

Pre Application Community Involvement Protocol for Stroud District Parish and Town Councils

Addendum for Whitminster Parish

The Pre Application Community Involvement Protocol and completed addendum was adopted by the Whitminster Parish Council on August 6th 2014

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Basic Profile

The population of the Parish in the 2011 census was 881; this has since increased with more housing developments. There are around 360 dwellings in the Parish.

Businesses include a Car Sales and repair. Tenting manufacturer and Hire. Camping and Leisure retail. Animal Rescue centre (small pets). Machinery Development Workshop, Door Reclamation Business. Highways Agency and County Council Highways Depot. Garden Centre with Post Office and several retail franchises included in it. One small Nursery owned by and suppliers to the Garden Centre. One Dairy Farm, with other farms let to contract grazing and/or arable Solar photo-voltaic electricity generation. Bed and Breakfast. Holiday Lets. A Solar Photovoltaic Installer and General Builder.

Local Facilities

St Andrews Church, situated approximately one and a quarter miles from the main village. The Village Hall, holding a full Premises License, and recently extended and refurbished. The Village Playing Field with Pavilion that holds a Premises License. The Village Primary School The Village Stores, Two toddler size play areas on two housing estates. The Whitminster Inn complex which includes three takeaway outlets. The Olde Forge Pub. The Fromebridge Mill Pub and Restaurant.

Local Groups and Organisations

Whitminster Women's Institute. Whitminster Football Club. Whitminster Cricket Club. Whitminster Pre-School Playgroup. Whitminster Mothers and Toddlers Group. Badminton Club (wintertime only) Bell Ringing Group. Whitminster Village Hall and Playing Field Management Committee. Friends of Whitminster School.

Existing 'Plans'

Whitminster Parish Plan, 2008. Whitminster Emergency Plan 2011. Village Footpaths Map of four circular walks, 2012 The Whitminster Village Design Statement 2014.