Washington Area Committee: Work Plan 2013/14 and 2014/15 Item 4 - Annex 1

PEOPLE BOARD PRIORITIES - Area specific contribution to Corporate Outcome Framework and the Transformation of Council Services

| Area Committee | Why it is coming to the Board? | When will it come to the Board? | Action Required by the Board | When will Area Committee Decision be required | RAG | Progress | Completed? |
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| 1 Early Years Intervention and Locality Services | To influence service delivery in the Washington | Monthly basis | Work with Locality Manager to identify opportunities to influence services; Specifically monitor and influence the delivery of activities for young people | As required | | (Lead Officer - Jane Eland). Quarterly reporting to identify opportunities to influence key service delivery at a local level. Next update February 2014 | |
| 2 Library Services | Stage 2 consultation - opportunity for members to influence transformation of a reading and learning information service | to be confirmed | Members to feed in potential venues in the area for Community Book collections and reservations, outreach programmes and use of buildings | As required | | Ongoing discussions and Library Services will attend a further board programme to discuss and update in more detail how this is being developed / received. Members received update with regard to interim services, new mobile services, and confirmed Community Engagement Librarians into post to make contact with various venues such as sheltered. Anticipate collections can be set up quickly. Residents to be contacted to determine interest in any other programme. ACO met with Community Engagement Librarian to discuss plans to roll out Services. CEL to attend future Network meeting to promote service to VCS. Newsletter produced for circulation to Members. | |
| 3 Re-commissioning services in Children's Centres for 2014 | To influence service provision in the Washington as of April 2014 | Mar-14 | Bring unique understanding of communities to identify options for future delivery | Apr 2014 (update only) | | (Lead Officer - Jane Eland). Following the presentation Recommissioning for Children's Centre Services a number of Member queries were answered: parent volunteer programmes accredited by Open College Network: formula for the calculations of definition of poverty/ median income circulated. Strengthening Families case study to future meeting. Next steps - recommendations presented to cabinet November with a view for tenders out november and contracts awarded Jan/Feb 2014 | |
| 4 Influencing re-commissioning of Youth Contracts for 2015 | Influence Youth Contract Provision from April 2015 | July 2014 (tbc) | tbc | September 2014 (tbc) | | (Lead Officer - Jane Eland). Quarterly update presented at October Board. This will include gender and age as well as outcomes. Note all locality targets being met - in fact some have already met annual targets. Jane Eland confirmed inclusion of targets to address Chlamydia Screening with contracted provider (ODYPP). There may be a need to consider if the sexual health targets form part of any further youth contract when influencing the re-commissioning for 2015 | |
| 5 Integrated Wellness Service Review | To input into forthcoming review | Feb-14 | A stakeholder event held November 2013 - the item to be discussed at relevant People Boards | tbc | | Presentation re Integrated Wellness discussed at separate meeting - 7th November. Chair and Vice Chairs attended Stakeholder Event 15.11.13. Key recommendations included linking health and green spaces, accessible community facilities and infrastructure, transport links/access, communication and development of social networks. Some key local issues were identified as part of the Health Impact Assessment of the Core Strategy. Summary paper uploaded to sharepoint and circulated to all Members. | |
| 6 Welfare Reform | Consideration to be given to how the board could influence/take actions | to be confirmed | Members to feed in potential requests for information in order to determine any actions required | As required | | Fiona Brown presented Welfare Reform report to November's People Board - presentation uploaded to Nov Board on sharepoint. FB sits on the Welfare Reform Working Group and will take forward the Sherburn Trust discussion to this group. It is likely that anything more than the current Benefits leaflet i.e. an area based One Stop leaflet for residents in crisis to signpost to local services and intiatives for support will have to be led bythe VCS. However, Washington MIND to have a useful website with local information. FB to attend Area Network, Members to send ideas re contents of food parcels. Concerns were raised with FB regarding the food parcel network/support available to Washington residents. | |

| - | | To input into review of Sexual Health Services in the city at an area level, to influence future service delivery in terms of how much is delivered centrally and how much is delivered through outreach. | | Health colleagues are carrying out a review of Sexual Health Services in the city. Members at an area level to influence future service delivery in terms of how much is delivered centrally and how much is delivered through outreach, using local knowledge. | | Committee in June, Lorraine provided information relating to the local health priority, specifically with regard to sexual health services in Washington. There is an opportunity to progress | |
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| 8 | LMAP's - review and links with Area Arrangements | To ensure the board understand the outcome of the review and the impact on linkages with | tbc | tbc | tbc | Lead Officer Louise Butler | |
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| Ç | | Consideration to be given to the benefits of lifelong learning being influenced at a local level | initial discussions | To consider how Members can influence the commissioning of activity utilising Family Adult and Community Learning Funding (FACL) available in 2014/2015 | tbc | | |
| 10 | HHA Commissioned Grant | Consideration to be given to how the board could influence the annual commissioning process | discussions | To work with Board during 2014/2015 to contribute to the commissioning approach which will take place Sept - March 2014/2015 (to influence 2015/2016 | tbc | | |

| 1: | and Well Being Strategy: | To influence how services might be delivered in the future and influence development and delivery of the Health and Well-being Strategy | Feb-14 | Contribute to developing a local vision with regards to Public Health and identify those most in need to identify local priorities and actions, particularly for the transformation of Adult Social Care services. Develop community directory; Identify gaps and opportunities to enhance community provision; Consider potential to develop Dementia Café's. | Apr-14 | (Lead Officer - Alan Caddick) Area Committee consulted on the Health and Well-being Strategy. Reports received regarding the public's health in Washington. Ensure that local communities and the VCS are facilitated to deliver services for the most vulnerable. i) Raise awareness of services available and establish Community links - Community Directory currently being developed. ii) Increase social wellbeing by reducing social isolation - a Call for Projects for the VCS to deliver and enhance current provision now in place 5 projects approved, 3 discussed at People Board and to be presented to January AC for a decision. iii) Support communities to cope with dementia - consider next steps re developing local approach - Health champions module, n |
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| Ad | ditional Area Priorities | | | | | |
| 16 | Area Outcome - A healthy Washington: Contribute to ensuring Washington has healthy outcomes and lifestyles | Influence GP Climical Commissioning Group at an area level | Feb-14 | To evolve a relationship and joint working practices with the Clinical Commissioning Group | tbc | (Lead Officer - Louise Butler) The meeting of 12.11.13 to consider how to develop effective links and a joined up approach between the CCG and Area Arrangements, particularly where there are shared outcomes. LB to look at how joint working is established across CCG, Public Health and Area Committee plans and priorities. LB met with CCG and Public Health Lead Officers to start these discussions and will meet with Chair and Vice Chairs end Dec 2013 to further discuss how joint working, aligned and shared priorities etc will be best taken forward. |
| 17 | | Ensure services addressing young people's mental health issues are provided at a local level | as required | To analyse Washington's statistics and data | tbc | (Lead Officer - Lorraine Hughes) Lorraine Hughes provided information to September People Board and it was agreed a whole family approach was required and some gaps were identified including: Meeting the need of under 16 year olds; the engagement of those first identifiers of emerging families and the role of the Community Parenting Programme. People board recommends this action is now included in the wider health agenda. Key organisations operating in Washington and delivering services to young people. |
| 19 | Area Outcome - Active, educated and access to employment in Washington: Continue to improve lifelong learning, volunteering and participation opportunities | To continue to improve and / or increase levels of skills, attainment and partcipation | Feb-14 | Develop a local approach to emplopyment and enterprise | Jan-13 | (Lead Officer - Berni Whitaker) Business Enagement and Enterprise WG set up - looking at how to better engage with local businesses. BW to develop a database of contacts from business breakfasts, demand survey, current work and BIT. Investigate more appropriate mechanisims re referrals for Enterprise Grants - change of use to grants for retail business support proposed to January AC. BW to confirm costs etc for Washington based Jobs Fair - linked to launch of Managed Workspace 2014. Circulate Marketing and Communications Strategy re Managed Workspace. BW to preport progress re interest. |
| 20 | | | Feb-14 | Develop a local approach to employment and enterprise | Jan-13 | (Lead Officer - Karon Purvis) Present options to the Board with regard to Retail Business Support Project (Concord as a pilot). Recommednation to January AC. KP to organise meeting with Concord Traders to discuss options for working together |
| 2 | | | Feb-14 | Monitoring of commissioned initiatives re employment and training young people | Apr-14 | (Lead Officer - Nikki Vokes/Karen Mallin SNCBC) Reprofiling of SIB confirmed - projects extended to 2015. Lead agent looking at forwar strategy for best practice to continue. |
| 22 | Area Outcome - A Safer Washington: Maintain key partnerships and collboration for a safe and secure Washington | To influence and input into partnership working which will make Washington feel safer and more secure | as required | Continue to work in partnership through Boards, LMAPs, Young People's Group, PACT meetings | As required | (Lead Officer - Karon Purvis). Continued monitoring role. |
| 23 | | | as required | 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. | · | (Lead Officer - Karon Purvis). Continued monitoring role |

| 24 | Feb-14 | Co-ordinated approach to developing and delivering positive youth work in Washington | op to an Yor wh the A s an att | ead Officer - Karon Purvis)Continue to co-ordinate portunities and collaboration via Youth Working Group - report People board. Ensure joint working between Area Committee did the new Washington Young People's Forum. Washington buth Council now established. Members attended Dec meeting, nere the youth council presented their aims and objectives and e outcomes to date. Council planning key events including Q & sessions with Members and lead partners, celebration event discussion re State of the Area. Sessional workers now tached to the programme via ODYPP and not SCC Youth ervices. | |
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| 25 | Feb-14 | Monitor action plan to address issues at Sulgrave Flats | the Mix Th off Ma Ne of ma inc wice pre fur | ead Officer - Alan Caddick) Funding has been secured from e Police and Crime Commissioner for a Neighbourhood anagement Model for 6 months with a start date of 1.10.13. Here is a team of multi-agency officers, included ASB, Police ficer, a Project Manager and links with Integrated Offender anagement and Substance Misuse Services. The purpose of sighbourhood Management is to reduce and tackle the causes crime and anti-social behaviour; encourage greater tenancy anagement and work with landlords and the committee to crease the quality of life of the residents of the complexes and der community. A delivery plan has been produced and the oject itself is very high of the PCC agenda. A funding bid for other resource has been made to the Government's 'Rogue andlord' fund of which the outcome should be known end Decurther report in relation to this to February Board. | |

| 26 Area Outcome - Cared for in Washington: Contribute to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of Washington's most vulnerable | to ensure people are able to look after themselves | as required | Improve access to advice, information and guidance at a local level to help people look after themselves. | Ensure VCS organisations supported where appropriate to deliver shared priorities. Area Network meetings mechanism for communication. Linked to Action 6 & 19 | |
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| 27 Area Outcome - Community Inclusion and Support. | to ensure all actions contribute to supporting devolved and agreed area outcomes and priorities | as required | Area Committee to support the VCS to build capacity, engage and support local organisations to develop and deliver services based on local need. | (Lead Officer - Karon Purvis). Further work to collaborate with the local VCS to build capacity to contribute to delivering the AC priorities. Ongoing communication 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. EOI for SIB received from Washington Trust. Invited to full application - to be considered alongside proposals via the VCS Transition Project. To be presented to April 2014 AC for a decision. | Kasia Kurowska from Age UK was appointed as the 3rd Washington VCS representative at the last VCS meeting held 9 July 2013 |
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| G A R | Progressing on target Progressing but behind schedule (with plans in Not progressing | n place to action) | | | |