

**Your community needs YOU!**

**Time's running out to secure ultrafast broadband for Trottiscliffe**



# Time's running out to be 'in to win'

Trottiscliffe has a once in a lifetime opportunity to have up to 1000 Mbps fibre broadband connected to each and every household installed at NO COST to residents.

UK Government provides 'vouchers' towards the cost of installation. All WE need to do is say "YES PLEASE, COUNT ME IN!"

What's the catch? There isn't one. Each household takes out a new contract/upgrade to existing contract with an Openreach approved ISP (most of the major providers qualify) within 1 month of the new service being available, around May 2022.

This must be for twice your current available speed see:

<https://checker.ofcom.org.uk/broadband-test>

In most cases this will be similar to or even less than you are currently paying!

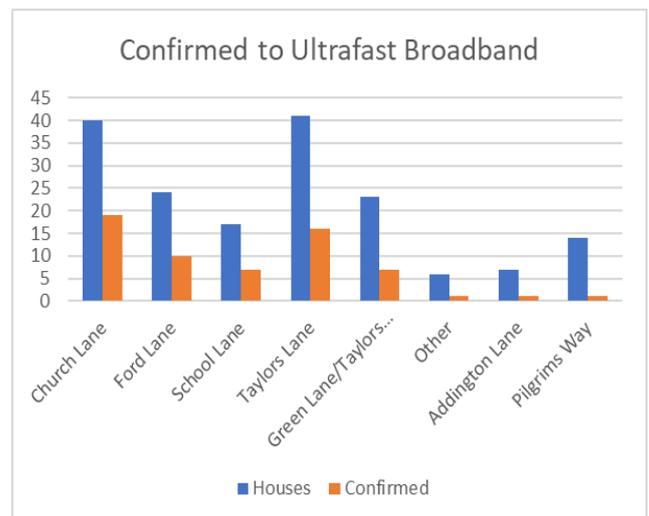
We already have over half the target households required to qualify BUT without more residents confirming they're 'in' by end March, the application window will close, and we'll lose the opportunity.

To date, we have commitments from 62 out of 172 qualifying households in Trottiscliffe meaning we'll secure grant funding of £227,000 towards our target of £355,609. A further 45 households, representing grants of £135,500 have registered an interest but not yet committed.

Whilst commitment levels are highest on Church Lane, Ford Lane and School Lane, we have seen much lower levels in Pilgrim's Way Addington Lane and Green Lane.

If you live in any of these places, please sign-up and talk to your neighbours about signing up too.

The graph below shows the number of houses on each road in Trottiscliffe, the number of committed households and the percentage of total houses this represents.



**To confirm you're IN:**

Email Claire [clairepaine@icloud.com](mailto:clairepaine@icloud.com)

By end February 2021

**Questions?**

If you'd like help with understanding how participation will impact your bill or if you have any questions contact Neil Moulton or Chris Byrom

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