

## **Appendix 7 - Principal Towns Investment Plans Consultation Summary Report**

Consultation for priority themes for each of the Investment Plans was carried out by meeting with Elected Members and Ward Alliances.

From those discussions a survey for each of the Principal Towns was put together using high level themes from the Investment Plans to use for consultation with the wider community.

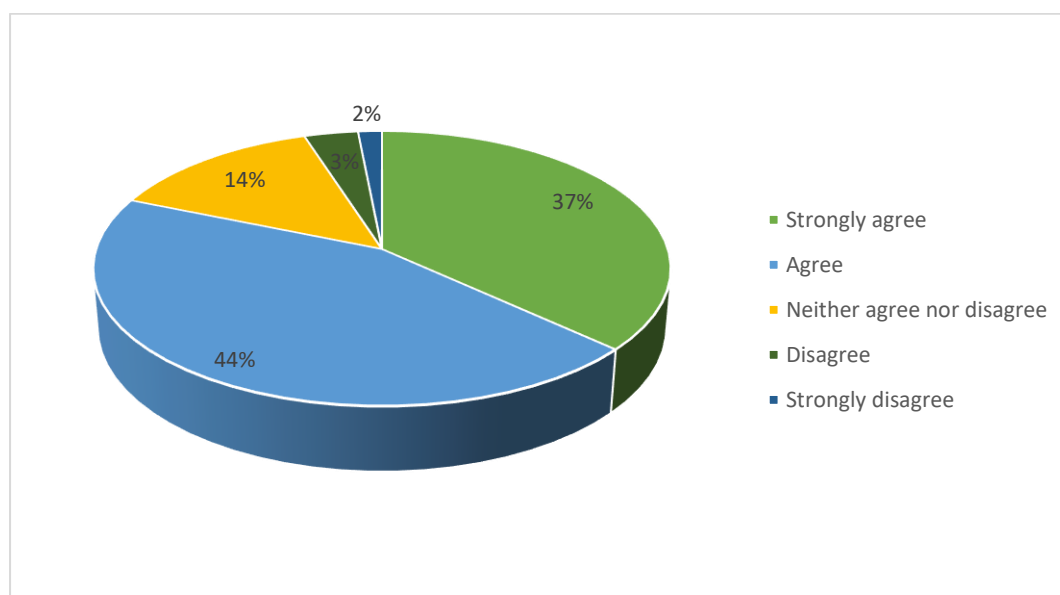
The Consultation (running from January – 13<sup>th</sup> February 2022) has been published on local community group<sup>1</sup> Facebook Pages, shared by the relevant Area Teams on Facebook and Twitter, and also shared on BMBC's Facebook and Twitter pages.

Below are the responses received, and an extract from the survey showing resident's reaction to the Vision for each area, and preferred options of the themes.

Number of consultation responses		Positive Responses	Negative Responses
Cudworth	261	253	8
Hoyland	262	250	12
Penistone	180	171	9
Royston	57	55	2
Wombwell	487	482	5
<b>Total Responses</b>	<b>1,247</b>	<b>1,211</b>	<b>36</b>

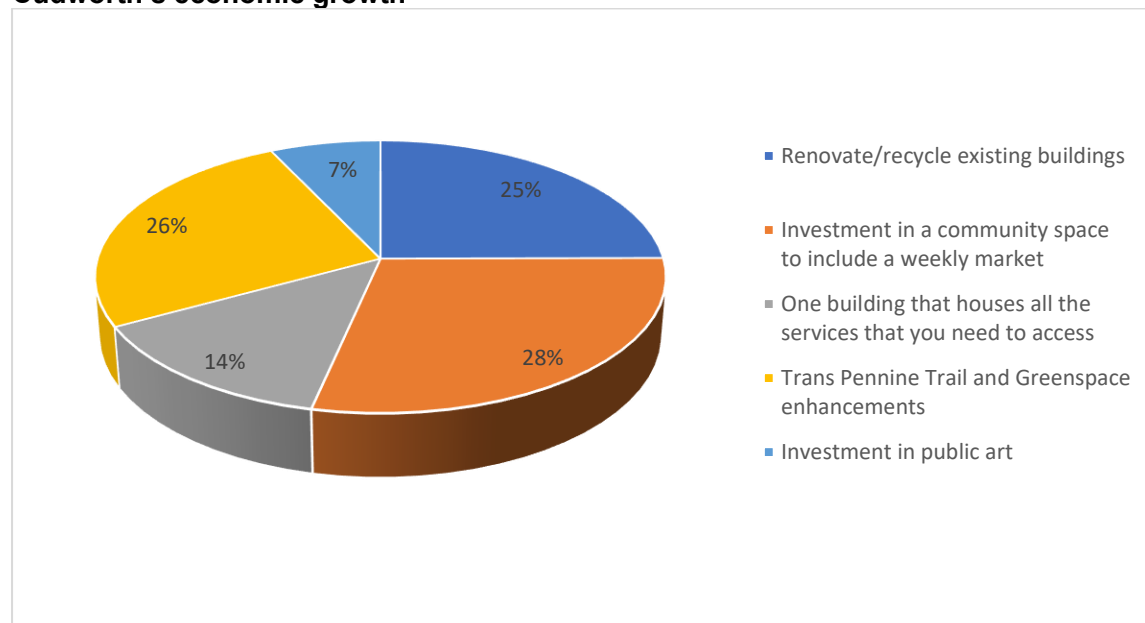
### **Cudworth**

**The vision: Working together to make Cudworth a modern, vibrant, healthy town**



<sup>1</sup> Cudworth Businesses Together, My Hoyland, Community Action Penistone, Royston, Wombwell Wise

**Please rank the following in order of how important you think they are in supporting Cudworth's economic growth**



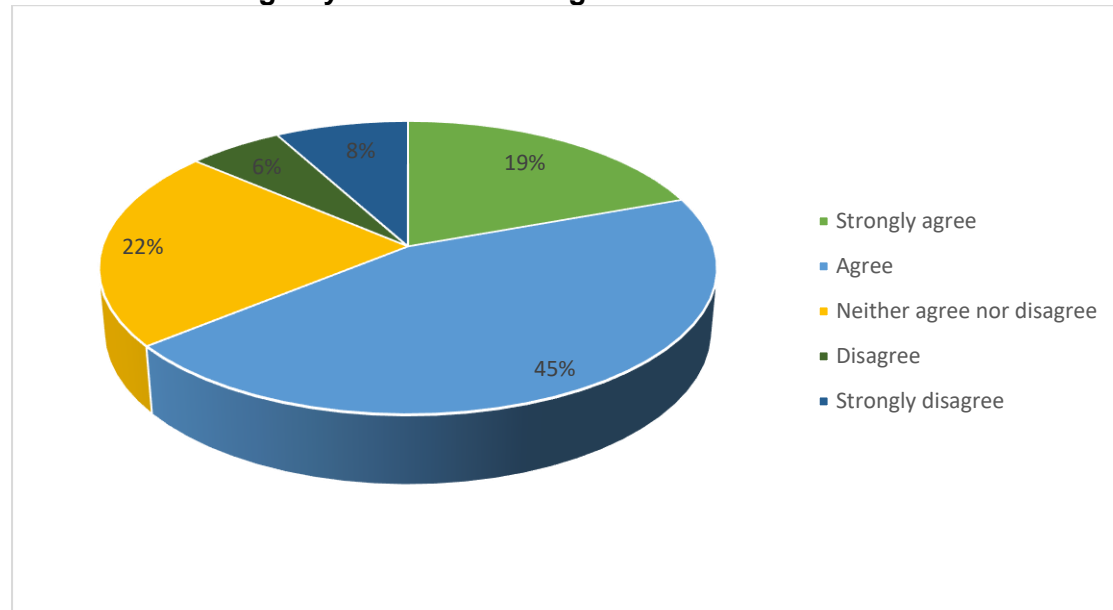
'Build upon Cudworth Businesses & Community Together's upcoming History & Heritage Walking Map by funding additional mosaic artworks in the style of the Paul Simon Goose mosaic to act as markers along the trail'

'A community space/building central on the high street to perhaps use as a 'pop up' retail space for small businesses or community functions to encourage people back to the high street. We need more diversity, more unique businesses'

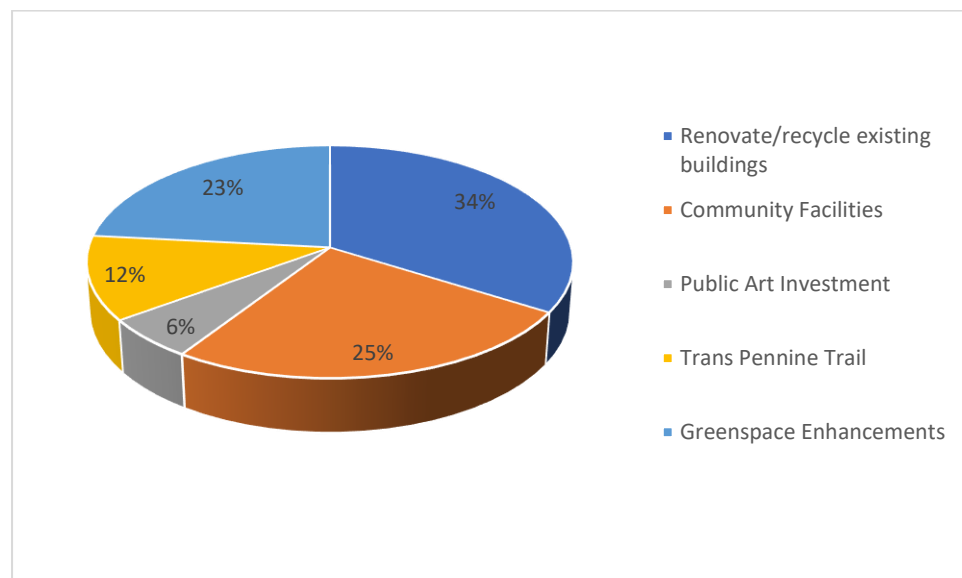
'I suspect the demolition of the dilapidated eyesore that was once the theatre at the top of Belle Green Lane is earmarked for some kind of attention. Long overdue'

## Hoyland

### The vision: Making Hoyland a business growth focussed Town Centre



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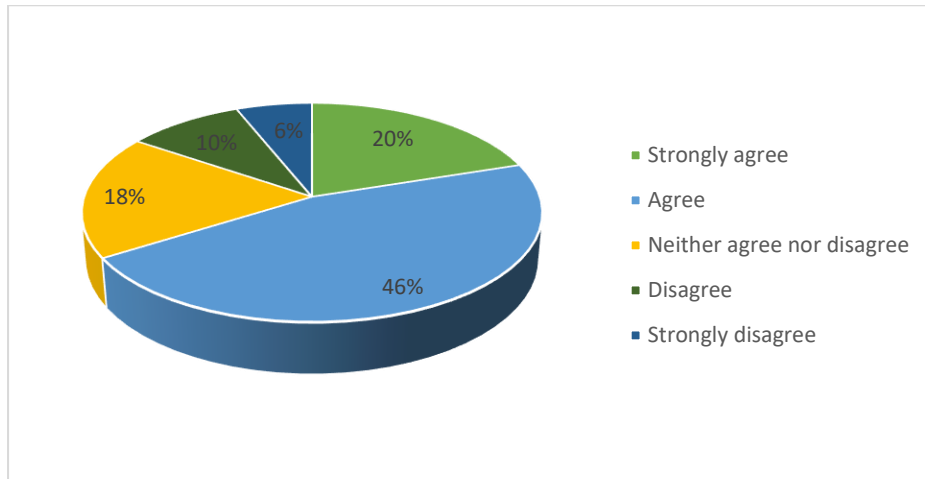
'We need the free parking spaces back at the side of Boyes. Investment is great but we need more parking, market stalls in front of the old coop are a great idea will encourage more shoppers, the market at the moment is a dead area I feel. Hoyland is a great town I look forward to the improvements'

'Hoyland has always been a lovely town centre bit it looks empty now, need to fill it with life and colour'

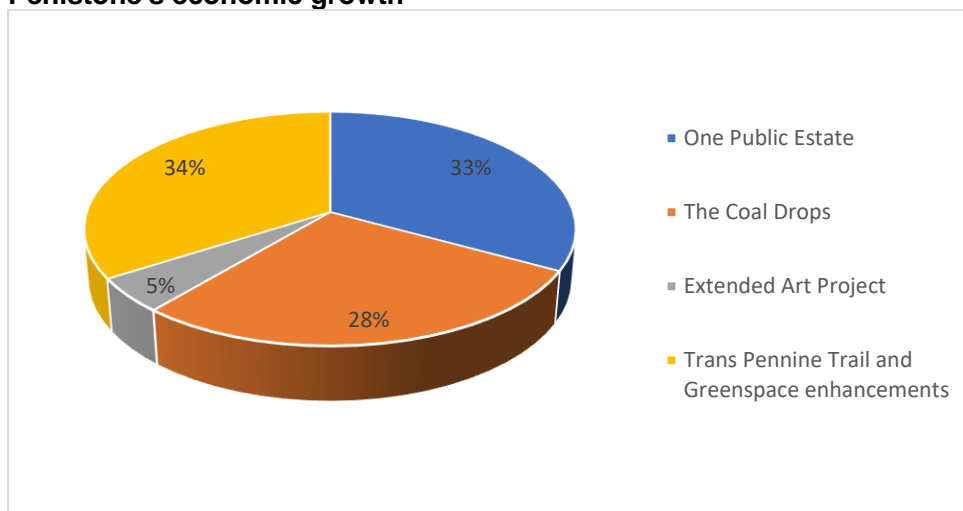
'I think there should be investments into youth facilities, and for youth development'

## Penistone

**The vision:** In 2033 Penistone will be a rural market town surrounded by high quality upland countryside, small villages and isolated farmsteads. The town will act as a hub for these communities, and others further afield, and as a gateway for Barnsley residents to access the high Pennines and Peak National Park.



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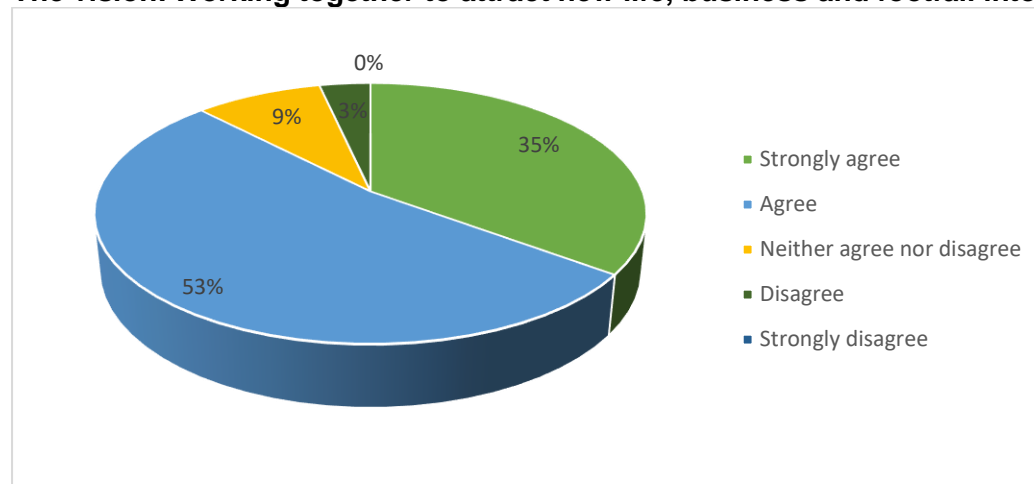
'There is plenty of room on the old David Brown site for your 'Lift' building as a dedicated health centre to serve Penistone and surrounds'

'Keep consultation open. This is surely the beginning of a process looking at priorities for the town. Further consultation is a necessity once priorities are established'

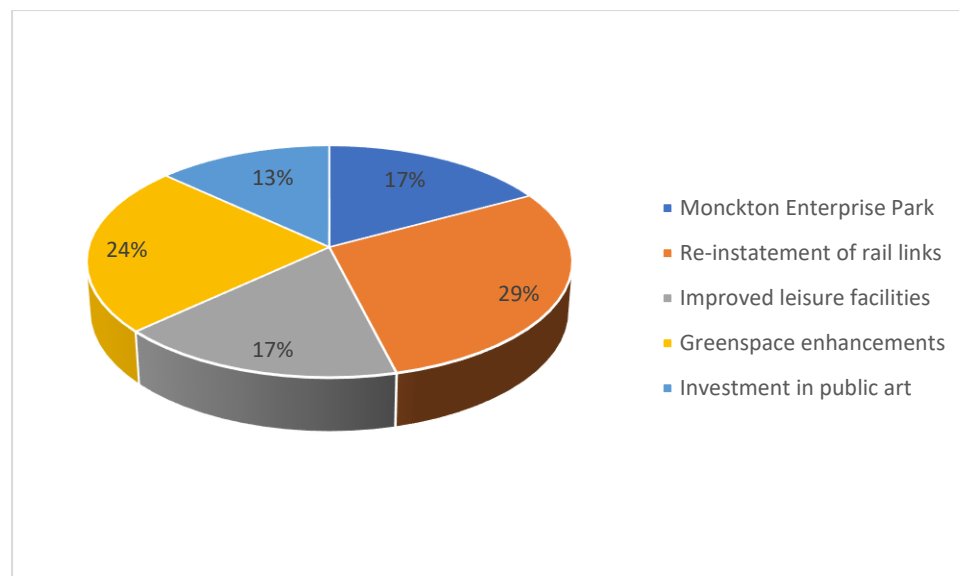
'Ensure there is a clear well marketed market barn plan with regular well managed events. Pay and invest in an experienced local and passionate person to do this and give them the funds to make it work'

## Royston

### The vision: Working together to attract new life, business and footfall into Royston



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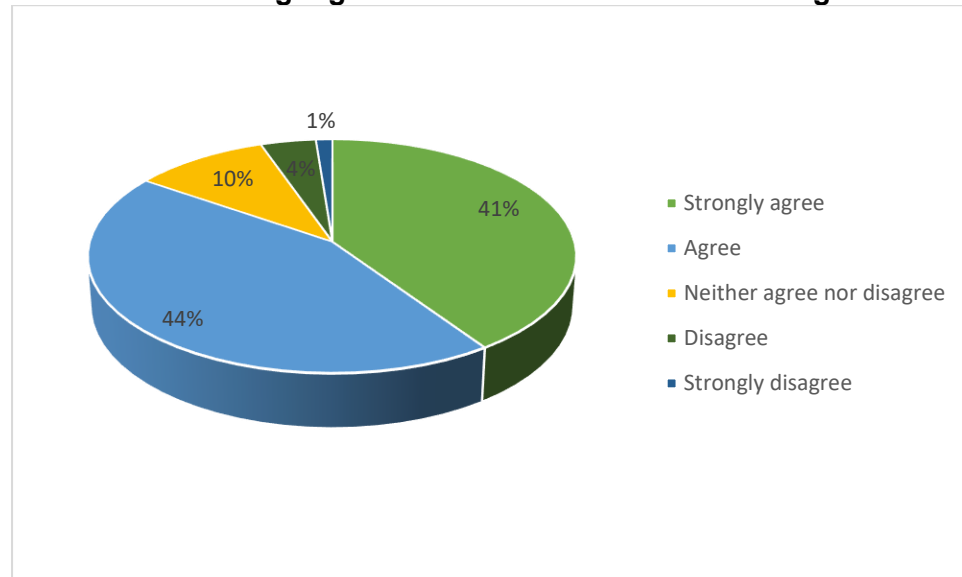
'There are no social activity options for families'

'Youth club maybe ! Something for the kids & somewhere to go'

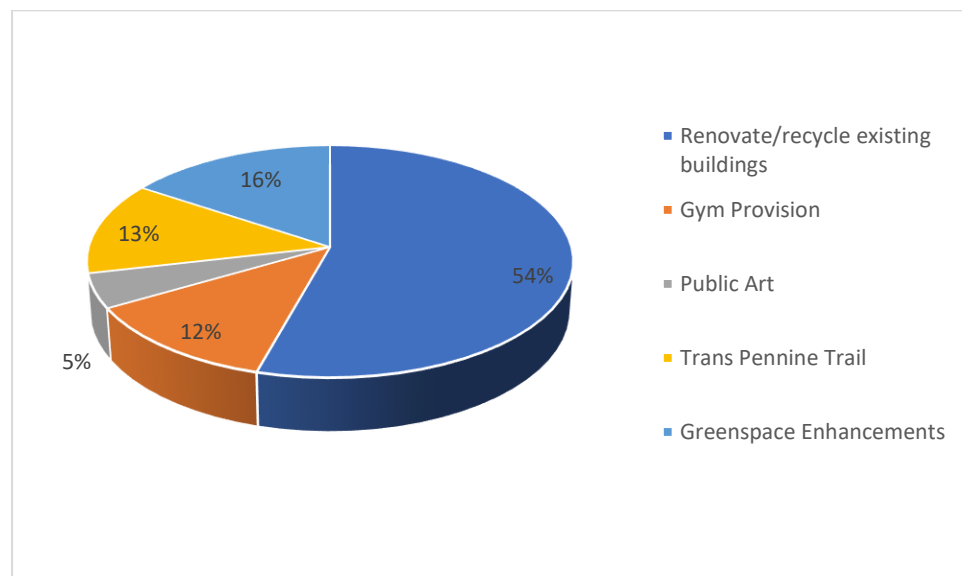
'Investment into the TPT would be welcomed for both physical and mental health reasons. The Trail has been a source of refuge for many during the pandemic, offering areas to re-engage with nature and destress'

## Wombwell

### The vision: Working together to make Wombwell a thriving market town



### Please rank the following in order of how important you think they are in supporting Wombwell's economic growth



'The Burton building was going to be subject to a compulsory purchase order. This for me is the most important thing for wombwell'

'To create artisan shops for locals and restrict the use of barber charity and takeaway shops'

'There is an opportunity to promote smaller, independent businesses in a building like the Burton building'

‘With all the new builds in the area, it would be amazing to have a leisure centre so close’