

Developing the improvement priorities for the Leeds Strategic Plan 2008/11

Name: _____ **Organisation:** _____

We are interested in your response to the draft improvement priorities for Leeds over the next three years. These priorities for improvement are grouped under the eight Vision for Leeds themes, which are:

1. Cultural Life
2. Enterprise and the Economy
3. Learning
4. A modern Transport System
5. Environment City
6. Health and Wellbeing
7. Thriving Places
8. Harmonious Communities

What we would like you to do

For each draft improvement priority please:

- Indicate from your perspective whether you feel each draft improvement priority is **High, Medium or Low** for Leeds by putting a H or M or L in the column provided.
- Indicate whether you feel you have a specific contribution to make to the development of any priority by putting a yes in the **Contribution** column.
- Add any general comments or indicate any gaps under each theme in the final comments column

Please complete this questionnaire electronically by no later than **15 October 2007**
Once you have answered all the questions use the **CLICK** button to return it.

The questionnaires will be returned directly for analysis to:
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Cultural Life: A city with a vibrant and distinct cultural life

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/Gaps
1.	Deliver three major cultural schemes of regional and international significance			
2.	Increase the number of facilities receiving accreditation for quality of service.			
3.	Increase participation in culture by providing a range of activities which can be used by all our communities and visitors.			

Enterprise and the Economy: Promoting Leeds as the regional capital

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/ Gaps
4	Increase international communications, marketing and support activities to promote the city and attract investment.			
5	Deliver three major projects to improve the city centre.			
6	Increase entrepreneurial activity in deprived areas.			
7	Enhance the skills of the current workforce.			
8	Increase our reputation as a centre for knowledge and innovation.			

Learning: A leading centre of learning, knowledge and research

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/ Gaps
9	Improve learning outcomes for 16 year olds			
10	Narrow the gap in learning outcomes for 16 year olds.			
11	Improve learning outcomes and skill levels for 19 year olds.			
12	Reduce the proportion of vulnerable groups not in education, training or employment.			
13	Improve participation and early learning outcomes for children from the most deprived areas.			
14	Develop extended services, using learning sites across the city, to improve support to children, families and communities.			

A Modern Transport System

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/Gaps
15	Develop proposals for an enhanced transport system aimed at securing funds for delivery.			
16	Improve the condition of the streets and transport infrastructure by carrying out a major programme of maintenance and improvements.			
17	Improve road safety for all our users, especially motor cyclists and pedal cyclists.			

18	Improve the quality, use and accessibility of public transport services in Leeds.			
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Environment City: A reputation for environmental excellence

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/ Gaps
19	Increase recycling rates and reducing the amount of waste going to landfill.			
20	Reduce emissions from public sector buildings, operations and service delivery.			
21	Undertake actions to improve our resilience to current and future climate change.			
22	Address neighbourhood problem sites and improve cleanliness of publicly owned land.			

Health and Wellbeing: Creating a healthy city

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/ Gaps
23	Reduce Coronary heart disease.			
24	Reduction in number of people who smoke.			
25	Embed a safeguarding culture for all.			
26	Reduce bullying and harassment.			
27	Reduce obesity and raise physical activity for all.			
28	Reduce teenage conception and improve sexual health for all.			
29	Promote emotional well-being for all.			
30	Improve the assessment and care management of children, families and vulnerable adults.			
31	Improve psychological and mental health services for children, young people and families.			
32	Increase the proportion of vulnerable adults helped to live at home.			
33	Increase the proportion of people in receipt of community services enjoying choice and control over their daily lives.			

Thriving Places: A place of many parts

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/ Gaps
34	Increase in the supply of homes meeting the decency standard.			
35	Increase the number of affordable homes.			
36	Reduce the number of homeless people.			
37	Reduce the number of people who are not able to adequately heat their homes.			
38	Reduce crime and fear of crime.			
39	Reduce offending			
40	Reduce the harm from drugs and alcohol.			
41	Increase positive opportunities for children and young people.			
42	Reduce anti-social behaviour.			
43	Reduce worklessness in deprived areas.			
44	Reduce financial exclusion in deprived areas.			

Harmonious Communities: A rich mix of cultures and communities

	Draft Improvement Priorities	High (H) Medium(M) Low (L)	Contribution	Comments/Gaps
45	Support local people to become active members of their local communities to meet local needs.			
46	Strengthen the role of elected members as community champions.			
47	Support a robust and vibrant voluntary, community and faith sector.			
48	Promote community pride, integration and a sense of belonging.			

General comments: Please add any overall comments about the improvement priorities.

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Thank You