

NEIGHBOURHOOD PLAN TEAM

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HOUSEHOLDER QUESTIONNAIRE EMPLOYMENT FREE TEXT SUMMARY

Q23. What type of further businesses opportunities should there be within the parish of Thurston and where should they be located?

- Most popular responses for the type of businesses needed were:
 - Small medium enterprises
 - Small business units, incorporating warehouse and office space
 - Light industries or services particularly as the village grows
 - Hardware store
 - Bank
 - Doctors Surgery / Dental Practise
 - Garden/DIY store
 - Residential Care Home
 - Variety of different retail businesses
 - Starter Business units
 - Technology
 - Light industrial high tech businesses.
 - Small businesses in quality construction trades and locally sourced products, employment involving the maintenance and improvement of public areas and facilities.
 - Catering outlets
 - Light engineering, printing, fabrication, digital creative, health and life sciences- all growth areas and suitable for apprenticeships
- Most popular answers for where they should be located were:
 - At the Granary Site on Station Hill extending along the north side of the railway track towards Thedwastre Rd.
 - Small Industrial estate anywhere within the Parish but outside of the village centre
 - Conversion of the old Station Building on Station Hill
 - In Great Green Area
 - On outskirts of village.
 - Commerical businesses should be located on a small industrial estate on one of the approach roads