

Report of: Head of Locality Partnerships

Report to: Outer West Community Committee
[Calverley & Farsley, Pudsey, Farnley & Wortley]

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Outer West Community Committee - Update Report

Purpose of report

1. To bring to members' attention an update of the work which the Communities Team is engaged in, based on priorities identified by the Community Committee. It also provides opportunities for further questioning, or to request a more detailed report on a particular issue.
2. This report provides regular updates on some of the key activities between Community Committee meetings and functions delegated to Community Committees, Community Champions roles, community engagement, partnership and locality working.

Main issues

Employment and Skills- Update from Keri Evans

3. The total number of people who are claiming Universal Credit (UC), as of June 2024, in the Outer West Community Committee area is 7,450. This is an increase of 171.3% since March 2020 (pre-pandemic levels), and an increase of 126 claimants on the previous month.
4. The table below shows the total number of people claiming Universal Credit in Leeds, the Outer West Community Committee area and by ward.

	Universal Credit Claimants 16-64yrs					
	March 2020		May 2024		June 2024	
	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*
Leeds	35,450	6.8%	88,802	17.1%	90,295	17.3%
Outer West	2,746	6.1%	7,324	16.3%	7,450	16.6%
Calverley & Farsley	565	3.9%	1,573	10.9%	1,612	11.1%

Farnley & Wortley	1,304	8.5%	3,342	21.8%	3,419	22.3%
Pudsey	877	5.8%	2,409	15.8%	2,419	15.9%

*Rate shows the number of claimants not in employment as a percentage of the working age population

- The number of people who are claiming Universal Credit (UC) due to unemployment, as of May 2024, in the Outer West Community Committee area is 4,396. This is an increase of 147% since March 2020 (pre-pandemic levels), and an increase of 25 claimants on the previous month.
- The table below shows the number of people claiming Universal Credit (Not in Employment) in Leeds the Outer West Community Committee area and by ward.

	Universal Credit Claimants (Not in Employment) 16-64yrs					
	March 2020		April 2024		May 2024	
	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*	Number	Rate*
Leeds	23,631	4.5%	55,008	10.6%	55,352	10.6%
Outer West	1,783	4.0%	4,371	9.7%	4,396	9.8%
Calverley & Farsley	343	2.4%	910	6.3%	920	6.4%
Farnley & Wortley	864	5.6%	2,061	13.5%	2,063	13.5%
Pudsey	576	3.8%	1,400	9.2%	1,413	9.3%

*Rate shows the number of claimants not in employment as a percentage of the working age population

Employment and Skills (E&S) Activities and Provision

- The table below shows the number of people supported by the E&S Service from the Outer West Community Committee area and by ward.

	Accessing Services		Into Work		Improved Skills	
	2023/2024 (Apr – Mar)	2022/2023 (Apr – Mar)	2023/2024 (Apr – Mar)	2022/2023 (Apr – Mar)	2023/2024 (Apr – Mar)	2022/2023 (Apr – Mar)
Outer West	777	808	191	230	229	237
Calverley & Farsley	148	147	37	39	63	58
Farnley & Wortley	437	454	106	129	117	127
Pudsey	192	207	48	62	49	52

- During April 2023 to March 2024:
 - 13,513 people accessed the Service, 777 of whom were residents from the Outer West.
 - Supported 3,094 people into work, 191 of whom were residents from the Outer West. Customers were supported into work across all sectors with the largest numbers in construction, health and care, including childcare, manufacturing, ICT, digital and comms.
 - Supported 4,300 people to improve their skills, 229 of whom were residents from the Outer West.

Leeds Employment Hub

- A single point of contact for all funded programmes and Jobshops which provides tailored and comprehensive support into employment or education to all Leeds residents.
- Employment Hub Advisors deliver the programme by providing one to one support, tailored preventative and remedial support to Leeds residents who are disadvantaged in the labour

market. The Employment Hub Advisors are co-located within the Jobcentre Plus centres across the city. Further funding has been secured which will see the role of the Advisors continue until at least March 2025.

11. All Jobshops are open 5 days a week for face-to-face appointments which includes City Centre and Armley Community Hubs.
- The Community Hub Mobile bus runs Monday - Friday, the schedule stops include:
 - The Butterbowl Public House, Butterbowl Drive, LS12 5JQ Monday 09:30 – 12:00
 - Henconner Lane/Butt Lane roundabout Monday 13:00 – 15:30
 - The Hanover Arms Public House, Lower Wortley Road, LS12 4SL Wednesday 09:30 – 12:00
 - Farnley Community Centre, Cross Lane, LS12 5AA, Wednesday 13:00 – 15:30

Community Learning

12. Community Learning provision continues to deliver an effective, broad and inclusive curriculum to support the continuation of learning in collaboration with subcontracted partners. Courses were delivered through a range of models which includes face to face within a community setting, online and through distance learning, opening new opportunities for adults to learn and develop their confidence.
13. Between April 2023 and March 2024, there have been 730 courses delivered at 74 community venues in Leeds, with 3,596 residents starting a course. In the Outer West Community Committee area, 10 courses were delivered at 3 venues. 154 residents have started a course. In addition, there were 34 courses delivered on-line.

Multiply

14. Multiply is the free, government funded, adult maths support programme, part of Levelling Up, Skills for Life. The programme is aimed at helping adults to improve their maths skills and boost their number confidence. E&S are developing and delivering courses and activities through partnerships with community organisations and other partners; to help people use numeracy to manage their money; for parents wanting to increase their numeracy skills in order to help their children.
15. Between April 2023 and March 2024, there have been 77 courses delivered at 48 community venues in Leeds, with 657 residents starting a course, 25 of whom were residents from the Outer West. Courses range from Building Confidence with Maths, Multiply and ESOL, Money and Work, and Basic Money Skills.

Community Engagement

16. Engagement with a number of community organisations within the area during this period to raise awareness and provide information and advice on the employability and skills support available, job opportunities and a point of contact for referrals for one to one support and access to skills delivery. Exploring bespoke skills provision with organisations to meet an identified need. Between April 2023 and March 2024, there have been 109 community engagement activities taken place during this period across the city supporting 3,062 people, of these 41 activities have taken place within the west of the city engaging with 642 people.

School and College Engagement

17. There have been engagement events and activities delivered in schools and college, including Apprenticeships awareness sessions, careers fairs, mock interview sessions, sector specific talks and employer site visits. Between April 2023 and March 2024, there have been 108 School and College activities across the city supporting 7,160 young people, 1,173 parents and carers, and 357 teachers. Of these, 33 events have taken place within the west of the city engaging with 2,688 young people, 410 parents and carers, and 80 teachers.

Events delivered between January and July 2024

18. **Scope Accommodation Recruitment** information sessions were delivered at City Centre Hub in July 2024 to support recruitment into roles for Housekeepers, Night Porters, Maintenance Operatives and Receptionists, 50 people attended. Attendees had the opportunity to engage directly with the recruiter through informal interviews. Those who demonstrated potential were invited to a second interview, moving one step closer to securing a position, all attendees and candidates were signposted for support throughout the process.
19. **Connecting Schools to Hospitality** programme matched six schools with hotels across Leeds, a total of 90 students participated in the programme, offering a flexible schedule of 3-4 visits to either the school or hotel. The activities included masterclasses in mocktail making, cooking classes, bedmaking, and other skills development opportunities. The programme concluded with a Celebration Event on 8th July 2024 at Leeds City College Printworks campus, where students who showed exceptional passion or enthusiasm were recognised with an award.
20. **SEND Next Choices Event** took place on 25th June 2024 at Leeds First Direct Arena. The event was aimed at supporting young people who have Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND). A total of 70 exhibitors participated, offering jobs, Apprenticeships, volunteering, training opportunities, leisure activities along with other specific support. 2,000 young people attended and the feedback was very positive.
21. **Recruitment to Health and Care Careers** 25 Information / Assessment Sessions were delivered in 6 venues across the Priority Wards and the City Centre, 178 people attended. These sessions supported recruitment to roles within Adult Social Care, Children's Residential Practitioner, Administrative, Primary Care Navigator, Pharmacy Apprenticeships and Facilities Technician roles.
22. **Seasonal Gardeners Recruitment Events** were held in May and June 2024 at various community hubs. The sessions aimed to provide support for the recruitment of Seasonal Gardeners, a key initiative for maintaining the city's public spaces, 80 residents attended the sessions.
23. **Tech Careers Launchpad** workshop took place on 26th May 2024 at Accenture, City Centre for "getting noticed in Tech", "personal branding", "confidence building", panel session and networking, 38 people attended.
24. **Tech Careers Launchpad** specific for WILD (Women In Leeds Digital) took place on 16th May 2024 in the City Centre. Part of the series of Tech Launchpad, delivered in partnership

with AND Digital and other digital organisations to deliver a workshop for “getting noticed in Tech”, “personal branding”, “confidence building”, panel session and networking, 60 people attended.

25. **Global Banking School Business, Accounting & Digital Jobs Fair** was held on 19th April 2024 at Great George Street. Delivered a presentation about Apprenticeships within this sector and promoted our upcoming events, 45 people attended.
26. **Leeds Tech Careers Launchpad** took place on 13th March 2024, hosted at HAYS Tech Recruitment, delivered in partnership with Northcoders. The event welcomed guest speakers who discussed some of the 'routes into tech' including Apprenticeships, bootcamps and tech academies to help attendees understand the various options available to them. 40 people attended the event and around 40% of people attending were female, with attendees including students, graduates, career changers, people out of the labour market.
27. **Hospitality Sector Jobs Fair** was held on 23rd February 2024 at Park Place Jobcentre, over 200 people attended. The event was a huge success with many employers commenting on the quality of candidates.
28. **Leeds Apprenticeships Recruitment Fair** took place on 5th February 2024. Visitors could find out more about Apprenticeships and meet with providers and employers across all sectors. 119 exhibitors attended on the day to offer information, advice, guidance, and live vacancies. 11,000 visitors had the opportunity to find out about Apprenticeships, including what they involve and how they work, higher and degree Apprenticeships as well as hear from apprentices about their journeys. There were 17 presentations, attended by approximately 250 people that ran throughout the event providing an insight on various topics including STEM, Green Apprenticeships, the power of work experience, a day in the life of an apprentice and how to submit a successful application form.
29. **Careers in Catering** recruitment information and interview sessions took place on 24th January 2024 at City Centre Community Hub to support the promotion of Kitchen Assistant posts in schools across the city.
30. **Digital Skills bootcamps** delivered 22nd January – 29th March 2024 in partnership with Microsoft and UA92. The options included Cloud skills and Data Analysis, with no prior tech skills required, aimed to help boost people’s skills and employment prospects.

Planned Events and Activities

31. **West Leeds Care** Recruitment supporting the recruitment to the pilot with Be Caring and Springfield to the new Community Health & Wellbeing Care Workers. Events have been arranged at the following venues throughout August 2024:
 - 5th August 2024 - Armley Community Hub
 - 7th August 2024 – New Wortley Community Centre
 - 8th August 2024 – Armley Community Hub
 - 12th August 2024 - Armley Community Hub
 - 14th August 2024 - Bramley Community Centre
 - 19th August 2024 – New Wortley Community Centre
 - 20th August 2024 - Farnley Community Centre

- 28th August 2024 - Swinnow Community Centre

32. **Recruitment to Health & Social Care** Information and/Assessment Sessions will be delivered at sites across the Priority Wards and City Centre Hub in line with planned pre-employment courses that will start in September 2024. The sessions will continue to support recruitment to roles within the Health and Care sector, including Adult Social Care, Careers in Care within the NHS, Administrative and Primary Care Navigator roles.
33. **Leeds Digital Careers Fair** is scheduled to take place on 24th September 2024, at the Leeds First Direct Arena. The Fair aims to connect visitors with the vast opportunities available within the digital and tech sectors, contributing to the growth of Leeds as a digital hub. Preparations for the Fair are well underway, with a focus on building upon the success of the previous year's event, which had over 4,000 attendees. The Fair serves as a crucial platform for exhibitors to engage with potential talent, showcase their companies, and identify future stars in the digital landscape.
34. **Reducing Reoffending Offer** as part of the early release scheme introduced to alleviate capacity pressures within the prison estate, Employment & Skills will be conducting an information session for individuals due to be released on 10th September 2024. The session will be delivered to the first cohort on 5th September 2024 and is tailored for those residing in the Leeds area, providing them with essential guidance on employment opportunities, skill development, and support services available upon their release. The aim is to facilitate a smoother transition back into the community by equipping participants with the tools they need to secure employment and build a stable future. Further sessions will be delivered up to December 2024.

Employer Engagement

35. Within the last year the Service has supported 385 new businesses including recruiting new staff, providing support for staff facing redundancy, developing initiatives to address staff shortages and filling a high number of vacancies within key sectors.
36. The Employment and Skills Business Newsletter provides information and resources to support businesses' workforce needs across the city, also including the upcoming sustainability breakfast events, Leeds Inclusive Employers Network and T-Level support. The newsletter will be published every 2 months to approximately 5,000 subscribers. To find out more please visit: www.inclusivegrowthleeds.com.

Health and Wellbeing & Adult Social Care – Update from Jon Hindley (Public Health)

37. The latest Director of Public Health Annual Report for Leeds *Ageing Well: Our Lives in Leeds* hears the experiences of some of the 900 people surveyed. Full report: [Ageing Well: Our Lives in Leeds Executive Summary](#)
38. This year's report focuses on experiences of ageing well in Leeds and inequalities amongst different groups.
39. It combines survey responses from over 900 local people with latest data and trends on factors impacting ageing – such as diet, smoking, alcohol intake, mental health, travel, housing, employment and financial wellbeing.

40. The recommendations in this report build on the long-standing commitment to being an Age Friendly City, identifying further actions to increase the number of years spent in good health.
41. This report and supporting film will be shared and discussed at the Health and Wellbeing Board next week and various other meetings over the upcoming months.

West Leeds Local Care Partnership (LCP)-Refreshing health Objectives

42. West Leeds Local Care Partnership is a multi-partnership group including clinical, statutory and third sector partners looking at the health of an area holistically and pooling resources to lift the health of a GP practice population. Two of the outer west wards are served by this LCP, Pudsey, Calverley and Farsley. This LCP is currently refreshing its health objectives. It is likely all age obesity, asthma and mental and emotional health issues will be focussed on.

Leeds Stop Smoking Service

43. This service is effective in helping residents stop smoking and currently has no waiting list. You can refer through your local GP or simply refer yourself in:
44. [Get Started | Leeds Stop Smoking Services](#) Plenty of Patient Resources, book yourself a Health Coach and a Supportive on-Line Community is there to help and encourage you.
45. The service has currently no waiting list so it is likely if you contact them today you will be contacted the next day and you can choose which option you want to pursue, face-to face cessation work, becoming part of a group of supportive peers or helping yourself to cut down and quit remotely on line. The choice is entirely up to you and whatever works best for you.

Local Care Partnership Digest

46. There is an electronic digest containing many activities and initiatives around the clinical, social and general health and wellbeing of the West and further afield. This guide is published weekly and you can also post any relevant activities in it.

West Wards-Weight Management Directory

47. To compliment the more formal clinical interventions around, diet, nutrition and behaviour a West-Wards directory has been developed to allow residents to access a whole range of free, fun and family friendly activities around healthy cooking and exercise.

Housing Team – Update from Andrew Shearer (Housing Manager – Farnley & Wortley)

48. The ASB experienced in The Heights East and West was under control, but the team have received a number of reports of drug dealing. Reported on Police Partnership Intelligence Portal. HO undertook an Action Day with the Police.
49. Nutting Grove Terrace garages have now been demolished.

50. Housing Officers are addressing a variety of issues, such as concerns relating to the environment, doorstep arrears visits where all other means have been exhausted, ASB and annual tenancy check ins.
51. Flyers are being provided promoting the Mobile Community HUBs and staff will enclose these in letters and email them to tenants and verbally promote this service.
52. There have been reports of Drug Dealing Newton Square/Low Moorside Court. Staff have logged this on Police Partnership Intelligence Portal. Tenants have advised that they are also reporting to the Police. If housing are provided with addresses they can investigate and take tenancy breach action if they are LCC tenants.
53. There were recent issues with the garages off Farrow Green. 3 garages are boarded up and consultation is to be started regarding demolishing these 9 garages to prevent any further ASB.
54. 2 yearly Walkabouts are underway and Housing Officers will feedback to Members and any other attendees after the Walkabout and ensure all issues are reported and dealt with.
55. Housing Officers are able to make Vulnerable Garden referrals where criteria is met.
56. Block Sweeps and Block Inspections continue to take place with a weekly and monthly basis, respectively.
57. Staff continue to report fly tipping, graffiti removal and potholes.
58. Car parking and emergency vehicle area in The Heights East, The Heights West and Gamble Hill Croft and Grange is pending and no date set yet. Issues with vehicles parking near the Emergency Vehicle area in the car park preventing bins being emptied on occasion. Looking at placing a bollard there but need to speak to Emergency Services first.
59. Bollard placed in parking spot in Gamble Hill Croft where a vehicle parked and prevented bins being emptied. This appears to have resolved the issue of vehicles blocking access to empty the bins.

Housing Team – Update from Stephanie Oliver (Housing Manager – Calverley & Farsley & Pudsey)

60. There is currently ongoing issues with ASB at the Rycrofts but this seems to quietened down due to the Housing Officer dealing at first point of contact. There has been an influx of fly-tipping that the Housing Officer again has been getting cleared regular.
61. All quarter 1 walkabouts have been completed and all ward member have had the feedback.
62. Block checks are done on a weekly basis
63. Valley road/acres hall garage site has now been cleared and put on contract
64. Swinnow Lane car park has been cleared and put on contract

West Yorkshire Police – Update from Andrew Shaw NPT

65. Calverley & Farsley

Calverley & Farsley Ward (E05011389)	Current 6 Weeks	Previous 6 Weeks	Change	01 Jan 24 – 05 Aug 24	01 Jan 23 – 05 Aug 23	Change	Previous year's 6- week period	Chan ge
Arson	1	1	---	8	7	1	3	2
Burglary - business and community	2	1	1	9	12	3	0	2
Burglary - residential	35	15	20	111	61	50	15	20
Criminal damage	17	12	5	75	105	30	23	6
Robbery	1	1	---	9	11	2	2	1
Shoplifting	29	24	5	125	59	66	13	16
Theft from motor vehicle	11	15	4	75	74	1	17	6
Theft of motor vehicle	2	4	2	28	33	5	5	3
Total	98	73	25	440	362	78	78	20
ASB	27	32	5	148	176	28	31	4

66. Burglary Residential

Out of the 35 offences, 2 suspects have been identified, accounting for 2 offences. Suspects were charged in both offences. 29 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 4 offences remain under investigation.

67. 17 offences were recorded as attempts where suspects typically attacked locks in order to gain entry. Where offences were successful suspects attacked locks or entered due to insecurity. 7 offences involved sheds/garages/outbuildings.

68. 5 offences occurred in and around Prospect and Burton Street. 5 occurred around the Westdales. 2 occurred on the Hilfoots. 3 occurred around Rodley Town Street. 8 occurred nearby, at or around Oaklands Avenue. 5 occurred along Salisbury Street.

69. Theft From Motor Vehicle

70. Out of the 11 offences, 1 suspect has been identified, accounting for 2 offences. Suspect was charged in 1 offence. 5 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 5 offences remain under investigation.

71. Types of items commonly stolen were tools. 5 offences were made possible due to insecurity. Others involved suspects drilling locks or entering via unknown means.

72.2 offences occurred at or near to Gallagher Leisure Park. 2 occurred at or near to Newlands.
4 offences occurred around Oaklands Road. 3 offences occurred in and around Carr Road.

73. Anti-Social Behaviour

ASB Type	Count
ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED	3
ALCOHOL	2
NUISANCE CAR/VAN	2
NUISANCE EBIKE/ESCOOTER	3
NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE	12
YOUTH RELATED	5

74.2 reports of youth ASB were for Prospect Street. Others were reasonably widespread.

75.3 reports of nuisance motorcycles were for Dick Lane, 1 was for nearby Leeds Road and Woodhall Road. 3 were for Carr Hill Drive. Others were widespread across the ward.

76. Farnley & Wortley

Farnley & Wortley Ward (E05011392)	Current 6 Weeks	Previous 6 Weeks	Change	01 Jan 24 - 05 Aug 24	01 Jan 23 - 05 Aug 23	Change	Previous year's 6-week period	Change
Arson	4	3	1	16	21	5	1	3
Burglary - business and community	3	5	2	21	21	---	4	1
Burglary - residential	23	19	4	84	94	10	22	1
Criminal damage	24	24	---	161	262	101	37	13
Robbery	4	5	1	18	16	2	4	---
Shoplifting	15	19	4	101	88	13	19	4
Theft from motor vehicle	12	20	8	77	61	16	14	2
Theft of motor vehicle	8	8	---	45	71	26	8	---
Total	93	103	10	523	634	111	109	16
ASB	51	41	10	187	183	4	29	22

77. Burglary Residential

78. Out of the 23 offences, 1 suspect has been identified, accounting for 1 offence. 20 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 3 offences remain under investigation.

79.6 offences were recorded as attempts where suspects attacked locks. 6 offences were made possible due to insecurity. Others involved suspects snapping locks or by simply forcing entry.

80. 13 offences occurred in the New Farnley portion of the ward, in and around Low Moor Side. 3 offences occurred on the Whincovers/Bawns. Others were widespread across the Farnley portion of the ward.

81. Theft From Motor Vehicle

82. Out of the 12 offences, 0 suspects have been identified. 11 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 1 offence remains under investigation.

83. Items most commonly stolen were tools. 3 offences were made possible due to insecurity. Others involved suspects drilling locks or entering via “unknown means”.

84. 4 offences occurred in New Farnley. 2 occurred at or around Chestnut Rise. Others were widespread across the Farnley portion of the ward.

85. Anti-Social Behaviour

ASB Type	Count
ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED	3
NEIGHBOUR RELATED	2
NUISANCE CAR/VAN	2
NUISANCE EBIKE/ESCOOTER	2
NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE	17
YOUTH RELATED	25

86. Of the 17 reports of nuisance bikes, 15 occurred in the Farnley portion of the ward. Many of which occurred around the Whincovers, Bawns and Butterbowls.

87. Nearly all reports relating to youth ASB were for the Farnley portion of the ward. 10 of which were for the area of and around McDonald’s, Butt Lane.

88. Pudsey

Pudsey Ward (E05011409)	Current 6 Weeks	Previous 6 Weeks	Change	01 Jan 24 – 05 Aug 24	01 Jan 23 – 05 Aug 23	Change	Previous year’s 6-week period	Change
Arson	3	2	1	7	7	---	1	2
Burglary - business and community	3	3	---	12	24	12	4	1
Burglary - residential	39	9	30	88	73	15	14	25
Criminal damage	12	26	14	92	139	47	21	9
Robbery	1	2	1	7	16	9	1	---
Shoplifting	52	77	25	289	329	40	88	36
Theft from motor vehicle	6	36	30	80	57	23	16	10
Theft of motor vehicle	8	8	---	30	39	9	12	4
Total	124	163	39	605	684	79	157	33
ASB	43	45	2	181	179	2	28	15

89. Burglary Residential

90. Out of the 39 offences, 4 suspects have been identified, accounting for 4 offences. 2 suspects have both been charged in 2 offences. 29 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 8 offences remain under investigation.

91. 19 offences were recorded as attempts where suspects typically attacked locks or tried door handles. 11 offences were made possible due to insecurity. Others typically involved suspects attacking/snapping locks. 2 offences sheds/garages/outbuildings.

92. Offences were widespread across the ward.

93. **Theft From Motor Vehicle**

94. Out of the 6 offences, 0 suspects have been identified. 5 offences were filed due to evidential difficulties. 1 offence remains under investigation.

95. Types of property commonly stolen were varied. Offences were also reasonably widespread.

96. **Anti-Social Behaviour**

ASB Type	Count
ADULT NUISANCE - NON ALCOHOL RELATED	2
ALCOHOL	2
NEIGHBOUR RELATED	1
NUISANCE CAR/VAN	2
NUISANCE EBIKE/ESCOOTER	1
NUISANCE MOTORCYCLE/QUAD BIKE	11
YOUTH RELATED	24

97. Of the 24 reports of youth ASB, 3 were for Claremont Grove. 6 were for the bus station. Others were reasonably widespread.

Corporate Considerations

Consultation and Engagement

98. The Community Committee has, where applicable, been consulted on information detailed within the report.

Equality and Diversity/Cohesion and Integration

99. All work that the Communities Team are involved in is assessed in relation to Equality, Diversity, Cohesion, and Integration. In addition, the Communities Team ensures that the wellbeing process for funding of projects complies with all relevant policies and legislation.

Council Polices and City Priorities

100. Projects that the Communities Team are involved in are assessed to ensure that they are in line with Council and City priorities as set out in the following documents:

1. Vision for Leeds 2011 – 30
2. Best City Plan
3. Health and Wellbeing City Priorities Plan
4. Children and Young People's Plan
5. Safer and Stronger Communities Plan
6. Leeds Inclusive Growth Strategy

Resources and Value for Money

101. Aligning the distribution of community wellbeing funding to local priorities will help to ensure that the maximum benefit can be provided.

Legal Implications, Access to Information and Call In

102. There are no legal implications or access to information issues. This report is not subject to call in.

Risk Management

103. Risk implications and mitigation are considered on all projects and wellbeing applications. Projects are assessed to ensure that applicants are able to deliver the intended benefits.

Conclusions

104. The report provides up to date information on key areas of work for the Community Committee.

Recommendations

105. The Community Committee is asked to note the content of the report and comment as appropriate.

Background documents¹

106. None.

¹ The background documents listed in this section are available for inspection on request for a period of four years following the date of the relevant meeting Accordingly this list does not include documents containing exempt or confidential information, or any published works Requests to inspect any background documents should be submitted to the report author.