



# Come and Tell us What you Love....

The development of Teignmouth's very own Neighbourhood Development Plan is well underway, and we need to know what you 'love' or.... 'don't love' about Teignmouth.

A core group of local people which include representatives from local community groups, organisations and Teignmouth Town Councillors have now reached a position whereby consultative launch events have been planned.

Local people are needed to help create the best possible plan for Teignmouth, so the Neighbourhood Development Plan Steering Group is holding drop-in information sessions in November across the town.

Everyone is welcome to share their ideas and complete a questionnaire (which will also be available online, paper copies available at Bitton House, the Library, Alice Cross Centre), Teign Heritage centre, about what they love, don't love and how Teignmouth should develop over the next twenty years.

There will be free refreshments (Kingsway Meadow Centre, Richard Newton Hall, Bitton House, Alice Cross Centre) and those completing a questionnaire will be entered into a prize draw for a £25 voucher added to which there will be an opportunity to have a chat with the team about what and how the Neighbourhood Development Plan works.

Cllr June Green Chairman of the Neighbourhood Development Plan Steering Group say's

*"These are very exciting times and we want to consult with you to ensure that the Neighbourhood Development Plan reflects the needs of our community wherever possible. Once adopted by the local planning authority, the Neighbourhood Development Plan becomes a statutory planning document for Teignmouth and must be taken into consideration by developers and planners so your comments, views, loves, hates, are so very important to the steering group".*

The launch events are being held at: -

Pavilions Teignmouth	Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> November	10.00am – 4.00pm
Pavilions Teignmouth	Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> November	2.00pm – 5.00pm.
Kingsway Meadow Centre,	Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> November	6.00pm – 9.00pm
Richard Newton Hall	Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> November	12.00noon – 5.00pm
Bitton House	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> November	11.00am – 8.00pm
Alice Cross Centre	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> November	6.00pm – 8.00pm

Please come along and see us and give us your comments on issues such as transport and signage, greenspaces, housing, the town centre, business and tourism and heritage and assets. After all, we all 'Love Teignmouth' and this is your town, your chance to influence your future, your Neighborhood Development Plan.

For more information please contact the Town Clerk on 01626 775030 or by e-mail [nhp@teignmouth-devon.gov.uk](mailto:nhp@teignmouth-devon.gov.uk)

Website - [www.teignmouth-devon.gov.uk/Neighbourhood\\_Plan\\_18991.aspx](http://www.teignmouth-devon.gov.uk/Neighbourhood_Plan_18991.aspx)



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### **Notes to Editors**

What is a Neighbourhood Plan?

In very simple terms, a neighbourhood plan is:

A document that sets out planning policies for the neighbourhood area – planning policies are used to decide whether to approve planning applications

Written by the local community, the people who know and love the area, rather than the Local Planning Authority

A powerful tool to ensure the community gets the right types of development, in the right place.