

# Report on BCR Public Forum Survey

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In October 2021, BCR Community Partnership asked for feedback about the Public Forum meetings we organise approximately every quarter. This report summarises the results.

## Survey participants

The survey was created using the online MailChimp survey tools. It was publicised through the BCR CP email newsletter, which is sent via MailChimp to approximately 750 newsletter subscribers, and also to approximately 500 Facebook followers. A link to the survey was also included on the front page of our website ([bcrcp.org.uk](http://bcrcp.org.uk)). The survey remained live for two weeks.

We received a total of 51 responses. 45 were already newsletter subscribers, and 3 asked to subscribe via the survey.

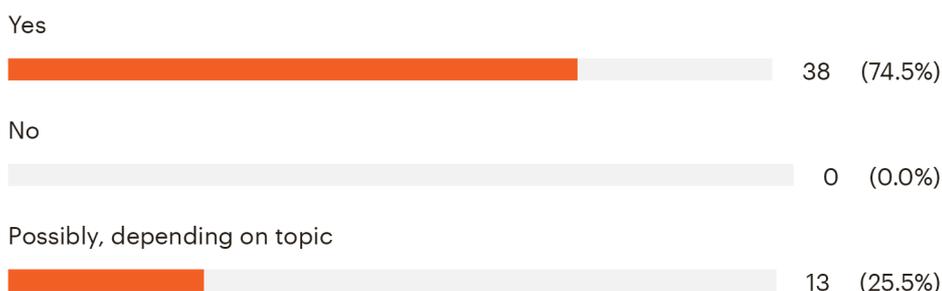
The participants were self-selected, and we didn't attempt to reach people who might have attended previous in-person forums but are not online. Our objective was primarily to get a snapshot for helping to organise forthcoming forum meetings, which themselves might have to continue to be online.

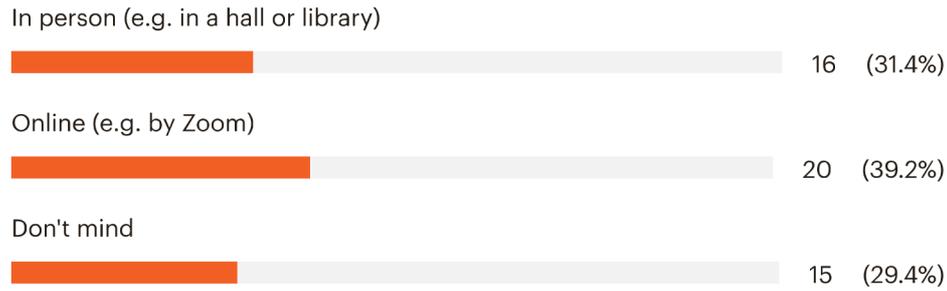
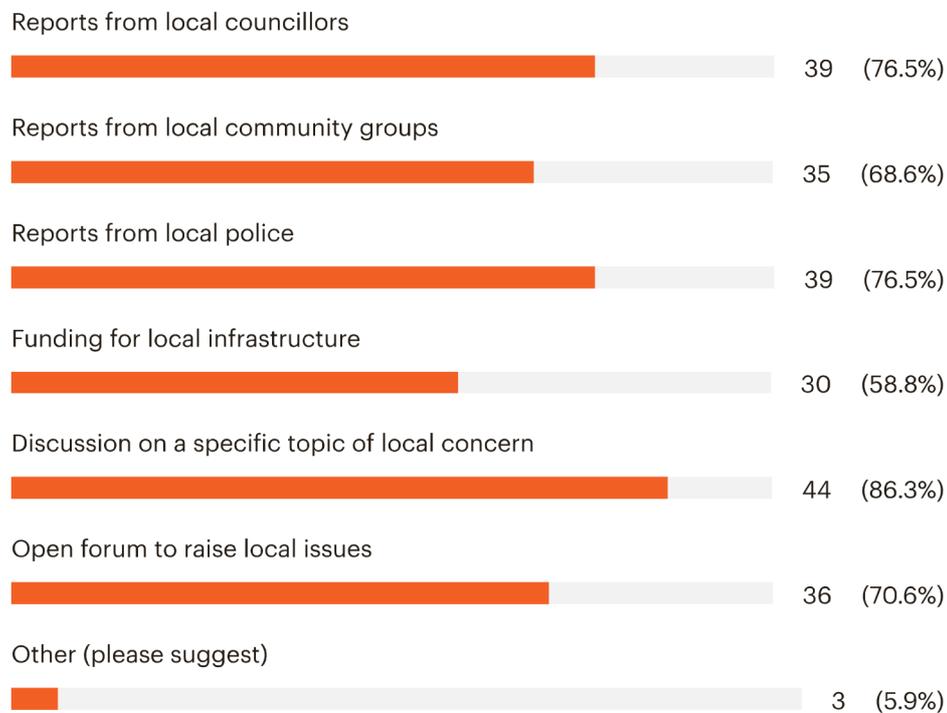
## Attending Forum Meetings

### Q1: Have you previously attended a BCR public forum meeting?



### Q2: Would you like to attend future BCR public forum meetings?



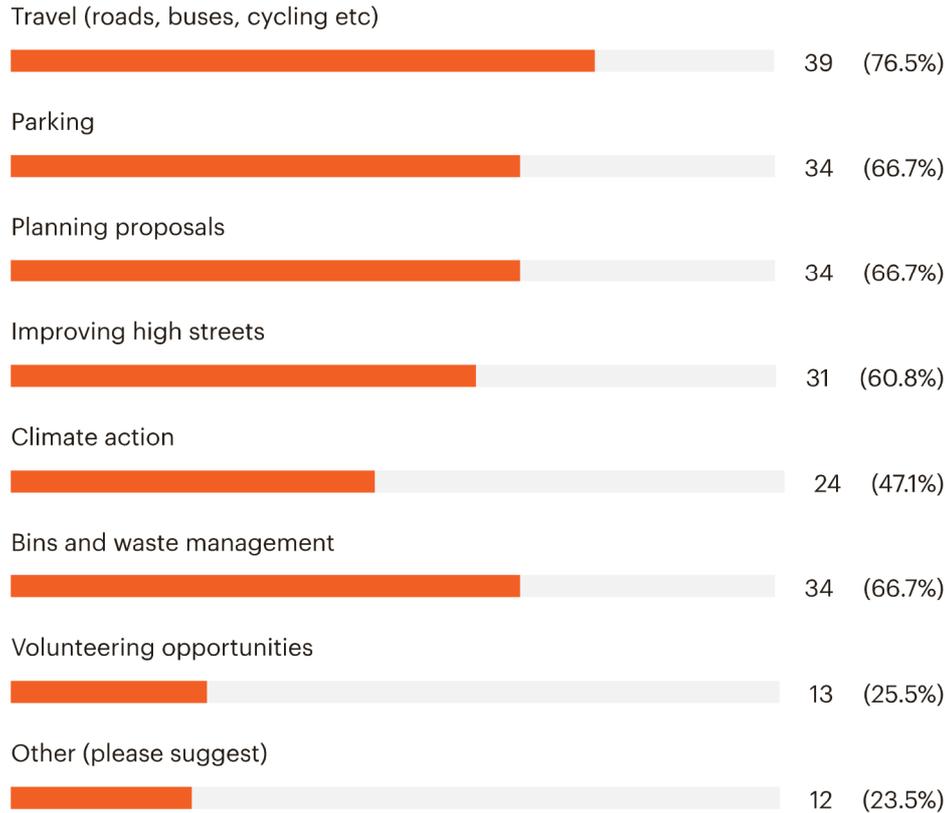
**Q3: How would you prefer to attend a forum meeting?****Agenda of Forum Meetings****Q4: What meeting agenda items would interest you? (choose as many as you like)**

## Open text responses to "other":

Update from University about what they did for moving in and what plans are being considered for this years moving out campaign.

Hear from (and challenge) the planning team at BCC regarding HMOs and/or the university regarding noise issues.

I think e-scooters - an update on current situation - could be of interest.

**Q5: Which of these discussion topics might interest you? (choose as many as you like)**

## Open text responses to “other”:

Graffiti

Crime (i.e. police updates and our input into policing priorities)

A number of us locally have been trying to work with bcc on a local nuisance but are getting nowhere. Poor Officer response and we want to understand what's going on.

Dealing with the upsurge in graffiti tagging

The E- scooters. What a nightmare. It is so distressing to see so many under age riders, those without helmets, double riding, dangerous riding treating them as a fairground ride on the roads, weaving in and out of traffic, ignoring traffic lights, it is detrimental to their and other road users safety.

The use of the Downs for fund raising and how this impacts the environment

Covid Recovery, Affordable Housing, Homelessness

What do we/the police know about terrorist possibilities at GCCC and the local counter-terrorism group.

traffic speeds

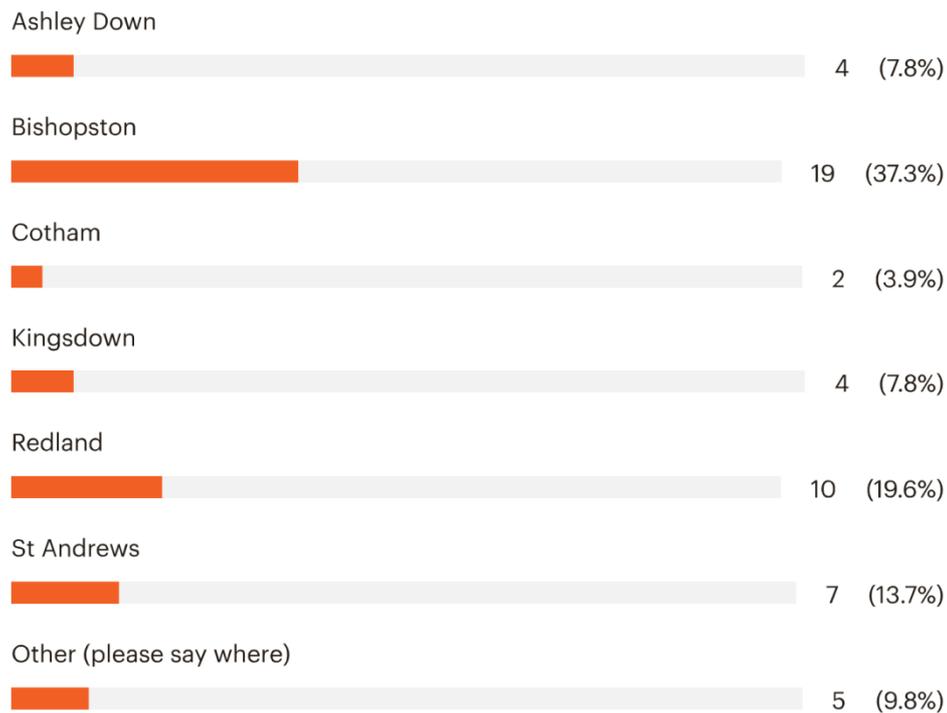
Community action on specific issue, eg repairing bench in common area - permission, insurance cover etc

HMO planning enforcement and student noise.

Thank you for all the work you do - much seemingly unspectacular and not fully appreciated. It makes a huge difference to know that this Partnership exists, and carries on its work so meticulously and faithfully.

## Location of participants

### Q6: Which area do you live in?



Other areas mentioned:

Henleaze/Durdham Park, Portishead, Westbury Park, Horfield, Redland/Bishopston

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