



DUKE OF RICHMOND PUBLIC CONSULTATION

2-DAY THURSDAY/FRIDAY -23RD/24TH NOVEMBER 2006

- Over 1,000 people attended
- People turned up on 3 hours before it opened on Thursday and on Saturday when it had finished
- It was our intention to take a back seat and hand over to the States to take things forward
- Islanders urged the public consultation to continue to keep them informed and for them to be able to shape the vision
- We are now considering continuing the consultation early next year
- Out of the attendees 70% were behind the vision; 20% were cautiously positive but wanted more information and 10% were against but mainly only Belle Greve Bay
- The comment cards will be sent to the States

WEB RESPONSE

- 2,500 unique hits as of last night
- Web site will be updated with a new comment section for Islanders to complete. This will be sent to the States.

MARCH

- We're crying foul
- The police estimate and early Channel TV reports estimates were "over 1,000 protesters"
- Guernsey Press we understand are indicating in the region of 2,000
- We had Islanders at the Longstore Boulangerie and the top of Victoria Avenue and their counts including children were 1,742.
- The organisers are claiming 4,000-6,000 and that it was greater than the '93 march when the estimate was 3,500
- The facts are only half the number of people turned up yesterday that attended the '93 march
- 6 deputies out of the States compliment of 44 attended

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