

SCRUTINY PANEL - REVIEW OF TOWN CENTRES

TOWN AND PARISH COUNCILS

Review of Town Centres

Lincolnshire County Council has established a Scrutiny Panel of eight county councillors to undertake a review of town and parish centres. The Panel wants to find out if there are examples of good practice that promote activity in these centres. This would support the scope of the Panel's review, which is seeking ways to maximise existing opportunities and to develop a set of principles that would support retail and other activities in town and parish centres. The scope of the review also includes finding ways of supporting town centre economies, including stimulating visitors, and retaining and creating jobs.

The Panel has selected a number of town and parish centres, where it would like to gather more information and evidence. As one of those selected, this survey provides you with an opportunity to contribute information and evidence, which would assist the Scrutiny Panel. Depending on your response and if time allows, the Panel may wish to request further information from you. The Panel is also involving district councils in this review and has excluded the City of Lincoln from the scope of its work.

Scrutiny Review Process

The Scrutiny Panel is at the evidence gathering stage of its review. Once the Panel has completed this during the autumn of 2022, the Panel will begin to compile a report. The Panel's final report will be considered by the County Council's Executive, its principal decision making body in 2023. **You are requested to complete and return the survey by 30 September 2022.**

Contacts for Further Information on Town Centre Review

If you require any further information on the review or this survey, please contact:

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Thank you for your time completing the survey and supporting the scrutiny review.