



Your Local Community Network

Levels and Moors
LCN

Agenda

1. Apologies
2. Declaration of interest
3. Approve the minutes of the last meeting
4. Update - Somerset Council's Financial Position
5. Public Question Time (not covered on the agenda)
6. Presentation and Q&A with Police
7. Updates from working groups:
 - Active Travel
 - Health and Wellbeing
8. Actions and next steps
 - Active Travel
 - Health & Wellbeing
 - Discussions re somerset's Finances
9. Date of future meetings



Local Community Networks

Levels and Moors

Team



Chief Inspector
Andy Pritchard

Inspector
Matt Reed – Mendip

Inspector Rachel Clark
South Somerset

5 Police Sergeants and 5 Neighbourhood Supervisors

31 Police Constables and 54 PCSO

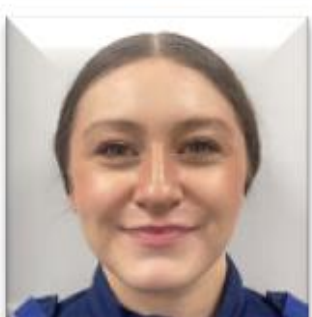
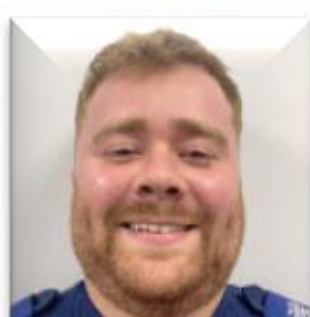
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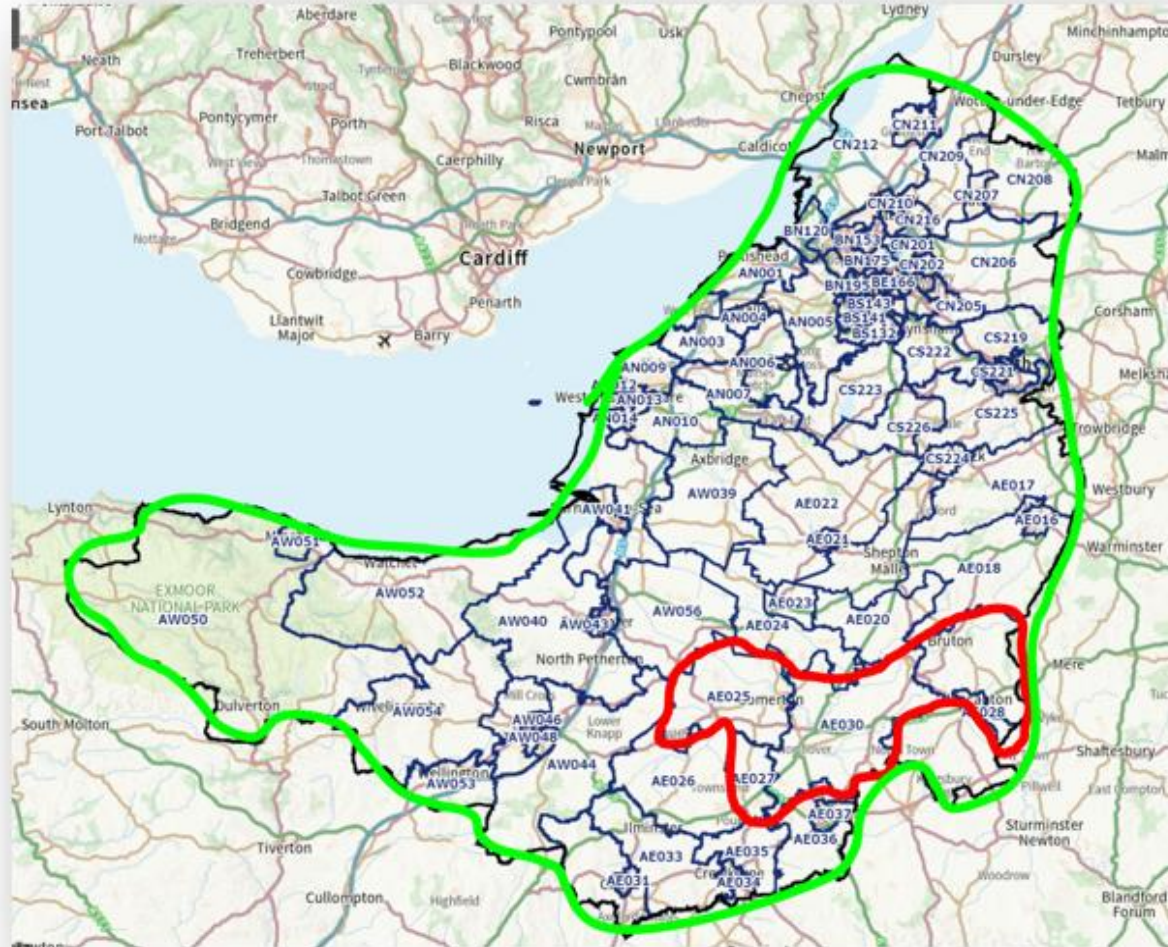
Somerton & Wincanton NPT



Team



All 123 NPT's in Force Area



6 Pillars of Neighborhood Policing



Problem Solving

Investigation

Response

Engagement

Safeguarding

Manage Offender

How they should look



Problem Solving

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How they actually look



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Engagement - Methods



Crime/ASB – Year on Year



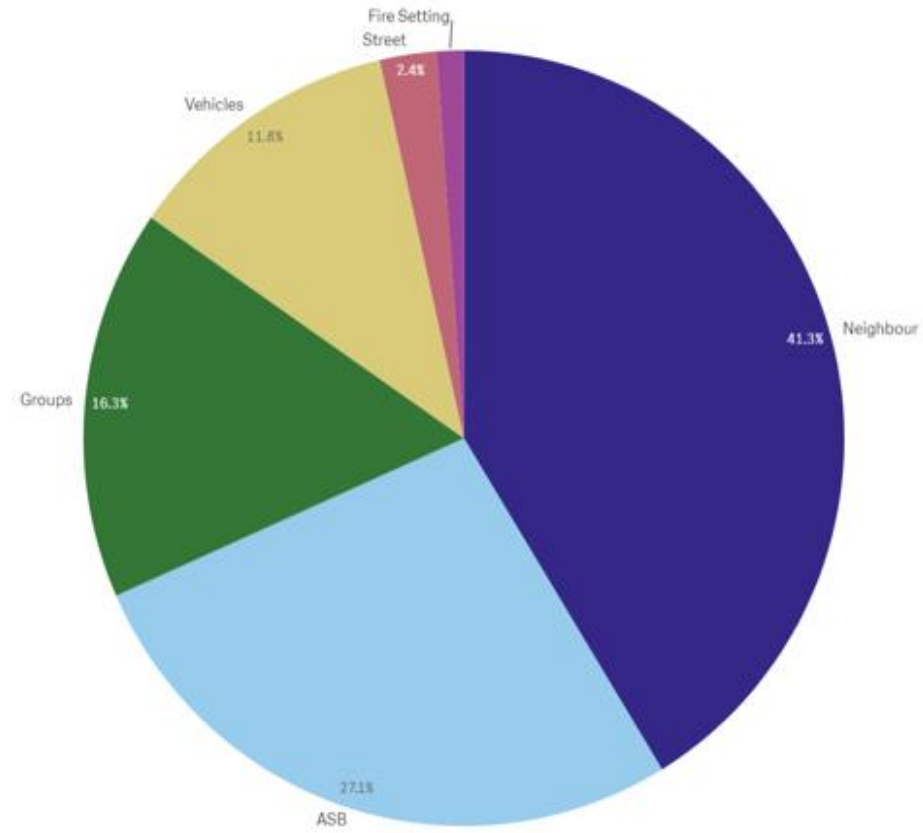
12 months crime

1,077 ^{-3.9%}
Change on prev 12m

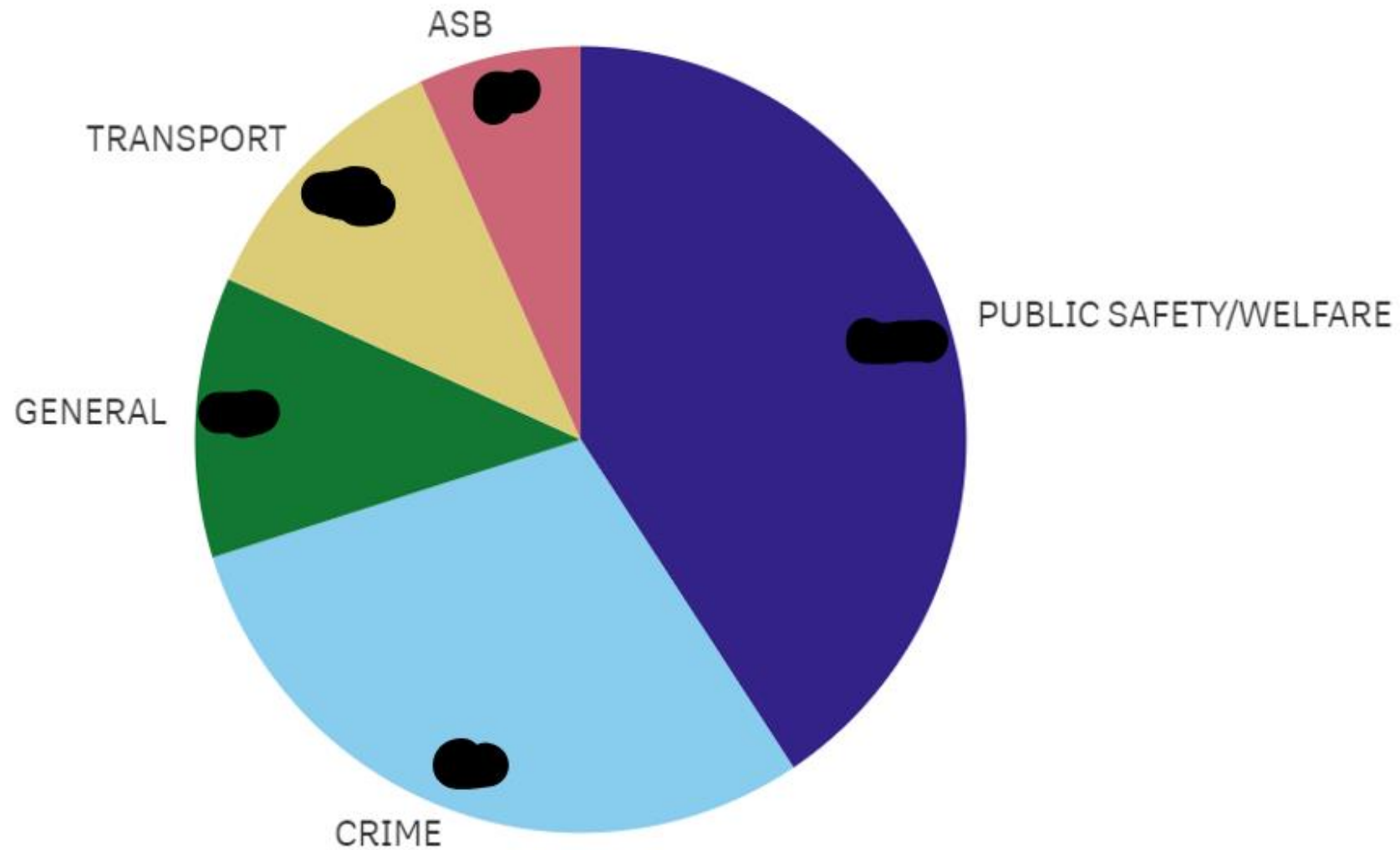
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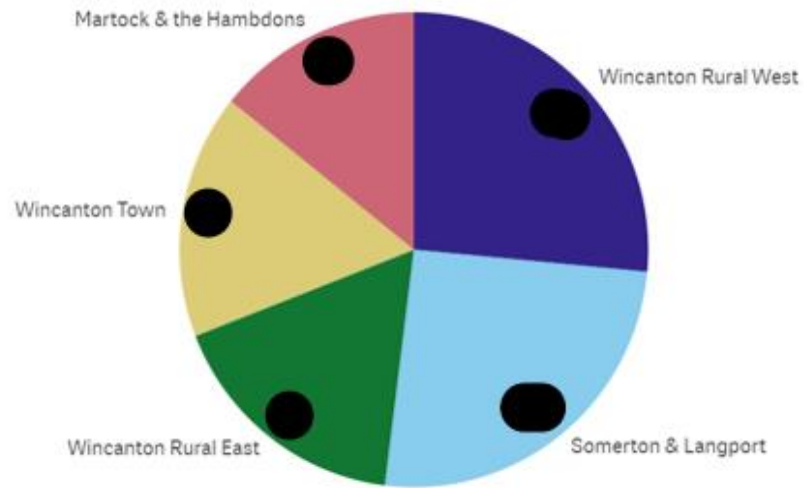
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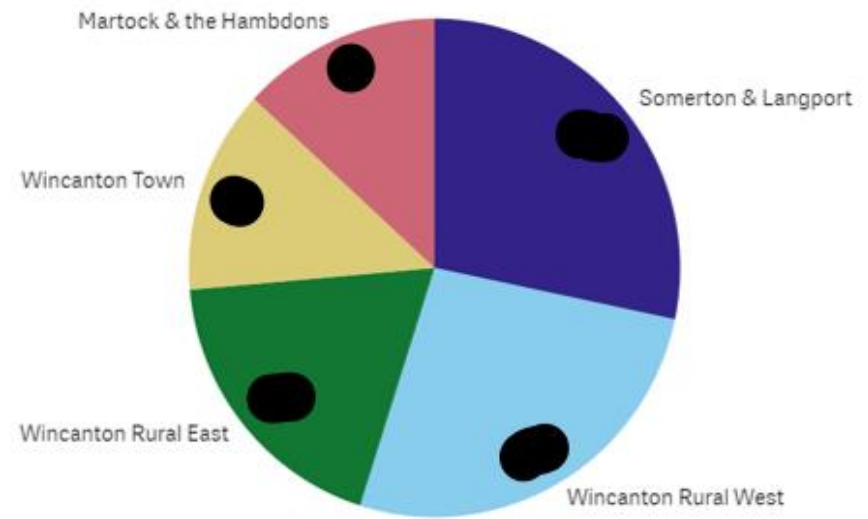
Call Demand



Crime/ASB Demand Distribution



Crime Distribution



ASB Distribution

Social Media/Digital Beat



South Somerset Neighbourhood Policing
3.9K followers • 26 following

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Intro
Welcome to the Avon and Somerset Police - South Somerset Neighbourhood Policing Facebook page.
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Page · Government organisation
@avonandsomerset.police.uk
Not yet rated (0 reviews)

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South Somerset Neighbourhood Policing 2 d ·
Wincanton Neighbourhood Policing Team would like to welcome all members of the community to discuss policing in the local area on Thursday 19th Oct at 1900 at Wincanton Town Council, Market Place, Wincanton BA9 9LD.
The meeting will consist of a short presentation on local crime figures and priorities in the area. You will be able to meet your local Police Community Support Officer and discuss any concerns you may have.

South Somerset Neighbourhood Policing 2 d ·
This morning Wincanton NPT seized a vehicle for having no tax. This was also the same vehicle that recently failed to stop for PC Stewart. Enquiries are on-going.
Thank you to everyone who shared the appeal and provided information. Your help makes a difference, thank you.

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Somerton and Langport

Recently updated priorities

- Violence Against Women and Girls**
Updated on 11 October 2023
- Intelligence Gathering**
Agreed on 11 October 2023
- Rural Crime**
Agreed on 11 October 2023

[View all priorities](#)

Team members

- Rachel Clark**
Neighbourhood Inspector
- Roseanna Green**
Neighbourhood Sergeant
- Sophie Baskett**
Neighbourhood Constable
- Ian Cromey-Hawke**
(Temporary)
PCSO Supervisor
School Link Officer for:
Stanchester Academy
- Mike Bell**
PCSO
- Abby Linaker**
PCSO

Town Councils



- Monthly PCSO Meetings
- Enhanced crime statistical analysis
- Opening intelligence doors
- More joint approaches



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Posted on 27 September 2023, at 17:15 in [Campaigns](#)



This week (25th September 2023) we launched a 'Walk and talk' initiative in Somerset where women

- Launch and promotion of the “Walk & Talk” scheme
- Multi agency working
- Utilising PSP’s to reduce VAWG and the fear of crime
- Education in secondary schools – roll out of gender based abuse training

StreetSafe



- Promoting the use of StreetSafe to public
- Taking action from results

Community Speedwatch



- Greater focus on SPOC's to ensure SLA is achieved and communication improved.
- Wider sharing of problem-solving data with teams.

Neighbourhood Watch



- Revitalising NW
- Improving communication between local PSCO & NW
- Tapping into local intelligence sources



Questions

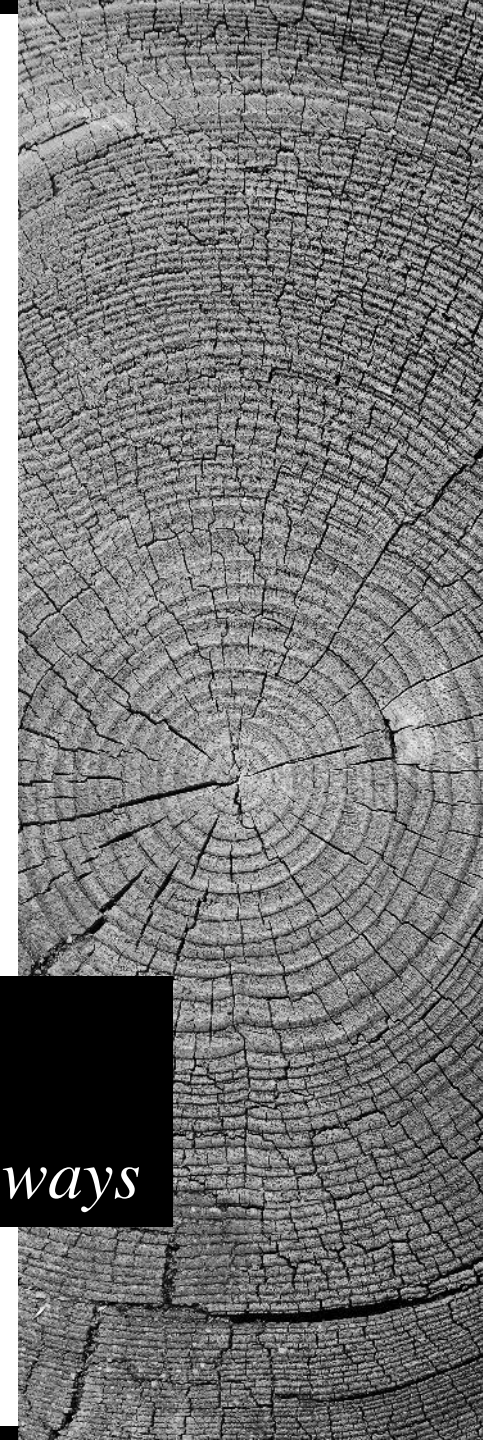




Somerset Council – Local Community Network
LEVELS AND MOORS

Active Travel

*Improving our
footpaths and
provision of cycleways*



CURRENT ROUTE

A most beautiful route to walk in the summer months. Almost impossible to navigate in the winter!



IMPROVING ACCESS

By improving access, we improve the well-being of communities and provide more sustainable methods of moving around!



WE HAVE STARTED!

Monks Clyse
Sluice – before and
after.

Heavy rain has
stopped progress
for a while!



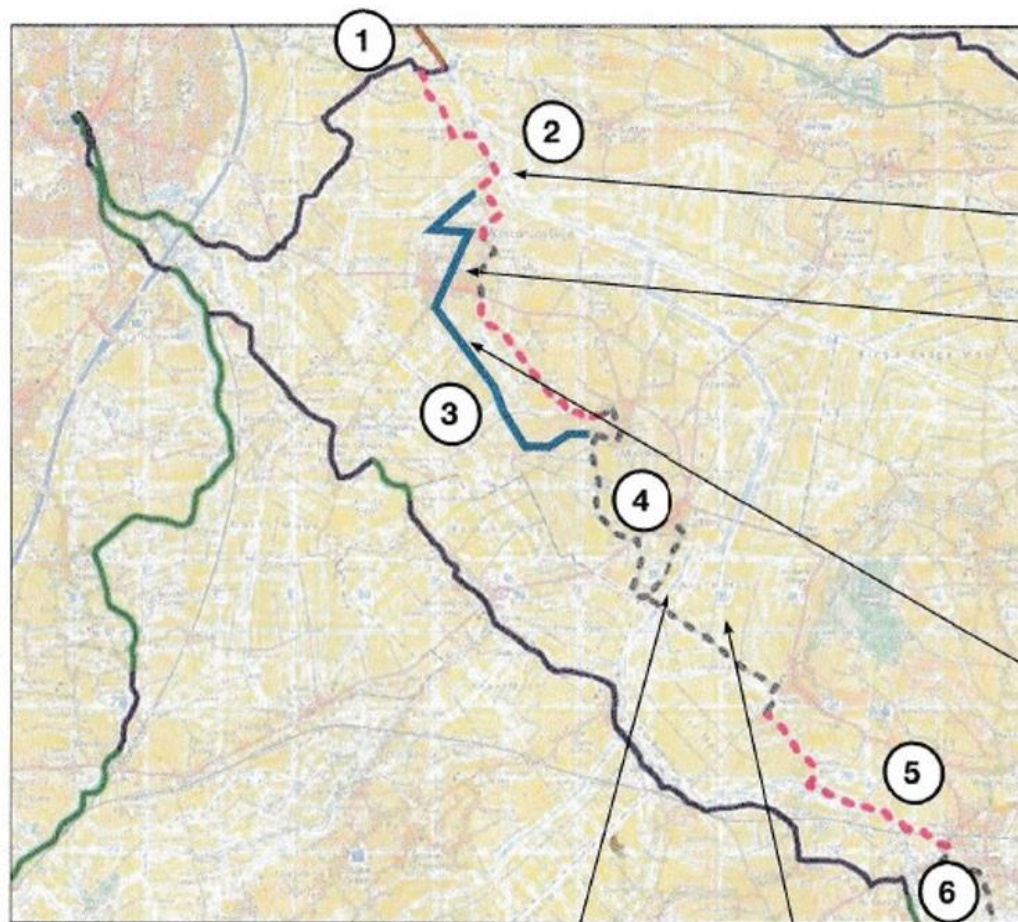
Extension to Westonzoyland and Bridgwater



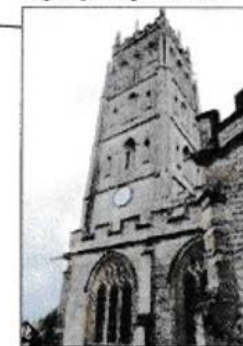
Chedzoy-Bawdrip workcamp path on opening day

The planned link from Langport to Aller could lead through to Westonzoyland via minor roads and then with a new link past the Battle of Sedgemoor site reach the existing Chedzoy and Bawdrip riverside path and Bridgwater.

1. Existing signed route to Bridgwater and riverside path to Bawdrip.
2. If a good route could be fashioned from connecting existing bridleways, the riverside footpath and Langmoor Drove past the Battle site then Chedzoy and Westonzoyland can be connected by a traffic free path well separated from the traffic on the main road.
3. The road to Middlezoy is quite lightly trafficked and makes for a lovely ride over the Levels. The parallel Langmead Drove could offer a completely traffic free alternative as well as a walking route.
4. From Middlezoy to Othery and Aller these minor roads continue a very good route with only a very short section of the main road to negotiate in Othery.
5. Proposed Aller and Langport project
6. Start of railway path to Muchelney.



Langmoor Drove leads to the Battlefield site a long Kings Sedgemoor Drain



Westonzoyland Tower



Approaching Westonzoyland with the Church tower in the distance



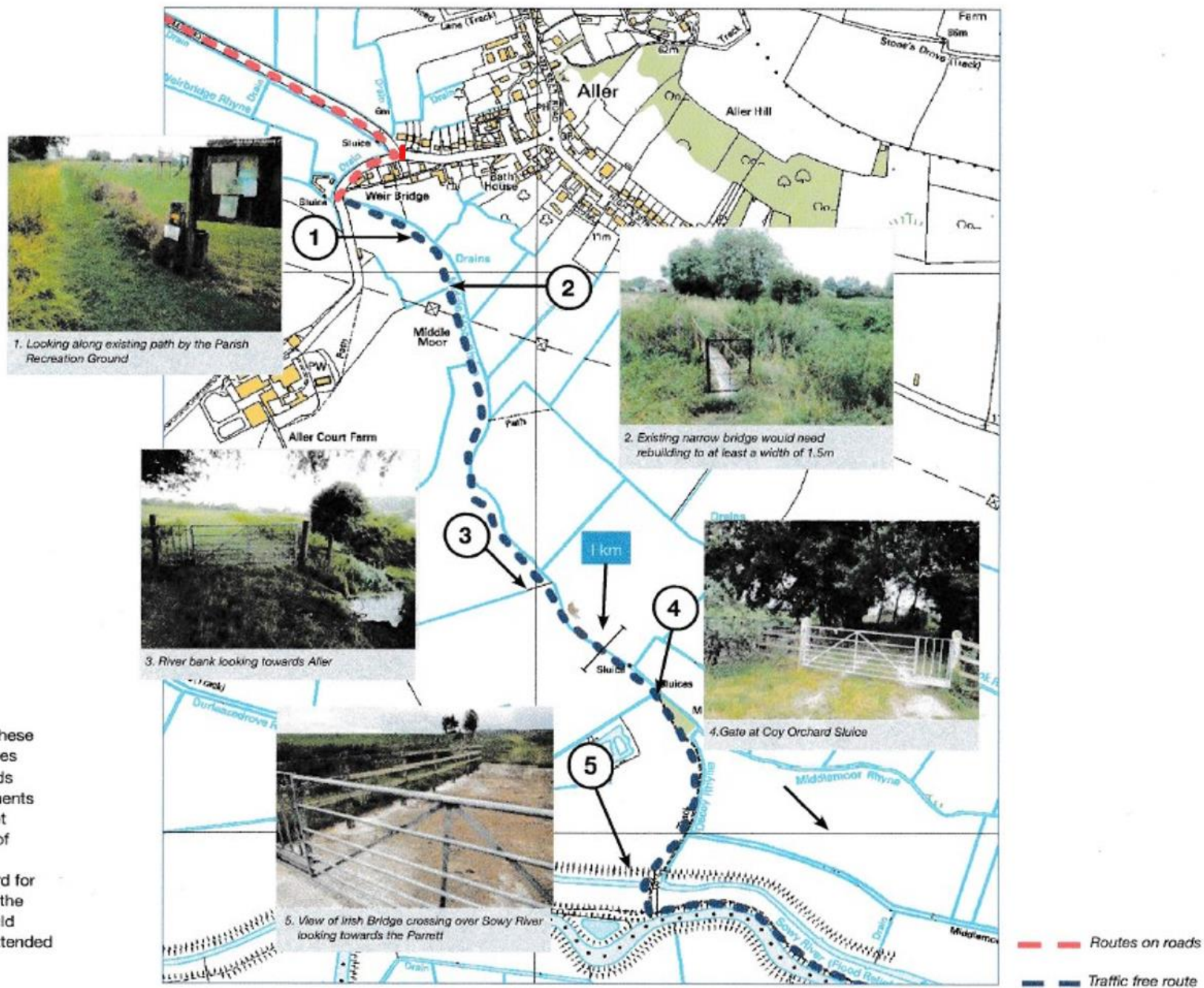
Crossing the Sowey River gives wide views in either direction



The Aller to Othery Road

- Traffic free route
- - - Routes on roads

Aller to Langport - detailed description



The proposed path is shown on these two maps along with some pictures to show the current footpath, fields and riverside bank. The arrangements at each numbered location are set out in more detail in a sequence of sketches on the following pages. These suggestions are put forward for discussion with land owners and the Environment Agency and we would expect them to be revised and extended as required.

OUR PROMISE

To maximise active travel in the Levels and Moors LCN

- Working in partnership to improve our health and well-being
- More accessible footpaths
- New cycle routes
- Connecting communities



CONSENTS, LICENCES AND PERMITS

Consents and permissions have been obtained from:

- *Environment Agency*
- *Landowners*
- *Agricultural tenant*
- *Parish and Town Councils*

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Sources of funding!

- Aller Parish Council – £ 500.00
- Langport Town Council - £ 250.00
- Langport Commoners - £ 350.00
- Somerset Community Foundation - £1,650.00

- We have yet to approach Somerset Council and access the ‘wheelbarrows of cash’ available for active travel. An application is pending!

THE FUTURE - CONNECTING BEYOND LANGPORT

Spanning the river
– it can be done!

This bridge spans
the River Ribble in
Reeth, Yorkshire
Dales.

The plans and funding detail
have been obtained



WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE?


*Thursday 23rd November – Langport Town Hall
7.00pm.*


*An opportunity for open discussion, engagement and
planning.*

Will your parish be there?

THANK YOU

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 *Website – one day!*

Update on Health and Wellbeing



Actions and next steps

Dates of Future Meetings

Proposed dates:

Monday 15th January

Monday 4th March