

NO.	AREA PRIORITY	ACTIONS	LEAD AGENT	PROGRESS REPORT
1	Delivery a range of environmental activity to improve the visual appearance of local areas and ensure recognition for action. (Corporate Plan: Regenerating the City, a place to invest.)	1) Community Assets Register: when assets become available and there is a community need for a service to be delivered from the asset, provide support to the VCS to lease/own the asset.	Community Partnership	£2,250 SIB approved. Feasibilities Studies completed and shared with Groups, decisions pending. £7,750 SIB remaining to allocated. ONGOING
		2) Cleaner Communities SIB: Increase satisfaction levels with residents with regards to the visual appearance of their neighbourhoods	Joint Initiative between East VCS Area Network Groups and Place Board Cllrs	£50,000 SIB approved. Between April - August 6 VCS Groups delivered 146 place initiatives, removing over 27 tonnes of street waste involving over 800 volunteers. ENDS MARCH 2018.
		3) Launch Re-Use Network across the East Area	The Box Youth Centre and Make Your Way	£48,070 SIB approved. Between April - August, two VCS Groups received donated furniture from over 200 households, then worked with 148 volunteers to up cycle and move the furniture onto 63 vulnerable households. ENDS MARCH 2018.
		4) NEW: Think BIG, Act Local: Maximise opportunities to develop projects which enhance the unique characteristics of the area.	Place Board	Project brief advertised in Aug 17 to deliver innovative ideas within wards to improve the visual appearance. Further detail provided in main report. ONGOING
2	Influence the design, delivery and review of Place based services devolved to Area Committee. (Corporate Plan: Regenerating the City)	1a) Local Services: Streetscene. 1b) Enviro Cameras: Tackling environmental crime by enforcement.	Nicky Rowland, Placement Management	£30,000 SIB approved to buy ten camera kits to deploy in known areas of concern relating to environmental crime to collate evidence and support enforcement action. 1/4 updates to be received at Board. ONGOING

		2a) Highways Maintenance Programme. 2b) To reduce speeding traffic in the East area.	Graham Carr, Place Management	£42,000 SIB approved to buy 10 VAS and deploy in known speeding traffic spots across the East. Highways to attend Board meetings 1/4, to identify locations with Cllrs and data, then deploy VAS and report back. ONGOING
		3a) Public Protection and Regulatory Services 3b) improving the health of vulnerable and homeless people and improve accommodation for residents with disabilities (both 3b and 3c supported the Housing Strategy)	Christine Oates, Place Management	£64,778 SIB approved to improve health and housing standards in the hostels in and around Sunnyside ENDS FEBRUARY 2018. Hostel report findings are outlined in the People. ONGOING
3	Improve neighbourhoods by raising standards in the private / social sector to improve health and housing. (Corporate Plan: Regenerating the City, more and better housing development)	Understand how the Area Committee could support the delivery of the Housing Strategy.	Liz McEvoy, Housing Strategy Team	
4	Support inward investment and tourism in the local area. (Corporate Plan: develop the cultural offer)	1) Install brown tourist signs across the East area, along with information boards, where required.	Ken Heads, Place Management	£21,400 SIB install brown tourist signs across the East, with supporting information boards. ENDS WINTER.
		2) Deliver a series of events which promote historical buildings and places across the East area.	East VCS Area Network Groups	£7,006 SIB approved. • 5 events held in East Sunderland; • 122 volunteers were involved; • 1,759 people attended and enjoyed the celebrations; • 21 VCS partners were involved. COMPLETED.
		3) Support and involve the Tall Ships Race 2018.	East VCS Area Network Groups	£7,000 SIB approved to support four sail trainee ambassadors. Proposed to approve £15,000 to approve 10 young people to take part in the tall ships race. £15,000 proposals to deliver cultural and entertainment programme during the lead up, during and after the event. ENDS AUGUST 2018