

40	GL15 6AT	26-59	pubs, open spaces, scenery, wildlife old style buildings not overcrowded friendly	bus links very hard to catch a bus anywhere, flooding is a problem	of new house building continues, no capacity at school. Also increase amount of traffic on A48. Concerned about building on flood plains	1		1					1		1
41	GL15 6BB	60+	The village of Alvington is a rural village situated within an attractive location of the Forst of Dean. The Village has easy access to motorways via the A48 road. Major cities are reachable by national railways for people who wish/need to make use of this form of trnsportation. In general, the local community are reserved within themselves but always appear friendly upon appearance and give advice and provide a helping hand if when required they do not overstep this vocation.	A weekly morning unit has been formed for 'walkers' followed by coffee at the Globe public house. Improvement could be made in respect of other communal activities. It must be remembered Alvington has mainly an elderly community, so, events like card evenings in the Village Hall is a suggestion. The village reads and footpaths are in a great need of repair by those responsible. These public service departments are formed to represent communities, they should fulfill their duties and obligations.	Alvington village has enough housing it most certainly does not want/require more housing by developers and land owners who are set on making money for their own benefits. Regards should be very deeply considered before this is permitted, ie the local residents, countryside, scenery, public roads, transport medical and school facilities, the village is large enough so why try to turn a quiet Gloucestershire vcillage into a slowly growing residential area, local residents wishes, must and should be respected.	1				1		1		1	
42	GL15 5NN	12-17y	I play cricket at the village and enjoy playing here.	we could do with some cricket nets and a pavillion this would attract more players				1					1		
43	GL15 6BG	26-59	Alvington is a pleasant village with easy access to a pleasant little school and close enough to employment opportunities	1. The conservation area states whilst sensible need applicaton which is reflective of the actual development in the village and the need for continual progress and the fact that people need to be able to live in these properties as modern homes, preserving the village in aspic is neither possible or desirable. 2. Traffic is too fast and there is no suitable road crossings to allow children to walk to school. We require traffic lights at the bottom of the hill by the Swan, and traffic calming throughout the village to both slow traffic down and encourage lorries to take the M50 alternative route. 3. A pavement path which is adequately signposted to allow people to walk safely to Alybuton would be an excellent idea.								1	1		
44	GL15 6AF	60+	Lovely countryside, nice friendly community	roads, no heavy good vehicles to use the lanes		1			1			1			
45	GL15 6BG	26-59	Closeness to Forest, Bristol and Gloucester	Traffic and pedestrian paths, including steps up to Woolaston School. I am very worried when walking my children to school as the traffic is too fast and there is nowhere to safely cross.								1	1		

81	GL15 6BE	26-59	<p>The location of the village, especially its views across open countryside and the wide vistas of the Severn estuary. The residents of the village are friendly and accommodating. The size of the village is ideal and its heritage adds to its appeal. Access to the forest and local towns is good. Alvington has a good quality Village hall and Church. The village shops/petrol station is well stocked and open 24/7. The relatively low crime rate is a real benefit too.</p>	<p>The village needs help with 'taming' of the A48. Although the road brings benefits of good access and transport links to the village, its presence is overwhelming in terms of excessive noise, traffic speeds and volume. In places such as Swan Hill, the road is dangerous to pedestrians and this is also the case at one of the key crossing points between The Globe public house and the village sports field. I particularly dislike the way litter is allowed to accumulate and in places the village has a somewhat scruffy feel to it: poor quality maintenance generally leads to more littering as visitors believe it is OK to leave litter.</p>	<p>Despite inclusion in the recent and much-hyped 'Fastershire' high speed broadband roll-out, many residents were left out of the upgrade due to being connected by Exchange Only lines that are prevalent in rural areas. This is exceptionally frustrating for those residents who work from home.</p>	1							1	1		1
82	GL15 6BE	26-59	<p>The Globe pub is a cosy asset to the village and it's a pity their efforts to improve were set back by the theft of hanging baskets that were an attractive aspect when travelling up the high street. The village garage is an asset selling milk, bread and newspapers and is open 24/7.</p>	<p>The general appearance of the main high street and in particular the derelict corner shop (opposite The Globe pub) is in dire need of refurbishment. Litter reduction could be introduced to complement the tidying up of grass verge and pathways. It would be beneficial to residents if planters were introduced entering the village and along the high street. The phone box needs a lick of paint. The village hall should be used more regularly and maybe could be advertised for functions, parties etc that would bring in funds for its upkeep. Traffic calming measures should be introduced to reduce the danger from very heavy lorries that travel at high speeds. The church grounds could do with better maintenance including reduction in tree cover (which makes the churchyard and church very dark) as well as the removal of ivy. The recent roll out of faster broadband was disappointing for those of us who were excluded from this due to having an EO connection (as do many of our neighbours)</p>												1
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