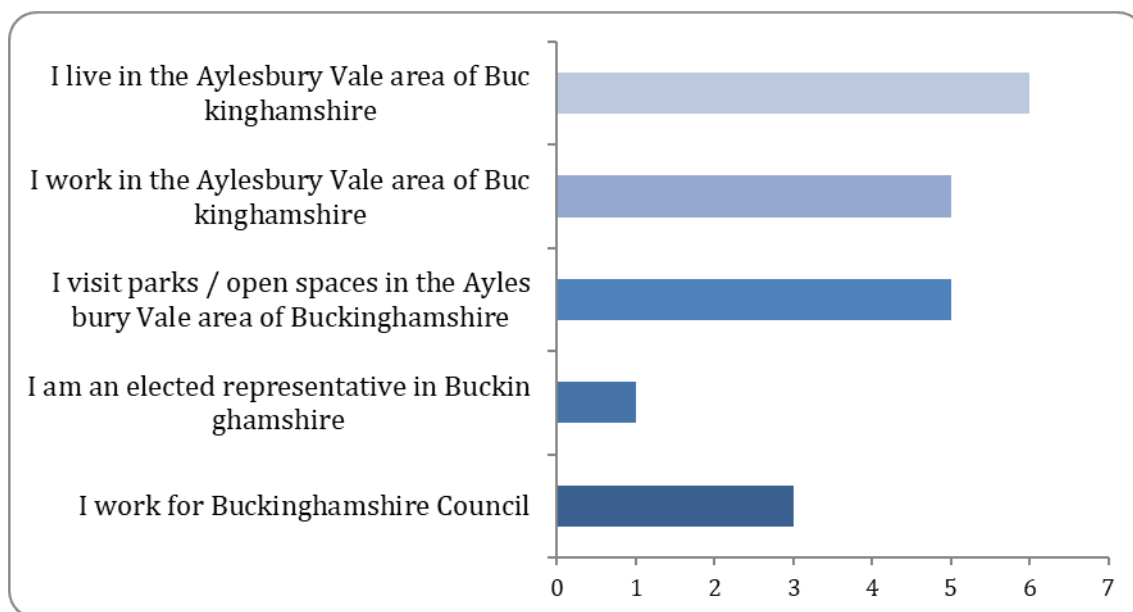
Option	Total	Percent
Alfred Rose Memorial Park	0	0.00%
Aylesbury Cemetery	0	0.00%
Backwater Drive Open Space	1	14.29%
Bateman Drive	0	0.00%
Bedgrove Park and Spinney	2	28.57%
Bowlers Field	0	0.00%
Carlton Close	0	0.00%
Cottesloe Open Space	0	0.00%
Denby Walk and Victoria Park	0	0.00%
Dunsham Park	0	0.00%
Edinburgh and Walton Court Playing Fields	2	28.57%
Elm Green	0	0.00%
Haddington Way	0	0.00%
Haydon Hill	0	0.00%
Oakfield Road	0	0.00%

Riverside Walk	0	0.00%
Simpson Place	0	0.00%
Somerville Way	0	0.00%
The Coppice	1	14.29%
Vale Park	3	42.86%
Waivers Way	0	0.00%
Walton Court Centre	0	0.00%
Whitehill	1	14.29%
None of the above	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

9: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)

Capacity

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
I live in the Aylesbury Vale area of Buckinghamshire	6	85.71%
I work in the Aylesbury Vale area of Buckinghamshire	5	71.43%

I visit parks / open spaces in the Aylesbury Vale area of Buckinghamshire	5	71.43%
I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	0	0.00%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	1	14.29%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	3	42.86%
Other (please give details below):	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **10: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **11: What is your postcode?**

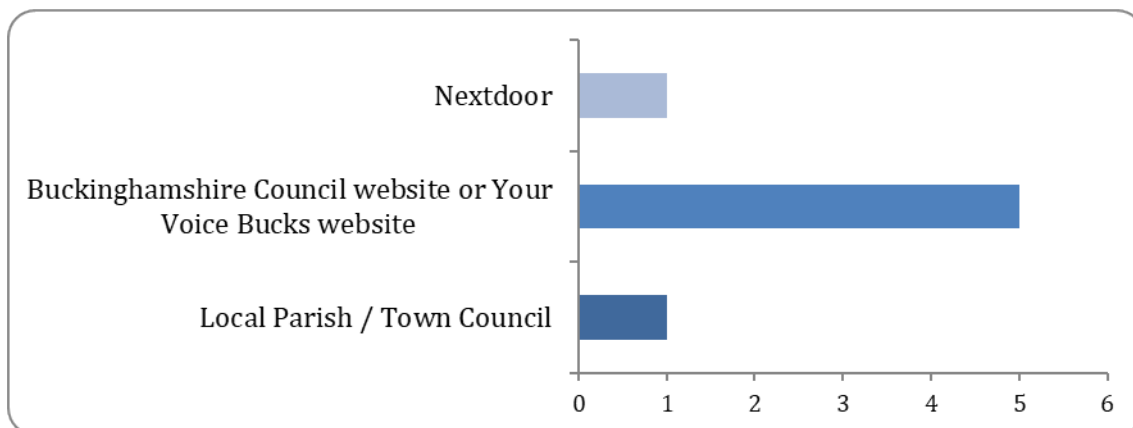
Postcode

There were 4 responses to this part of the question.

- **12: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 7 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	0	0.00%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	0	0.00%
Nextdoor	1	14.29%
Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	5	71.43%
Word of mouth	0	0.00%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	0	0.00%
Local Parish / Town Council	1	14.29%
Other (please give details below):	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO) consultation 2022

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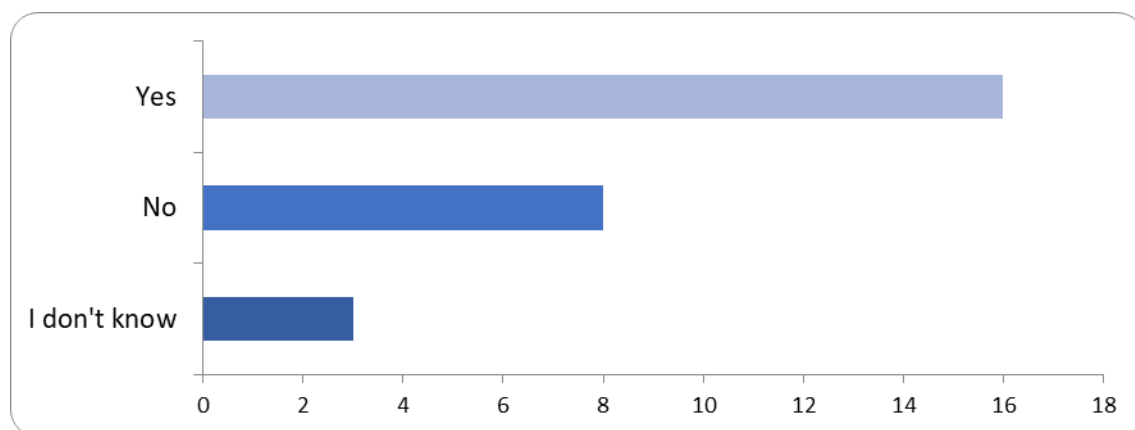
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The activity ran from 27/06/2022 to 25/07/2022

Responses to this survey: **27**

- 1: Do you think there is a problem with alcohol-related anti-social behaviour in any of the areas of the Public Spaces Protection Order?**
ASB problem

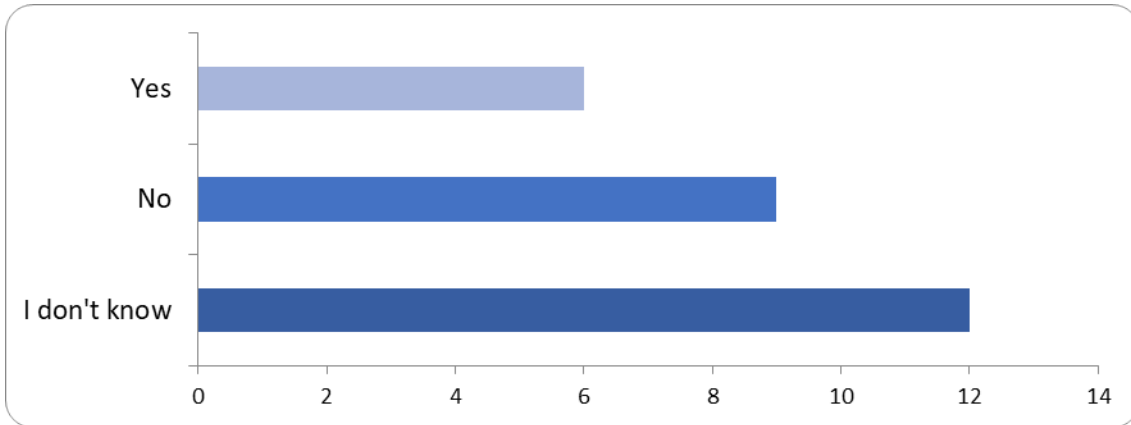
There were 27 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	16	59.26%
No	8	29.63%
I don't know	3	11.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 2: Do you think that alcohol-related anti-social behaviour has reduced in any of the areas outlined above since the Public Spaces Protection Order was introduced in October 2019?**
PSPO impact

There were 27 responses to this part of the question.

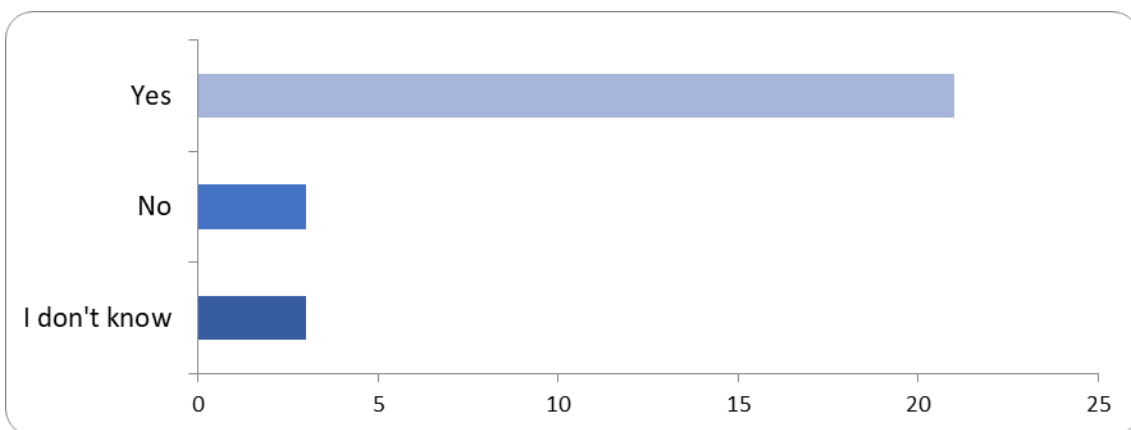


Option	Total	Percent
Yes	6	22.22%
No	9	33.33%
I don't know	12	44.44%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- 3: Do you think that the Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions Public Spaces Protection Order should be extended for a further three years?**

Agree with proposal

There were 27 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Yes	21	77.78%
No	3	11.11%

I don't know	3	11.11%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

- **4: Please tell us the reasons for your previous answer:**

Reasons

There were 19 responses to this part of the question.

- **5: If you have any other comments about the Chiltern Alcohol Restrictions Public Spaces Protection Order, please tell us them here:**

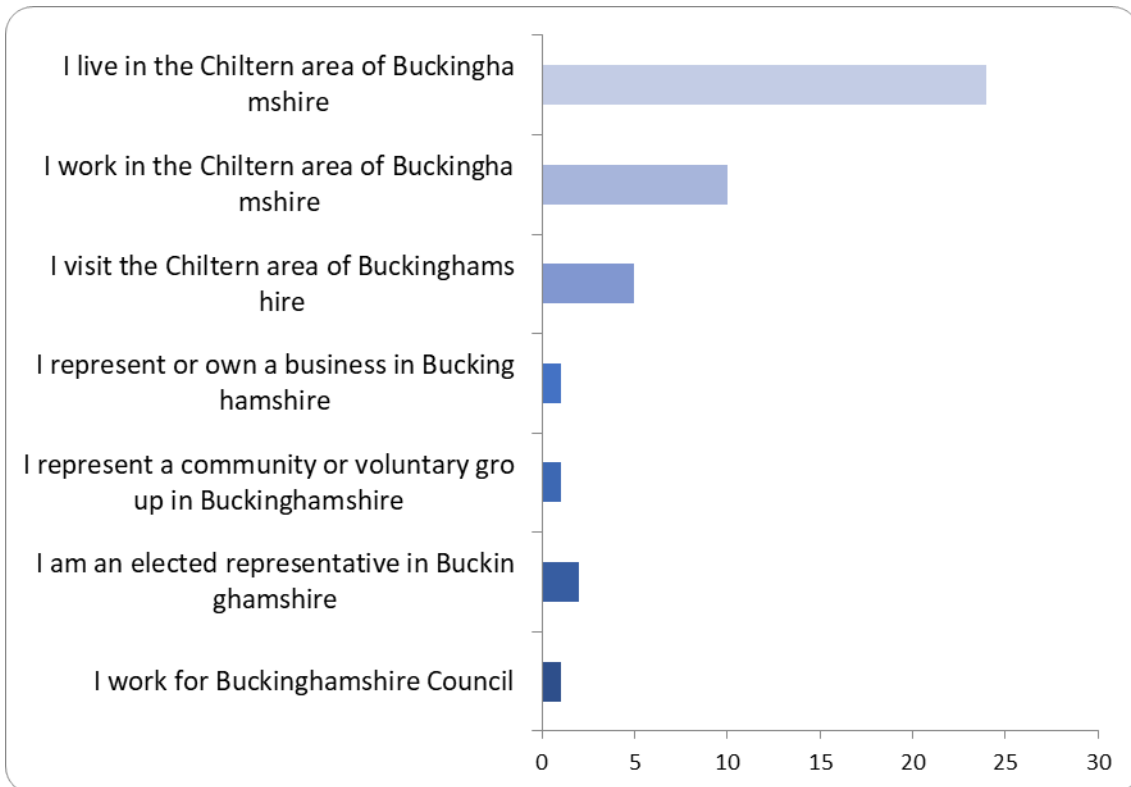
Other comments

There were 8 responses to this part of the question.

- **6: Which of the following describe you? (Select all that apply)**

Capacity

There were 27 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
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I live in the Chiltern area of Buckinghamshire	24	88.89%
I work in the Chiltern area of Buckinghamshire	10	37.04%
I visit the Chiltern area of Buckinghamshire	5	18.52%
I represent or own a business in Buckinghamshire	1	3.70%
I represent a community or voluntary group in Buckinghamshire	1	3.70%
I am an elected representative in Buckinghamshire	2	7.41%
I work for Buckinghamshire Council	1	3.70%
Other (please give details below):	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **7: If you are responding on behalf of an organisation (e.g. a business or a voluntary group), please provide the following details:**

Name of organisation:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

Your job title:

There were 0 responses to this part of the question.

- **8: What is your postcode?**

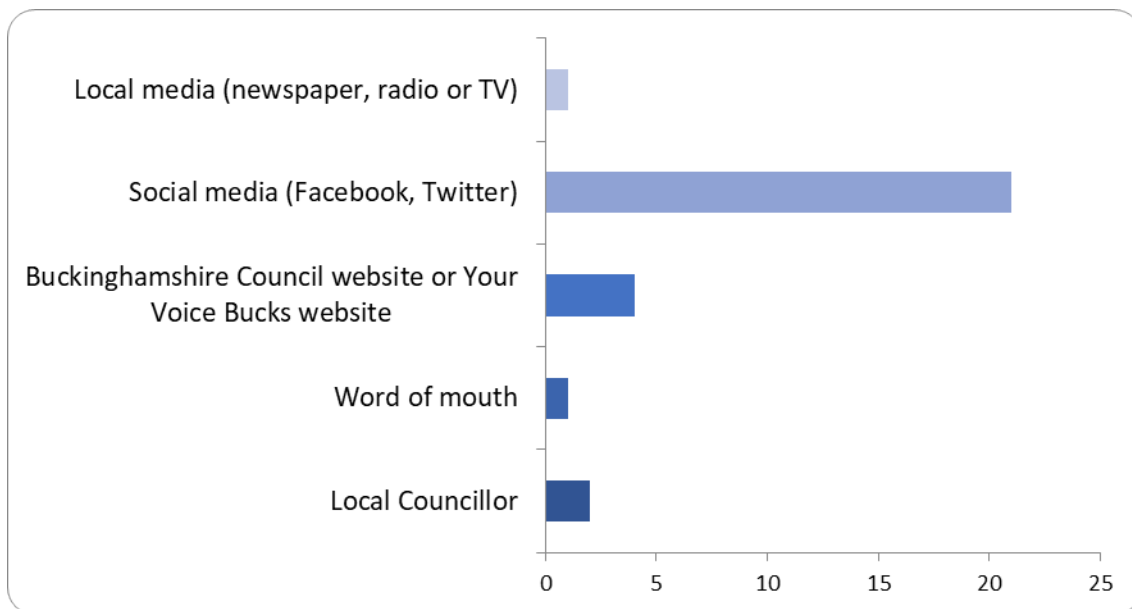
Postcode

There were 22 responses to this part of the question.

- **9: How did you find out about this consultation? (Select all that apply)**

Find out

There were 27 responses to this part of the question.



Option	Total	Percent
Local media (newspaper, radio or TV)	1	3.70%
Social media (Facebook, Twitter)	21	77.78%
Nextdoor	0	0.00%
Buckinghamshire Council website or Your Voice Bucks website	4	14.81%
Word of mouth	1	3.70%
Local Community Board	0	0.00%
Local Councillor	2	7.41%
Local Parish / Town Council	0	0.00%
Other (please give details below):	0	0.00%
Not Answered	0	0.00%

Other

There was 1 response to this part of the question.

Appendix B- Original Orders

West End Rd, High Wycombe

<https://buckinghamshire-gov-uk.s3.amazonaws.com/documents/Public Space Protection Order West End Road High Wycombe.pdf>

Buckingham Town Centre

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