

# **TURVEY NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN**

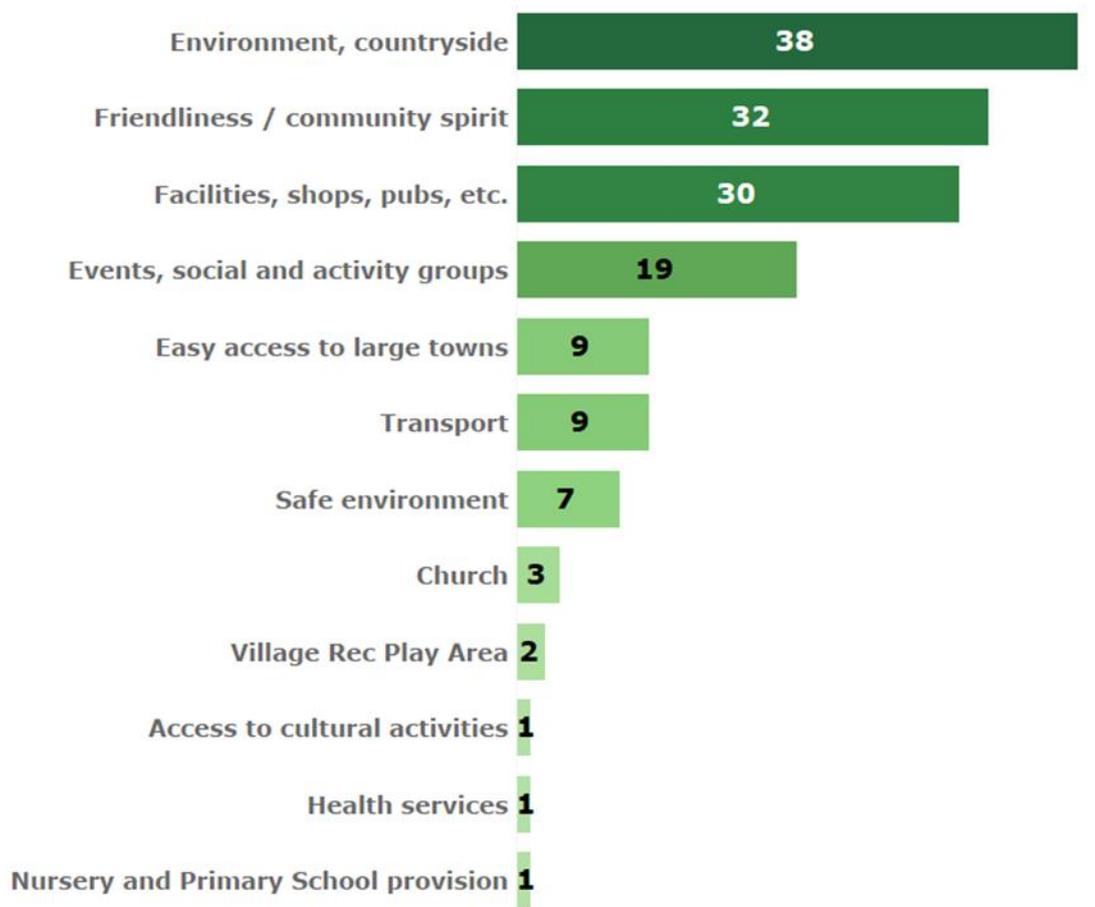
## ***GENERAL SURVEY RESULTS***

**(October 2017)**

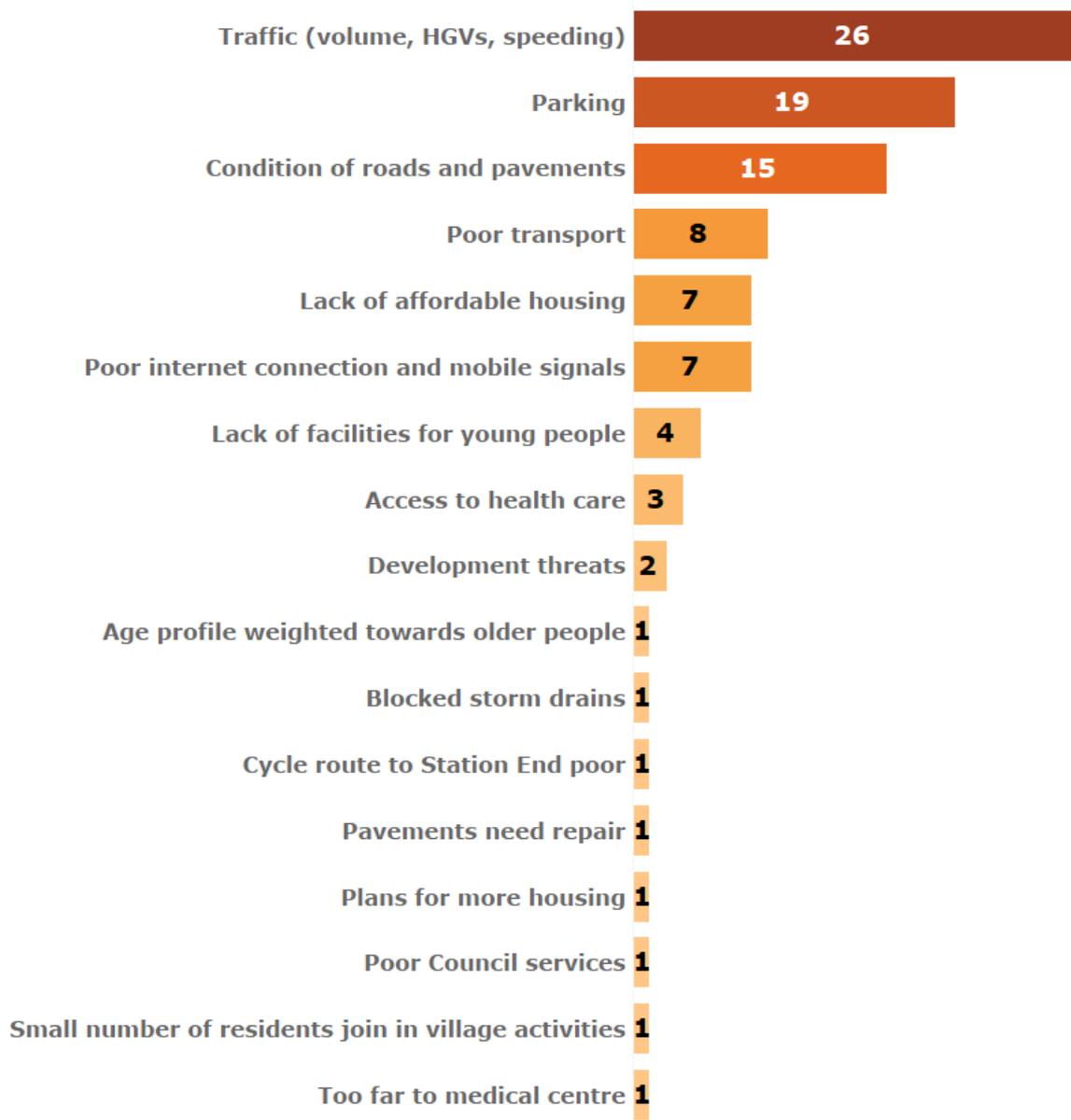
## Purpose of the survey

1. The survey was published and circulated to every household as an insert to the village magazine Turvey News in July 2017. The survey remained open for respondents up to September 2017 and was available in the village shops and at village events. A total of 61 completed survey forms were submitted.
2. The purpose of the survey was to provide an opportunity, through a small number of open questions, for residents to give their views about what they see as good and not so good about living in Turvey and an opportunity to suggest things that need to change. They were also provided with an opportunity to say what they consider to be their ideal view of what makes a village a good place to live in.
3. A series of common themes have been extracted from individual responses and are illustrated in the tables that follow;

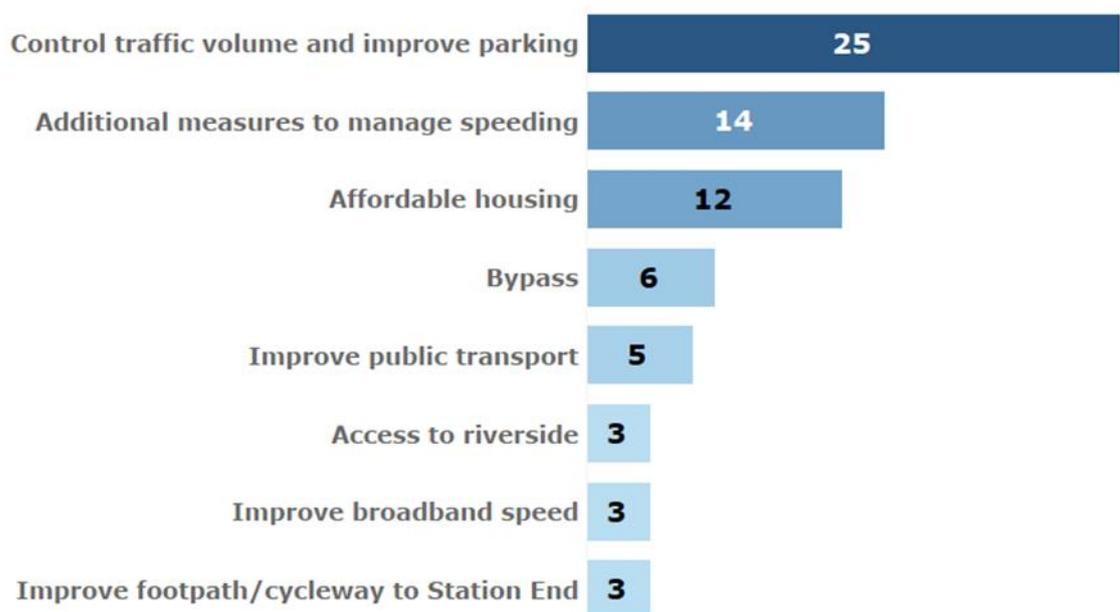
**Table 1. What's good about living in Turvey?**



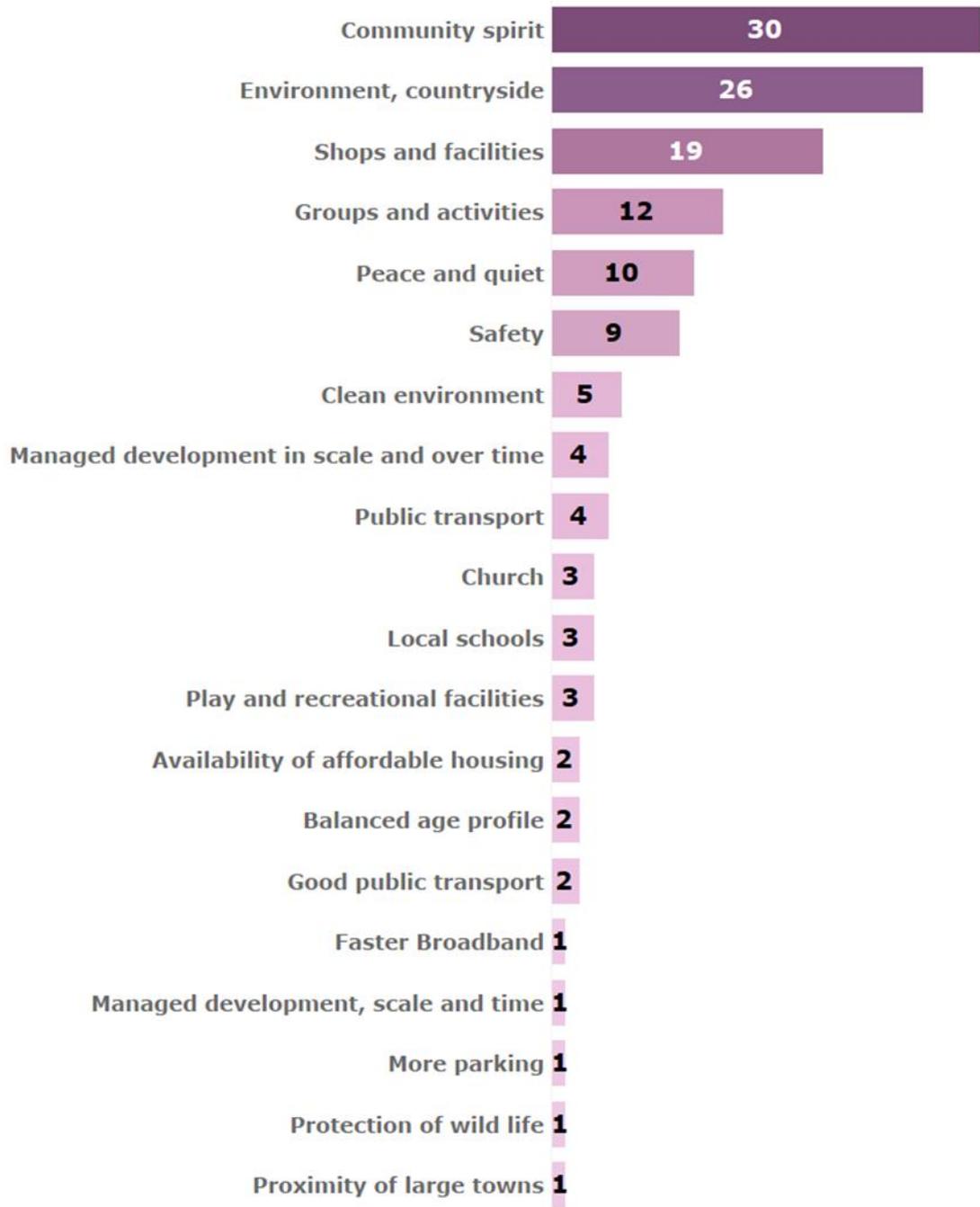
**Table 2. What's not so good about living in Turvey?**



**Table 3. What would you change about Turvey if you could?**



**Table 4. What makes a village a good place to live?**



4. The results show a high degree of satisfaction with Turvey as a good place to live through a high correlation between the responses to 'What's good about living in Turvey ?' and 'What makes a village a good place to live in ?' The 4 features most commented on in the responses to these questions are the same; community spirit, environment/countryside, shops/facilities, groups and activities.
5. In terms of things that are 'not so good' and 'things you would like to change' the impact of traffic volumes, speed and limited parking are the features which are most frequently commented upon. The need for more affordable housing is also commented on by a significant number of respondents.

## **Key messages**

- **The survey demonstrates that the features of Turvey that are most highly valued by residents are the environment and countryside, community spirit, shops and facilities, groups and activities.**
- **Aspects of Turvey that residents would like to see changed are the high volumes of traffic, speeding, lack of adequate parking and the development of more affordable housing**