

# Hillhouse, Udston and Burnbank



South Lanarkshire  
**Partnership**  
Stronger together

# Our Place Our Plan



## Community Priorities



Between November 2017 and February 2018, 550 households in Hillhouse, Udston and Burnbank took part in the **Our Place Our Plan** survey. The response to the survey has been great thanks to everyone who took part.



The purpose was to identify community priorities for the area that will form a **Neighbourhood Plan**.

Take a look inside to see the **Our Place Our Plan survey findings** and on the back cover you will see what the next steps are and **how you can get involved**.

The plan will be jointly owned by the community, local agencies and service providers. We will work together to progress local priorities and improve local outcomes.



# Survey Findings

## Themes

(in order of popularity)



1. More leisure, recreation and social opportunities



2. Greater community safety



3. Physical environment improvements



4. Stronger and better communities



5. Easier to get about / moving around



6. Housing improvements



7. Better employment and business opportunities



8. Better financial wellbeing



9. Better education and training opportunities



10. Health improvement

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## Actions

(most popular for each theme)

More / improved facilities, activities and opportunities for children and young people and greater accessibility to public buildings / community facilities for all.  
More / improved shops with less vacant properties and more choice.

Less alcohol and drugs abuse.  
Less anti-social behaviour.

Improvement of open spaces.  
Better waste management and tackling litter; fly tipping and dog fouling.

More investment (public and private sector).  
Better community spirit and activities to boost community spirit and participation.

Better maintenance of roads, pavements, pathways, drains, gritting.  
Improved road safety.

More responsive landlords.  
More responsible tenants.

More employment and training opportunities.

Cheaper access (to public buildings and amenities).

Better pre-school service / provision (nurseries / parenting classes and support).

More activities and programmes that improve health.

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# Next steps and getting involved

For our Neighbourhood Plan to make a difference, we all need to work together. The survey asked who would be willing to help and how. You can see from the table below that over half those taking part want to be involved in some way.

Willing to attend meeting / groups.  
Take part in other surveys /  
consultations. Be kept informed.

46

Already volunteering  
or willing to do so.

166

Other positive action e.g. put rubbish  
into bin / be a good neighbour /  
report anti social behaviour /  
clean close / do garden).

137

If you live in Hillhouse, Udston or Burnbank and would like to know more and/or get involved with others in progressing the neighbourhood plan:

phone

Community Links on (01698) 827838

email

[administrator@communitylinkssl.co.uk](mailto:administrator@communitylinkssl.co.uk)

go online

[www.facebook.com/OurPlaceOurPlanHub](https://www.facebook.com/OurPlaceOurPlanHub)

Look out for the **Our Place Our Plan** information boards in the Burnbank Burgh Centre or Hillhouse and Earnock Community Centre. If you are from a local organisation, business or agency and want to find out more please use any of the links above.

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