

Citizens Panel Results – January 2012

Following the Citizens Panel Questionnaire in January, the results are now available. Below shows the highlights from the questionnaire responses.

Allotments

- 94.1% of respondents do not currently have an allotment, with 83.9% of respondents never having an allotment within the City

Of the respondents who currently do not have an allotment

- 71.2% of respondents suggested the rent of £46 per year for an average size allotment with water was about the right amount
- 36 respondents suggested the rent should be more than £1 a week, ranging from £60 to £400 per year, with most opting for between £60 and £100
- 77.4% of respondents thought the 50% discount for pensioners and the unemployed should continue
- 26% of respondents would like an allotment if the conditions were right, of which 100% would be prepared to take on an allotment if it was half the usual size of around 12sq metres

All respondents

- The top 3 facilities respondents suggested were essential when considering having an allotment are a water supply, security and good drainage
- The top 3 most useful facilities respondents suggested are a communal shed, lighting and a notice board

Lincoln Central Indoor Market

- 96.0% of respondents were aware of the Lincoln Central Indoor Market, with 80.8% of respondents using the market within the last year and 34.1% of respondents using the facility at least once a week
- 63.0% of respondents were satisfied or very satisfied with the overall market service provided

Lincolnshire Joint Planning Unit

- 72.3% respondents were not aware of the Lincolnshire Joint Planning Unit, with 76.6% not understanding the role of the unit.

Age breakdown of respondents

