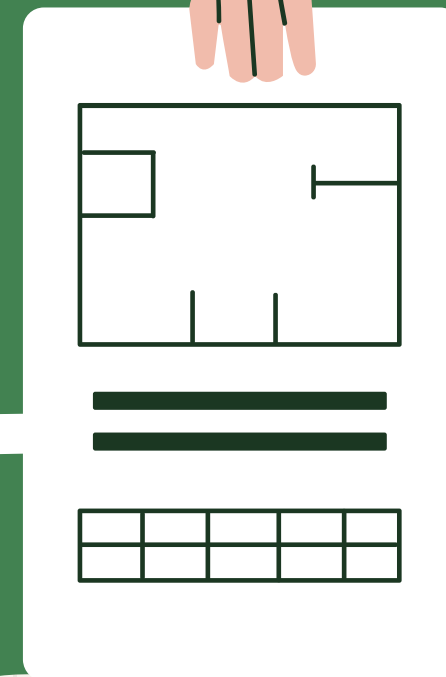


WTC Highways Consultation



Data collected in Nov 2022



Introduction

What did we do?



In November 2022 Winchcombe Town Council undertook a public consultation to identify common highways concerns and potential actions.

114 local residents from 61 unique postcodes gave 405 responses (forms) to the categories of Congestion, HGVs, Parking, Signposting, Speeding and Other/Future Aspirations. They were asked to identify locations of concerns and the time of day at which they occur, describe the concern and why it was a problem and to rate the impact, priority and urgency.



Key findings



Almost half of the responses were related to the B4632 & 13% to junctions within town



People were more concerned about speeding at night than any other time of the day

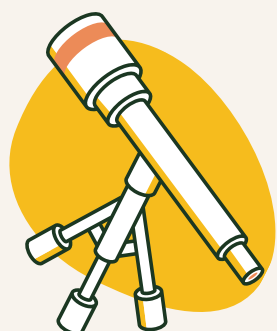


The highest impacting issues related to HGVs and speeding whilst the highest priority/urgency related to HGVs and congestion

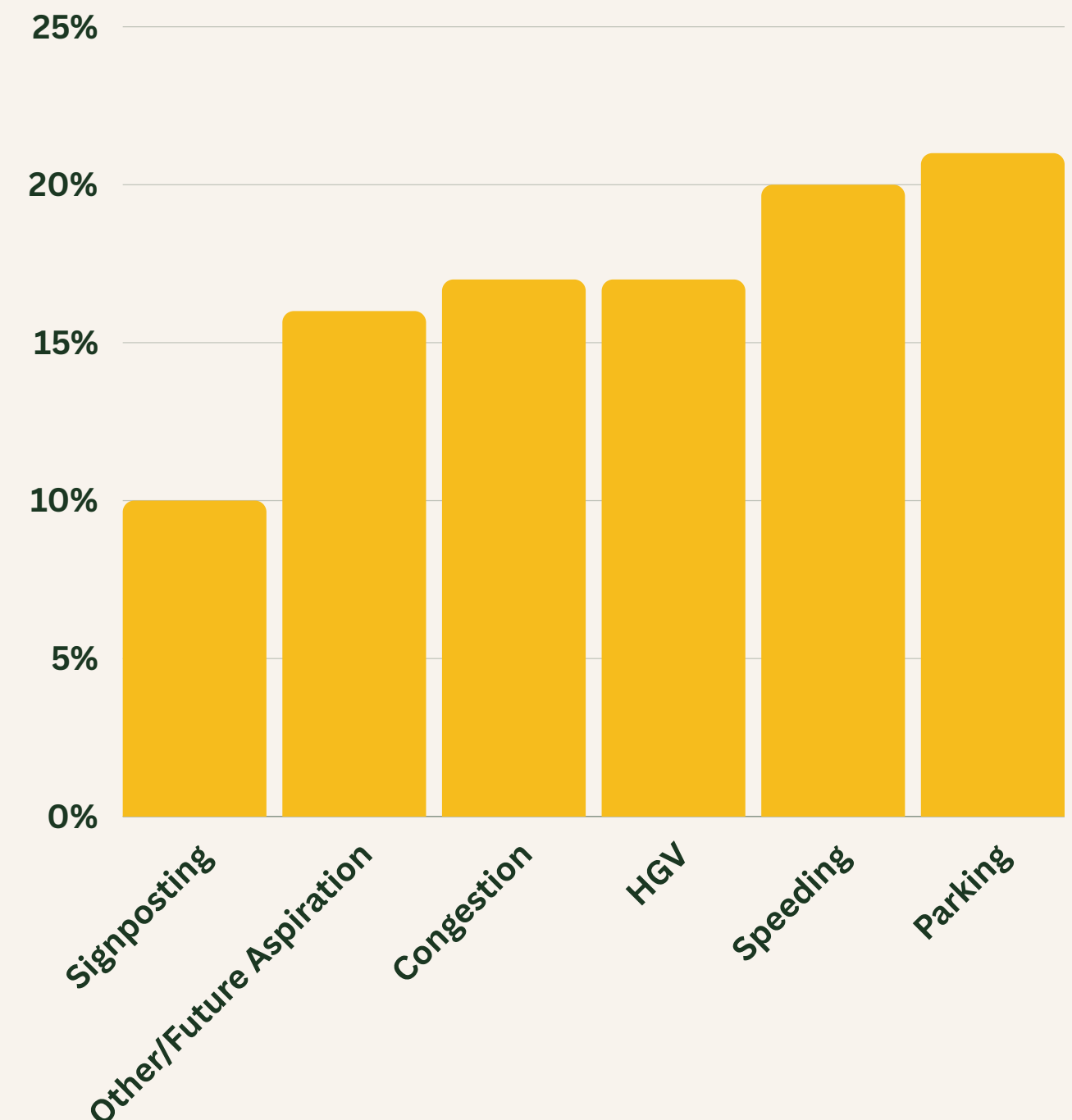


Suggestions that residents would like considered are:

- Lowering the speed limit within Winchcombe
- Introducing a weight limit for HGVs
- Improved speed signage on entry points to the town
- Additional parking restrictions backed up by enforcement
- More sustainable transport options including improved bus service, electric car charging points & cycle parking
- Pedestrianised areas



% of responses by area of concern

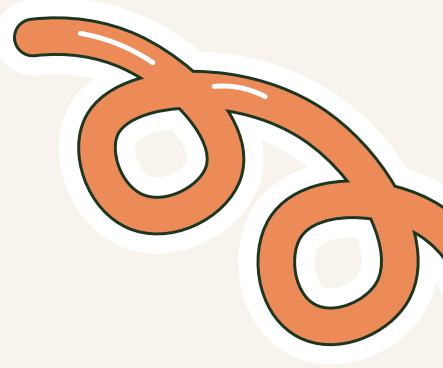




Congestion



54 residents raised 68 concerns



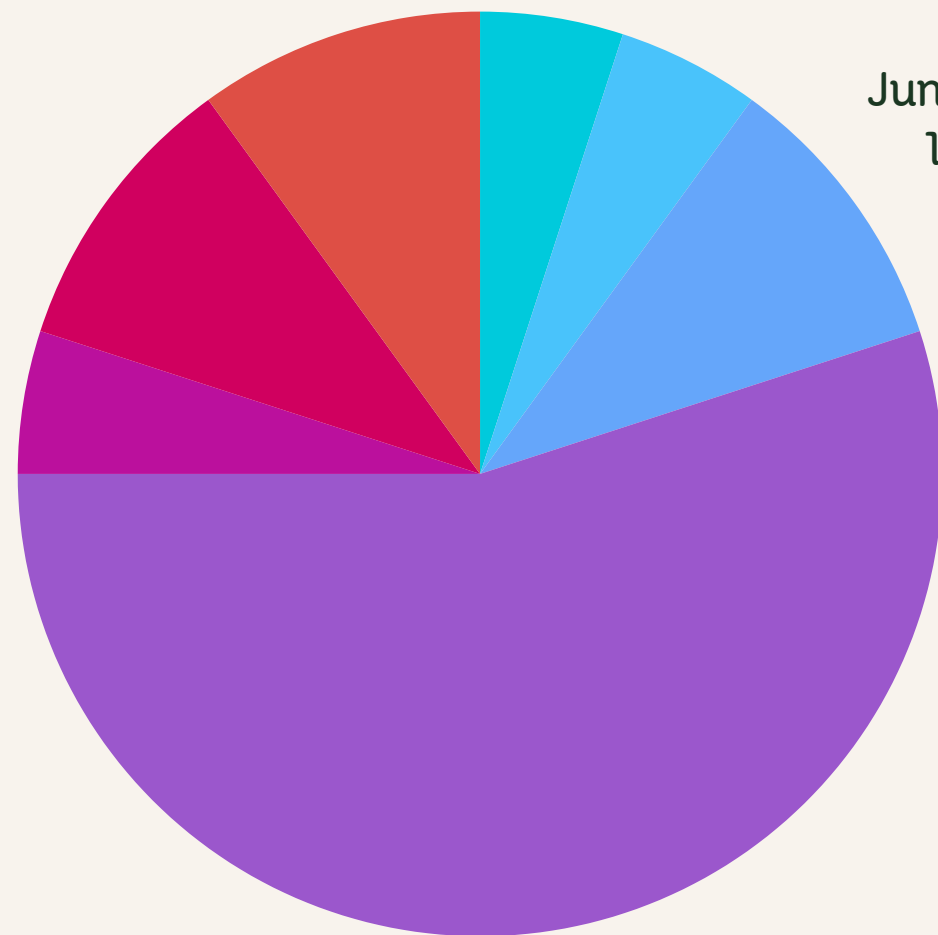
Location of concerns

Cut throughs (Back Lane/Chandos/Langley rd)
10%

Gretton Rd
5%

Junctions
10%

North St
5%



B4632
55%



Issues raised

- On street parking (38 people raised 45 concerns)
- HGVs (17 people raised 17 concerns)
- School traffic/drop-off/pick-up (7 people raised 8 concerns)
- Narrow roads (9 people raised 9 concerns)
- Volume of traffic e.g. event days (5 people raised 5 concerns)



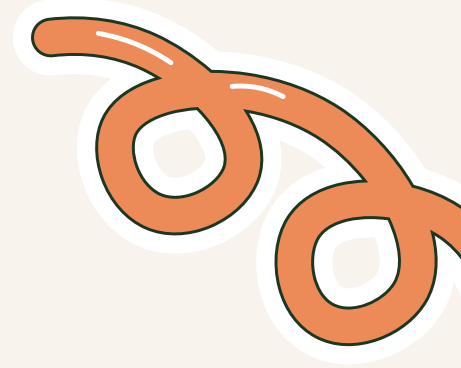
Impact, priority and urgency

- Impact score 8 out of 10 (SD = 1.8), not rated = 10%
- Priority score 71%
- Urgency score 66%

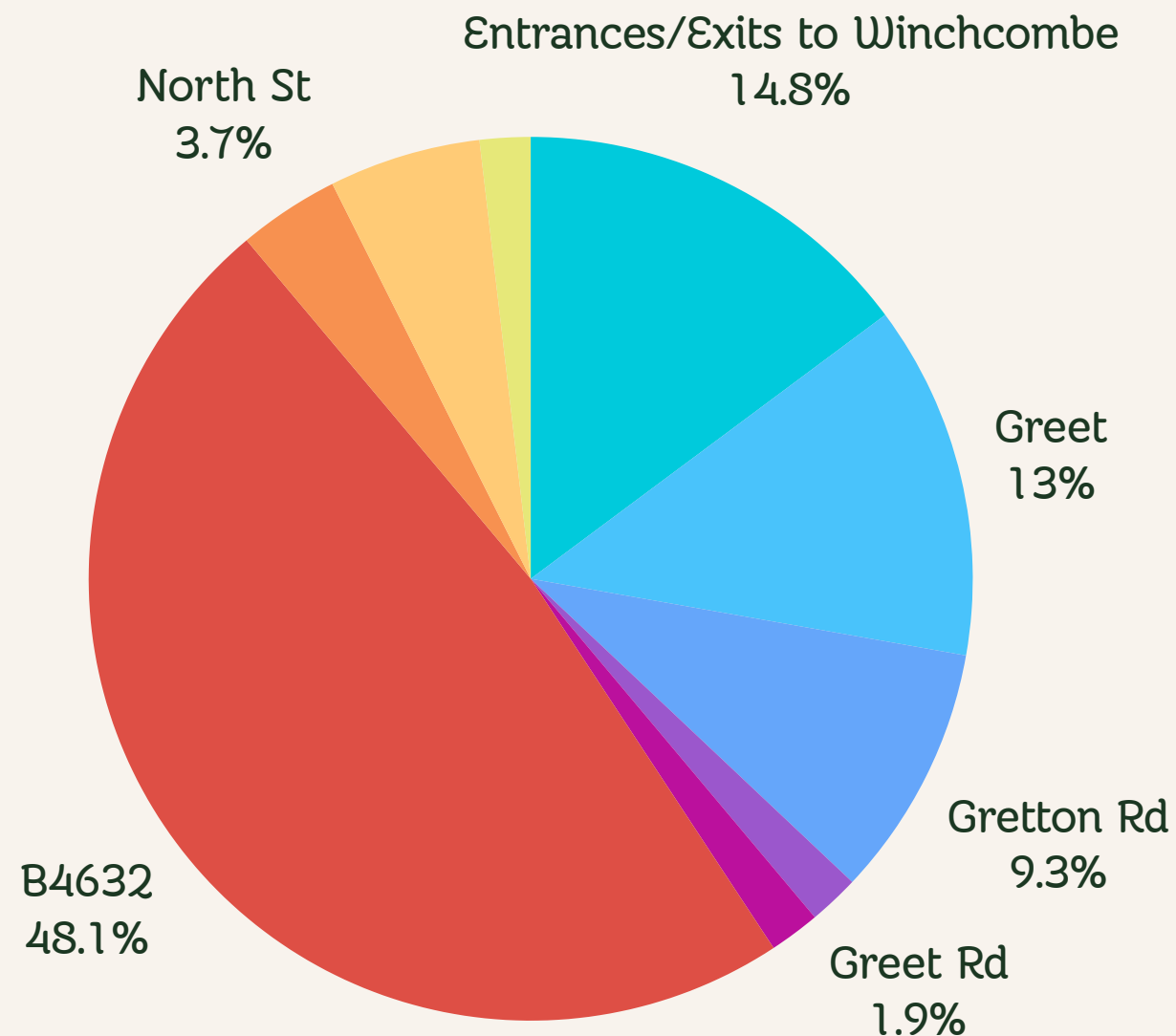


Speeding

 68 residents raised 79 concerns



Location of concerns



Issues raised

- Hazard to safe road crossing (20 people raised 21 concerns)
- Potential for collision (19 people raised 19 concerns)
- Safety where lack of pavement (9 people raised 10 concerns)
- Noise (7 people raised 7 concerns)

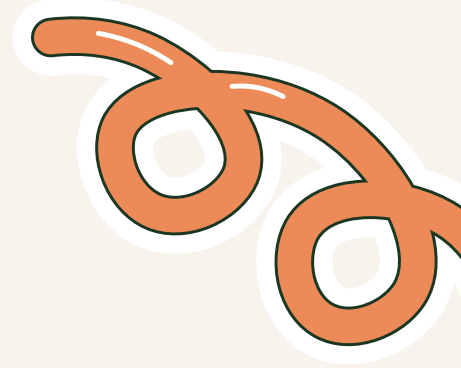
Impact, priority and urgency

- Impact score 10 out of 10 (SD = 1.6), not rated = 10%
- Priority score 60%
- Urgency score 61%

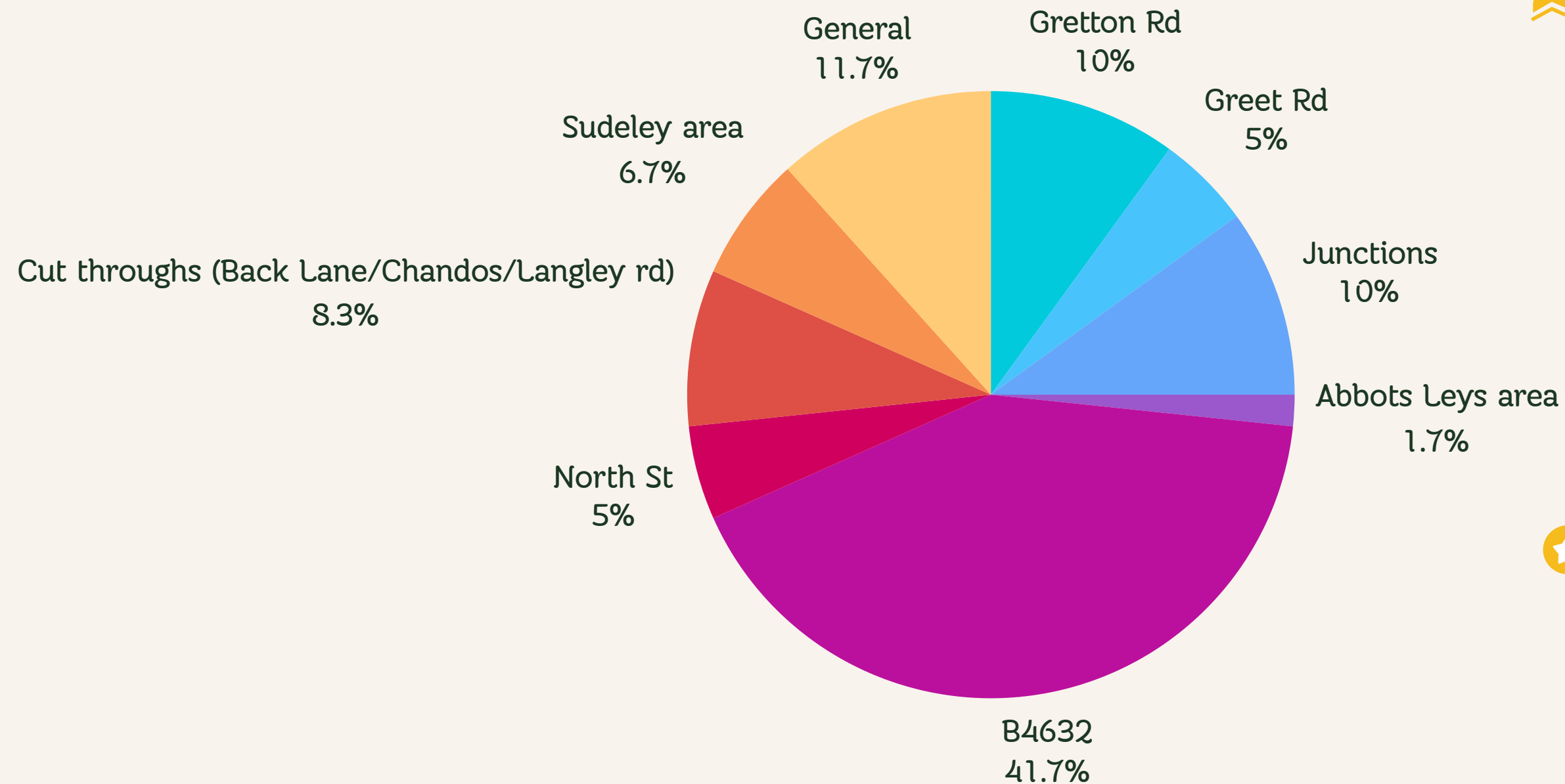


Parking

 65 residents raised 85 concerns



Location of concerns

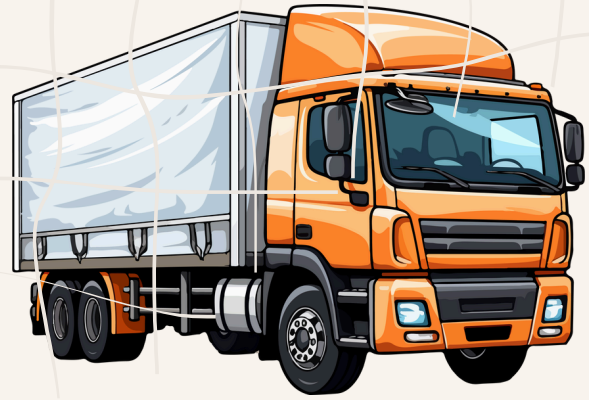


Issues raised

- Lack of enforcement (11 people raised 14 concerns)
- Lack of restrictions (21 people raised 23 concerns)
- Underuse or lack of car parks (13 people raised 13 concerns)
- School pick-up/drop-off (4 people raised 4 concerns)

Impact, priority and urgency

- Impact score 8 out of 10 (SD = 1.6), not rated = 9%
- Priority score 60%
- Urgency score 60%



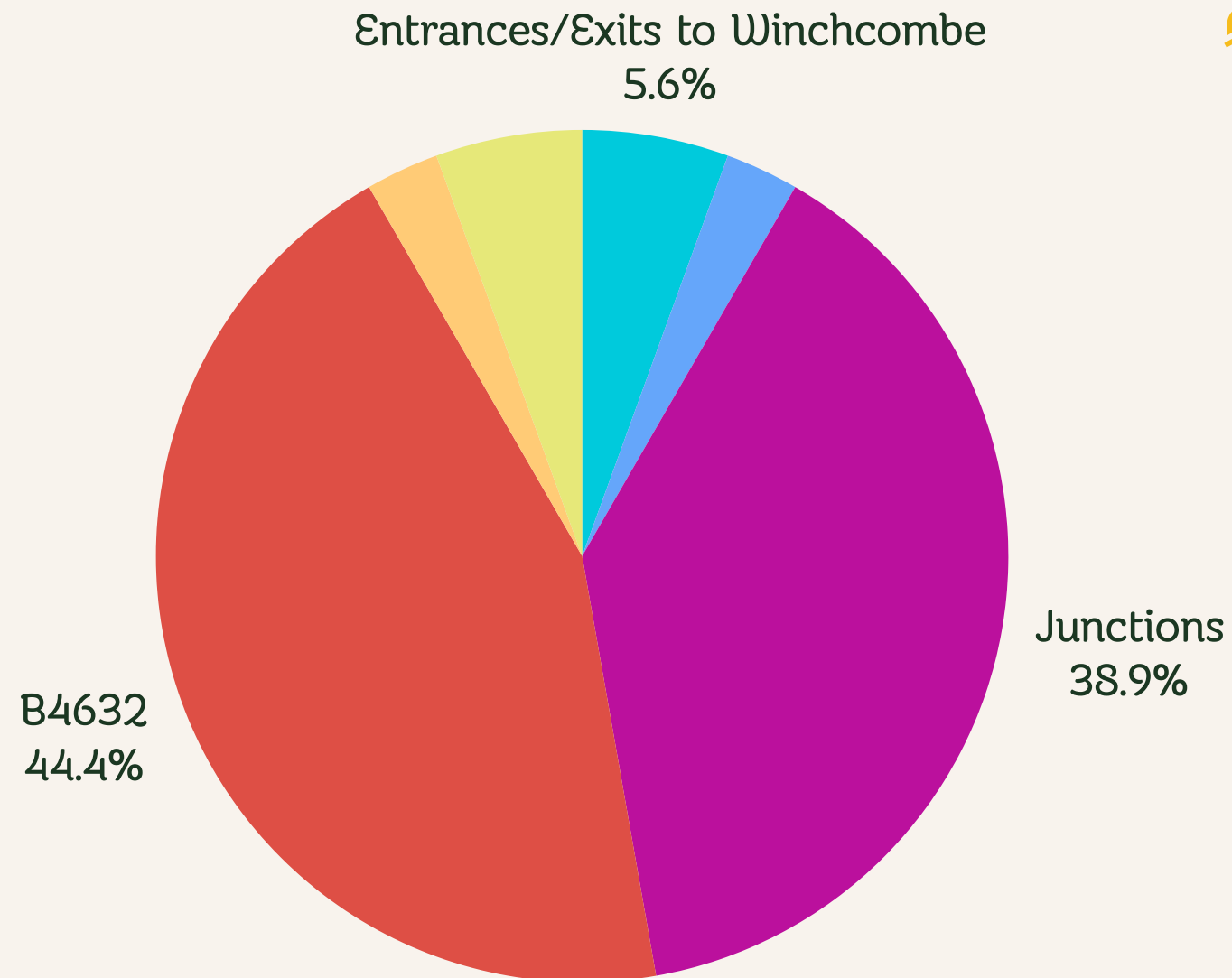
HGVs



63 residents raised 67 concerns



Location of concerns



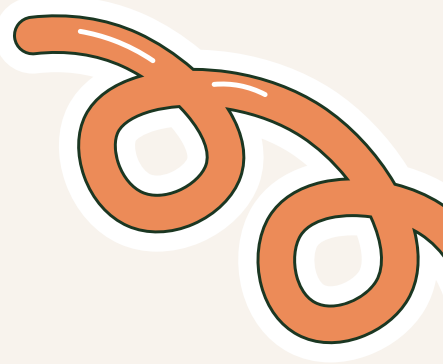
Issues raised

- Congestion (30 people raised 30 concerns)
- Damage to buildings (16 people raised 17 concerns) or risk to parked cars (8 people raised 8 concerns)
- Vibrations/noise/pollution (11 people raised 11 concerns)
- Driving on pavements (6 people raised 6 concerns) and risk to pedestrians (7 people raised 7 concerns)
- Size of vehicles (28 people raised 29 concerns) & narrow roads (22 people raised 22 concerns)



Impact, priority and urgency

- Impact score 10 out of 10 (SD = 1.5), not rated = 7%
- Priority score 79%
- Urgency score 78%

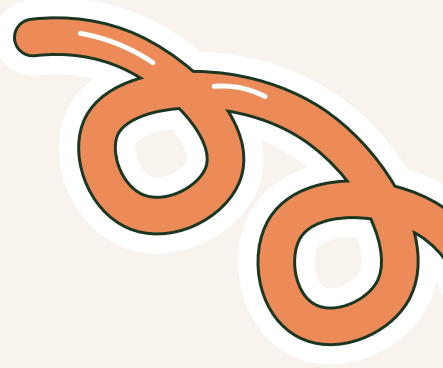




Signposting



37 residents raised 41 concerns



Location of concerns

Cut throughs (Back Lane/Chandos/Langley rd)

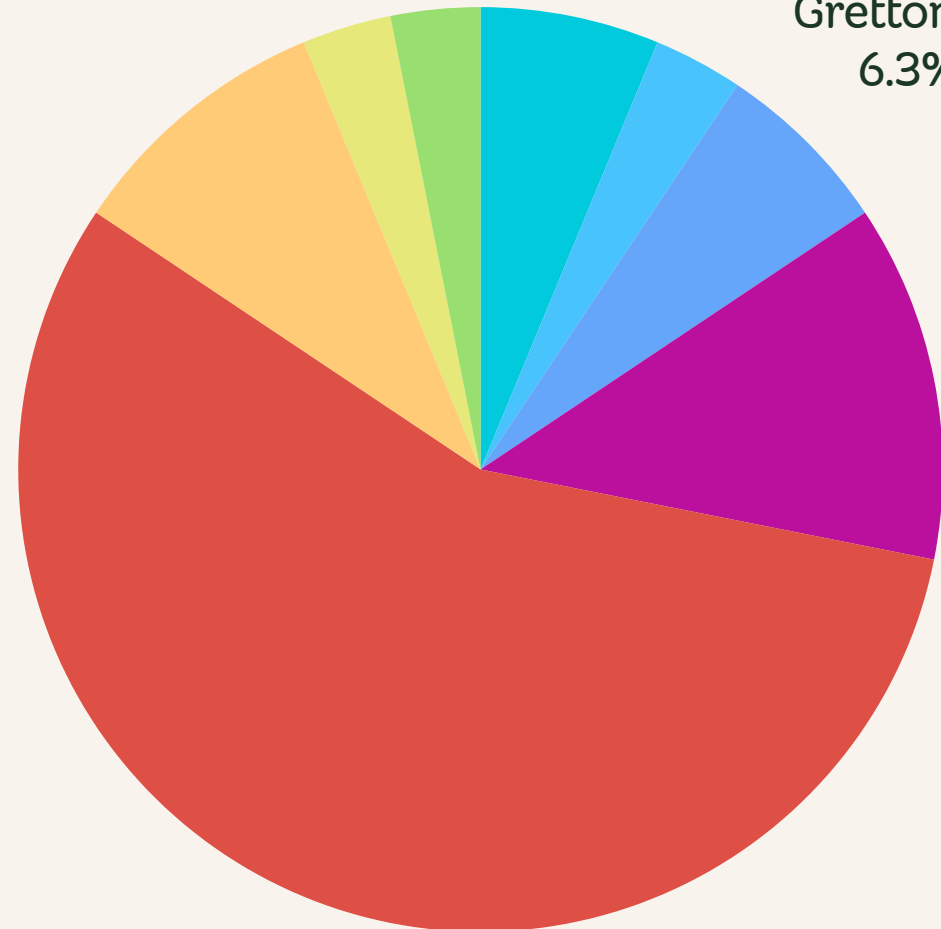
9.4%

Gretton Rd

6.3%

Junctions

12.5%



B4632
56.3%



Issues raised

- Signs missing or not obvious (24 people raised 25 concerns), specifically car parking signs not clear (12 people raised 12 concerns)
- No signs indicating narrow roads, slow down or unsuitability for HGV (18 people raised 19 concerns)

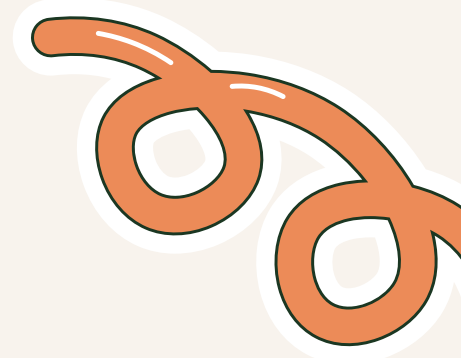


Impact, priority and urgency

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- Priority score 46%
- Urgency score 44%

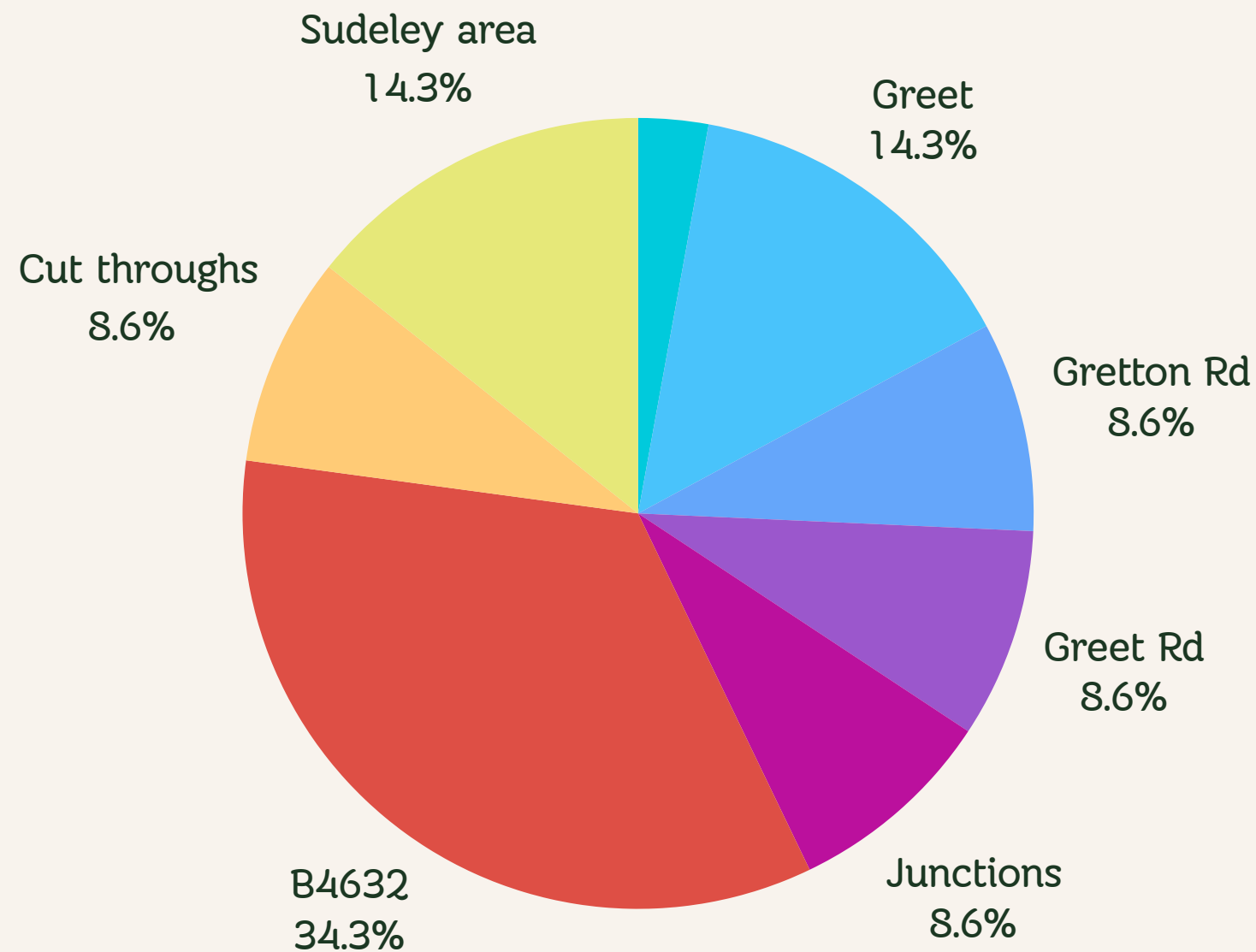


Other/Future Ideas



 52 residents raised 35 concerns and suggested 27 ideas

Location of concerns



Issues raised

- Poor road surface/condition (15 people raised 17 concerns)
- Parking concerns (3 people raised 3 additional concerns) referencing the need for more car park spaces
- Congestion concerns (2 people raised 2 additional concerns)

Suggestions made

- Sustainable transport - improve reliability, regularity and connectivity of bus service (9 people raised this), electric car charging (8 people) and cycle parking (4 people)
- Introduce a one way system (8 people) or pedestrianised areas (8 people)

Impact, priority and urgency

- Impact score 10 out of 10 (SD = 1.7) - Not rated = 34%
- Priority score 44%
- Urgency score 45%

🌟 Suggestions for Action:

- Identify potential actions from the concerns raised and ideas suggested
- Publish a key findings and proposed actions summary and circulate within the community to include:
 - what has been actioned already 'you said, your councils have done...'
 - ask for feedback on proposed actions and order of priority (or have we missed anything as we shape our council plan)
- Review membership of the working group to include stakeholder representation & people with capacity to drive on actions and consider changing name to be a "task force" (sounds more action oriented) rather than a working group

