

AREA 2 COMMITTEE - 24 FEBRUARY 2016

Title of paper:	Area Committee Priorities Action Plan	
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Date of consultation with Portfolio Holder(s) (if relevant)	Councillor Graham Chapman 12 th November 2015	
Relevant Council Plan Key Theme:		
Strategic Regeneration and Development	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Schools	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Planning and Housing	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Community Services	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Energy, Sustainability and Customer	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Jobs, Growth and Transport	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Adults, Health and Community Sector	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Children, Early Intervention and Early Years	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Leisure and Culture	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Resources and Neighbourhood Regeneration	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
Summary of issues (including benefits to citizens/service users):		
Area Committee priorities have now been reviewed through the recent round of area cluster meetings. Area Chairs are now developing a series of actions for each priority and these will be reported regularly to area committees.		
Recommendation:		
1	That the area committee priorities and actions be noted	

1 REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATIONS

- 1.1 Each area committee has now clarified its priorities for 2016/17 and begun work towards a set of actions for each priority.
- 1.2 Priorities have been set for the whole area, encompassing either two or three wards.

2 BACKGROUND (INCLUDING OUTCOMES OF CONSULTATION)

- 2.1 Area committee priorities will show a clear link to the City Council's current ambitions as set out in the latest City Council Plan 2015 -19. By developing clear area focussed priorities covering two or three Wards each area Chair will be required to examine the work which is being undertaken at a 'grass roots' level to see where there may be gaps in provision or where targets and outcomes can be improved
- 2.2 A set of actions will be developed for each priority to be led by appropriate service teams and partnerships.
- 2.3 A draft Priorities Action Plan for this area committee is attached as Appendix 1

3 OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED IN MAKING RECOMMENDATIONS

- 3.1 None

4 FINANCE COMMENTS (INCLUDING IMPLICATIONS AND VALUE FOR MONEY/VAT)

- 4.1 None

5 LEGAL AND PROCUREMENT COMMENTS (INCLUDING RISK MANAGEMENT ISSUES, AND LEGAL, CRIME AND DISORDER ACT AND PROCUREMENT IMPLICATIONS)

- 5.1 None

6 STRATEGIC ASSETS & PROPERTY COMMENTS (FOR DECISION RELATING TO ALL PROPERTY ASSETS AND ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE) (AREA COMMITTEE REPORTS ONLY)

- 6.1 None

7 EQUALITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT

- 7.1 Has the equality impact of the proposals in this report been assessed?

No

X

An EIA is not required because: Not needed (report does not contain proposals or financial decisions)

8 LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS OTHER THAN PUBLISHED WORKS OR THOSE DISCLOSING CONFIDENTIAL OR EXEMPT INFORMATION

- 8.1 None

9 PUBLISHED DOCUMENTS REFERRED TO IN COMPILING THIS REPORT

- 9.1 None

Appendix 1

AREA COMMITTEE PRIORITIES: 2015/16

Area Committee	Basford and Bestwood Area Committee
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Area Committee Chair 2015/16	Councillor Mick Wildgust
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Current priorities (agreed at December Area Cluster meeting)

Priority 1	Crime and grime
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Priority 2	Youth Provision
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Priority 3	Bringing derelict sites into use
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Priority 4	Social isolation of older people
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AREA COMMITTEE PRIORITIES: 2015/16

Priority 1 - Crime and grime

actions	by Whom	timescales
To purchase a re-deployable CCTV camera in each ward that can be utilised in hotspot areas	Neighbourhood Management & Woodlands Surveillance Control	February 2016
To identify priority fly tipping / litter areas and ensure they are addressed in a maintenance regime	City Services	Identify priority areas – February 2016 Ongoing works
To ensure that contaminated bins are addressed appropriately through reporting, education and enforcement	Waste management and Community Protection	Summer 2016
To support the roll out of the 'We're Watching You' campaign in Basford and Bestwood wards	Neighbourhood Management, City Services and Community Protection	April 2016
To implement a 'good garden scheme' in the Basford and Bestwood wards	Neighbourhood Management	April 2016
To support the application of a consistent approach to replacement fencing – both timescales and materials.	Nottingham City Homes	Summer 2016

AREA COMMITTEE PRIORITIES: 2015/16

Priority 2 - Youth provision

actions	by Whom	timescales
To undertake an audit of current youth provision in Area 2	Neighbourhood Management, Family Community Team and Right Track	April 2016
To support the recruitment of volunteers to strengthen existing provision	Family Community Team and Right Track	Ongoing
Based upon the results of the audit capitalise on existing resources e.g. MUGAs, Leisure Centres, parks and open spaces, schools	Neighbourhood management, Family Community Team, Right Track, Henry Mellish Sports Centre and Community and Voluntary sector.	Summer 2016

AREA COMMITTEE PRIORITIES: 2015/16

Priority 3 - Bringing derelict sites into use

actions	by Whom	timescales
NCC to work with NCH to support the development of social housing	Housing Strategy and Regeneration	Ongoing

Support the progression of developments on garage block sites and small pockets	Housing Strategy and Regeneration	Ongoing
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AREA COMMITTEE PRIORITIES: 2015/16		
Priority 4 - Social isolation of older people		
actions	by Whom	timescales
To undertake an audit of provision for elderly people within area 2 to identify gaps.	Neighbourhood Management	April 2016
To identify where socially isolated people are located concentrating on one area in each ward	Neighbourhood Management and Nottingham City Homes	Summer 2016