

## Outer North West Community Committee

# COMMUNITY PLAN 2018

Bringing people together to make a difference for local people and their communities

"This Community Plan sets out the Outer North West Community Committee's priorities for the year ahead. We will invest in projects that support these objectives and ensure that local people have a say on how services are delivered in Adel & Wharfedale, Guiseley & Rawdon, Horsforth and Otley & Yeadon wards "

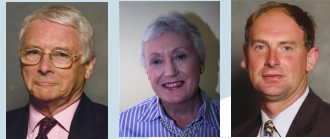
**Cllr Paul Wadsworth : Chair, Outer North West Community Committee**

### Adel & Wharfedale



Cllr Barry Anderson Cllr Caroline Anderson Cllr Billy Flynn

### Guiseley & Rawdon



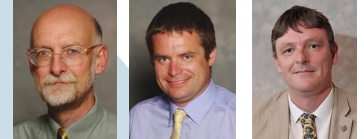
Cllr Graham Latty Cllr Pat Latty Cllr Paul Wadsworth (Chair)

### Horsforth



Cllr Brian Cleasby Cllr Dawn Collins Cllr Chris Townsley

### Otley & Yeadon



Cllr Colin Campbell Cllr Ryk Downes Cllr Sandy Lay

## About the Outer North West Community Committee

The Outer North West Community Committee is part of Leeds City Council and is tasked with ensuring services are delivered in a way that meets local needs rather than a 'one size fits all'. Each year, the Committee focuses on a number of key topics that are important to local people and would benefit from a new approach. They also provide funding to organisations to make a difference within their communities. The Committee's meetings are open to all.

## What we do

The Community Committee aims to:

1. Increase community activity and local residents' involvement in decision making
2. Work with our partners to improve services in our local neighbourhoods
3. Support activities that make people and places feel safer
4. Enhance the quality of our parks and public spaces
5. Develop and make better use of community assets
6. Support children and young people to be engaged, active and inspired
7. Promote healthy lifestyles and tackle health inequalities
8. Provide opportunities for people to get jobs, volunteer or learn new skills
9. Improve access and engagement in sport and cultural activities

## Our Priorities for 2018

- Working together to support vulnerable adults and recognise the challenges they face.
- Delivering actions to support children and young people and giving them the opportunity to have their say with decision makers.
- Helping to make our neighbourhoods safer and improve transport links.
- Agreeing and overseeing actions helping to make our neighbourhoods cleaner and greener.

# Your Community Committee

## How we work

Our Community Committee focuses on topics that matter locally. We hold a number of meetings a year to look in depth at local priorities

Community Committee Champions take a lead on key themes such as the environment, community safety, health, young people and employment

The Community Committee has sub groups that focus on: Environment & Community Safety, Employment, Learning and the Local Economy, Children Services & Family Health, Adult Social Care, Health & Well-being and Highways & Transportation. These groups scrutinise local service delivery and help ensure services are working together effectively

The Community Committee has a budget to invest in projects that strengthen our communities and make a difference locally

## Involving our communities

Our Community Committee meetings are open to the public

We hold community forums where people can talk about local issues

We use newsletters and social media to link with our communities and promote local projects and activities

We work with resident and community groups to find solutions to local problems

The work of the Community Committee is reported annually to a meeting of all of the Leeds City Councillors

## Community Committee Meetings

Community Committee meetings are held four times a year, individuals can raise any issues at the meeting, during the open forum section of the meeting.

The 2018/19 meeting dates are to be confirmed :

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