Washington Area Committee People Board: 2018/19 Work Plan & Priorities

Priority	Activity/Project	Commentary
Health and Well Being	Washington Way to Well Being	Awaiting confirmation re changes to shared route status. Monitor. Funds approved to hold a re-launch event. Information Hub and Physical Hub maintained via Washington MIND.
	Time to Care	November Area Committee approved a further £13,184 for the Time to Care Project to deliver until December 2018. Public Health partners have agreed to commission a comprehensive evaluation of the project to better understand impact and inform future activity. Monitor and report for remainder of project.
	Washington Healthy Lifestyles Project	In place until March 2019. Monitor & report. Detailed update included in January Board papers. On target. Higher numbers of participants than originally anticipated. Monitor and Report for remainder of project. Recommended to June 2018 Area committee to align £25k to support gaps - awaiting confirmation of Public Health support. If Public Health agree support, £25k to be returned to budget
	Health and Heritage	Awaiting confirmation of funding of £25k and agreement to project outcomes from Public Health. April Board recommended to June Area committee a targeted approach – SIB application to be submitted to June AC from Sunderland Culture Partnership
Adult Social Care	Crisis Support	Successful 6 month WISP pilot completes June 2018. Board recommended full SIB application to June Area Committee for WISP2 for £30k aligned SIB.
Community Inclusion	Washington Area Network	On-going support and co-ordination via Community Partnerships Service. Monitor and report. Collaboration is key objective. Working with the Network to establish and deliver the Washington Area Network Plan to support the VCS re challenges and priorities identified in the Washington VCS Network Annual Report presented and agreed at the March 2018 meeting
	VCS support	Propose new brief and Call for Projects presented to June Area Committee for agreement VCS remains a key priority for Washington Area Committee and is carried forward into the 2018/19 priorities and work plan. The re-drafted Project Brief reflects the identification of other SIB investment, projects or

	Support for Young	proposals which include support for specific volunteers and volunteering and to identify the needs and challenges of the VCS as identified in the Washington Area Network Annual Report. This approach will allow for a more measured approach and enable the identification of gaps and challenges for our local VCS following the closure of the CVDO Project in December 2017. Can Do Monitor and report.
	People	Board to consider flexible methodology regarding the presentation of projects by young people as dates of Boards and term time/breaks often causes problems for approvals and results in delays. Options to be presented to next Board. Activities for young people – Project Brief at June Area Committee. Methodology as last year. Area
		Committee requested to agree £22k to match £28k area contribution.
Employment Enterprise & Lifelong Learning	Skills and Enterprise	Schools now engaged and work has commenced to plan the inter-schools competition and has informed the development of the Skills and Enterprise programme. Oxclose School – working to identify how to best integrate 'world of work' information into the curriculum for Year 9 and 10 students and provide relevant careers advice and support some curriculum activities in the pre-Easter term. Also organised a 'carousel' information day on 28 th March, 2018. Over 90 students attended sessions run by a team of Barclays Citizenship Ambassadors which looked at 'Get that Job' and 'Working for Yourself'. Pupils attended the sessions, which ran for an hour, in groups of up to 20. SNCBC also delivered information workshops looking at Apprenticeships and the current raft of opportunities available with Sunderland, and more widely North-East, employers. 85 young people attended these sessions and 10 pupils with special education needs were supported to open and explore an apprenticeship account.
		Further activities are planned to take place after Easter, including Employer Visits, 'Know your City' (local labour market familiarisation tours) and the development of the Enterprise competition. The project will dovetail this with work experience week in May 2018 to ensure we do not duplicate any plans that schools already have in place with employers.
	CLLD	March Area Committee agreed £100,000 SIB for the REACT Project to deliver a long term sustainable

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Safer Washington	Continue with	social recruitment model to help local hard to reach residents of Washington (long term unemployed and disengaged) to gain skills to improve opportunities to secure employment. Aim is to engage 365 Washington residents, help 305 gain skills or training, and engage with 32 new employers. Proposals for community safety projects to be
	established approach re	considered at June Area Committee:
	partnership working to	Washington Safe - Partnership with the Police and
	address any issues	other partners to address and educate to address
	strategically – LMAPs,	and educate with regards to healthy relationships,
	Joint Meetings, PACT	care v control approach n respect of young girls and
	meetings	women. June AC to be asked to approve £10k to CSP
		to develop the partnership and gather data and
		evidence for longer term approach, and align a
		further £40k for future longer term project.
		Washington Fire Service Education Campaign – June
		Area Committee consider approving £5,000 to Tyne
		Wear Fire Service to develop an education
		programme and campaign re Fire Safety. Request
		People board oversee and agree programme details.