

TOWN AND PARISH COUNCILS

Approximately 20 representatives attended.

Following a presentation from John Foxworthy the meeting was split meeting into groups

Each group was given up to 3 votes to either increase or reduce expenditure.

	Most Important No. of votes	Least Important No. of votes
Collect household waste	3	
Clean the streets	1	
Provide a recycling service		
Inspect and advise on hygiene in food premises		
Protect the environment from pollution		1
Provide and maintain public toilets		
Provide affordable housing for local people	3	
Provide car parks		
Work to tackle homelessness	1	
Provide leisure and sports facilities		
Protect the countryside		1
Promote tourism		3
Inspect licensed businesses e.g. restaurants		
Provide facilities for young people	1	
Provide financial help to local businesses in temporary difficulties		
Maintain and create jobs		
Work with the police and others to make the South Hams safer		2
Improve access to local services		2
Work to reduce energy use		
Other: concessionary bus fares		1
Other: Engage and communicate with Parishes	1	

RESIDENTS SURVEY

Respondants were asked to vote for up to 5 options of their least and most important services.

	most important No. of votes	least important No. of votes
Collect household waste	107	2
Clean the streets	43	9
Provide a recycling service	62	6
Inspect and advise on hygiene in food premises	20	34
Protect the environment from pollution	29	12
Provide and maintain public toilets	51	14
Provide affordable housing for local people	45	18
Provide car parks	25	29
Work to tackle homelessness	14	37
Provide leisure and sports facilities	12	49
Protect the countryside	43	12
Promote tourism	5	56
Inspect licensed businesses e.g. restaurants	7	48
Provide facilities for young people	18	27
Provide financial help to local businesses in temporary difficulties	5	58
Maintain and create jobs	16	31
Work with the police and others to make the South Hams safer	52	15
Improve access to local services	7	52
Work to reduce energy use	13	34
Privatise Salcombe Harbour		2
Reduce council staffing, wages, expense.		2
Help for elderly Town Bus in Ivybridge.		1