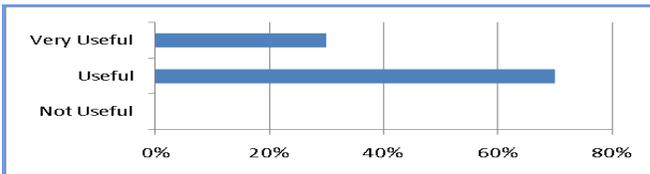
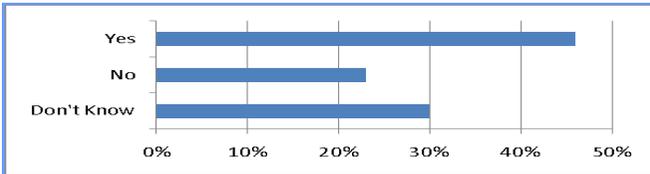


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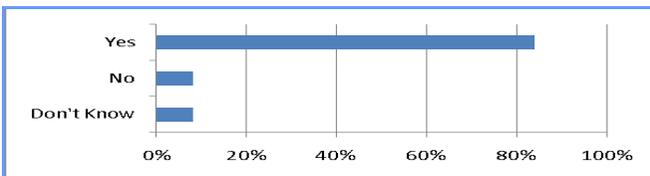
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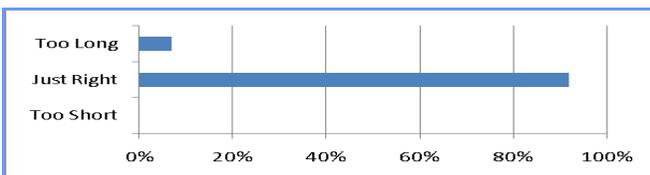
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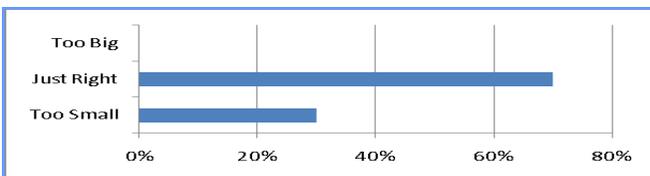
Did you feel the topic(s) were clearly explained at the meeting?



Did you feel the group discussion time (40 minutes) was right?



Did you feel the number of people in discussion groups was right?



Thank you to all Forum members who contributed to the discussions on the Land Assessment Framework and developing a vision for the Local Development Plan (LDP).

At the second Forum meeting, members were advised of how their input, at the first meeting, had influenced the preparation of a Land Assessment Framework. This is the first stage in identifying where development should and should not be located; and involves identifying constraints or limitations on land development. Feedback from the Forum is currently being considered, in order to improve the Framework before it is used to identify constraints in relation to specific sites.

The meeting also gave Forum members the opportunity to debate the advantages and disadvantages of different approaches to developing a vision for the LDP. The aim was to establish the preferred balance of economic, social and environmental principles, which will guide the direction of future LDP policies. The input of the Forum is important for helping to ensure that the correct options for visioning are identified at an early stage in the LDP process.

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Feedback : Draft Land Assessment (Constraints) Framework

The members who had attended the 1st meeting felt the Framework reflected fairly the constraints mentioned at that Forum meeting. However, more than half of those present at the 2nd meeting had not attended the first meeting and were therefore unable to comment on how well the Framework reflected the outcomes of the first Forum meeting.

There were several individual comments relating to certain areas that were felt to need changing, additional areas added and others strengthened to ensure the framework is more robust. All of these comments will be considered before finalisation of the Framework.

Others were concerned over the way the Framework will be implemented, and by who, as it could be subjective.

The scoring system was generally favourably received, although there were a few members who felt this was a negative approach which may be difficult to implement as it was a subjective process and who were concerned that it may be used in isolation to determine if areas were suitable or not for development.



Next Meeting: Planning Service Performance

The next meeting of the Local Planning Forum will be held on 1st December at Troon Primary School.

All Forum members will be invited to this meeting.

Unlike the previous Forum meetings, which explored LDP issues, this meeting will focus on the Planning Service itself. In particular, members will be given the opportunity to discuss what type of Planning Service they wish to be provided in South Ayrshire, in terms of the overriding delivery priorities and principals of the Service.

Issues that may be covered include the speed of the system, quality of decision making, transparency of processes, communication and public participation in the planning process.

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Tuesday 1st December 2009
at
Troon Primary School
6pm

Members will be invited to express interest in attending this meeting in due course.

An agenda and information regarding the meeting will be issued to all Forum members and the opportunity will be given for everyone to make comments and have their views heard.

Selective Comments

"...effort taken to consult communities around South Ayrshire"

"Well chaired and recorded"

"...would have been more beneficial with more participants"

"A good mix of interests and active discussion"