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Top priorities following HIP survey results

Methodology in extracting results

Respondents were asked to rank their responses into a top 6 priority list from multiple options. We have based our results on issues that were ranked as priority 1 or 2 for each respondent and then ranked into top 5 based on these results. Percentages shown are percentage of votes for the top results.

Highway issues

96 responses – 14 on paper, 82 online

Top 5 issues		No. of Votes	% Of votes
1.	Pedestrian safety: Pattenden Lane/Church Green junction – pedestrian island to help make crossing the road safer	30	25%
2.	Additional parking restrictions: Junction of Albion Road/Stanley Road and Albion Road/Seymour Drive - double yellow lines to make it easier to exit the roads. NB Highway Code says no parking within 10 metres of a road junction	25	21%
3.	Speed restrictions/road safety: B2079 - Goudhurst Road at Beech Bridge widen the road over the bridge so that 2 vehicles can safely pass each other Footway extension: Maidstone Road extend the pavement to Marden sports club so that there is safe pedestrian access	23	19%
4.	Additional parking restrictions: Goudhurst Road beyond the School continue yellow line, no parking 9.30-10.00 to prevent all day parking at School pick up and drop off times and more opportunity for vehicles to pull in to pass each other.	21	18%
5.	Footway extension: Maidstone Road extend the pavement to Marden sports club so that there is safe pedestrian access	20	17%

Dropped kerb priority list

113 responses – 11 on paper, 30 online

	No. of Votes	% Of votes
Goudhurst Road entrance to Primary School	46	37%
2. Haffenden Close / Church Hill crossing	27	22%
3. High Street by entrance to The Old Market	24	19%
Chantry Road/Lime Close crossing	17	14%
5. Chantry Road by the bungalows	10	8%