

WARDS AFFECTED:  
ASPLEY, BILBOROUGH, LEEN VALLEY

West Area Committee  
15<sup>th</sup> November 2006

## REPORT OF THE CORPORATE DIRECTOR OF NEIGHBOURHOOD SERVICES

### LOCAL COMMUNITY PLAN 2006-2009

#### 1. SUMMARY

This paper summarises the process for agreeing the final draft of the Local Community Plan to the area which has been developed in consultation with Elected Members, partners and the community. It will be a public document outlining the three year plan for the area. There will be a power-point presentation at the meeting with the draft printed plan distributed to all present. The presentation will take members of the Committee through the plan page by page, with a view to reaching agreement on the objectives, measures and key actions.

#### 2. RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that members adopt the plan so that printing may commence. Members are being asked to agree the objectives, measures and key actions.

#### 3 BACKGROUND

3.1 The Area Action Plan was developed late in 2005 to early 2006, acting as a summary of all consultations and actions planned within the area.

3.2 The Local Community Plan builds upon that work, reflecting the One Nottingham Community Plan which operates across the whole City, entailing detailed working with many other organisations, to achieve stretching Floor Targets for our communities. The One Nottingham Community Plan was published in May 2006.

The Local Community Plan is the Area Committee's three year plan for the area. It has been drafted in consultation with Elected Members, partners and the community. Previous drafts of the plan have been considered by the Area Committee. The Local Themes have been aligned to the One Nottingham Community Plan themes.

3.3 The Local Community Plan reflects both the citywide needs and actions together with local needs and actions. Each area has the same ten citywide objectives, which will be monitored in a consistent way throughout the plan life, such that each area is aware of targets and achievements, and all those area results are aggregated into a city achievement.

3.4 In addition, each area has its own ten local objectives, which are unique to the issues of the area. These objectives have been identified in consultation with Elected Members and the community and reflect local needs. These objectives

will also need to be measured and key actions have been identified in the plan to achieve the local vision.

- 3.5 A power-point presentation will be used to introduce the citywide and local objectives to the Area Committee, together with the measures and key actions within the plan.
- 3.6 The Local Community Plan will be published as a publicly accessible document. We will also publish a short leaflet version for communication purposes.
- 3.7 In addition, the Neighbourhood Manager will develop a more detailed operational plan for their own purposes in order to drive service performance improvement and monitor progress on all actions (not just the key ones). We are calling this our 'Performance Action Plan' and this will not be a public document but a management tool.

#### **4. PROPOSALS**

That the draft final Local Community Plan will be received and adopted by Area Committee to enable printing and distribution to all Elected Members, Partners and interested Citizens.

#### **5. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

There are no direct financial implications associated with the recommendation contained in of this report other than the printing costs of the public document and leaflet version.

#### **6. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

None arising from this report.

#### **7. OBSERVATIONS OF OTHER OFFICERS**

There are no observations from other Officers

#### **8. EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY IMPLICATIONS**

The purpose of the Local Community Plans is to ensure Areas of extreme Deprivation are prioritized and supported in addressing issues of inequality Around Employment, Education, Crime, Health and the Environment. Thus the Local Community Plan will encourage Partners to work together in regenerating the West Area.

#### **9. CONSULTATIONS**

The Local Community Plan is the Area Committee's three year plan for the area. It has been drafted in consultation with Elected Members, partners and the community

#### **10. STRATEGIC PRIORITIES**

The Local Community Plan is an essential tool to help the Area Committee deliver on strategic themes, keeping the public informed and engaged with these processes. This report will contribute to the following:-

- Knowledge of Communities
- Active Citizenship and Engagement
- Successful Partnerships
- Effective Governance
- Performance Improvement

**11. CRIME AND DISORDER**

The Local Community Plan has Crime as a key priority and identifies a number Of Actions to prevent Anti-Social Behaviour and reduce Crime

**12. VALUE FOR MONEY**

The local Community plan helps the Area Committee to demonstrate value for Money and the principles of Best Value, via planning, monitoring and integration of services.

**13. List of background papers other than published works or those disclosing confidential or exempt information – N/A**

**14. Published documents referred to in compiling this report – N/A**

Area Action Plan and other plans relating to the area.

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*Foreword*

In the forward, for the West Area Action Plan (2004 -2006), I wrote “We aim to enhance the quality of life for all our communities by putting people at the heart of everything we do”. I would like to think that we have begun our journey towards that initial aim in 2004. Thanks to the action plan for 2004 -2006, we were able to secure over £3.5 million from One Nottingham Partnership to help us in achieving your aspirations for the Area. However, I believe there are still many improvements to be made and with your support we will succeed.

In Introducing this West Area Community Plan for 2006 – 2009, our Partners have agreed to plan their services according to local needs. This means mainstream services will deliver our action plan and in dealing with the worst areas of the City, they will receive some financial help from the One Nottingham Partnership. All the Partners have signed up to the local area agreements promising to :

- Increase Educational attainment
- Reduce anti-social behaviour and crime
- Improve the environment
- Get people into employment
- Improve peoples health

The West Area Committee, with your help will be making sure organisations and agencies deliver on the promises made. Finally, the West Area is your home, your neighbourhood and your community and I hope you will play a valuable part in working with us to make it a better place for everyone.

Councillor Wood  
West Area Committee (Aspley, Bilborough, Leen Valley)

***Baseline Data***

*The West Area comprises of three distinct wards, Aspley, Bilborough and Leen Valley, with a total population of 40,924. A significant percentage of the population (28.7%) is made up of young people under the age of 15.*

*Whilst the West Area population is predominately white, there are neighbourhoods with a sizable number (11.4%) from black and minority groups.*

*There is approximately equal number of owner occupiers (47.9%) and rented housing (52.1%). Bilborough and Leen Valley wards have neighbourhoods containing people over the pensionable age. The percentage of the population economically active is 57.2%, which is slightly below the City figure.*

*45.7% of the West Area population have no high level qualifications and within some neighbourhoods only 2% progress to higher level qualifications. The number of young people achieving level 4/5 is 8.8% compared to the City average of 17.6%.*

*In an effort to regenerate the poorest parts of the City, we have referred to statistics at Super Output Areas, these are small neighbourhoods which make up each ward. These statistics enable us to see a detailed picture of where crime is higher or health is poorer, when compared to the ward or area average.*

### **What you have told us**

In identifying your needs, concerns and aspirations for the area, we have used a variety of methods, including:

Focus groups for health needs assessment and information from the health profile

Consultation with Community Representatives and Tenant/Resident Groups

Consultation with members of the West Area Community Safety Partnership, Health Partnership, Learning partnership and the Broxtowe Partnership Trust

A Public Seminar on tackling anti-social behaviour and crime which included presentations and workshops

Discussions and meetings with the Education Action Zone members and the Bilborough Fast Track Partnership

Analysis of localised needs assessment surveys such as young peoples questionnaires and an education participation survey

In a nutshell, you have told us: you want Primary Health Care Services that are locally accessible; you want less crime and anti-social behaviour; you want safer, cleaner parks and open spaces; you want decent schools for your children to be educated in; and you want a mixture of decent properties for people to live in.

Through these various consultation methods a number of local themes have been identified which highlight the concerns you have about your community and neighbourhoods. In addressing these we have agreed to focus on five themes for this Local Community Plan.

## **Developing Local Themes**

### **Better Prospects**

Is your priority because you wanted local opportunities for employment support and training that will enable you to benefit from Nottingham's many job opportunities.

Is your priority as you wanted to ensure that young people are provided with a safe and secure environment that encourages and supports them to achieve all their academic or vocational aspirations.

### **Safer Stronger Neighbourhoods**

Is your priority because certain neighbourhoods in the West Area have the highest levels of car crime in the city. Additionally, many of the residents have expressed concern about gangs of youths and anti-social behaviour making the area unsafe.

### **Healthier Communities**

Is your priority because the West Area has the city's highest rate of death from cardio-vascular disease and the city's highest rate of teenage conceptions.

### **Cleaner and Greener West Area**

Is your priority because a lot of people feel dissatisfied with their living environment and the condition of parks in the area.

### **Quality Built Environment**

Is your priority because in recent satisfaction surveys people felt they were living in a poor housing and neighbourhoods.

### **Active Citizenship---**

Is you priority because local people felt that service providers were not listening to their concerns.

### **Local vision**

You want to make the West Area an attractive, vibrant, safe and healthy place for all and ensure your communities are valued. To create prosperous neighbourhoods that are rich in culture and strong in the spirit of equality and celebration of diversity.

### **Listening to You**

*"I think it would be great if young people had things to do and were not bored"*

"It would be nice if young people in the area went to decent schools and were safe when travelling to and from schools"

"Older people feel unsafe when walking through neighbourhoods because of gangs of youths hanging around corners, it would be good if we had increased presence of police officers to make them feel safer"

"The state of some of the gardens of properties is terrible and action should be taken on people if they do not make improvements"

"It would be nice if housing services would carry out repairs quickly as I am always having to wait before they do anything"

"I would like to see better Education provision for adults in the area, the Bilborough on-line learning centre was great when it was around because I could access learning at my convenience"

### **Local Themes**

#### **Better Prospects**

Your ambition is to be provided with local opportunities for employment support and training that will enable you to benefit from Nottingham's many job opportunities.

Your ambition is to ensure that young people are provided with a safe and secure environment that encourages and supports them to achieve all their aspirations.

#### **Safer Stronger Neighbourhoods**

Your ambition is to feel safe within your own neighbourhoods by reducing levels of anti-social behaviour and crime such as theft from vehicles as well as of vehicles.

#### **Healthier Communities**

Your ambition is to live in a neighbourhood where you can buy healthy food, exercise regularly and socialise with others.



### **Cleaner and Greener Public Spaces**

Your ambition is to ensure all playing facilities and public spaces are maintained to a high standard, are safe for all the community, and refuse is collected efficiently with the overall cleanliness of your neighbourhood being maintained to a very high standard

### **Quality Built Environment**

Your ambition is to have new purpose built facilities in the area which will enable people to access Education, Leisure and Social Activities.

### **Promoting Active Citizenship**

Your ambition is for your opinions to be valued and for you to be given the opportunity to participate in decision making on issues and developments impacting on your Neighbourhoods

### ***Local Objectives/ THEMES***

- L1 To improve access to benefits advice and support in targeted neighbourhoods.\*
- L2 To improve access to training and employment advice.
- L3 To reduce the impact of exclusion and transition for future prospects.
- L4 To reduce car crime through positive actions and partnership working.
- L5 To sustain the participation in neighbourhood policing after pilot success.
- L6 To improve three identified strategic and district parks.
- L7 To reduce teenage conceptions and promote improved sexual health.
- L8 To provide advice to people at risk of CVD in targeted neighbourhoods.\*
- L9 To transform the physical layout of estates and non-traditional stock.
- L10 To transform the Harvey Haddon site and others into accessible community resource.

1. Better Prospects
2. Safer Stronger Neighbourhoods
3. Cleaner and Greener Public Spaces
4. Healthier Communities
5. Quality Built Environment
6. Active Citizenship

City wide theme ~ Choose Nottingham						
Local Area theme ~ Better Prospects						
Objective & Measures	Base-line	Target 06-07	Target 07/08	Target 08/09	Key Actions 2006-2009	
					Actions	Responsible
<p><b>C1 To Increase the number of economically active people</b></p> <p>a) Improve access to Job Centre Plus, local employment initiatives and benefit/debt advice</p> <p>b) Increased employment rate</p> <p><b>L1 To improve access to Benefits advice and support in targeted Neighbourhoods</b></p>					<p>Ensure Job Centre Plus sessions are delivered across the whole area, focussing particularly in the most deprived neighbourhoods</p> <p>Provide advice and guidance and a structured programme of development leading to employment</p> <p>Identify areas at ward and street level where there is a high residency of IB claimants</p> <p>Provide community based support for unemployed through Job Shops and Out reach activity</p> <p>Increase the number of IB claimants entering work as a result of MTC activity</p> <p>To increase the percentage of people from the West Area employed within the major employers (City Council, City Hospital, Capital One &amp; Experian)</p> <p>Maximise local employment and training opportunities that will be created during the development of the NHS Academy and the Harvey Hadden Site</p> <p>Organise regular job fares across the West Area</p> <p>Program of benefit maximisation, through welfare</p>	

				<p>support, focussed on people with chronic conditions, older people, young adults in debt and young families</p> <p>To organise an Employment Seminar for the Elderly</p> <p>Support people to apply for their housing rebate/benefits and reduce rent arrears</p>	
<p><b>C5. To increase people in education, employment and training.</b></p> <p>a) Number of people of working age with no qualifications</p> <p>b) Number of adults admitted onto pre accredited courses or training</p> <p>c) Number of adults progressing to accredited courses or training</p> <p><b>L2 To improve access to Training and employment advice</b></p>				<p>Increase amount and success rates of community based training provision, including learning with embedded basic skills</p> <p>Provide appropriate levels of support for Adult Learners</p> <p>Promote family learning including numeracy and literacy.</p> <p>Develop a leadership and personal development programme of youth activities aimed at young men and young people at risk of ASB.</p> <p>Work with the Developers of the Nottingham Business Park to enable local people to benefit from the jobs created both during construction and within the new companies who will locate there.</p>	

Objective & Measures	Base-line	Target 06-07	Target 07/08	Target 08/09	
<p><b>L3 To Reduce the impact of exclusions and transition on future prospects</b></p>					<p><b>Actions</b></p> <p>Develop a programme of support and introduce interventions in order to assist in transition between primary and secondary schools</p> <p>Support health and emotional well being of young people in infant, junior and secondary schools</p> <p>Implement Behaviour Mentors to support 'more able' pupils of poor attendance/behaviour</p> <p>Develop extended family learning opportunities and parental engagement programmes</p> <p>Community education link programmes to engage communities, schools and voluntary services to empower communities to engage with schools, education and voluntary services</p> <p>Enhance the role of Sport Development and Youth Services in Secondary Schools and play workers in Infant and Junior schools within the new Children and Young Peoples' Directorate</p>
<p><b>C5 To increase people in education, Employment or Training</b></p> <p>a) Number of people of working age with no qualifications</p> <p>b) Number of adults admitted onto pre accredited courses or training</p> <p>c) Number of adults progressing to accredited</p>					<p>To provide appropriate levels of support to pupils prior to GCSE's at Key Stage 4 and ensure pupils are supported prior to Key Stage 2 and 3 exams such as a programme of initiatives to support revision sessions</p> <p>To raise aspirations and expectations of local students and increase progression into further/higher education</p> <p>Implement a diversity programme to raise</p>

<p>courses or training</p> <p>Number of pupils achieving :-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• KS3 Mathematics Level 5</li> <li>• KS3 Science Level 5</li> <li>• Number of pupils achieving</li> <li>• GCSE 5+A*-C</li> <li>• KS3 English Level 5</li> </ul>					<p>achievement and attainment of BME communities and support Community Cohesion.</p> <p>Develop a Parental/Family learning programme specifically to support pupils at various exam stages from Key Stage 1-4</p> <p>Enrichment activities to support educational visits, specialists into schools, out of hours learning and more joined up services across the key stages 1-4 through Extended Schools</p> <p>Target support offered by the transition project to those who need it the most</p> <p>Develop a recognisable role for school councils to play which enables them to participate in local democracy</p> <p>Raise young peoples aspirations and create positive role models within schools</p> <p>Provide vocational qualifications with training opportunities for young people at secondary school level through Partnerships with the Private and Voluntary Sectors.</p> <p>Signpost disenfranchised young people back into mainstream education through targeted individual case work</p>	
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**City wide theme ~ Respect For Nottingham**  
**Local Area theme ~ Safe Stronger Neighbourhoods**

Objective & Measures	Base-	Target	Target	Target	Key Actions 2006-2009
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	line	06-07	07/08	08/09	Actions	Responsible
<b>C3. To reduce Anti Social Behaviour</b>						
a) Number of ASB incidents per quarter					<i>Maintain and develop the partnership approach to responding to local concerns about crime, ASB and vandalism</i>	
<b>L5 To sustain the participation in Neighbourhood Policing after pilot success</b>	<b>13.05</b>					
% who feel noisy neighbours or loud parties are a very or fairly significant problem in their local neighbourhood	37.0%				<i>Improve responses to problems identified by Neighbourhood Action Groups, ensuring early identification of hot spots and agreement to feedback to partners</i>	
% who feel teenagers hanging around on the streets are a very or fairly significant problem in their local neighbourhood					Provide youth activities within neighbourhoods working closely with the voluntary sector	
% who feel that vandalism, graffiti and other deliberate damage to property or vehicles is a very or fairly significant problem in their local neighbourhood	37.05				Provide Sport and Leisure opportunities for all age groups and encourage the use of school facilities for extra curricular activity  Provide intervention measures to support young people at risk of participating in crime and anti social behaviour  Use sport provision to divert young people away from crime and anti social behaviour  Ensure neighbourhood wardens, PCSOs and beat officers are regularly patrolling 'hot spot' areas and provide performance reports to Area Committee	

					<p><i>Establish a coordinated approach to tackling Housing-related ASB through the role of Neighbourhood policing and Neighbourhood Action Team</i></p> <p>Target hardening of core group of at-risk properties and hot spot areas</p> <p>Enable sharing of intelligence and encourage partnership working between all agencies to reduce persistent offending</p> <p>To audit levels of crime across all wards and take appropriate measures to design-out problem features</p> <p>Projects are in place to engage with persistent offenders</p>	
<p><b>C2 To reduce overall crime</b></p> <p>a) Number of additional Police, Warden or CSO Patrol Hours</p> <p>b) Number of houses where security has been improved</p> <p>c) Number of community safety initiatives implemented</p>	27.05				<p><i>Reduce the availability of alcohol, tobacco and solvents to young people</i></p>	

<p>d) Number of 'hotspot' tasking patrols/initiatives</p> <p>% who feel that people using or dealing drugs is a very or fairly significant problem in their local neighbourhood</p> <p>% who feel that people being drunk and rowdy in public places is a very or fairly significant problem in their local neighbourhood</p> <p>number of burglaries, robberies and car crime per 1000 households/population</p> <p>number of criminal damage incidents by ward</p> <p>number of burglary dwelling incidents by ward</p>					<p><i>Initiate preventative measures designed to target abusers and potential abusers</i></p> <p>Provide rehabilitation services to persistent alcohol and drug abusers</p> <p>Prevention Projects are in place to engage with persistent offenders and ensure appropriate levels of support is provided to addicts</p> <p>Target hardening of core group of at-risk properties and hot spot areas</p> <p>Enable sharing of intelligence and encourage partnership working between all agencies to reduce persistent offending</p> <p>To audit levels of crime across all wards and take appropriate measures to design-out problem features</p> <p>To ensure projects are in place to engage with persistent offenders</p> <p><i>Organise the enforcement element of the Annual Week of Action</i></p> <p>To tackle Anti-Social Behaviour caused by Mini motos and quad bikes</p>
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<p><b>L4 To reduce car crime through positive actions and partnership working</b></p> <p>number of vehicle related nuisance incidents by ward</p> <p>number of vehicle crime incidents by ward</p>					<p>To promote activities that prevent vehicle crime and related nuisance</p>	
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<p><b>City wide theme ~ Respect For Nottingham</b>  <b>Local Area theme ~ Cleaner and Greener Public Spaces</b></p>						
Objective & Measures	Base-line	Target 06-07	Target 07/08	Target 08/09	Key Actions 2006-2009	
					Actions	
<p><b>C4 To achieve a Cleaner Public Realm</b></p> <p>a) BVPI 199 (annual)</p> <p>b) Monthly Environmental measures of cleanliness</p> <p>Number of people satisfied with their living environment</p>					Responsible	
					<p>Strengthen the local engagement in prioritising both capital and revenue money for environmental issues, including developing a dedicated Barrow Orderly and Twilight Crews for district centres (NEAT team)</p> <p>Explore the possibility of having a recycling refuse centre in the West Area</p> <p>Development and implementation of District Centre</p>	

					<p>Management Plan, aligned with local Street Scene services</p> <p>Eliminate litter by design, addressing recycling centres and litter collection points.</p> <p>Initiate a programme of fencing improvements to reduce fly- tipping and improve security</p>	
<p><b>C9 To increase public satisfaction in their living space</b></p> <p>a) Percentage of people who are satisfied or very satisfied with the area that they live and work in</p> <p>b) Positive feedback from the Citizens Panel</p> <p><b>L6 To improve three identified strategic and district parks</b></p> <p>Number of people satisfied with the condition of parks and green spaces</p>					<p>Install and maintain to a high standard play equipment on Hoylake Crescent, Birchover and Firbeck Parks</p> <p>To achieve Green Flag status and improve play equipment in Parks within the West Area</p> <p>To reduce Anti Social behaviour and vandalism on all parks in the West Area</p> <p>To work towards the implementation of the Action Plan for Broxtowe Country Park</p> <p>Develop local playing areas within neighbourhoods</p>	

<p><b>City wide theme ~ Active and Healthy Nottingham</b></p> <p><b>Local Area theme ~ Healthier Communities</b></p>					
<b>Objective &amp; Measures</b>	<b>Base-line</b>	<b>Target 06-07</b>	<b>Target 07/08</b>	<b>Target 08/09</b>	<b>Key Actions 2006-2009</b>

					<b>Actions</b>	<b>Responsible</b>
<p><b>L7. To reduce teenage conceptions and promote improved sexual health</b></p> <p>Number of conceptions to females under 18 per thousand (15-17 year olds)</p> <p>Number of outreach clinics held at hot spots</p> <p>% schools engaged in the new <i>Healthy Schools</i> programme</p>	81.5				<p>To provide sexual health support and information to young people at risk</p> <p>Improved local coordination, partnerships and leadership for teenage conceptions (PAT) and provide performance reports to Area Committee</p> <p>Implement activities of SORT'D (School nursing initiative aimed at improving sexual health and general health of young people.)</p> <p>Develop quality assessed and young people friendly health and contraception services</p> <p>Implement accredited vocational programme aimed at young women (14-16 yrs) in TP hot spot areas</p> <p>Promote the concept of Healthy Schools and provide support to schools to enable them to adopt the programme</p>	
<p><b>C7 To increase the number of people who regularly exercise</b></p> <p>a) Increase the number of young people, young women and the 50+ population engaged in</p>					<p>To increase the participation of local people in the Community Garden Project in Broxtowe and Bells lane</p> <p>Support the elderly in accessing exercise opportunities at the Harvey Hadden Sports Complex Help the Bilborough Boxing Club to expand from it</p>	

<p>physical activity programmes</p> <p>b) Number of 15-75 year olds recorded as obese</p> <p>c) Number of adults 50-75 in areas benefiting from exercise initiatives</p> <p>d) Number of GP's in priority areas participating in health initiatives</p> <p>e) Number of GP referrals for healthy eating initiatives</p>					<p>existing size to accommodate increased demand and supporting disadvantaged young peoples learning</p> <p>Introduce Park keeper to reduce fear of crime, anti-social behaviour, vandalism and thus increase use by local communities</p> <p>To set up the local five a side football league at Harvey Hadden site thus enabling young people to access opportunities for exercise</p>	
<p><b>C6 To reduce the number of smokers</b></p> <p>a) Increase the number of smoking quitters at 4 weeks attending smoking cessation intervention</p> <p><b>C7 To increase the number of people who regularly exercise</b></p> <p>a) Increase the number of young people, young women and the 50+ population engaged in physical activity programmes</p> <p>b) Number of 15-75 year olds recorded as obese</p> <p>c) Number of adults 50-75 in areas benefiting from exercise initiatives</p> <p>d) Number of GP's in priority areas participating in health</p>	<p>4.734</p> <p>6.280</p> <p>3.196</p>				<p>Implement Smoking Cessation Clinics</p> <p>Maximize income and manage dept of those with chronic illness who are sometimes reliant on long term benefiits</p> <p>To provide personalised needs-driven cardiovascular rehabilitation programme to under 75 year olds admitted for a heart attack</p> <p>To provide opportunities for adults to participate in physical activity for 30 minutes on five or more days per week</p>	

initiatives e) Number of GP referrals for healthy eating initiatives <b>L8. To provide advice top people at risk of CVD in targeted Neighbourhoods</b>  Number of deaths from Coronary Heart Disease in <65 year olds per 1000 population  Aspley  Bilborough  Leen Valley						
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City wide theme ~ Transforming Nottingham's Neighbourhoods						
Local Area theme ~ Quality Built Environment						
Objective & Measures	Base-line	Target 06-07	Target 07/08	Target 08/09	Key Actions 2006-2009	
					Actions	Responsible
<b>C9 to increase public satisfaction in their living space</b>  a) Percentage of people who are satisfied or very satisfied with the area that they live and work in b) Positive feedback from					Work with Age Concern to reduce accidents in elderly homes and explore way of continuing the repairs scheme	

<p>the Citizens Panel</p> <p><b>L9 To develop a strategic regeneration framework for the whole of the West area</b></p>					<p>To achieve 'Decent Homes Standard' in those properties that qualify as soon as resources become available</p> <p>Initiate the use of strong legislation to evict tenants or residents who are a nuisance to their neighbours via ASBO's (Anti-social behaviour Orders)</p> <p>Modernise/rebuild BISF, Tarrans, Newlands and No-Fines Houses</p> <p>Carry out the liveability component of the Week of action, activities to include provision of skips, clearing of rubbish from hot spot areas, removal of graffiti</p> <p>Feedback issues relevant to Nottingham City Home from the Local Action Groups, ensure actions are taken and reported back to residents</p>
<p><b>L10 To transform the Harvey Hadden site into an accessible community resource</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A children's Centre – attached to Glenbrook Primary School built by 2006</li> <li>• A new Special School of Excellence</li> </ul>					<p>To contribute to the development of the NHS Academy on William Sharpe site ensuring that this will be innovative, adopt a radical approach to addressing underachievement and promoting excellence and will play a role in regenerating the local community</p> <p>Work in partnership with Children and Young Peoples Services ensuring a coordinated approach which maximises the positive impact of various developments on the Minver crescent site and</p>

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 14 – 19 Adult Learning Bases covering up to ten specialist areas (e.g. a Horticulture Base, a Beauty Salon, Community Restaurant, Campus TV/Radio Station in a multimedia Base and a Construction Workshop).</li> <li>• A Swimming Pool and Fitness Gym attached to the Leisure Centre</li> <li>• A major refurbishment (or rebuild) of Hadden Park High School</li> <li>• A respite/Residential Day Centre for Adults with Learning Disabilities</li> <li>• A Police Station (with Multi-Agency focus)</li> <li>• Number of activities delivered on Amesbury Circus and Minver Crescent</li> <li>• Number of reports written to West area Committee</li> </ul>					<p>Amesbury Circus</p> <p>To keep Members of the west Area Committee informed of all developments impacting upon transformation and regeneration of the Area and allow involvement in strategic decision making.</p> <p>To support Agencies in accessing National Funding opportunities that will add value to mainstream developments on Minver Crescent, Harvey Hadden and Amesbury Circus site</p>
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**City wide theme ~ Transforming Nottingham's Neighbourhoods**

**Local Area theme ~ Active Citizenship**

<b>Objective &amp; Measures</b>	<b>Base-line</b>	<b>Target 06-07</b>	<b>Target 07/08</b>	<b>Target 08/09</b>	<b>Key Actions 2006-2009</b>	
					<b>Actions</b>	<b>Responsible</b>
<p><b>C8. To increase public influence in decision making.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Number of people involved in local decision making</li> <li>b) Number of people participating in Local Consultation Events</li> <li>c) Number of people attending Area Committees</li> <li>d) Number of original proposals for the Area Capital Fund</li> </ul> <p><b>L5 To sustain the participation in Neighbourhood Policing after pilot success</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Number of people involved in local decision making</li> <li>- Number of people participating in Local Consultation Events</li> <li>- Number of active people in planning for real Parks and</li> </ul>					<p>Ensure support for community representatives on the West Area Committee and their involvement in strategic decisions</p> <p>Organise two consultation days annually to monitor progress towards action plan and enable local people to meet officers in the West Area.</p> <p>Work towards the transformation of Local Area Lags into Neighbourhood Forums and ensure a clear recognition for the role of TRA's in these structures</p> <p>Set up the foundations for a Neighbourhood Action Team capable of responding to priorities identified in LAG(Neighbourhood Forums)</p> <p>To carry out neighbourhood inspections to identify priorities for fencing, lighting and footpaths and ensure these are fed into the work programme for the Council's Capital Fund</p> <p>To support the Safer Stronger Communities Neighbourhood pilot to:-</p>	



<p>Open Spaces event. (and similar)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Number of people attending Area Committees.</li> <li>- Number of original proposals for the Area Capital Fund</li> </ul>					<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Support for Neighbourhood engagement</li> <li>• Make real differences to everyday lives of citizens</li> <li>• Establish appropriate actions and structures for local circumstances</li> <li>• Build on structures for local representation and democracy</li> <li>• Ensure all efficiency and proportionality demands are met</li> </ul> <p>To support local partnership groups such as Bilborough Fast track to engage in decision making</p>	
<p><b>C9. To increase public satisfaction in their living space.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Percentage of people who are satisfied or very satisfied with the area that they live and work in.</li> <li>b) Positive feedback from Citizens panel.</li> </ul>					<p>An annual citizens survey based on the mori survey including the existence of local citizen panel which can be used whenever consultation is required</p> <p>Evaluate every consultation event with questionnaires</p> <p>Arrange regular consultative events that will encourage public participation. (Such as Area Capital Fund for environmentals)</p> <p>Use consultation as the foundation for infrastructure investment, improving existing facilities and creating new ones in a sympathetic manner for neighbourhoods.</p>	
<p><b>C10. To increase active citizenship.</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a) Published proof that consultation does make a difference</li> </ul>					<p>Issue based resident and community group meetings where Neighbourhood Forums come together every three months to share experiences and work on problems relevant to all neighbourhoods</p> <p>Establish particular forums dependent on burning issues eg at the moment we have CSWG and</p>	

<p>b) Link diverse sections of the community together</p> <p>c) Increase the number of active working groups in the area, together with the number of person days action</p>					<p>Strategig Youth Group because crime and Anti-social behaviour are problems</p> <p>To ensure residents can easily find out about the many different consultation activities we undertake, and that these activities are conducted to a consistent standard, the following principles should be adhered to in all our consultation activity:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Publish the objectives, who is responsible, who we will consult, the ways in which we will consult and the start and finish dates of the activity. Information to be included in our corporate plan</li> <li>2. Make any consultation documents publicly available</li> <li>3. Be proactive in consulting residents</li> <li>4. Work to ensure that consultation is inclusive - for example, where necessary we will provide large print documents for people with visual impairment and provide language support and or translation for people who require it</li> </ol> <p>Publish a summary of each consultation activity and how they have been used to inform decision making</p>
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