

Better Together group discussions

Date	Area	Group	Priorities	Suggestions
22-Jun-17	Eltham and Shooters Hill	1	<p>* Identifying disused building within our parks and open spaces that if repaired/ refurbished would benefit the community.</p> <p>* Schemes that we could match fund local fund raising efforts.</p>	<p>a. Community café or hub utilising an existing building in one of our parks or open spaces.</p> <p>b. Match fund improvements to the Tram shed toilets opposite MacDonald's on Eltham high street. Including the possibility of using it for small retail outlets.</p> <p>c. Improvements to the grave yard at Eltham Parish Church-St John the Baptist.</p> <p>d. Use some of the funds to restore/return heritage items to local buildings.</p>
22-Jun-17	Eltham and Shooters Hill	2	<p>* Restore buildings that we already have to make better use of them e.g the Eltham Park South and the old toilet block on Eltham High Street</p>	<p>a. A space for a youth club for people with special needs aged over 25 years</p> <p>b. Toilet block on Eltham High Street converted into a art studio/exhibition space</p> <p>Match fund improvements to the Tram shed toilets opposite MacDonald's on Eltham high street. Including the possibility of using it for small retail outlets.</p> <p>c. Café in Eltham Park South – not fit for purpose convert in to a community hub, café, exhibition space/studio or community space for groups like those with special needs as previously mentioned.</p> <p>d. Conversion of the old toilet block in Queenscroft</p> <p>e. Drenching of the pond at The Tarn</p> <p>f. Red paint on crossings for people who partially sighted or another initiative to make it safer</p>
22-Jun-17	Eltham and Shooters Hill	3	<p>* No overall priority agreed but several suggestions were made</p>	<p>a. Bins for chewing gum – small bins attached to lamp-posts – especially along the High Street</p> <p>b. Passey Place – benches or trees/shrubbery to enhance the space</p> <p>c. Ornamental bollards would be better – consider this for future schemes</p> <p>d. Tree planting in the High Street – also consider central reservation planting</p> <p>e. General greenery (more of it) along the High Street and at both ends</p> <p>f. Kidbrooke Village – not enough shops for residents</p>

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				<p>h. Horn Park Estate – trees are removed or die and are not replaced – planting of trees and other greenery would re-enhance the area. The road is wide – so tree planting could be considered that wouldn't interfere with driveways (which have been a cause of tree removal)</p> <p>i. Generally, more tree planting would support a cleaner air – some species absorb pollutants</p> <p>j. Tramsheds opposite MacDonalds – regeneration of these for community use</p> <p>k. More services/activities for young people – e.g. BMX/skate park; youth centres; work experience</p> <p>l. Funds for Pop-Up shops, especially where there are long-term empty shops that bring an area down.</p> <p>m. Community use of empty shops – council could engage with landlords where premises are left empty.</p>