## Inner South Area Committee Draft Area Delivery Plan

Leeds Strategic Plan Theme	Area Committee Priorities	Actions and Activities for 2010-11
Culture	Enable more people to become involved in sport and culture through developing and improving facilities in the Inner South area	<ul> <li>Continue to manage the portfolio of community centres and improve facilities so that they are better used by the community</li> <li>Support to be provided to other facilities not part of the Area Committee portfolio</li> <li>Ensure that a wide menu of activities and opportunities are available to the whole community through the Extended Services Activities Fund</li> </ul>
	Increase resident participation in attending and organising community events across the Inner South	<ul> <li>Set aside £23,000 Well-Being fund for a Small Grants fund to be provided to support sporting and cultural activities, galas and festivals</li> <li>Promote sport and cultural activities via area management publications and area committee newsletters and promotional material</li> </ul>
	Improve facilities and condition of parks and open spaces to encourage greater use by residents	<ul> <li>Develop plans to improve pitches and facilities for use by the community for sports and leisure activity</li> <li>Support outdoor improvement projects including the development of Middleton Park and make better use of public open spaces for informal play and public amenity</li> <li>Source external funding and creative ways of utilising S106 funds and non PFI capital receipts to support environmental improvements that complement regeneration activity.</li> <li>Development of Youth Hub providing a variety of</li> </ul>
	Support the delivery of cultural and arts activities	environmental improvements that complement regeneration activity.

		Install Middleton Circus Christmas Lights
Enterprise and Economy	Boost prosperity in our most deprived neighbourhoods by the creation of new businesses, enterprise and jobs.	<ul> <li>Support Health For All, South (HFA) with development of proposals and implementation of Catalyst Centre Project</li> <li>Support local Development Trusts and the delivery of activities and services as social enterprises to achieve long term social, economic and environmental improvements</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Support residents through the economic downturn in developing skills and training for employment</li> <li>Support the regeneration of run down neighbourhoods</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Set aside £3k Well being Fund from each ward to support planned actions within this plan</li> <li>Support planned actions within the SLEET plan</li> <li>Address environmental degradation in areas undergoing physical regeneration and support social inclusion through the development of an area based and community focussed environmental improvement project</li> <li>Enable the unemployed and other local residents to have an active stake in the delivery of the environmental improvements through a dedicated training and skills programme</li> <li>Ensure that the PFI Round 5 project provides opportunities to connect the creation of jobs with new housing and an improved environment</li> <li>Support the implementation of the Social Inclusion Strategy to ensure that the surrounding local communities share the benefits of rapid economic growth in the Holbeck Urban Village</li> <li>Make shopping centres more attractive by keeping streets clean and safe</li> </ul>
Learning	Enhance the skill level of residents and the workforce to fulfil individual and economic potential and developing skills	<ul> <li>Support planned actions within the SLEET and Extended Services Cluster Plans</li> <li>Support parents own education and personal</li> </ul>

	<ul> <li>Increase the number of activities commissioned that support the provision of study support activities in High Schools</li> <li>Improve learning outcomes and skill levels for 19 year olds</li> <li>Increase number of activities commissioned that support the provision of alternative curriculum activities in inner SE so that there are an increased number of young people engaged in positive activity.</li> <li>Increase the number of adults and those with barriers to learning engaged in education, training or employment.</li> <li>Drive forward improvements to services for young people</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>development through extended services provision, for example access to learning mentors, ESOL classes</li> <li>Set aside £3,000 Well-Being Funds from each ward to support activities identified in the SLEET and Extended Services Cluster Plans to improve learning outcomes of children, young people and families</li> <li>Reduce worklessness by creating links between businesses and schools to help young people get the jobs they want for example employability skills, work placements, world of work and interview skills</li> <li>Support the provision of alternative curriculum activities and work with extended services to avoid duplication and understand where gaps in provision are</li> <li>Support extended services provision and Adult and Family Learning programmes, increasing marketing and uptake of activities.</li> <li>Encourage and support community groups delivering targeted activities.</li> <li>Progress the development of the Youth Hub</li> </ul>
Transport	<ul> <li>Promote initiatives for healthy and environmentally friendly methods of transport</li> <li>Improve connectivity to the city centre and other destinations</li> <li>Improved condition of the roads in the inner south</li> <li>Improve road safety for all our users, especially motor cyclists and pedal cyclists.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Support initiatives to promote cycling networks</li> <li>Support Walking Bus initiatives in local schools</li> <li>Influence the New Generation Transport proposals to ensure they benefit the people of inner south Leeds, particularly the potential to regenerate the Penny Hill centre and surrounding area</li> <li>Improve a range of walking and cycling routes to improve connectivity to the city centre and other destinations for the communities of Beeston Hill, West Hunslet and Holbeck Urban Village</li> <li>Explore potential for improved links to the Youth Hub from Beeston/Holbeck and Hunslet</li> <li>Delivery of annual and forward programme of planned maintenance on local roads, traffic management schemes and minor maintenance schemes to keep highways safe.</li> <li>Deploy salt bins in snow and ice weather conditions in hot-spot areas</li> </ul>

## Environment

- Reduction in amount of waste sent to landfill
- Improved energy efficiency in LCC community buildings in inner south Leeds
- Improved environmental appearance of inner south east.
- Significant improvement in the quality and cleanliness of open spaces and streetscene of priority neighbourhoods.
- Support the provision of allotments across inner south east.
- Reduction in number of inefficiently heated homes.

- Promote recycling and anti-litter campaigns through community events and in schools
- Increase opportunities for recycling including the provision of green bins for all households who don't have them and alternative means of recycling where green bins are not appropriate, for example communal collection schemes
- Inner South Environmental Coordination Group to develop solutions to tackle environmental problems including the coordination of additional services beyond core delivery in priority neighbourhood hot – spots, for example graffiti removal and litter picking.
- Environmental Action Teams to deliver targeted enforcement activity where fly tipping, misuse of bin yards and environmental crime is blight on neighbourhoods.
- Co-ordination of intensive clean ups in hotspots areas through Operation Champions
- Set aside £8,000 Well-Being Fund for the purchase of community skips to support clean-ups
- Provide support and funding to help those resident wishing to improve their local environment through In Bloom and Friends of Groups, including help for new groups to be established
- Programme of binyard demolition in targeted areas
- Implement improvement works to take place around Middleton Circus area as per Masterplan
- Allocate £20,000 well-being fund to support activity within priority neighbourhood action plans that ensure sustainable improvements
- In regeneration areas ensure good community relations through effective communication and management of areas where the quality of the local environment is affected
- Support the provision of allotments and grow your own initiatives across inner south east, including links to older people or unused spaces.

		Increase access to and take up of affordable warmth schemes. Cross ref Health & Thriving Places
Health and well being	<ul> <li>Reduce premature mortality in the most deprived areas</li> <li>Greater public awareness of the dangers of smoking and a reduction in the number who smoke.</li> <li>Improved health and well-being of residents in inner south Leeds</li> <li>Reduce teenage conception and improve sexual health.</li> <li>People are able to live independently in their own homes longer.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Support work to assist vulnerable people to adopt and maintain a healthy lifestyle</li> <li>Set aside £3,000 Well-Being Funds in each ward to commission activities to tackle health inequalities.</li> <li>Increase access to and take up of affordable warmth schemes</li> <li>Review impact of the Beeston Infant Mortality Demonstration Site and implement recommendations</li> <li>Tackle illicit sales of tobacco working closely with West Yorkshire Trading Standards</li> <li>Development of physical activity programmes at various community sites and linked to festivals, summer programmes and after school clubs</li> <li>Deliver South Leeds Olympics event over the summer as part of I love South Leeds Festival</li> <li>Help local people to look after their own health and well-being through increasing their knowledge and skills</li> <li>Develop local outreach initiatives that complement sexual health programmes and aimed at raising aspirations of young women</li> <li>Take action to support more people to access services which enable them to live at home</li> </ul>
Thriving Places	<ul> <li>Increase in the number of homes warm &amp; in good condition which contributes towards improved health &amp; well-being of communities.</li> <li>Increased number of affordable homes.</li> <li>Reduction in the number of older people in fuel poverty.</li> <li>Reduction in the number of people in financial difficulties.</li> <li>Create safer environments in the inner south by</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Implement the regeneration plans in Middleton, Beeston Hill, Holbeck and West Hunslet</li> <li>Increase access to and take up of affordable warmth schemes.</li> <li>Support the Healthy Housing Solutions programme to tackle infant mortality</li> <li>Monitor progress of the Affordable Housing Strategy with particular reference to selected sites in inner south delivered through the RHB funded programme</li> </ul>

- tackling crime and the fear of crime
- Support victims of crime and reduce the risk of victimisation
- Reduce repeat offending and manage offending behaviour in inner south Leeds
- Improve the quality of life for people in inner south Leeds by reducing the harm from drugs and alcohol
- Increase number of young people engaged in positive activities
- Reduce repeat offending through effective tasking and investing in physical measures to reduce crime such as fences and ginnel gating
- Reduce underage drinking and drink related criminal behaviour
- Reduction in anti-social behaviour involving young people.
- Improve community confidence and public satisfaction with how agencies deal with anti-social behaviour.
- Reduction in the number of unemployed people on benefits in inner south Leeds.

- Carry out decent homes improvements so that all properties meet the required SAP rating.
- Increase information provided to residents on financial inclusion and support available
- Set aside £15,000 from the Well Being Fund to commission community safety activities - targeting hotspot crime to be identified through the DCSP action plan/Neighbourhood Tasking
- Through Neighbourhood Tasking, identify and deploy suitable situational crime prevention measures, particularly burglary, in key locations using a targeted approach
- Enable all children, young people and their families to access Family Support and enable parents to link with their children's education and positive behaviour
- Deliver activities to increase victim's confidence in the reporting of hate crimes, improvement of service response s to deal with victims of hate crime and improve service responses to deal with perpetrators of hate crime
- Support the city -wide Domestic Violence Strategy, including raising public awareness and the continued implementation of the MARACs - multi-agency risk assessment conference in inner south Leeds
- Work together to safeguard local children and vulnerable adults
- Share local intelligence and multi-agency problem solving around prolific offenders through Neighbourhood Management Tasking
- Make referrals to specialist agencies such as Signpost other intensive family support projects.
- Through Operation Champion develop effective communication and public information mechanisms to carry prevention messages to promote a culture of responsible drinking.
- Take action to tackle smoking and under age drinking by working with licensed premises to reduce sales to

		<ul> <li>Support the youth services in delivery of programmes of activities across the area and ensure a joined up approach with Third Sector groups</li> <li>The continuation of a rolling programme of neighbourhood crime &amp; grime initiatives including Operation Champion and single days of multi agency action</li> <li>Continue to actively promote community safety messages and increase awareness of crime prevention and community safety services</li> <li>Community Enforcement Officers and Support Officers to provide a visible presence in the community, identifying and addressing priority issues and helping to deliver on environmental issues within local neighbourhood improvement plans.</li> <li>Monitor and support actions developed by the SLEET partnership to reduce the number of people unemployed in inner south Leeds</li> </ul>
Harmonious Communities	<ul> <li>Increase resident participation in attending and organising community events across inner south which promote neighbourhoods and activities within them.</li> <li>Greater involvement of local people in influencing decision making.</li> <li>Increased sustainability of voluntary organisations</li> <li>Increased sustainability of businesses in inner south Leeds</li> <li>Encourage communities in inner south Leeds to take up opportunities to participate to promote community confidence and cohesion</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Set aside £20,000 Well Being Funds to support the development and implementation of priority neighbourhood action plans and involve and engage local residents and the Third Sector to ensure they have genuine opportunities to influence the way their neighbourhood develops.</li> <li>Support the development and delivery of the I love South Leeds Festival, galas and events and encourage volunteer support and the goodwill of local residents and businesses.</li> <li>Maintain support to and develop sustainability of current resident and community groups</li> <li>Co-ordination and management of delegated community centres and implementation of the revised pricing and lettings policy to enhance provision for residents.</li> </ul>

- Encourage 'in bloom' activities to increase participation in communities.
  - Implement the Area Committee's community engagement framework supported by £9,000 Well being Fund
  - Provide support to community led events across the area such as galas and festivals and carry out promotional activities to raise awareness of area committees
  - Produce a 'Living in South Leeds' page for About Leeds, Council's Civic Newspaper to promote and highlight work of Area Committee / Area Management
  - Develop Youth Forums across the area and an action plan for Children & Young People's participation in decision making within South Leeds
  - Through the piloted Team Belle Isle approach ensure enhanced joint working between mainstream service providers and residents to build greater trust and influence how services are delivered
  - Commission voluntary and community sector organisations (VCS) to deliver Area Well Being funded schemes to achieve Area Committee priorities and address community needs
  - Progress the development of a business forum to generate local business opportunities and links to local, district & citywide support networks.
  - Through neighbourhood tasking, respond to community tensions, ensuring partners work closer with and within the communities where the greatest risks have been identified.
- Deliver training to frontline workers to identify individuals who could be vulnerable to extremist messages
- Implement recommendations from the COGs report in Middleton
- Continue work to implement the regeneration strategy for Middleton and ensure that the delivery of physical

	changes through the regeneration programme are integrated with other changes and activities in the neighbourhood  • Develop and promote more Neighbourhood Watch schemes
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