

## TOWN TEAM – VITALITY FUND CONSULTATION

The Consultation which was open to all took place on the 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> June and over 170 people attended over the two days. Many comments were made verbally both to the consultants and members of the Town Team and many visitors also filled out and submitted the questionnaire.

A full analysis of the outcome of the Consultation will be made once the Consultation is closed which, due to the interest from the public, we have extended to the 14<sup>th</sup> July. All the presentation is on-line and the display boards and paper copy questionnaires have been relocated to Saltash Library.

It is obvious from the cross-sector profile of those attending that there is not going to be one solution that suits the whole community, but there is a common theme that, everybody who attended wanted to see, which was the retail core of the town being improved. It was also interesting to hear comments regarding the display by the Coastal Community Team which was on display at the same time.

Another common theme from discussions was the strong community spirit that exists in the town. Indeed, one couple said that they had only popped into Saltash several years ago and ended up buying a house in the town because of what they heard and saw on their short initial visit.

Could I ask all councillors to give their views by way of the library display or on-line and encourage all friends/colleagues etc. to do the same. We are particularly keen to hear from the younger generation.

We will give a far more detailed report once the consultation is completed and the results analysed.

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