## Morton Neighbourhood Development Plan Questionnaire January 2020

To assist you to complete the sections below and express your opinion with regard to the draft plan proposed please refer to the draft Neighbourhood Development Plan and its supporting documents which can be found on <u>www.mortonparishcouncil-lincs.co.uk</u> web page under the Neighbourhood Plan section.

<u>The Purpose</u> - Our influence on local planning decisions will increase to ensure that Morton remains an attractive place to live in, for employment and to visit. Morton will retain a separate identity to Gainsborough, but we will work with others to ensure good access to employment and facilities provided in the town. Our best assets and what we value about the Parish will be protected and enhanced and, as far as possible in a Neighbourhood Plan, problems will be addressed.

## **Objectives that Support the Purpose**

**Objective 1** - Acknowledging the flood risk requirements, limited new development will help to meet local needs and aspirations. **Objective 2** - The design and appearance of buildings will respect local character,

**Objective 3** - Open spaces and rights of way will be protected and if possible, enhanced.

**Objective 4** - Heritage assets, including links to cultural and historic events will be protected and if possible enhanced.

**Objective 5** - Social, community and educational facilities will be protected and where possible, enhanced to support community cohesion and sustainable living.

**Objective 6** - Local business and employment will be supported where concerns on environmental impact, local character and traffic can be addressed.

**Objective 7** - As far as is possible, in a Neighbourhood Plan, traffic/movement issues will be addressed. Public transport and active travel (walking and cycling) will be supported in terms of provision, safety and convenience.

What do you think about the above Purpose and Objectives? (please tick one)	Agree	Disagree	Neutral	
Formal Planning Policies contained in Section 7 of the Morton Neighbourhood Plan	Agree	Disagree	Neutral	
MNP 1: Sustainable Development Principles. (Supported by all Objectives)				
MNP 2: Flood Risk. (Supported by Objective 1)				
MNP 3: Criteria to consider new housing proposals. (Supported by Objective 2)				
MNP 4: Residential Extensions. (Supported by Objective 2)				
MNP 5: Local Character and the design of new development. (Supported by Objective 2)				
MNP 6: Key Views. (Supported by Objective 2)				
MNP 7: Designated heritage assets. (Supported by Objective 4)				
MNP 8: Local heritage assets. (Supported by Objective 4)				
MNP 9: Existing open spaces and sports facilities. (Supported by Objective 3)				
MNP 10: Proposed Local Green Spaces. (Supported by Objective 3)				
MNP 11: Community Buildings, Shops and Public Houses (Supported by Objective 5)				
MNP 12: Local employment and businesses. (Supported by Objective 6)				
MNP 13: Transport issues. (Supported by Objective 7)				
MNP 14: Active Travel. (Supported by Objective 7)				

Community Aspirations contained in Section 15 of the Morton Neighbourhood Plan	Agree	Disagree	Neutral
CA 1 - Local history and heritage. (Supported by Objective 4)			
CA 2 - Countryside management. (Supported by Objective 3)			
CA 3 - Traffic management. (Supported by Objective 7)			

## Please complete for our internal monitoring:

Postcode: DN21	Age group (please tick one)	<18	18 - 24	25 - 35	36 - 50	51 - 65	>65
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If you wish to make further comment, please attach a separate sheet to this questionnaire. Thank you for taking the time to comment and to complete this questionnaire