Washington Area Committee: Work Plan 2012 -13

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OUTCOME	ROLE FOR AREA COMMITTEES	ACTIONS	Lead Agent	Progress Report			
CORPORATE: A City where everyone is as healthy as they can be and enjoys a good standard of well being	Strategic Influencing Role	Influence GP Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) at an area level. Investigate area representation at CCG and potential links to People Board in each of the 5 areas. Influence development and delivery Health and Wellbeing Strategy and contribute to devloping a local vision with regards to Public Health.	Alan Caddick HHAS	Area Committee consulted on the Health and Wellbeing Strategy. People Board received reports on the Public's Health in Washington and the Transformation of Adult Social Care in the area.  RECOMMENDATION - AREA PRIORITY 2013/14 - i) Raise awareness of services available and establish Community Connectors, ii) Increase social wellbeing by reducing social isolation iii) Support communities to cope with dementia. iv) Time Bank development Relationship and joint working with CCG identified as a key priority for 2013/14. Ongoing. Roll over 2013/14			
		Receive a report providing an area perspective on the impact of the welfare reform on both individuals and local organisations	Fiona Brown	A series of presentations were delivered by Fiona Brown to members in June. Cllrs receive bi-monthly briefings. Cllrs Toolkit being produced to assist members to understand how they can advise their constituents on how they may be affected and also where/from whom they can get further help and advice from. This is in development with our Comms colleagues. CITYWIDE APPROACH			
Area : . A Healthy Washington: Contribute to ensuring Washington has healthy outcomes and lifestyles.	Local Action	Target and engage local organisations to tackle health inequalities	Karon Purvis OCE	Engaging VCS and local organisations in developing and delivering initiatives to address health inequalities. Encourage partner collaboration. Community Health and Green Space Improvement Project - £50,000 SIB budget approved Jan Meeting. Also need to engage VCS in the ongoing consultation of the proposed Health and Well Being Strategy. Key priorities to be presented June Area Committee. Update from Well Men Project to May Board. Roll over action and activity 2013/14			
Corporate: A City with high levels of skills, educational attainment and participation.	Strategic Influencing Role:	Receive appropriate reports of progress plans, policy and strategy relating to education, employment and training. People Board to be kept up to date with regard to development and delivery of services (including those being delivered by Partners) which improve resident's job and career prospects.	Mike Poulter IHoS	Infrastructure to be developed to strengthen area arrangements against this action as a whole, along with an introduction of a Forward Plan for People. Roll over 2013/14			
		16+ identifying what is already being provided in Washington, the roll of Colleges, and how to provide residents with skills required to support the growth and development across provides rectars.		Need to develop joined up thinking as this issue is being considered in most of the Areas. City Wide approach to be confirmed. CLOSED AS AN ACTION FOR BOARD			
		7. Influence the LDF/Core Strategy outcomes for Washington re employment and HE sites and partnership working ensuring accessibility & transport networks in place to employment		Consultation and Members workshops to follow after April Cabinet briefing. Roll over 2013/14			
Area: Access to employment opportunities	Local Action	8. Monitor 3 commissioned initiatives funded by Area Committee which work with young people to stimulate opportunities in education, training and employment.	Karen Mallin SNCBC	Ongoing monitoring and information. Roll over 2013/14			
		Report to consider options to support employer engagement through a Washington Business Forum	Karen Alexander OCE	Resourcing requirements for a local forum identified. Recommendation to utilise the already established forums throughout the City. Report to support understand orporate approach and impact at a local level presented at February meeting. <b>AC to confirm if roll over 2013/14</b>			
		10. Report investigating the opportunities to support local people into enterprise and entrepreneurship	Berni Whitaker OCE	Report to support understand corporate approach and impact at a local level. Need to monitor success of Enterprise Grants for Young People - commencing December 2012, to identify further need. Roll over 2013/14 and monitor			

CORPORATE: A City which is and feels even safer and more secure	Strategic Influencing Role	11. Influence mainstream resources & partnerships to ensure the continued collaboration to deliver targeted work which impacts on identified problems, e.g. youth related ASB and positive activitivities for children and young people.	IHoS	Influencing role re mainstream resourcing to continue encouraging collaboration re youth related ASB, partnership working etc. Area based reports to address issues as raised. Roll over 2013/14
Area - A Safer Washington - Maintain key partnerships and collaboration for a safe and	Local Action	12. Co-ordinated approach to developing and delivering positive youth work in Washington	Jane Eland CS	Positive Images Young People's Forum approved January AC - to commence April 2013.  Updates from Young People's Working Group to be considered. Roll over 2013/14
secure Washington			Alan Caddick HHAS	Monitor and information. Roll over 2013/14
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Corporate: Ensures people are able to look after themselves	Influencing Role		Alan Caddick HHAS	Area Committee consulted on the Health and Wellbeing Strategy. People Board received reports on the Public's Health in Washington and the Transformation of Adult Social Care in the area. RECOMMENDATION - AREA PRIORITY 2013/14. Rollover 2013/14 and prioritise local actions.
Area: Cared for in Washington: Contribute to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of Washington's most vulnerable.	Local Action	15. Improve access to advice, information and guidance at a local level to help people look after themselves.	Mike Poulter IHoS	Washington Trust now invited to Stage 2 re Reaching communities BLF bid - for Family Resilience Project which includes resources re IAG. Monitor. Roll over 2013/14
Area: Community inclusion and support	Local Action	16. AC to support the VCS to build capacity, engage and support local organisations to develop and deliver services based on local need.	Karon Purvis OCE	Further work to collaborate with the local VCS to build capacity to contribute to delivering the AC priorities. Ongoing communicatioon and co-ordination through Area Network. Need to ensure joined up with the sector to identify joint priorities and where working together will enhance delivery of services for local residents. Roll over and new actions 2013/14
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G	Progressing on target			
A	Progressing but behind schedule (with plans in place to action)			
R	Not progressing			