

At the local elections and since many residents have brought up the state of the verges and trees here on the Avenues. What would you like to see happen?

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## What do you think about the environment on The Avenues?

### As things stand:

Q1. Do you think the grass verges are well maintained by Norfolk County Council?

- Yes  
 No

Q2. Do you have any specific comments to that effect?

*(Please give details below).*

Q3. Do you think any of the following would help the verges stay healthy, or otherwise look nicer?

- Timber posts to prevent verge parking  
 Directed maintenance & replanting  
 More permit parking areas  
 I am happy with how they are

Q4. Are there any particular hotspots where the verges have been damaged?

*(If yes, please give details below).*

Q5. Do you think our 100 year-old red oak trees are well maintained and looked after?

- Yes  
 No

Q6. Have you observed any instances of poor maintenance or contractor behaviour which has damaged the verges, trees, or highways?

*(If so, please give details below).*

Q7. Overall, how well do you think our local environment is looked after?

*(With 1 being "very badly" and 5 being "very well").*

1      2      3      4      5

*Further comments:*

Q8. Are there any specific measures that the local council could take to improve it?

*(If so, please give details below).*

## Looking forward:

Q9. How often would you say the verges are mowed by Norfolk County Council?

- Too regularly
- Too infrequently
- About right
- Don't know

Q10. How many of the following do you think NCC should consider when deciding its verge cutting policy for The Avenues in future?

- Supporting biodiversity of habitats
- Maintaining insect populations, and therefore the wider food chain
- Preventing opportunistic parking
- Making sure they look nice
- Keeping costs low
- Other \_\_\_\_\_

Q11. Would you support the Avenues becoming a "conservation area", with less frequently cut verges, in the interests of all of the above?

- Yes
- No
- Unsure
- Not bothered

## The State of Play in Norwich:

Q12. Are there any other big issues you think need investigating locally?

*(If yes, please give details below).*

Q13. Who did you vote for in the last local elections in May 2024?

- Liberal Democrats
- Conservative
- Labour
- Green
- Didn't vote

Q14. How would you rate the performance of our 4 Labour councillors in University?

*(With 1 being "very poor" and 5 being "very good").*

1      2      3      4      5

Q15. Do you think they do a good job of representing our area?

- Yes
- No
- I don't know who they are

Q16. Do you think it is important for Labour to have a strong local opposition to hold them to account, now that they are in government?

- Yes
- No

## Help the local Lib Dem team:

Q17. The Lib Dem team rely on the support of volunteers in our community to help fund and deliver our newsletters. Could you help the Lib Dem team keep fighting for our area by doing any of the following?

*(Tick as many as you think you could help with).*

- Delivering leaflets from time to time
- Joining the Liberal Democrats for just £15
- Putting up a poster at election time

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Can we keep you updated on Lib Dem campaigns and activities?

- Yes
- No

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