

Pre Application Community Involvement Protocol for Stroud District Parishes

Addendum for *Eastington Parish*

The Pre Application Community Involvement Protocol and completed addendum was adopted by Eastington Parish Council on 13th October 2015

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Basic Profile

Location: By road, Eastington is 6 miles from Stroud and 3 miles from Stonehouse. Both towns are served by a railway station on the national rail network. The Stroudwater canal runs through the parish as does the River Frome.

Population: 1567 (Office of National Statistics 2011 Census)

Households: 649 (Office of National Statistics 2011 Census)
This equates to an average 2.4 persons per household
Eastington has a slightly higher than average number of pensioner households 31.43% of households compared with 25.93% England average.

Car ownership: 35.3% of households own 2 cars (consistent with Stroud District average)

Employment: 69.9% of parishioners aged 16 to 74 are in employment which is higher than the national average of 62%
Self-employment is higher than the national average; (14.5% of 16-74 year olds in employment are self-employed compared with 9.8% national average).
The proportion of people in employment working from home is also higher than the national average (5.6% compared with 3.5% England average).

Local Facilities

For example, school, hall, church, recreation ground, playing fields, shops, pubs.

Schools: Eastington Primary School

Churches: Eastington Methodist Church
St Michael's and All Angels Church

Community Facilities: Community Centre (Owen Harris Memorial Ground)

	Playing Field (Owen Harris Memorial Ground) Play Park (Snakey Lane) Eastington Village Hall Burial Ground Allotments Community Orchard
Shop/Pub/Leisure:	Butchers Hairdressers/beauticians x 2 Fuel Stations with stores x 2 Post Office Grocery store Public House (The Badger Inn) Hotel (Kings Head House Hotel) Eastington Park Weddings & Events
Sheltered Housing / Care Facilities:	Broadfield Road Sheltered Housing William Morris Camphill Community The Grange Care Centre Orchard Leigh Community

Local Groups and Organisations
For example, civic society, footpaths group, women's institute, football club.

Alkerton Rangers Football Club
 Cotswold Canals Trust
 Dog training group
 Don't Strangle Stroud
 Eastington Actions to Reduce traffic Speed (EARS)
 Eastington Community Land Trust
 Eastington Community Orchards
 Eastington Cricket Club
 Eastington Playgroup
 Eastington Village Hall Charity
 Friends of Snakey Lane Park (formerly Eastington Youth Group)
 Jolly Joggers
 Keep Eastington Rural
 Owen Harris Memorial Ground Charity
 Public Rights of Way Defence Group
 The Eastington Allotment Society
 Slimming group
 Stroud Town Football Club (uses OHMG as home ground for U13s and U14s)
 Yoga group
 Youth Club (Eastington Methodist Church)
 Zumba group

Existing 'Plans'
Note down any Parish Plan, Design Statement, Housing Needs Study or other background material or guidance (with date completed) and note where such documents are available.

The following documents are available through the "Evidence Base" page of www.eastingtonndp.co.uk
Parish Plan 2013
Housing Needs Survey 2013
Currently undertaking a Neighborhood Development Plan - final consultation completed summer 2015.