

PEOPLE PRIORITIES

	Area Priority	Action	Progress
1	Influence core service delivery for council People Services	Monitor delivery of the Sport and Leisure Joint Venture (Everyone Active) within the West of Sunderland	
		Community Library provision to ensure those Libraries no longer delivered by the Council but via the local VCS, are supported where practicable	
2	Improving Access to Health Professionals for residents	Working alongside the Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) and the Sunderland Health and Wellbeing Board, work towards improving access to health professionals and services	
3	Influencing health services to ensure they work with the third sector to support the implementation of a sustainable whole system approach to prevention	West Health Action Plan to be developed following consultation with the Sunderland Clinical Commissioning Group. Particular focus required with regard to working with the elderly, socially isolated, carers and influencing future local commissioning of services	
4	Healthy Lifestyles Co-ordinator – Phase 3	Ensure sustainable influence in schools to increase physical activity through the delivery and embedding of change for life clubs and improve young people's mental health and wellbeing through the establishment of mental health specialists and zones within all schools in the West	
5	West School Transition Project	Deliver a school transition project across all schools in the West to ensure all school children within the West benefit from a transition week as they move from Year 6 (primary school) in Year 7 senior school. Transition activities to include enterprise activities and supporting good mental health and wellbeing	Funding proposal to be presented to June Area Committee.

6	Activities for Young People	Improve community cohesion and reduce anti-social behaviour and address holiday hunger through the delivery of bespoke activities across each ward within the West of Sunderland, ensuring organisations and partners work together collaboratively to achieve the best outcomes for the young people within the West	Final funding proposal to be presented to June Area Committee.
7	Up-skilling and training the VCS to support their sustainability	<p>Arrange training for the West VCS to support the completion of external funding applications and support the VCS as much as practicable with the development of Community Chest and SIB applications. Continue to support the VCS through the sharing of Grantfinder reports.</p> <p>Arrange training to up-skill volunteers within the West VCS to chair meetings and deliver presentations. Support those organisations who are working pro-actively to enable the West community library buildings to remain open through combined delivery arrangements.</p>	
8	Working with Vulnerable Communities - particularly those who are elderly, socially isolated and lonely or who have long-term care responsibilities	Project proposal to be developed for future People Board consideration (September 2017). Proposal to including working with the elderly and those living in care homes or extra care schemes	
9	Community Led Local Delivery (CLLD) Programme	Ensure that West organisations benefit from the CLLD EU funding opportunity, to support residents within the West of Sunderland	
10	West Leaving Care Project	Ensuring successful delivery of the project and lessons learnt shared with All Together for Children, to continue to enhance opportunities for our young people who are in care and leaving care	Project approved at March Area Committee. Project officially commences from June 2017.
11	West NEET Project	Developing and delivering a bespoke package of support to encourage the current West NEET young people to move into employment or further education	
12	Tackling worklessness and raising aspirations	Continue to deliver the West Apprenticeships Programme, ensuring the offer is promoted as well as connected with all other projects being delivered across the West.	

		Welfare Reform – Fully understand the implications of Universal Credit and ensure communities are supported and prepared for the changes (Targeted communication campaigns; Digital Inclusion and Capacity Building)	
		Continue to deliver the West Enterprise Programme, ensuring the offer is promoted as well as connected with all other projects being delivered across the West.	