

Exeter Ecocommunity project



How do we want to be living five years from now?

Easy access to public transport as a preferred form of travel and connected to wider community	Living as a community sharing some resources & experiences, with adequate privacy of accommodation	Promoting sustainable lifestyles by living, educating, campaigning	Food growing spaces	Financially self-sufficient community with the opportunity for sustainable income-generating activities	Rural features	Maintaining and reviewing the vision and strategy Having agreed processes which are regularly reviewed	Completely self-sufficient in energy with a variety of sustainable options
Easy access to public transport	Communal space Celebration, other activities, laundry etc. kitchen	A learning environment for children and young people	Growing spaces /allotments, veg, soft fruit orchards, fruits, nuts, vines	Financially self-sufficient community	Acreage re: fields / woodland	Sense of purpose and organised	Variety of sustainable energy options, wind, water, solar, wood
External entertainment	Separate, private living accommodation	Inspiring for political and social change	Allotments / kitchen garden	A centre offering education for sustainability	Rural space, good air, night skies, views, woodland, water	Dynamic and renewing	
Daily bus route - evening	Communal facilities, gardens, play areas, tennis, parkland	Living with integrity towards one another / sustainability		Communal enterprises ?Café, ?shop, ?craft units, ?etc	wildlife		
	Shared community, but individual ownership / renting	Living with like-minded people		income generated goes into communal budget. (holiday let, sale of veg, campsite etc)			
		Ecofriendly co-operative, sustainability					

We also agreed:

Eggs, milk, meat, fish

- ✓ Chickens and poultry for eggs (and possible chicken soup at the end of their life)
- ✓ Individual freedom of choice to eat meat or not
- ✓ Communal spaces meat free
- ✓ No to meat production

Pets

- ✓ Existing pets would be accepted by the community
- ✓ A code of conduct for keeping large pets
- ✓ A limit on numbers
- ✓ A process for bringing pets in