

YOUR UNIQUE REFERENCE NUMBER:

(PLEASE QUOTE IN QUESTIONNAIRE AND ON ALL CORRESPONDENCE)



Dear resident, please take 5-10 minutes to complete our questionnaire

What is the aim of this survey?

This is to assess whether or not **additional affordable housing** is needed in the Holme Valley area centred on Scholes covered by the HD9 1 postcode area.

If so, this will help to define the number, type and tenure of housing that is needed for local families. EcoHolmes also wish to understand what local people can afford to pay for their housing.

Some of your other questions are answered on the reverse of this leaflet

Yours faithfully,

Stephen Sheard

Chair, EcoHolmes Community Land Trust

Our questionnaire is being sent to all households in the Holme Valley HD9 1 postcode area. It should be completed by a household representative. You can easily and quickly take the survey online on your PC, tablet or smartphone by **scanning the QR code below** or by entering the URL: www.tinyurl.com/ScholesHNS.

Please quote the above reference number at the top of this leaflet when starting the online survey.

However, if you prefer to complete a paper copy, please call the following freephone number **0800 612 9133** and quote your reference number at the top of this leaflet. A paper questionnaire and reply-paid envelope will be sent to you.

The deadline for responding is 12th July 2021



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Scan this QR code to fill in the online survey



Photo courtesy of Richard Harvey

Housing Needs Survey of the Scholes area covered by the HD9 1 postcode.

Some questions about this survey are answered below:

Who are we? EcoHolmes Community Land Trust is a charity run by volunteers, set up to provide affordable, low-energy homes in the Holme Valley. We are working in partnership with the Holme Valley Land Charity who have a potential site on the edge of Scholes Village.

Why is a survey necessary? A housing needs survey in the local area is required if planning permission is to be sought for a rural exceptions site to provide homes for people who live in the area or have a strong connection to it.

Can someone that lives outside the area take the survey? Yes, if they have a connection to the Holme Valley area. They should take the survey online using the link or QR code below.

What companies are involved in running the survey? This survey is being carried out by arc4, a leading housing needs surveyor. arc4 works all over England and Wales providing independent and impartial housing needs assessments. This survey has been commissioned by EcoHolmes to provide an objective assessment of local housing needs.

Will my personal information be shared? arc4 guarantees your privacy and the security of the data. arc4 will not pass it on to anyone. arc4 is registered with the Information Controller's Office (reg. no. Z992934X) and complies fully with data protection legislation and GDPR. All information from respondents will be amalgamated and summarised in a statistical report.

Can I get help with the survey? Answers to survey FAQs appear on arc4's website: www.arc4.co.uk/household-surveys-faq-and-privacy-information You can get help at any time by calling the following freephone number **0800 612 9133**.



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