

# HOLMEDALE COMMUNITY NATURE PROJECT SURVEY RESULTS OVERVIEW



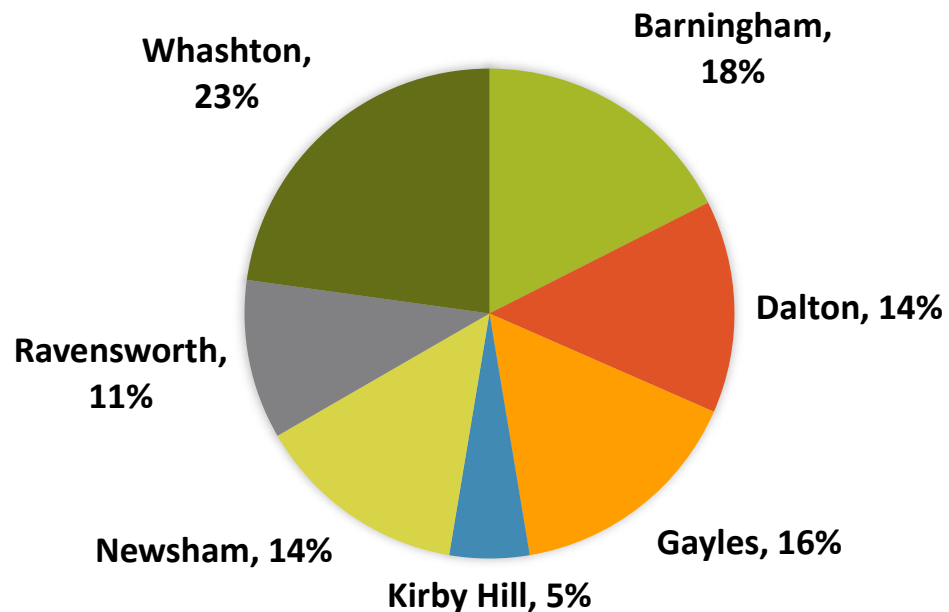
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# Survey responses per Parish

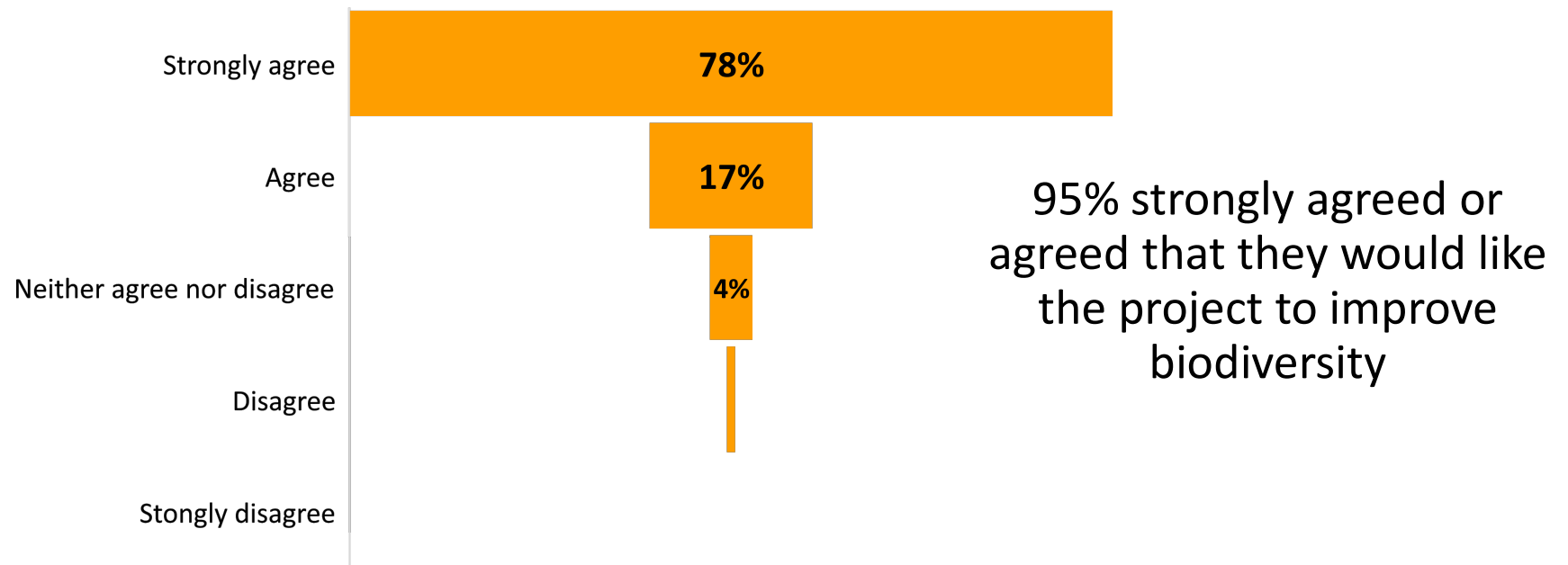
## WHO COMPLETED THE SURVEY



- We had 114 responses to our survey.
- Kirby Hill and Gayles are recorded as one Parish on the most recent census available.
- On average there are about 220 residents per parish therefore we had roughly a 10% response rate to the survey.

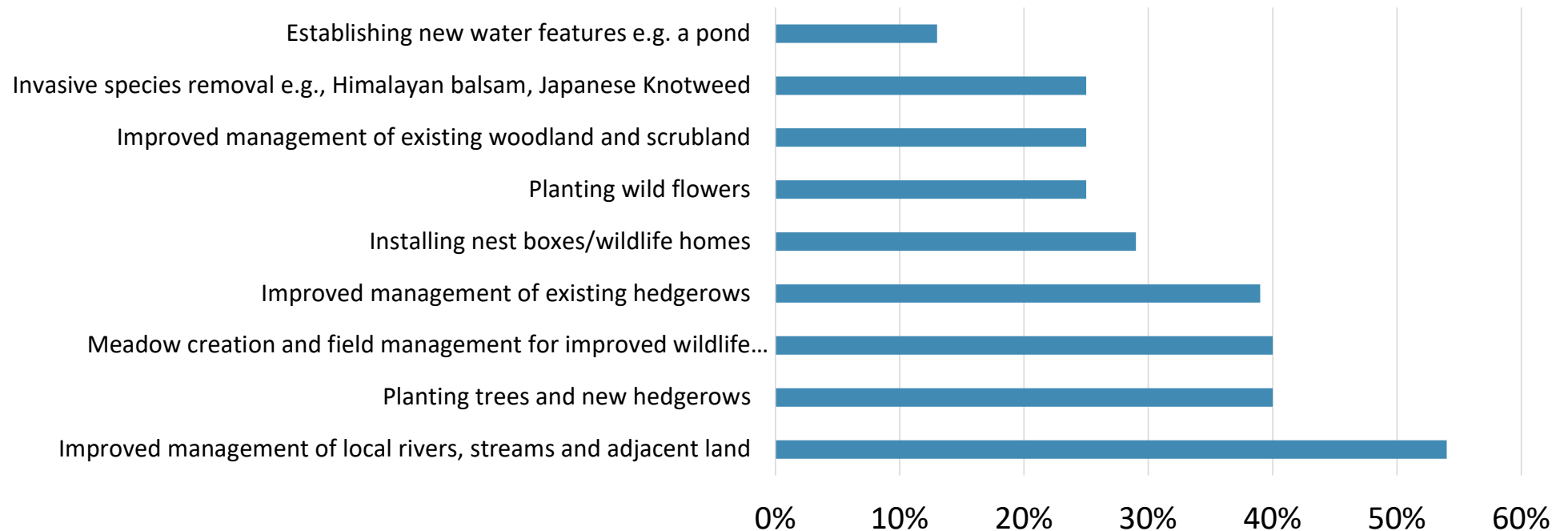
# Biodiversity

I would like the project to improve biodiversity in Holmedale



# Nature boosting activities

Please select your top 3 nature boosting activities that you would like to see in your location (assuming permissions are granted).



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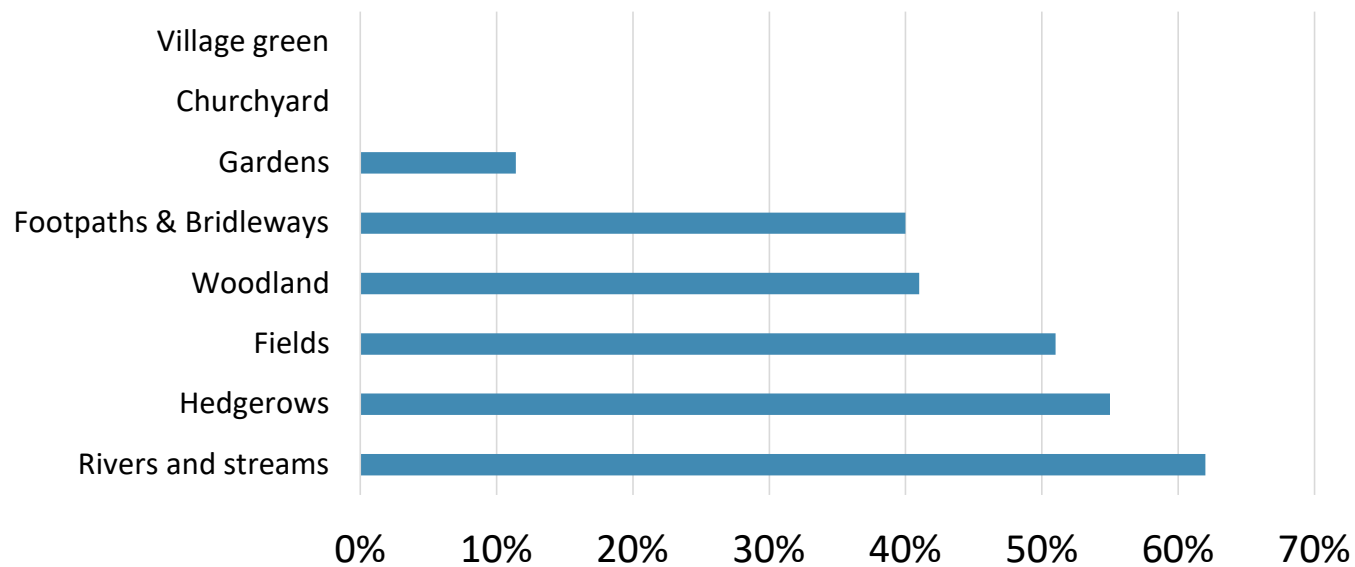
Top 3 nature boosting activities according to the survey:

1. Streams and adjacent land management
2. Trees and hedgerow planting and improvements
3. Meadow creation



# Locations/areas for the project

Please select your top 3 locations where you would like to see the project take place in your area (assuming permission is granted)



Top 3 locations:

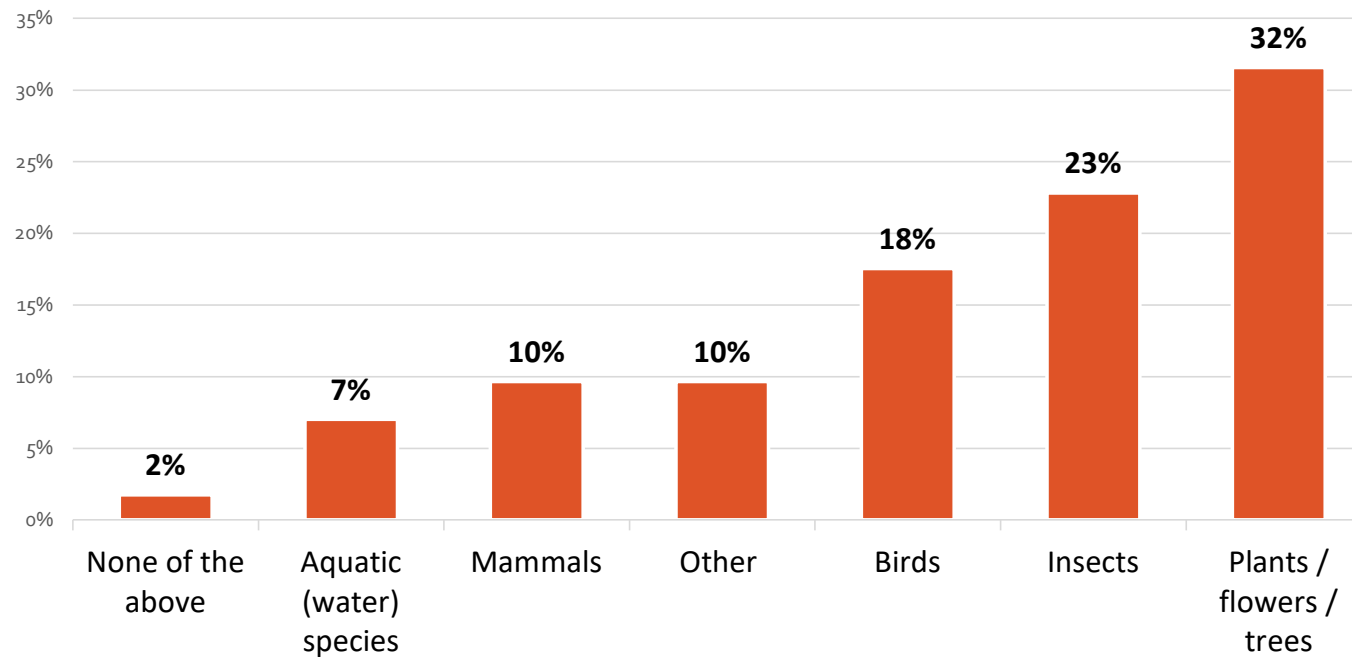
1. Rivers and streams
2. Hedgerows
3. Fields

# Location and activities top 3 together

<b>Location</b>	<b>Activities</b>
Rivers and streams	Streams and adjacent land management
Hedgerows	Tree and hedgerow planting and improvement
Fields	Meadow creation

# Living things

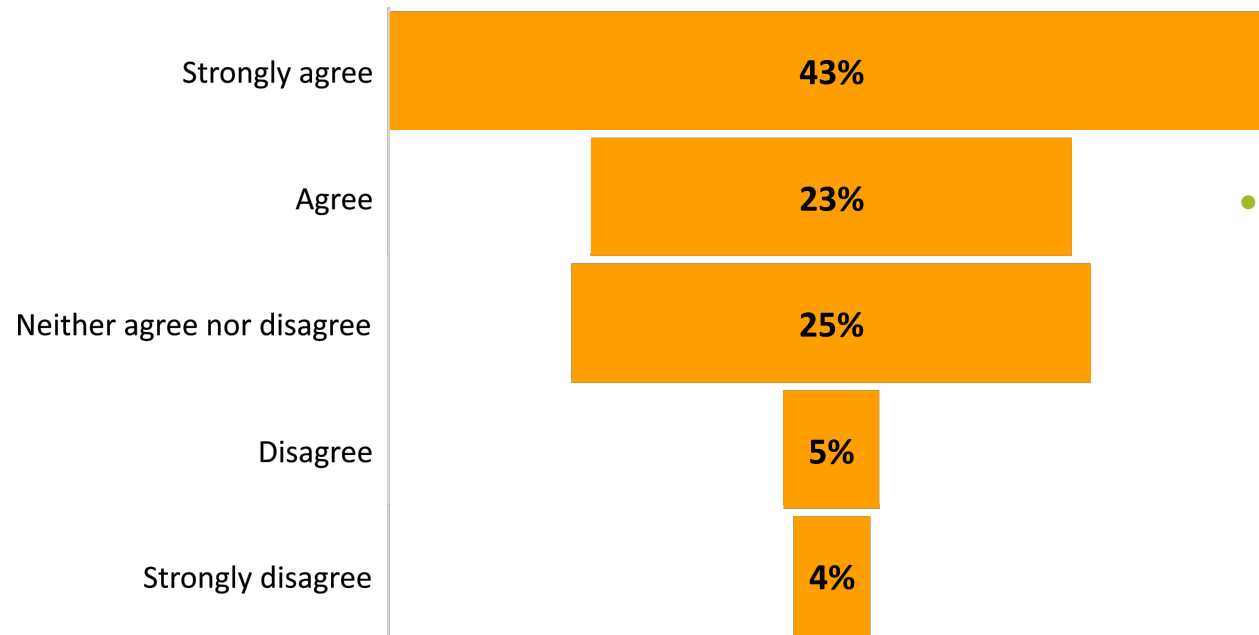
Please tell us which of the following you would most like to help (please select only 1)





# Rights of way

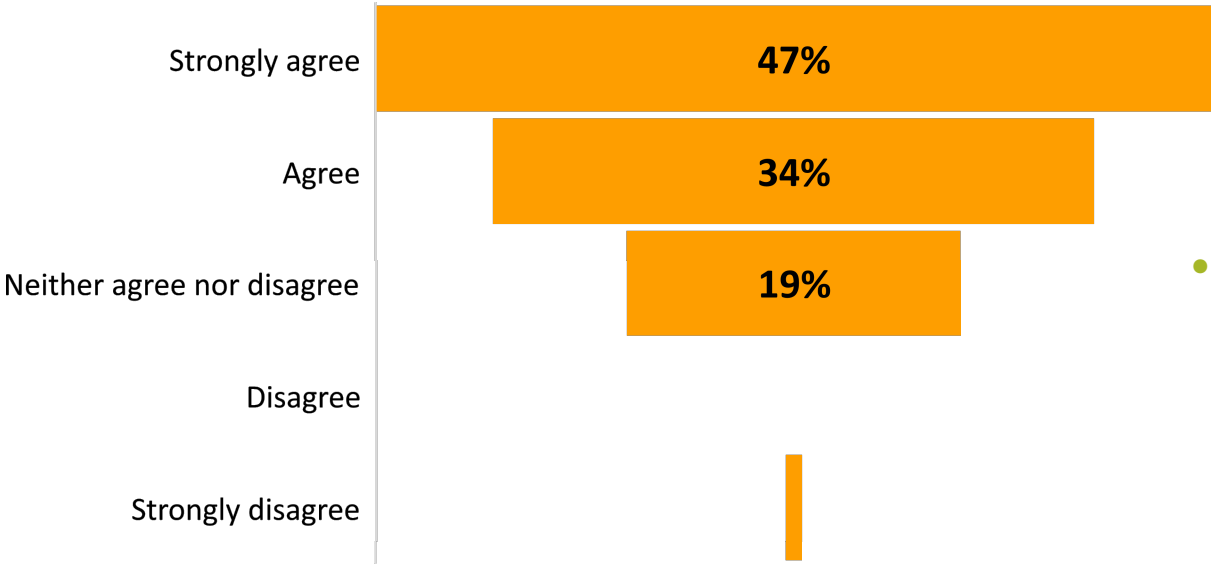
I would like the project to improve the quality of our footpaths and public rights of way



- 66% would like the project to improve footpaths and ROW.

# Climate emergency

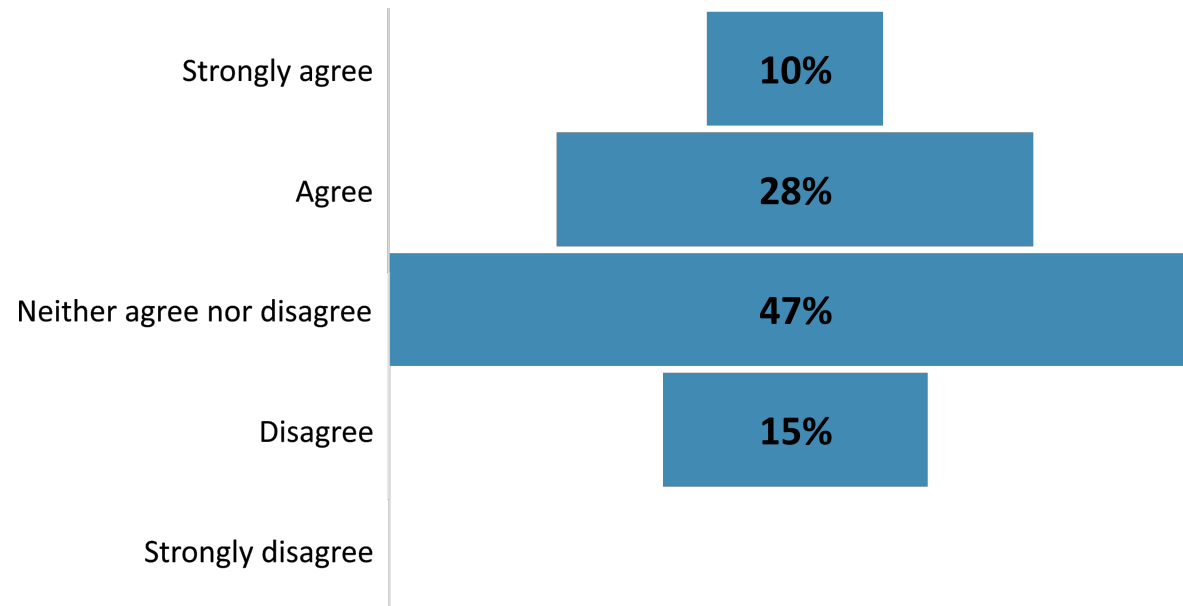
I would like the project to explore how we prepare and protect Holmedale for climate change



- 81% would like the project to explore climate change mitigation.

# Visitors

I would like the project to improve our green spaces to attract more visitors to Holmedale e.g. benches, wildlife hides



- 38% would like the project to attract more visitors. We concluded as a steering group that it was therefore not a priority for the project.

# Summary

- 95% strongly agreed or agreed that they would like the project to improve biodiversity.
- People were most interested in watercourses and their management.
- 85.9% thought the priority of the project should be giving nature a helping hand.
- 83.7% have expressed an interest in being informed and/or involved in the project.