

WHAT DOES IT ALL MEAN?

LOCALISM

A new way for the community to help create the future of where they live and work.

THE COMMUNITY

Local control of our own environment.

LOCAL POWERS

Deciding what we need and where to put – roads, paths, housing, businesses, education and leisure facilities, open spaces and parking.

WE CAN ALL TAKE PART

We can all contribute. The Parish Council set up an independent Working Group and they have agreed to collect opinions and prepare a plan for a Piddle Valley referendum.

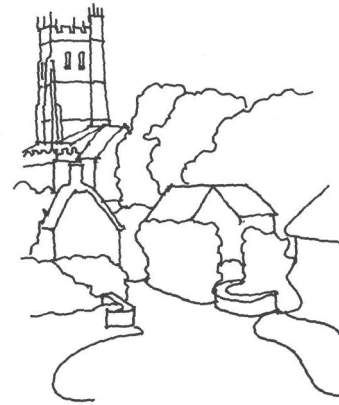
Before we can start, we need your agreement that you would like this to happen.

DO WE NEED TO DO IT?

If we decide not to proceed, planning control will continue to remain in the hands of West Dorset District Council.



Please make an effort to come to the meeting on October 13th and cast your vote or pick up a voting slip from Piddletrenthide Post Office Stores



Piddle Valley Neighbourhood Plan

Help make the Vision for our future

Our neighbours in the Cerne Valley have been the visionary 'Front Runners' in making a plan for future development as part of the Government's new Localism Act.

Close on their heels and with the benefit of their experience, we have started to create the mechanism for everyone to take part in deciding how to see our Piddle Valley villages continue to develop a thriving community and enjoy the Dorset environment in the future.

A fork in the road lies ahead and we need to choose which route to take. Your personal decision will enable us to make the right choice.

WHAT HAPPENS NEXT

The Village Meeting on October 13th between 10.30 am and 4.30 pm at Piddle Valley School where you can see more information and talk to members of the Working Group. There will be presentations at 11 am and 3 pm followed by question and answer sessions.

We want your view on whether or not to proceed. We need to make this decision by the end of October. Please come to the village meeting and cast your vote on which way to go.



THE CHOICE BEFORE US

