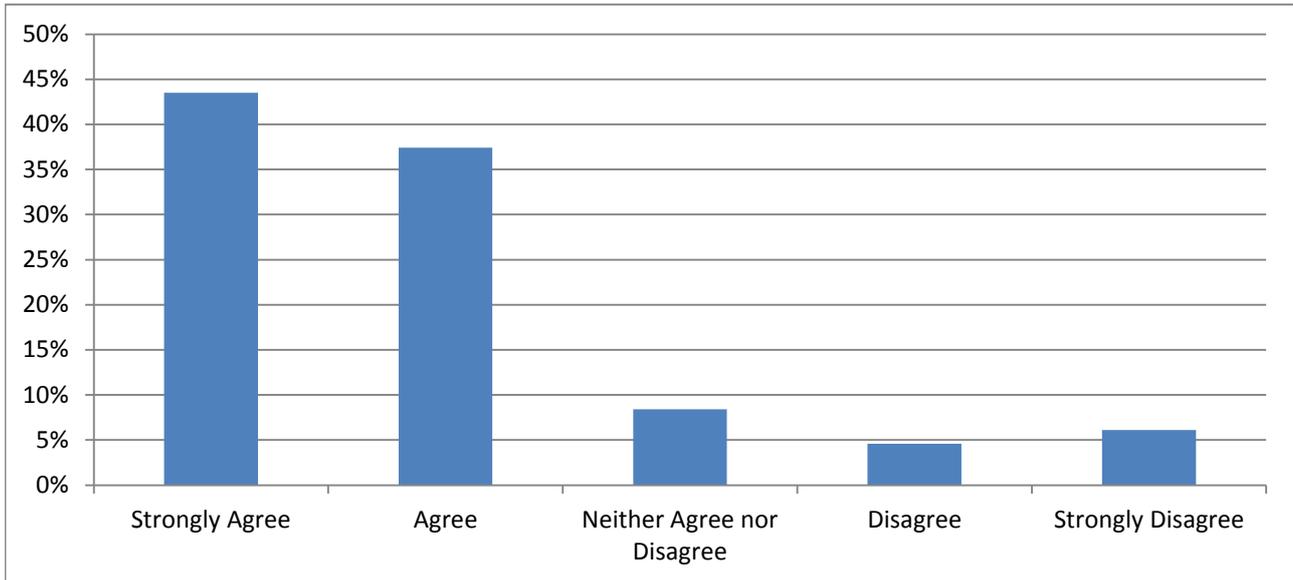


## Gloucester City Council Draft Council Plan: Summary of Consultation Results

### Question 1

The vision is the overarching aim that frames the strategic direction for the council over the next four years. Our ambition is for the council, our partners and our residents to work together to make Gloucester: 'A City that Works for Everyone'. To what extent do you agree or disagree with the proposed vision for Gloucester City Council?

**Answered 131**



### Question 2

Do you have any comments to make about the proposed council vision?

**Answered 58**

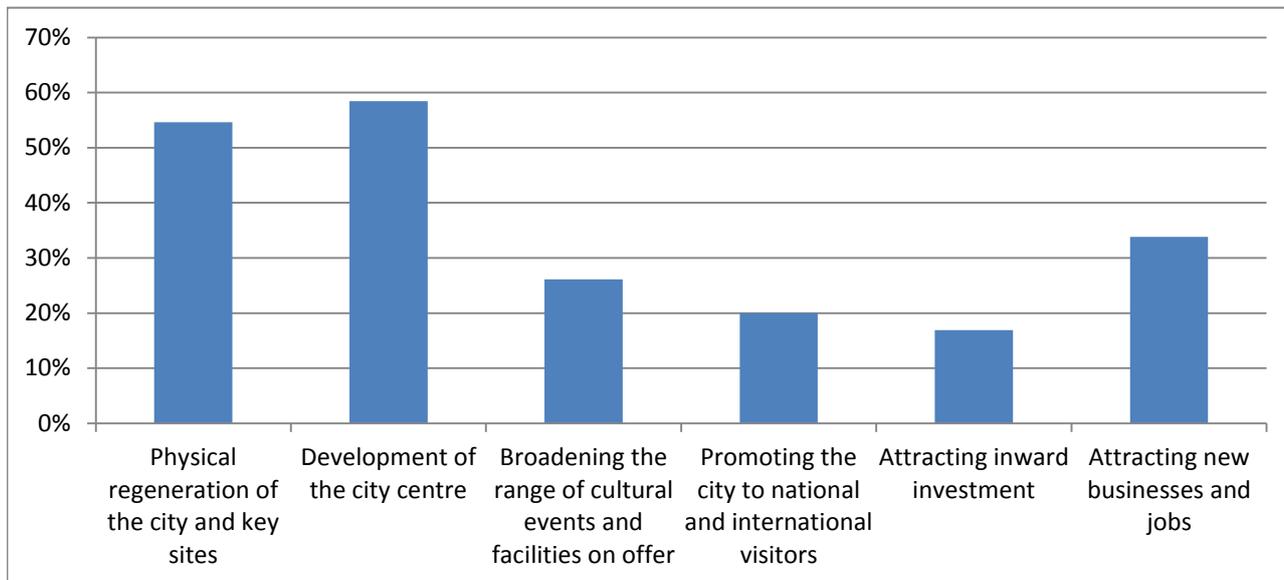
Most respondents chose to make specific comments about where the Council should focus its attention. Key themes from these comments were regeneration and investment in the city centre, making the most of the City's heritage and improving cleanliness. The remainder of the comments were a fairly even split of statements that were generally supportive or generally unsupportive of the proposed council vision.

### Question 3

Priority 1: Working to create a vibrant and prosperous city. Please tick your top two themes:

Answered

130



### Question 4

Within this priority, are there any other areas that you feel the council should focus its budget and resources on?

Answered

76

Of the responses that related to matters within this priority, regeneration in and the development of the city centre, including bringing empty shops and buildings back into use, was the top concern, including improving links between the city centre and the Docks. Other key themes related to maximising cultural provision, promoting and maintaining the city's heritage and extending regeneration beyond the city centre into surrounding areas.

### Question 5

Tell us about any specific actions you think we should take in order to achieve this priority.

Answered

74

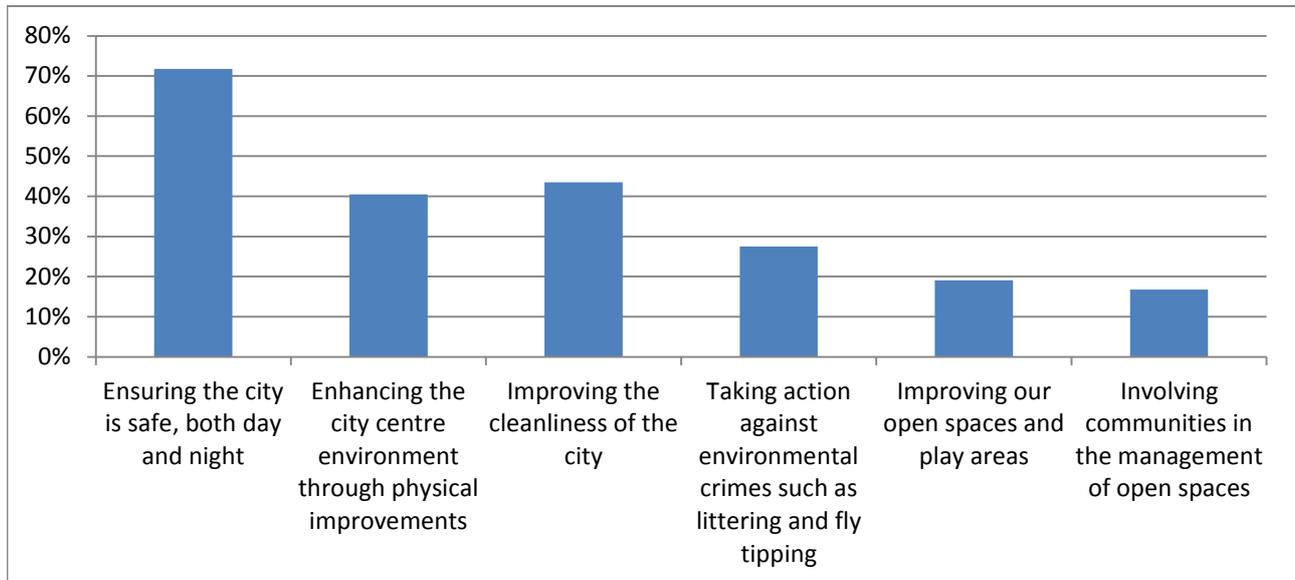
Key themes related to attracting inward investment to improve and regenerate the city, with particular focus on enhancing the city centre and improving links between the city centre, the Docks and the Quays and engaging with communities on these areas. A number of references were also made to appreciating and looking after our heritage assets.

## Question 6

Priority 2: Working to maintain a safe and attractive city. Please tick your top two themes:

**Answered**

**130**



## Question 7

Within this priority, are there any other areas that you feel the council should focus its

**Answered**

**56**

Of the responses that related to matters within this priority, the two main areas highlighted were the need to enhance and improve cleanliness in the city centre and beyond, and making people feel safe. Other comments related to improving our open spaces and play areas, and ensuring that action is taken against environmental crimes.

## Question 8

Tell us about any specific actions you think we should take in order to achieve this

**Answered**

**55**

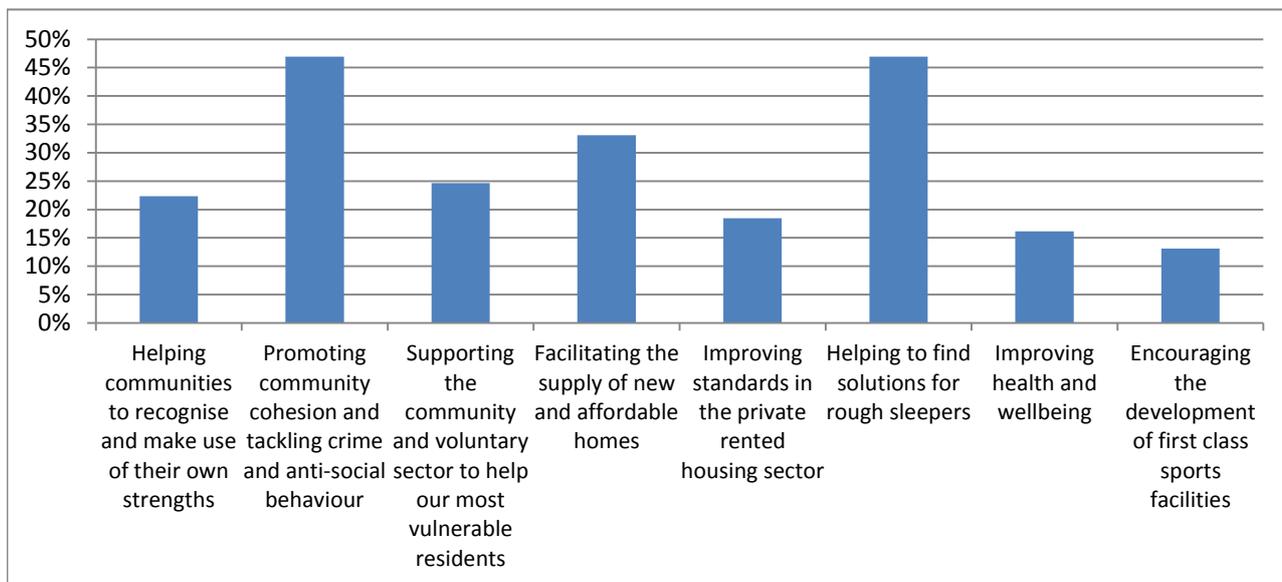
A number of responses referred to increased police visibility, which is not within the council's remit. Other themes included improving cleanliness and tackling antisocial activities.

### Question 9

Priority 3: Working to build strong and resilient communities. Please tick your top two themes:

**Answered**

**130**



### Question 10

Within this priority, are there any other areas that you feel the council should focus its

**Answered**

**52**

Of the responses that related to matters within this priority, of most concern is the need to provide support to the homeless. Other issues highlighted included provision of affordable housing, the importance of engaging with our communities and promoting community cohesion, and provision of facilities and support for young people.

### Question 11

Tell us about any specific actions you think we should take in order to achieve this

**Answered**

**32**

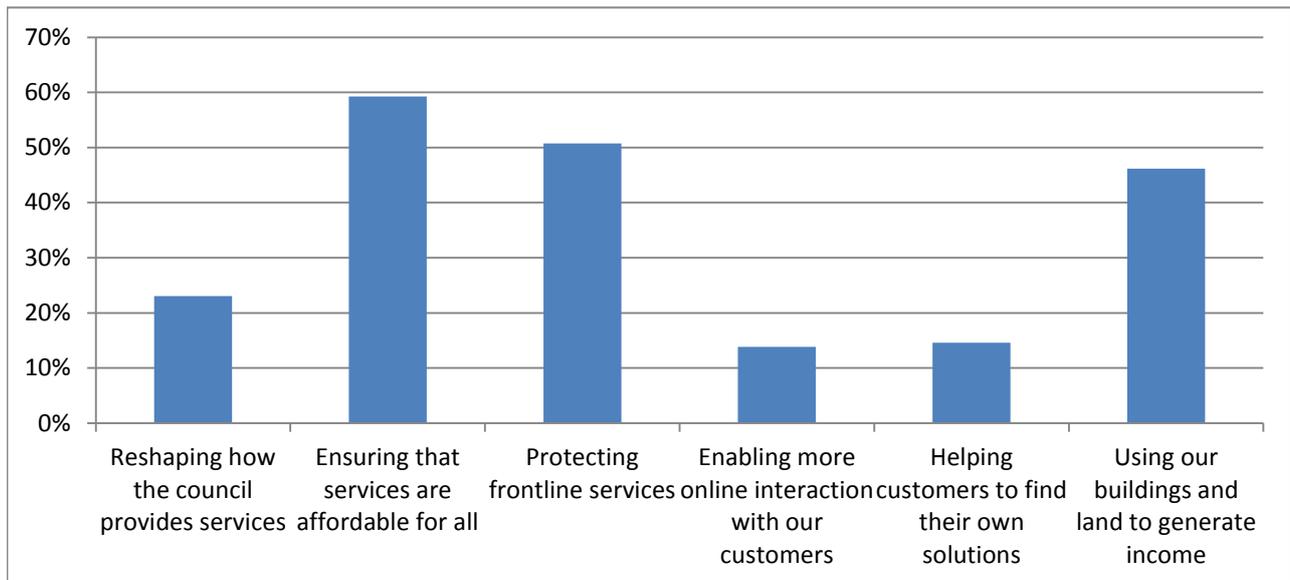
Providing solutions for homeless people continues to be a key concern, along with tackling poor housing standards. A number of responses related to the importance of community engagement, in particular with young people.

### Question 12

Priority 4: Working to provide great services that offer value for money. Please tick your top two themes:

**Answered**

**130**



### Question 13

Within this priority, are there any other areas that you feel the council should focus its

**Answered**

**41**

Of the responses that related to matters within this priority, a wide variety of issues were touched upon, but a key concern was making services available and easy to access for all residents, including improving online access to services and maintaining opportunities for face-to-face and quick telephone contact.

### Question 14

Tell us about any specific actions you think we should take in order to achieve this

**Answered**

**32**

The responses did not highlight any specific themes, however, references were made to listening to residents and ensuring access to services and face-to-face advice.

### Question 15

Do you have any other comments to make about the draft council plan?

Answered

25

Respondents generally used this question to emphasise and reiterate the importance of regeneration across the city, investment in the city centre and improving cleanliness and safety.

### Question 16

About you. Are you:

