

Wendover Parish Council Strategic Framework Feedback

August 2025

Wendover Parish Council has refocused on making improvements for Wendover, with an updated strategy and projects focused on delivering that strategy. Through the projects and initiatives undertaken, the Parish Council will work to ensure that Wendover is a thriving market town in which people want to live, trade, and visit. The Strategic Framework is a schematic to depict projects in relation to each other and their associated strategic objectives. It aims to focus projects and initiatives, informing budgetary decisions by defining the timescale and progress of projects. Please see the Strategic Framework Policy, available on the website, for further details.



The Strategic Steering Group have combined ideas and feedback received through the Office, and interactions with Councillors, and integrated these into the Strategic Framework. The framework does not include areas of work that the Council regards as 'business as usual', or don't reach the threshold of a 'project'. As the Parish Council does not depreciate assets, we are cognisant that the framework should include budgeting to retain money in Earmarked Reserves (EMR) to replace key items of equipment as part of our business as usual. We are seeking feedback and ideas over September to further inform the process, please email strategysteering@wendover-pc.gov.uk.

Projects and Initiatives

1. Wendover Neighbourhood Plan (Functioning Council)

Engage with the production of Buckinghamshire Council's new [Local Plan](#), and review the [Wendover Neighbourhood Plan](#) with a traffic management strategy.

2. Hampden Pond (Enhance Environment)

In 2023 Wendover Parish Council, with support from the HS2 Community and Environment Fund, undertook the [Hampden Pond Restoration Project](#), and commissioned a 10-Year Management Plan and an updated risk assessment. The Amenities Committee are reviewing these documents and will take suggestions to Full Council to agree and implement a 10-year Hampden Pond management plan, including increasing wildlife spaces and an artesian well.

3. Witchell Meadow Pond (Enhance Environment)

Agree and implement a 10-year improvement plan for the Witchell Meadow Pond.

4. MUGA (Develop Community)

Consider the provision of a Multi-Use Games Area (MUGA) in Ashbrook Park and Hampden Meadow.

5, 6, 7. Council Holdings (Enhance Environment / Develop Community)

Assess current, and explore potential, Council Holdings to enhance future amenity.

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8. HS2 Land (Explorative) (Promote Prosperity)

Investigate the future utilisation of land used by HS2.

9. Events & Attractions (Promote Prosperity)

Review and refresh the existing events programme to meet parishioners' wishes and support local businesses.

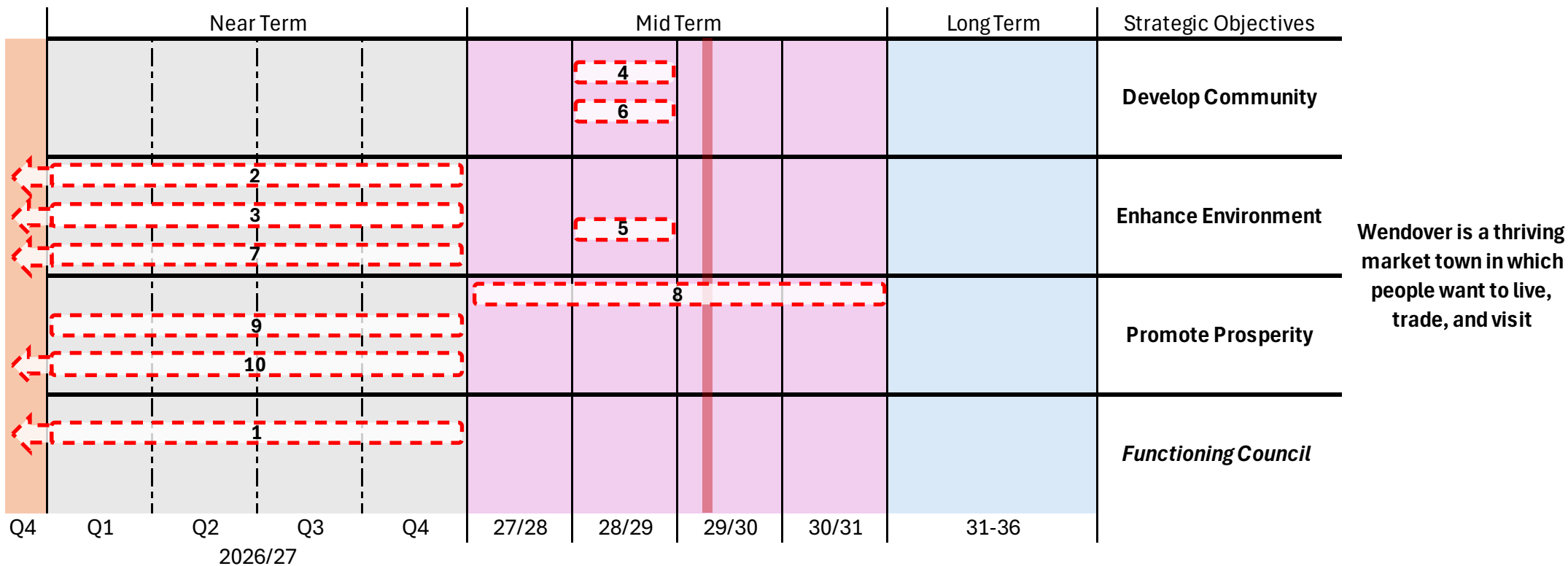
10. Library Car Park (Promote Prosperity)

Evaluate parking in Wendover and pursue schemes to improve parking for residents, workers, and visitors. Explore means by which Wendover Parish Council can manage the library car park and integrate it with the Witchell Car Park.

To provide feedback and ideas, please email: strategysteering@wendover-pc.gov.uk



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- Proposed
- Approved
- Funded
- Completed

Upcoming Considerations:
2029 - Council Elections

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To view each project's specifics, please see the relevant summary

