



Stoke sub Hamdon

Let us know your views!

Stoke sub Hamdon should be identified as a **Rural Centre** because:

- ✓ The village enjoys a good level of services including primary and secondary schools, doctors, pharmacy and dentist. (The Post Office is currently closed, but is due to reopen at a new location)
- ✓ It is a large village bounded by the A303 and Ham Hill Country Park
- ✓ The village needs to maintain its role and support for local services with limited additional housing and employment growth to meet local needs
- ✓ Limited growth could improve job opportunities for local people

CURRENT ISSUES

- Congested roads through the village
- More affordable housing needed
- Improvements needed to local facilities, including those for young people
- Limited local employment opportunities, meaning many local people commute out

STRENGTHS

- Attractive local hamstone village with a conservation area
- Good variety of services for a village of this size
- Good access to the Ham Hill Country Park and the bigger facilities of Yeovil are close by

Vision for 2026:

- Up to 55 new homes (5 of these homes are already allocated).
- Growth will protect the existing services and facilities in the village.
- Job opportunities will be increased by the development of a further 0.5 hectares of business land.

Do you agree that Stoke sub Hamdon is a Rural Centre?

Do you agree with the level and type of growth being planned?

Have we got this right? Have we got this wrong? If so, please tell us why.

We need your views

