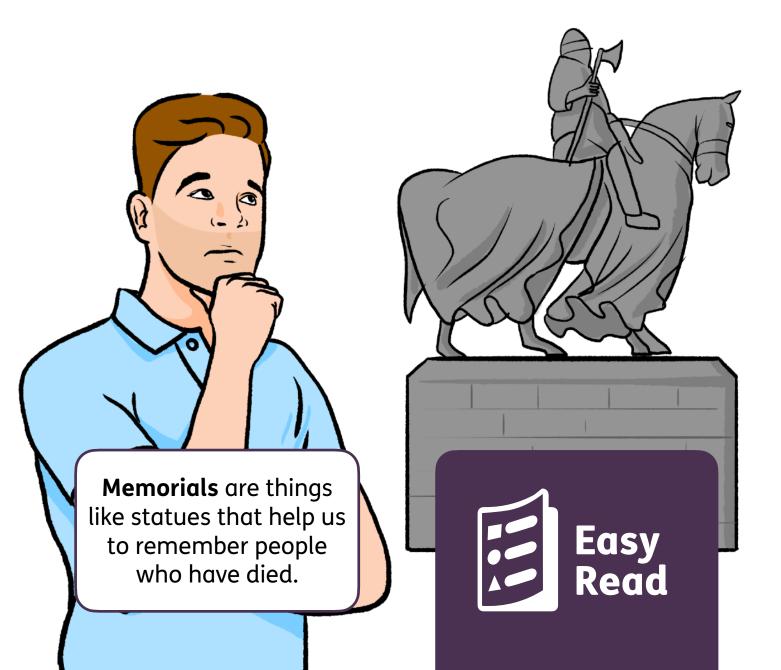


**Public Consultation** 

## Memorials

What do you think?



## **Easy Read**



This is an Easy Read version of some information. It may not include all of the information but it will tell you about the important parts.



This Easy Read booklet uses easier words and pictures. Some people may still want help to read it.



Some words are in **bold** - this means the writing is thicker and darker.
These are important words in the booklet.



Sometimes if a bold word is hard to understand, we will explain what it means.



Blue and underlined words show links to websites and email addresses. You can click on these links on a computer.

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## **About this survey**



Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council is writing rules for how we make choices about **memorials**.



**Memorials** are things like statues that help us to remember people who have died.



We have written some ideas for what the rules should be. We have called this our **draft plan**.



We would like to know what you think of our draft plans.



Please answer the questions to tell us what you think.

## Why we are doing this



Anyone who lives or works in the Causeway Coast and Glens Borough Council area can ask for a memorial.



Our draft plan helps us to decide who can have a memorial and where in a fair and open way.



It also explains what we and people who ask for a memorial must do when we think about whether to have a memorial.





We must treat everyone fairly.



We must think about whether a memorial will cause some local people to be unhappy, or complain.



Memorials must not stop different local communities from respecting and getting on with each other.



A group, called the **Council Memorial Advisory Group** will look at whether a memorial will cause problems.



They can stop the memorial from being built if it will be unfair for local people.



The group will be made up of people from different **political parties** on the council.

**Political parties** are groups that make choices in councils and governments. People vote for political parties that they agree with.



Using a mix of people from different political parties will help make sure that everyone's voice is heard.



We think that this will help local people to get on well.



It will also mean that everyone is more likely to agree on new memorials.

#### Checking our plans



We have checked whether our plans are fair to different local groups. This is called an **Equality Impact Assessment**.



We found that it was fair to most groups.



But to ask for a memorial, people need to fill in a form.



This means that some people might be left out, like if they find reading or writing in English hard.



We might make changes to help people with this.

## What do you think?



We would like to know what you think about our plans.



Please answer the questions below to tell us.

#### **Memorials**



**Question 1:** How much do you agree or disagree that our draft plan is clear about how we make choices about memorials?

Agree a lot	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree a lot



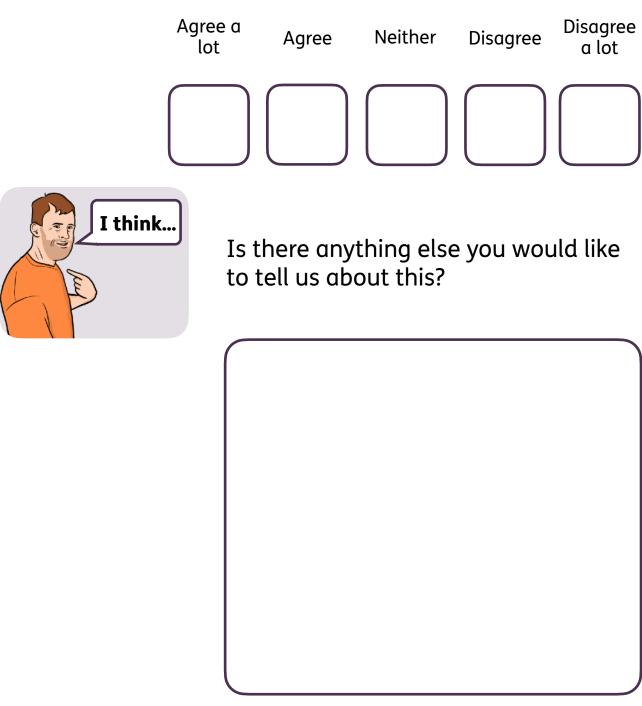
**Question 2:** How much do you agree or disagree that our draft plan is open and fair about how we make choices?

	Agree a lot	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Disagree a lot
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### Being fair

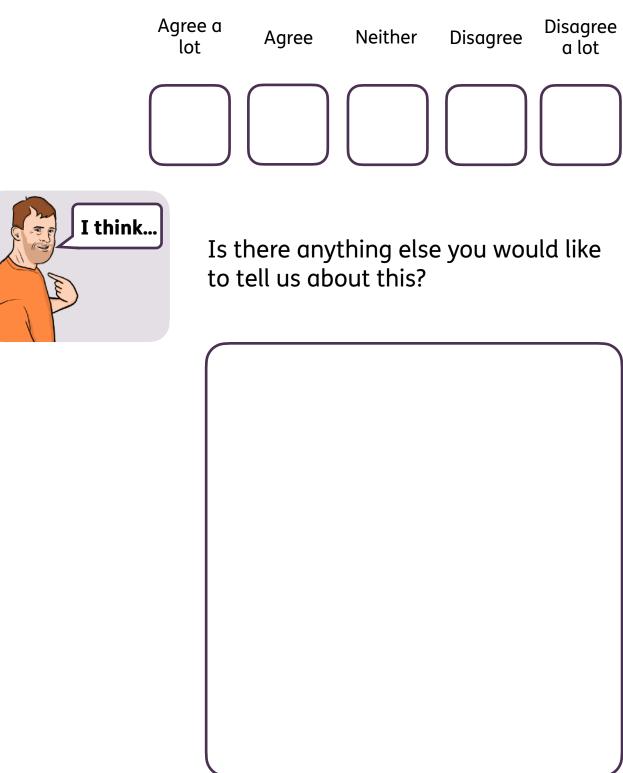


**Question 4:** How much do you agree or disagree that our draft plan helps everyone to have a fair chance to ask for a memorial?



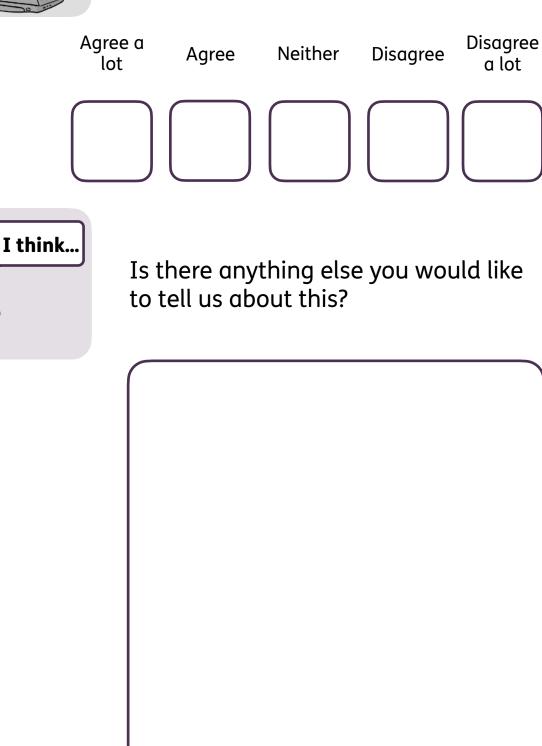


**Question 5:** How much do you agree or disagree that our draft plan will help different local communities to get on well?



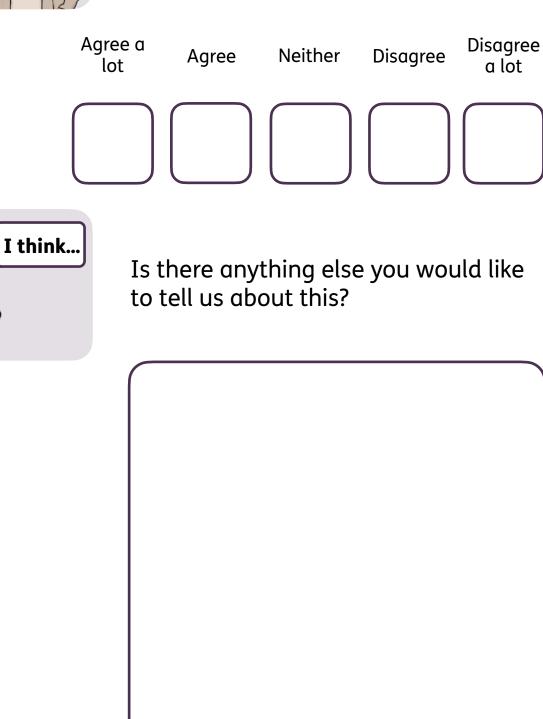


**Question 6:** How much do you agree or disagree that the ways that we will work will help different communities to get on well?





**Question 7:** How much do you agree or disagree that the ways that we will work will help people who live in the countryside?





**Question 8:** Is there anything else we should be thinking about to help:

• Everyone to get a fair chance.



• Different local communities to get on well?



• People who live in the countryside?

( ) Yes

No



If you said **Yes**, please tell us what we could do differently here:

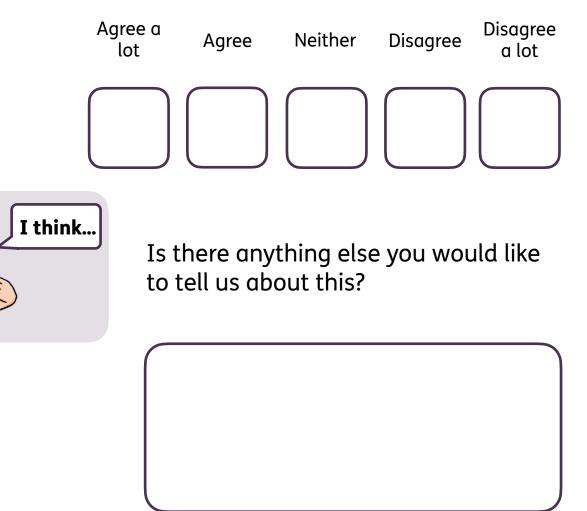




These questions are about the equality impact assessment.



**Question 9:** How much do you agree or disagree that we should think about changing our plan to help people who find reading or writing in English hard?





should think about	<b>Question 10:</b> Are there any other issues you think we should think about?
	Yes
	No
	If you said <b>Yes</b> , please tell us more by answering the next 3 questions:
	<b>Question 11a:</b> Do you agree with we said about how our plans will affect different groups?
	Yes
	No
Change	If you said <b>No</b> , please tell us what you think should change:

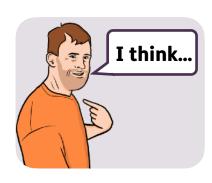


**Question 11b:** Are you happy with what the equality impact assessment decided?

Yes
No



If you said **No**, please tell us what you think was wrong:



**Question 11c:** Is there anything else you would like to say about the equality impact assessment?

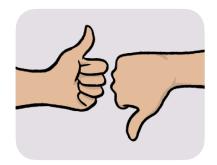
### The countryside



We checked whether our plans were fair to people who live in the countryside. This is called a **Rural Impact Assessment**.



We do not think that our plans will be unfair to people who live in the countryside.



**Question 12:** Do you agree that our plans are fair for people who live in the countryside?



Yes

No

If you said **No**, please tell us why:

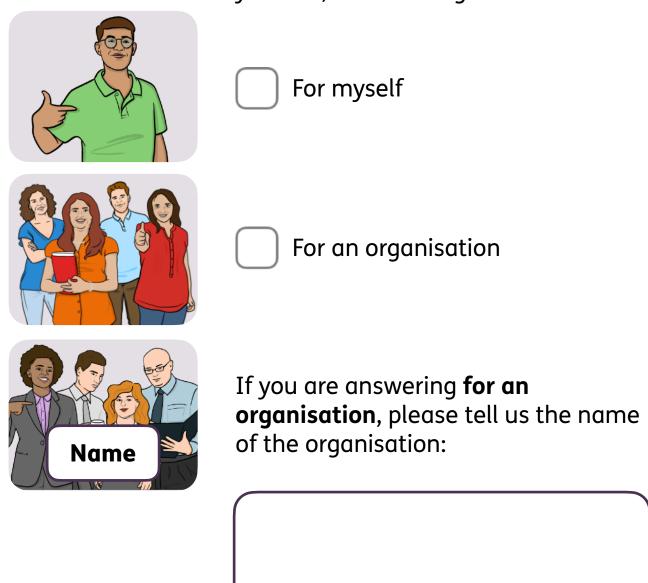


**Question 13:** Is there anything else

	Rural Impact Assessment?  Yes
	No
	If you said <b>Yes</b> , please tell us:
	<b>Question 14:</b> Is there anything else that people who live in the countryside need that we should think about?
	Yes
	No
	If you said <b>Yes</b> , please tell us what:
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#### **About you**

**Question 15:** Are you answering for yourself, or for an organisation?

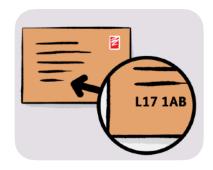




**Question 16:** Do you live or own a company in the Causeway Coast and Glens Council Area?







If you said **Yes**, what is the first part of your postcode?

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If you said **No**, why are you interested in this area? Is it because you are...

	Someone who lives in Northern
	Ireland

A visitor
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	Someone who works for the	
		Council

Other	(ple	ase	say)
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# **Question 17:** Which of these religious communities are you part of?

Roman Catholic
Protestant
Other Christian
Another religion or faith
No religion
I do not want to say



# **Question 18:** What nation do you say you are from?

Britain
Ireland
Northern Ireland
England
Scotland
Wales
Other (please say)



## **Question 19:** What is your **ethnic group**?

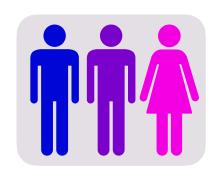
**Ethnic group** means your race and the country or background that your family comes from.

White
Irish Traveller
African or Black
Caribbean
Indian
Pakistani
Bangladeshi
Chinese
Mixed or more than one ethnic group
Other ethnic group
I do not want to say



#### **Question 20:** How old are you?

Under 18
18 to 24
25 to 34
35 to 44
45 to 54
55 to 64
Over 65
I do not want to say



<b>Question 21:</b> What	is your	gender?
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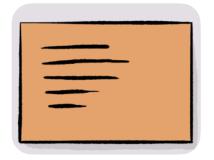
**Gender** is whether you are a man, a woman or something else.

Male
Female
I do not want to say
Another gender (please say)

## Thank you



Thank you for answering our questions.



Please post this survey back to us using the envelope we gave you. You do not need a stamp.



Please send your answers back no later than Tuesday 11th June 2024.

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