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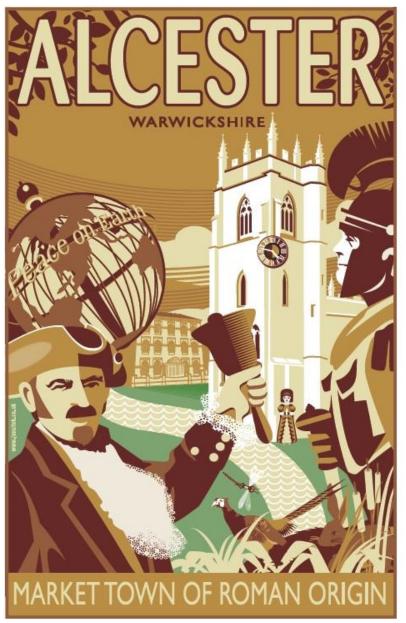


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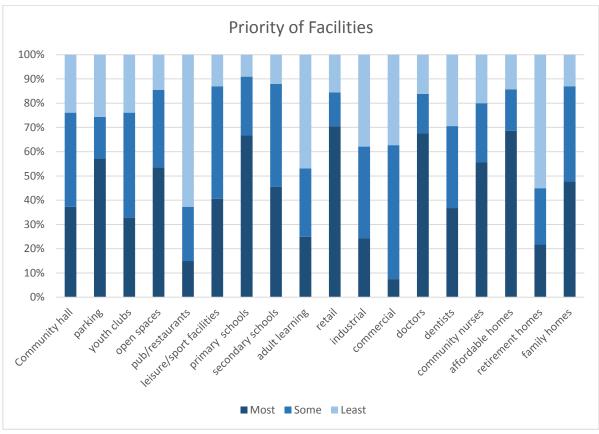
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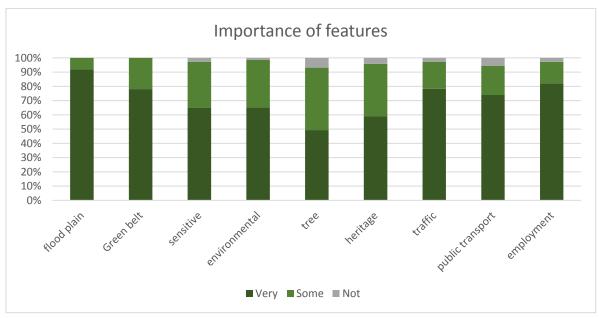
Where we are now?

November 2014

Stage 2 Questionnaire results

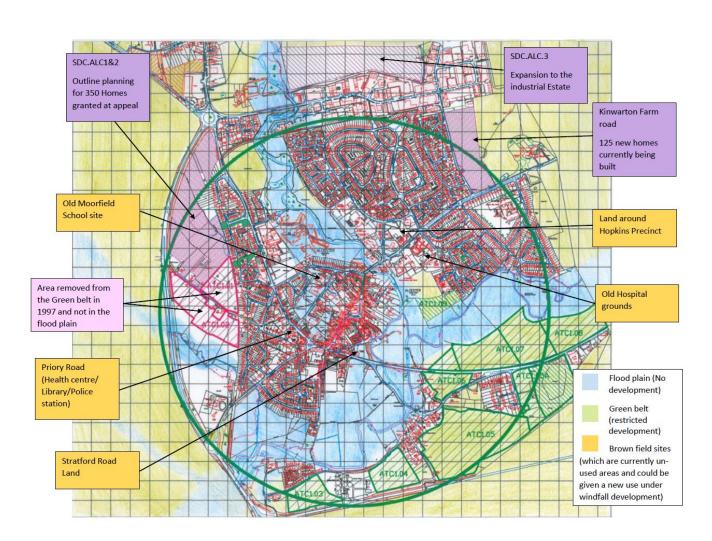
Thank you to all the residents who were able to attend the Roadshows during September and October, the weather wasn't always in our favour and those dark nights weren't helpful either, but we hope those who were able to attend found the information useful. The Questionnaires collected from these roadshows has once again provided the Town Council with further evidence to base its next stage of decisions.





Stratford District Council - Additional Site Allocation Consultation

During October the Town Council were asked to comment on a document produced by Stratford District Council regarding possible additional sites for further homes should the need arise. Currently the Core strategy has been submitted to the inspectorate with the two sites North of Allimore Lane for 350 new homes and also a site north of the existing industrial estate for further expansion there. However should other areas of the core strategy be rejected or the number of homes the district are expected to take increases, Alcester may be expected to take more houses. Landowners and other organisations could also have submitted their own suggestions. The Town Council requested that areas in the flood plain and areas in the greenbelt be excluded from consideration apart from existing brown field sites which should be considered over green field sites:





Alcester Town Council are leading the work involved in creating the Our Alcester Plan, which covers the Neighbourhood Development Plan, the Community Partnership scheme and an updated Town Plan.

The next stage of the Community engagement process will be to deliver a more in-depth questionnaire to every home in the parish, allowing residents to consult on the suggestions which have come out of the previous questionnaires. The identified needs will form the base for the updated Town Plan then the identified services and facilities will form the evidence for a Community Partnership to fill in the gaps in service provision and the where the extra facilities are needed for the Neighbourhood Plan.

The Town Council consists of sixteen elected Councillors who volunteer their time to benefit the town. They operate on a four year Council and next May will see the start of a new Council term. If you want to get involved with the Town Council and ensure Alcester gets the best service it deserves, then please consider becoming a Councillor.

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