NO.	AREA PRIORITY	ACTIONS	LEAD AGENT	PROGRESS REPORT
1a)	**Develop a digital infrastructure network**	a) Provide appropriate technical support (e.g. telephone hotline, site visits, training, etc.) to IT Hubs across the East.	tbc	Area Committee approved a call for projects to deliver a two phase approach to establishing a digital network by aligning £60,000 to develop ICT infrastructure, as well as, providing technical support and equipment to IT hubs. A further £70,000 was aligned to deliver a variety of outreach provision. DECISION DUE JUNE 2018
		b) upgrade existing ICT provision which is used by the public or sourcing suitable mobile equipment to enable outreach activities to be delivered.	tbc	
1b)	**Build digital skills, capacity and confidence**	c) develop an outreach multi skilled team to deliver a variety of participation tools and activities to capture people's interest in using IT. Specially focusing on households effected by universal credit, adults with mental health and visual impairments, or learning difficulties to use the internet to pay, report and apply online.	tbc	
2	**Connect vulnerable people to services**	a) Community Connectors: Support ward hubs to i) prepare people effected by universal credit, ii) reduce social isolation, and iii) support young people.	People Cllrs and Connector Hubs	£80,000 SIB aligned to deliver outputs tailored to the wards needs. DECISION DUE JUNE 2018.
		b) Deliver a Young People's Social Action and Volunteering Programme.	VCS Area Network Groups	14 Groups were awarded a total of £111,133 to deliver a varied programme of activity with young people across the East area during 2018. The Board are monitoring the impact of the Programme to identify best practice to strengthen future provision. ONGOING.
		c) Deliver a Fancy a Day Out Scheme during the 2018 Summer holidays	VCS Area Network Groups	Call for projects advertised. DECISION JUNE 2018

3	Valuing volunteers	a) Acknowledge the contribution volunteers make in the area by hosting an East Area Award Ceremony, allowing councillors to meet and talk to volunteers first hand, as well as providing a platform for VCS Groups to showcase their services and network.	Community Partnerships	
		b) Carry out a small call for projects to encourage ideas and initiatives from small community groups led by volunteers.	Community Partnerships	
		c) Enable volunteer to help others by finding out what is out there for families, children, young people, special educational needs, disabilities, adults and older people by improving use and access via the Sunderland Community Directory.	VCS Area Network Groups	
4	Attracting external funding into the area	a) Maximise the benefit of Community Led Local Development Funding in East Sunderland.	CLLD LAG	
5	Influence the design, delivery and review of People based services devolved to Area Committee.	a) Children Centres Advisory Boards	Area Committee Chair and People Board Chair	
		b) Family, Adult and Community Learning (FACL)	FACL Team	
		c) Public Health commissioned services.	Public Health	
		d) Anti Social Behaviour and East LMAPs	Cllr Marshall and Cllr Dixon	