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To: See Overleaf

Dear Sir/Madam

BOARD MEETING

A Board Meeting of the South Derbyshire Partnership will be held at Oakland Village, Hall Farm Road, Swadlincote, Derbyshire, DE11 8ND on **Wednesday 25 January 2017 at 10:00 am.** You are requested to attend.

Yours faithfully

Stuart Batchelor
Director of Community & Planning

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Local Authority Sector

Councillor Mrs. Hilary Coyle (South Derbyshire District Council)
Sheila Jackson (Derbyshire Association of Local Councils)
County Councillor Trevor Southerd (Derbyshire County Council)
Stuart Batchelor (South Derbyshire District Council)
District Councillor Kevin Richards (South Derbyshire District Council)
District Councillor Bob Wheeler (**Chairman**) (South Derbyshire District Council)

Other Public Sector

Chris Lavelle (Derbyshire County Council – Children & Younger Adults Locality Manager)
Vivien Sharples (Pingle School)
Chief Superintendent Jim Allen (Derbyshire Constabulary)
Mary Hague (Derbyshire County Council – Public Health)
John Beaty (Burton & South Derbyshire College)
Jane Hopkins (NHS Southern Derbyshire Clinical Commissioning Group)

Private Sector

Nick Freeman/Helen Hydes (Toyota UK Ltd)
Colleen Hempson (East Midlands Airport)
Ian Philliskirk (Sharpe's Pottery Heritage and Arts Trust)
John Everitt (The National Forest Company)
Robert Coe (Swadlincote & District Chamber of Trade)
Michael Fitzgerald (Northgate Public Services)

Voluntary/Community Sector

Fred Cox (South Derbyshire Tenants & Residents Association)
Tracey Harris (Homestart South Derbyshire)
Vacant
Michelle Skinner (South Derbyshire CVS)
Stephen Spear (SV2)
David Symcox (South Derbyshire CAB)

AGENDA

1. Introductions, apologies and to note any substitutes appointed for the Meeting.
2. Declarations of Interest.
3. To receive the Minutes of the Meeting held on 6 October 2016. (attached).
4. Matters Arising.
5. District Council Budget Update – 2017/2018 (Kevin Stackhouse).
6. Sustainable Community Strategy Refresh (Michelle Skinner). (attached).
7. Communities Fund and Gresley Old Hall Hub (Stuart Batchelor). (attached).
8. Toyota Road to Success (Helen Hydes and Sporting Futures).
9. Compassionate Communities (Mary Hague). (attached).
10. Sustainable Community Strategy – Quarter 3 – October/December (2016/2017) Appendix 1 (attached).
 - Sustainable Development
 - Health & Well-Being
 - Safe Communities
11. VCS Update (Michelle Skinner).
12. Future Agenda Items.
 1. National Tool Social Return on Investment Tool (Mary Hague/Vicky Smyth)
 2. CAB Budgeting and Financial Management – Skills Training (David Symcox)
 3. School Sport Partnership
13. Any Other Business.
14. Date of Next Meeting – **Wednesday 26 April 2017 – 10:00 am – Sharpe’s Pottery Museum, West Street, Swadlincote, DE11 9DG**

Opt-In or Opt-out Session – 45 Minutes
Dementia Awareness – Kerrie Fletcher (SD CVS)

BOARD MEETING OF THE SOUTH DERBYSHIRE
PARTNERSHIP

Midway Community Centre
on Thursday 6th October 2016 at 10:00 a.m.

PRESENT:-

Local Authority Sector

District Councillors Wheeler (Chairman), Mrs Coyle, Southerd, Rhind (South Derbyshire District Council) and Stuart Batchelor (South Derbyshire District Council).

Other Public Sector

Chief Superintendent Jack Atwal (Derbyshire Constabulary), Mary Hague (Derbyshire County Council – Public Health).

Private Sector

Helen Hydes (Toyota Motor Manufacturing (UK) Ltd), John Everitt (National Forest Company), Colleen Hempson (East Midlands Airport).

Voluntary/Community Sector

Michelle Skinner (South Derbyshire CVS), Tracey Harris (Home-Start), David Symcox (South Derbyshire CAB).

Also in Attendance

Kerrie Fletcher (South Derbyshire CVS), Mike Roylance, Vicky Smyth, Chris Smith and Sally Cope (South Derbyshire District Council).

SDP/30. **APOLOGIES**

Apologies for absence from the Meeting were received from:

Sheila Jackson (Derbyshire Association of Local Councils), Chris Lavelle (Derbyshire County Council), Deborah O’Conner/Jane Hopkins (NHS Southern Derbyshire Clinical Commissioning Group), Cllr Robert Coe (Swadlincote & District Chamber of Trade), Mike Haynes (South Derbyshire District Council), Councillor Kevin Richards (South Derbyshire District Council), John Beaty (Burton & South Derbyshire College), Ian Philliskirk (Sharpe’s Pottery & Heritage Trust) and Michael Fitzgerald (Northgate Public Services).

MATTERS ARISING

SDP/31. **INTRODUCTIONS**

Introductions took place.

Apologies were noted.

SDP/32. **DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

None.

SDP/33. **MINUTES**

The Minutes of the Meeting held on 13 July 2016 were taken as read, approved as a true record and signed by the Chairman.

SDP/34. **MATTERS ARISING**

No matters arising.

SDP/35. **THE NATIONAL FOREST - PROGRESS AND PARTNERSHIPS**

John Everitt, Chief Executive of the National Forest Company gave a presentation on celebrating 25 years of The National Forest. 25 years on the plan is working and the vision is becoming a reality with 20% forest cover, from 6% in 1991. The company will continue to work in partnership to build a more sustainable future. JE explained the three key challenges that this partnership could engage with and a discussion took place on the way forward for each project.

Timeline: January 2017 – 3 year scheme.

A Forest for Learning – Every primary school to have an outdoor learning facility, with Forest School training for teachers.

Active Outdoor Partnership – Partnership with Sport England to promote outdoor activity using the Forest, aiming to reduce inactivity and encourage entry level walking, cycling and running.

Great Place Scheme – Use of culture to increase tourism and social environment.

Embed a woodland culture, including communities managing their own woodlands.

SDP/36. **SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY STRATEGY REVIEW**

Michelle Skinner explained that the Sustainable Community Strategy was originally developed as a statutory requirement having seven themes reduced to the current three. It was agreed to refresh the Strategy document; the CVS and theme group leads to undertake the work with a view to proposing new priorities. Kerrie Fletcher led a short break-out consultation exercise session. The initial outcome of the exercise was positive, and a revised Sustainable Community Strategy will be presented to the South Derbyshire Partnership at the January 2017 meeting.

ACTION: SCG

SDP/37. **SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITY STRATEGY – QUARTER 2**

The Partnership Newsletter gave an overview of each theme group's latest developments on their projects. The three theme group leaders gave a verbal update on Quarter 2 progress.

It was noted by the Chairman that the public and trader attendance at the Farmers' Market had reduced. MR replied that this is being looked at and alternative ways of promoting town centre vitality considered.

It was agreed to do an opt-out session after the next SDP in January 2017 on Dementia Friends – this will be a 45 minute session to take place after the board meeting.

Chris Smith informed the Members that the Public Space Protection Orders (PSPO) come into force today (6 Oct) in the Town Centre.

SDP/38. **VCS UPDATE:**

The VCS Board Representatives are currently being reviewed.

SDP/39. **FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS:**

The future agenda items were agreed as follows:

Dementia Awareness – Vicky Smyth

National Tool Social Return on Investment Tool – Mary Hague/Vicky Smyth

Sustainable Community Strategy Refresh – Michelle Skinner

CAB Budgeting and Financial Management – Skills Training - David Symcox

ACTION: SB/SC

SDP/40. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

The Chairman on behalf of the SDP gave thanks to CS Jack Atwal for his support over the last 5 years and wished him well for the future.

SDP/41. **DATE OF NEXT MEETING**

Wednesday 25 January 2017 – 10:00am

Venue: Oakland Village, Hall Farm Road, Swadlincote, Derbys.DE11 8ND.

R. WHEELER

CHAIRMAN

The Meeting terminated at 11:50 am.

South Derbyshire Partnership

Report to the Board

Date of meeting: 25 January 2017

Agenda Item: 6

Sustainable Communities Strategy Refresh

1. Recommendations:

The Board is requested to:

- Provide initial feedback on the draft document
- Disseminate the draft through their organisations/networks for comment and identify how their organisation will add value to the outcomes identified in the strategy
- Sign off the final draft, following consultation, at the next meeting.

2. Background

The original South Derbyshire Partnership Sustainable Community Strategy, *Fit for the Future*, was published in 2009. It aimed to set out “the vision and direction for the economic, social and environmental well-being of South Derbyshire to 2029” and to give partners an overarching vision and clear priorities for the district, enabling them to work together to deliver agreed outcomes.

At the last meeting of the South Derbyshire Partnership Board it was agreed to revisit and refresh the strategy, as much has changed in the 8 years since it was originally published and there was a need to ensure the vision and priorities remain relevant to the current climate. It was also an opportunity to reflect on progress.

The process to date has involved:

- A review of the original outcomes, progress against targets and a review of the evidence base, including any new information or data. In some cases, it was not straightforward as data available in 2009 are no longer collected (for example, the national indicator sets) or use different measures;
- A meeting of partnership theme leads to review the original vision statement, themes and outcomes, and the most appropriate measure of impact. A draft document for comments and revisions was then circulated;
- Feedback was then collated into a revised draft which is attached to this report.

3. Key changes and implications

Separate vision statements for each theme were removed and instead streamlined into the single overarching vision statement (to which some minor changes have been made)

The number of themes was reduced from 5 to 4 to more closely align with reporting/partnership structures. (Safer Communities and Vibrant Communities coming together as a single theme called 'Safer and Stronger Communities')

Each theme has a number of outcomes with clear rationale (why this is a priority for South Derbyshire) and measure(s) of success (baseline/target based on available data or at least a process for establishing this)

There are many cross cutting themes which do not fit neatly into the 4 theme areas, however for clarity of reporting and ownership each outcome has been allocated to one of the themes.

4. What we need partnership board members to do:

- Reflect on the high level outcomes for each theme. Are these the right ones? Should we add or change any?
- Share the draft with colleagues, stakeholders and networks for their input;
- Forward any comments, suggestions, feedback so that this can inform the final, refreshed strategy to be presented at the next Board.

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Our Vision for the future of South Derbyshire

Our vision is of a **dynamic** and **caring** South Derbyshire, **able to seize opportunities** to develop and empower successful communities, whilst respecting and enhancing the **varied character and environment** of our fast growing and diverse District.

The 4 themes of the strategy are:

- Children & Young People
- Healthier Communities
- Safer and Stronger Communities
- Sustainable Development

THEME: Children and Young People				
Outcomes (the difference we want to see by 2020)	Measure(s) Indicator and data source	Baseline Latest available data and year	Target Measurable difference and target date	Lead agency Service/organisation to lead on delivery of this outcome
Raising Aspiration and increasing resilience	Percentage of Key Stage 4 pupils achieving 5 or more A* to C grade GCSEs including English and maths https://observatory.derbyshire.gov.uk/IAS/Custom/resources/areaprofiles/profiles2016/Districts/South_Derbyshire_Area_Profile.pdf	48.8% A-C	52% A-C Summer 2017 60% A-C Summer 2018	Secondary schools with multi agency input.
	Reduction in NEET figures, including unknowns <i>Information provided monthly by the Children's Reporting Team within Management Information Department at County Hall</i>	NEET- 2.13% Unknowns- 1.3% January 2017	NEET- 0.9% Unknowns- 0.91% January 2018	Multi Agency Teams(MAT)

	Improving emotional wellbeing of children and young people by early intervention. This will improve resilience and ultimately improve educational outcomes. Increase in staff trained in IAPT, mental health first aid and anger management. Successful roll out of Future in Mind Programme.	No base-line figure at present	TBC	Primary and secondary schools, MATs, voluntary sector and Public Health
Fewer children exposed to harm and perceived as at risk. <i>(This is for South Derbyshire and South Dales)</i>	Reduction in the number of children on child protection plans per 10k of the population. CSE and DV is also monitored within this, however an increase in identification in this area of work is not necessarily a negative. <i>Safeguarding Performance Improvement Board Report –October 2016</i>	55- per 10k <i>(136 total number on plans)</i>	45 per 10k by January 2018	Social Care
Improved early intervention at the point of 'emerging need' <i>(This is for South Derbyshire and South Dales)</i>	Reduction in the number of children identified as 'in need ' <i>Safeguarding Performance Improvement Board Report –October 2016</i>	567 in October 2016	520 by January 2018	Social Care
Increase in school pupils being maintained in education <i>(This is for South Derbyshire and South Dales)</i>	Reduction in the number of fixed term and permanently excluded pupils in South Derbyshire and South Dales <i>Information provided monthly by the Children's Centres</i>	Fixed term 405 Permanent 5 In 2015/16	Fixed Term 200 Permanent 4 In 2016/17	MAT
Improved targeted family support <i>(This is for South Derbyshire and South Dales)</i>	Increase the number of professionals and volunteers trained and able to deliver the 'Incredible Years Parenting Programme'. <i>Locally held information in children's services</i>	9 staff in 2-8 yrs group 13 staff in 8-13 yrs group September 2016	30 in 2-8 yrs group 30 in 8-13 yrs group By January 2018	MAT, but also to include school staff and volunteers
Early identification and support to most vulnerable children <i>(This is for South Derbyshire only)</i>	Improved take up of 2 year old nursery funding <i>Reporting Team within Management Information Department at County Hall</i>	208 eligible children, 106 accessing- 51% take up January 2017	60% Take up By January 2018	Children Centre Co-ordinator

THEME: Healthier Communities				
Outcomes (the difference we want to see by 2020)	Measure(s) Indicator and data source	Baseline Latest available data and year	Target Measurable difference and target date	Lead agency Service/organisation to lead on delivery of this outcome
Reducing health inequality: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reducing gap between highest and lowest life expectancy 	PHOF 0.1ii: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> life expectancy measure difference in years between lowest life expectancy and highest life expectancy (Health Profile 2016) http://fingertipsreports.phe.org.uk/health-profiles/2016/e07000039.pdf 	7.4yrs (m) 7.9yrs (f) (2012-14)	Reduce the difference in years (m/f) between least and most deprived populations	South Derbyshire Partnership Health and Wellbeing
Improved healthier lifestyle choices: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increased physical activity participation Improved healthy weight in children 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> PHOF 2.13i % active adults (16+) Percentage of adults achieving at least 150 minutes of physical activity per week in accordance with UK Chief Medical Officer (CMO) recommended guidelines on physical activity. Percentage of inactive adults (Active People Survey) PHOF 2.06ii % of R/Y.6 children measured as overweight or obese (National Child Measurement Programme/NCMP) PHOF 2.12 Percentage of adults classified as overweight or obese (Active People Survey) http://www.phoutcomes.info/public-health-outcomes-framework#page/0/qid/1000042/pat/6/par/E12000004/ati/101/are/E07000039	56.7% (2015) 29.3% (2015) 22.6% obese (R) 30.7% (Y.6) (2014/15) 69.3% (2013-15)	District % to be above/ better than England district % of inactive adults to be below England District % to be 19% (R) District % to be 25% (Y.6) District % below England average	South Derbyshire Partnership Health and Wellbeing

<p>Improved health of older people.</p> <p>Improving quality of life in older years (post 65)</p> <p>Home independence of older people</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PHOF 4.13 Average health status score for adults aged 65 and over (GP Patient Survey) http://www.phoutcomes.info/public-health-outcomes-framework#page/4/gid/1000044/pat/6/par/E12000004/ati/101/are/E07000039/iid/91195/age/27/sex/4 • PHOF 0.1ii Improved life expectancy years post 65yrs (m) and (f) <p>Service outputs:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dementia Friends • Dementia Champions • Businesses signed up as DAA supporters 	<p>Score: 0.734 (2013-14)</p> <p>18.3 (m) 20.7 (f) (2012-14)</p> <p>Baseline (201617)</p>	<p>District score above England</p> <p>Life expectancy years to increase above England</p> <p>District increase on baseline</p>	<p>South Derbyshire Partnership Health and Wellbeing</p>
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THEME: Safer and Stronger Communities

Outcomes (the difference we want to see by 2020)	Measure(s) Indicator and data source	Baseline Latest available data and year	Target Measurable difference and target date	Lead agency Service/organisation to lead on delivery of this outcome
Increase the number of young people aware of the risks of CSE and Sexting.	Number of young people attending School education sessions including Chelsea's Choice, Assemblies and 'Know More' events Data will be kept by signing in sheets at each event	No Baseline Data	1000 young people (by 31/03/2018)	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership
Improve security at homes of victims of crime, the elderly, and people at risk.	Number of Safer Homes visits completed Data provided quarterly by CVS	400 (2015/16)	400 (by 31/03/2018)	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership / CVS
Reduce Acquisitive Crime in South Derbyshire (per 1000 population)	Number of Burglary Dwellings, Robbery's and Vehicle Crimes Data provided quarterly by Safer Derbyshire Analyst	569 (2015/16)	550 (by 31/03/2018)	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership / Police
Reduce ASB Incidents in South Derbyshire	Number of ASB Calls to service received by the Police. Data provided by Safer Derbyshire Analyst	2769 (2015/16)	2700 (by 31/03/2018)	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership / Police
Reduce fear of crime in the in the North Swadlincote Area (Newhall)	Residents who are very/fairly worried about crime % of Citizens' Panel respondents	64% - North Swadlincote (South Derbys average 36.2%)	50% - Swadlincote North (by 31/03/2018)	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership/ Police

More people and communities benefit from the contribution of volunteers and participation in volunteering	Number and equivalent financial value of hours contributed by volunteers to South Derbyshire	To be established via survey of local groups and services	10% increase	South Derbyshire CVS
Increased voluntary and community sector activity within the district	<p>Number of charities in South Derbyshire Total and average income of South Derbyshire based registered charities</p> <p>Based on last available accounts of South Derbyshire based charities registered with the Charity Commission</p>	<p>June 2016 172 registered charities Total income £50m Income of micro - large charities (excluding 3 major charities) £7.2m Median income £10,663</p>	10% increase	South Derbyshire CVS

THEME: Sustainable Development				
Outcomes (the difference we want to see by 2020)	Measure(s) Indicator and data source	Baseline Latest available data and year	Target Measurable difference and target date	Lead agency Service/organisation to lead on delivery of this outcome
A more prosperous, better connected, increasingly resilient and competitive economy	Sustain low levels of unemployment (relative to national) https://observatory.derbyshire.gov.uk/IAS/Custom/Pages/Economy/benefits/Unemployment.aspx	(Nov 2016) 0.6% SD 1.8% Eng	(2020)	SDDC
	Develop additional employment floorspace <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning (BD1)</i>	(2015/16) 18,820.55 sqm	(2020)	SDDC
	Increase proportion of population with qualifications at NVQ Level 2 and above https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/reports/lmp/la/1946157140/report.aspx?town=southderbyshire#tabquals	(Jan-Dec 2015) 83.2% SD 73.6% GB	(Jan-Dec 2020)	DCC/Colleges
	Reduce the number of vacant units in Swadlincote town centre <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning</i>	(Sept 2016) 14%	(2020)	SDDC
A better place to live, work and visit at the heart of The National Forest	Increase National Forest planting in the District <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning</i>	(2015/16) 0.25 Ha	(2020)	NFC
	Increase in areas of biodiversity importance <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning (E2)</i>	N/A	(2020)	SDDC
	Increase spend by visitors to The National Forest <i>Data collected by NFC for Forest area</i>	(2014) £373.8m	(2020)	NFC
	Number of designated Air Quality Management Areas (areas with poor air quality) <i>Data collected by SDDC Environmental Health</i>	(2015/16) 0	(2020) 0	SDDC

Access to an increased supply of housing that is well designed, affordable and energy efficient in sustainable communities	Increase supply of new homes <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning (H2b)</i>	(2015/16) 569	(By 2028) 12,618	SDDC
	Increase supply of affordable housing (excluding Council new build) <i>Data collected by SDDC Housing</i>	(2015/16) 80	(Up to 2021/22) 150 pa (average)	SDDC
	Increase average environmental performance of Council housing stock <i>Data collected by SDDC Housing (SAP rating)</i> Alternatively 'Households in fuel poverty' - TBC	(2015/16) 67	(2020) 70	SDDC
	Increase proportion of new housing schemes achieving a score of 16 or more in Building for Life assessment (industry standard for well-designed homes and neighbourhoods) <i>Data collected by SDDC Planning</i>	(2015/16) 0%	(2020) 50%	SDDC

South Derbyshire Partnership

Report to the Board

Date of meeting: 25 January 2017

Agenda Item: 7

Communities Fund and Gresley Old Hall – Community Hub

1.0 Recommendation

- 1.1 The Board approves the Partnerships involvement in the Gresley Old Hall Community Project and support the application to the 'Communities Fund'.
- 1.2 The Board approves the allocation from the Partnerships budget of £1,000 to support the staging of community consultation events at the Old Hall facility.

2.0 Purpose of Report

- 2.1 The report outlines the project to develop a Community Hub at the Gresley Old Hall facility and seeks endorsement for the Partnerships involvement in the project, application for external funding and allocation of £1,000 to support the initial community consultation.

3.0 Detail

- 3.1 The opportunity to develop a Gresley Old Hall as a venue for engaging the local community has arisen through discussions between County Councillor Trevor Southerd, Public Health, South Derbyshire CVS and the District Council. This project proposal gives the detail of these discussions and the exciting opportunities that could have a positive impact on the lives of local people, particularly older people, low income families and people who are vulnerable or isolated.

Background

- 3.2 Gresley Old Hall is a Coal Industry Social Welfare Organisation facility which has traditionally been an important social hub for the coalmining community of Gresley.
- 3.3 Over the more recent years the facility has needed refurbishment and a refocus so that it can become a more attractive destination for the wider community of Gresley and the surrounding area. The range and quality of the Old Hall's facilities are under-utilised and have the potential to be used extensively, particularly during the day.
- 3.4 As an important community facility in the urban area the Council has provided officer and technical support for several projects linked to the refurbishment of the site. It is also regularly used for events such as Liberation Day.
- 3.5 In terms of deprivation indices the Gresley ward has a number of issues which have led to funding being allocated to the community through the Derbyshire County Council Priority Communities Fund. The profile of Gresley is summarised as follows:

- Population 8,273 of which 3% are from BME communities.
- 27.4% of adults are obese, higher than District, County and England level.
- Emergency hospital admissions for all causes, CHD and COPD are all significantly worse than the England average.
- All causes mortality is also significantly worse than the England average.
- Premature mortality for coronary heart disease aged under 75 is slightly worse than the England average.
- 30.2% of pensioners live alone.
- Life expectancy for males is 77.8 slightly lower than England at 79.3.
- Life expectancy for females is 81.5 compared to the England rate of 83.

Project Proposal

- 3.6 The discussions regarding an appropriate project for the Priority Communities Fund led to the following objectives being tabled:

Objectives

1. To support communities living in areas of deprivation.
 2. To promote the health of local communities by providing a food offer.
 3. To provide a social meeting opportunity for vulnerable and isolated members of the community.
 4. To promote physical activity opportunities for young people, women, older people, disabled people or those with health conditions and family groups.
 5. To recruit and develop volunteers to support community activities
- 3.7 The Scope of the project would be to initially organise one-off activity taster sessions for the local community including food hub/lunch, social meeting event and activity based session(s), e.g. tea dance, indoor bowls etc. and to use these events as an opportunity to consult with local residents and target groups about the types of activities and events that they would like to happen.
- 3.8 Dependent upon the consultation to develop use of the Old Hall site as a venue for a range of activities for different ages and sectors of the community. This could include encouraging and supporting local community organisations to use the site as a venue for their activities, offer new activities, or work with local residents to organise and run their own activities/groups.
- 3.9 The Partnership is being requested to provide £1,000 towards these initial consultation events.

3.10 The delivery of the proposal would be through a Project worker(s) bringing together Gresley Old Hall and other local partner agencies to form a project group and develop an initial programme of ‘taster’ sessions. Partner agencies to be included in this group could include:

SDDC – Housing, Sport and Health, Communities and Cultural Services	
DCC Adult Social Care	South Derbyshire CVS
DCC Children and Younger Adults	Churches Together
Community Transport / transport providers	Active Nation
Get Active in the Forest	

3.11 This partnership group would report back to the South Derbyshire Partnership, delivering the project as part of the Sustainable Community Strategy Action Plan for 2017/18.

The Communities Fund

3.12 Following on from the development of the proposal notification was received in December of the Governments grant scheme ‘The Communities Fund’ which is seeking projects which support public services and community led projects to provide better services and meet the challenges of increased customer demand. The Fund required an application by mid-January so the partnership group has submitted an application for up to £70,000. The Fund will be significantly oversubscribed in terms of applications but does identify community hubs as examples of projects to be supported. A successful bid would enable a bigger and more significant project to be delivered.

Priority Communities Fund

3.13 The project group is working with Derbyshire County Council to submit an application to this fund which it is hoped will support the setting up of the project and be utilised to deliver a programme of activities and services at the site through other funding sources/applications. A Business Plan would be produced to identify what is needed, how best it can be delivered and how the project could become sustainable.

4.0 Financial Implications

4.1 The Partnership has £6,000 available from its 2016/17 budget which can be allocated to the project. The remaining funds will be carried forward to 2017/18.

5.0 Conclusions

5.1 This project is an ideal opportunity to utilise an important community facility to deliver public and voluntary sector services that are based upon the requirements of the community.

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South Derbyshire Partnership

Report to the Board

Date of meeting: 25 January 2017

Agenda Item: 9

Derbyshire County Council Public Health Department **Briefing on Compassionate Communities Project**

Introduction

Derbyshire has a greater proportion of its population aged 75 years and over than England, with the proportion projected to increase further over the next 15 years. In addition, the number of individuals with multi-morbidity is increasing, particularly amongst the frail elderly population. This means that each year more of us will die and many more of us will face the challenges of dying, death and bereavement.

There is an increasing recognition that individuals with a non-cancer terminal illness benefit from good end of life care (EOLC) that traditionally have been provided to those with terminal cancer.

Over many decades the social context of death and dying has been lost in part due to advances in medicine that have resulted in hospital becoming the usual place of death for many people, with professionals taking responsibility for managing death and dying. This has led to an unwillingness within society to talk about death, dying etc. and people being unwilling/unable to discuss their preferences for care, place of death, prepare a will or a funeral.

Since the publication of the National End of Life Care Strategy in 2008ⁱ, there has been significant effort in England to try and improve the quality of EOLC for all. Despite the many gains, changes in place of death have been very modest, rising from a low of home death rates of 19% in 2006 to 23% in 2015. The picture of home deaths in Derbyshire is similar to that of England with 19% dying at home in 2006, rising to 22.4% in 2015.

The ambition both nationally and locally is how we improve EOLC, reduce inequity in access to EOLC services and support people to die in their usual place of residence against a backdrop of an NHS and social care system facing constrained resources and rising demand.

To achieve this ambition we will need new approaches and one that is emerging that can help to achieve it is a public health approach to EOLC.

Public Health Approach to EOLC

The public health approach to EOLC is one that has emerged over the last 30 years and has its roots in the Ottawa Charter for Health promotion which aims to enable people to take control over their own health.

The approach that has gained most traction is the health promoting palliative care model proposed by Kellehear^{ii iii} who argues that death, dying and loss are social experiences that require a social, not a personal or a biomedical response.

By restoring community involvement at the end of life, expectations and knowledge of death, dying and loss, change. This fosters healthier attitudes, normalising death, dying and loss thereby minimising the associated harms. This social capital approach builds personal and community capacity supporting professionals in their work to deliver high quality EOLC.

Community engagement and development is central to the delivery of this model and this approach supports other similar initiatives such as co-production and asset-based approaches that many public sector organisations including the Council are using.

The value of this approach has been recognised recently with the publication in 2015 of the Ambitions for Palliative and End of Life Care^{iv} which identifies 6 ambitions for improving EOLC including

Each community is prepared to help – Ambition 6

That people live in a community where everybody recognises that we all have a role to play in supporting each other in times of crisis and loss. People are ready, willing and confident to have conversations about living and dying well and support each other in emotional and practical ways.

To facilitate development of the public health approach to EOLC the National Council for Palliative Care has developed Dying Well Charter^v and PHE has developed Health Approaches End of Life Care Toolkit^{vi}.

Evidence

The use of a public health approach to EOLC is still in development and there is limited evidence at present. However key findings from the available evidence include:

- A meta-analysis concluded community engagement interventions are effective in improving health behaviours, health consequences, participant self-efficacy and perceived social support for disadvantaged groups^{vii}
- Engaging communities in EOLC can expand the network of people who can support people in EOLC, however the strength (density) of those ties did not improve^{viii}
- A systematic review demonstrated that that engaging communities can lead to improved outcomes for carers such as decreased fatigue or isolation, increase in size of caring networks and that wider social networks can influence factors such as place of death and involvement of palliative care services (Sallnow L et al 2016)^{ix}

Objectives of a Compassionate Communities Project in Derbyshire

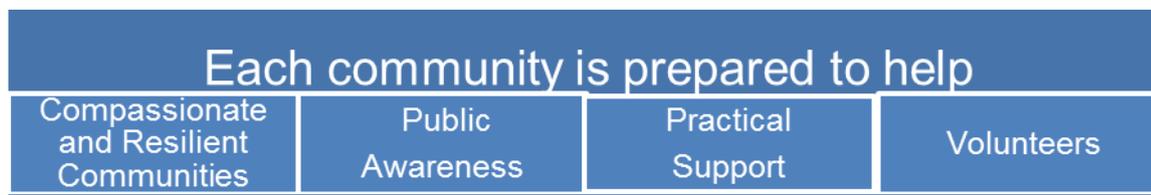
The project would seek to work in partnership with statutory bodies such as CCG's, hospices, GP's etc. and non-statutory bodies such as faith groups, voluntary sector etc. and seek to:

- Engage communities to encourage and assist them with a top down and bottom up approach to help them find ways of developing healthy and constructive approaches to death and dying, and tackle taboo's.
- Develop a communications strategy, including identification of key messages, to address low levels of awareness of EOLC and help individuals, families, professionals and communities feel more comfortable about talking about death and dying
- Facilitate the development a network of volunteers to support and help the dying and those close to them. Volunteers would undertake activities such as helping people with thinking about advanced care planning, wills, funerals etc. through to practical support with day to day tasks

To help deliver the project we would use a settings based approach and engage with people through churches, workplaces etc.

We know that some of this work is already happening e.g. volunteers, and the project would seek to avoid duplication and add value to the current work. We would also seek to use the existing public health networks within localities.

This approach would help with the delivery of the 'building blocks' identified to delivering Ambition 6 in the Ambitions for Palliative and End of Life Care as shown in the diagram below:



Benefits of the Project

The project would seek support an approach that has benefits such as reduced demand on existing services and help to reduce inequalities by ensuring that all groups within society can access high quality EOLC. Emerging evidence from community development approaches suggests that this approach can be cost effective.

Other benefits are that it could help improve people's experience of EOLC by supporting them to achieve a 'good death' e.g. by helping people to achieve death in their preferred place and ensuring that people with a terminal condition receive practical support.

There are also potential benefits to carers with decreased fatigue, less social isolation and potentially reduced risk of mental illness.

Funding and Delivery

Through the Prevention Fund, the Council has allocated £90,000 for the project which must be spent by the end of March 2019.

Given the funding provided it is intended that we focus upon a locality or 2-3 places to deliver the project intensively over the next 2 years. The locality or places have yet to be determined.

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South Derbyshire Partnership

Report to the Board

Date of meeting: 25 January 2017

Agenda Item: 10

Sustainable Community Strategy Action Plan –Quarter 3 – October/December (2016/17)

1.0 Purpose of Report

1.1 To inform the Board on the Theme Groups work to date.

2.0 Detail

2.1 As previously reported the performance monitoring for the work of the Theme Groups is now provided as narrative reports which will contain information about what has been achieved; any challenges faced and highlight stories/case studies to demonstrate what we are delivering in each of the theme areas. These are attached as Appendix 1.

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**South Derbyshire Partnership
Community Strategy Action Plan 2016/17
QUARTER 3**

SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT

1, 2 & 3 (Apr-Dec 2016)

***Raising Aspirations:** Raising aspirations and assisting unemployed groups into employment and training, particularly amongst younger people and in the more deprived areas of the District.*

Swadlincote Jobs & Careers Fair was staged in the Sports Hall at Green Bank Leisure Centre in April led by Swadlincote Jobcentre plus. Fifty exhibitors offered over 1,500 job opportunities, plus a range of apprenticeships, training courses, volunteering places and self-employment support. 644 members of the public attended, seeking to improve their skills and employment prospects. The early part of the day was reserved for school pupils to 'have a go' at new skills, explore future education and training opportunities and learn about local employers. 238 young people attended from the William Allitt, Granville and Pingle secondary schools.

The **South Derbyshire Young Enterprise** initiative commenced with William Allitt School in May. Pupils took part in an exercise to develop their own business idea and discuss it with Business Advisers from the South Derbyshire Business Advice Service. As part of Swadlincote Market's support for 'Love Your Local Market' (a national campaign to promote the market industry, culture and entrepreneurship), the pupils then had market stalls in the town centre and implemented their business ideas, raising money for charity.

Work Clubs are being delivered by the Old Post Centre from the Centre in Newhall, as well as at Oakland Village, the CAB offices and Etwall Library. The Clubs help those seeking assistance searching and applying for jobs, including CV writing. Many of those seeking support are new to looking for work online or lack confidence or IT skills. The ALICE (**Accessible Learning in Community Environments**) project is underway led by South Derbyshire CVS and providing more intensive support to help individuals get closer to more formal training or work.

***Promoting Town Centres:** Working with local businesses and organisations to attract visitors and investment, enhance the physical environment and promote the vitality of town centres.*

The **Swadlincote Townscape** programme is now well underway with a range of activities being delivered with the support of the Heritage Lottery Fund. A grant scheme of some £300K has been launched to assist property owners in improving historic buildings in the town centre, together with a programme of community and educational activities engaging schools, businesses and members of the public. Proposals for the redesign of the Diana Memorial Garden on Grove Street are being drawn up, with the support of local participatory community arts organisation People Express.

Swadlincote Wedding Fair was staged in April by Swadlincote Town Team with the active support of numerous town centre businesses. A large number of wedding-related businesses opened on the Sunday for the event, from florists to travel agents. The Town Hall staged a catwalk display of wedding outfits and wedding suppliers took stalls at the Ski Centre and Sharpe's Pottery. The event was well-attended with the 50+ businesses participating reporting good sales on the day and appointments for future business.

The attractive event marketing materials were created by a design student from Burton & South Derbyshire College, helping them to gain practical work experience.

Swadlincote Farmers' Market operated on the last Thursday of the month through to December. During 2016 it included cooking demonstrations from the Food Saver Champs – part of the Sainsbury's Waste Less, Save More initiative to reduce food waste in Swadlincote. There were also exhibitions from OLIO, a free app which connects neighbours with each other and local shops so that surplus food can be shared.

The **National Forest Walking Festival** was held in May, with the numbers of walkers significantly up on 2015 at 1,394. Evaluation forms revealed that for 56% of walkers the Festival was their main reason for visiting the area. The Festival was supported by more than thirty organisations and voluntary groups which led individual walks. Funding for the event was received from the National Forest Company, Leicestershire County Council and South Derbyshire District Council. Eighty-five walks took place over the two weeks, ranging from short health walks to full day rambles.

The **Swadlincote Festival of Transport** was staged in May by the Box Motor Club & Rotary Club of Swadlincote, with a mix of historic and contemporary vehicles, including cars, motorcycles, campervans, buses, lorries and tractors. The ever growing number of exhibitors attracted a huge audience to the event, to the benefit of town centre retailers, food & drink outlets and local charities.

A **Town Centre Guide** was launched by Swadlincote Town Team at a tea party in June. The Guide is an encyclopaedia of over 200 places to shop, eat, visit and enjoy in Swadlincote town centre, together with details of local markets, attractions and free car parks. The Guide has been well received by local businesses who are now helping to distribute it to both residents and potential visitors.

A **Shopping Day** was staged by Swadlincote Town Team in August at the start of the new football season to attract shoppers who had 'had enough of sport on TV!'. The initiative promoted the new Town Centre Guide and encouraged the use of the social media hashtag: #SWADOFFERS by businesses to feature their products and services. The Town Team also promoted the national **Small Business Saturday** initiative in December, which encourages consumers to 'shop local' and support small businesses.

The Chamber of Trade's Swadlincote Town Centre **Scarecrow Hunt** took place over two weeks in August, with prizes for both adults and children. Scarecrows are hidden in shops and businesses around the town centre to encourage visitors to explore the whole of the town centre and what it has to offer. Some 30 businesses and organisations created scarecrows for the event and 130 families or other groups of visitors entered.

The **Swadlincote International Food & Drink Festival** took place in October attracting thousands of visitors to the town centre over a long weekend. Entertainment included singers, performers and demonstration chefs including TV chef James Strawbridge and 'Wild Chef' Ralph Skripek. Some one hundred stalls offered food, drink, arts and crafts from around the world.

A Swadlincote **Xmas Mega Market** was held in December bringing together around fifty traditional, food & drink and craft & vintage stalls. The Delph market square and High Street also featured a Santa's Grotto, carol singers and mini fairground rides.

Encouraging Enterprise: *Encouraging entrepreneurship, supporting the formation and development of businesses, and maximising the take-up of advice and financial assistance.*

South Derbyshire Business Advice Service staged a Cybercrime Breakfast Seminar at Foston in April with guest speaker David Benford MSc of Derby University, attracting some fourteen business attendees. The event was very well-received, focusing on higher level protection, and exploring current threats from internal and external sources to businesses, their customers and supply chain. The Service has seen an increase in uptake by existing businesses, interested in grants and other assistance.

The Burton, Swadlincote & Uttoxeter (Burton Mail) **Business Awards** received over one hundred entries from around fifty companies. The eleven awards categories attracted entries from new start sole traders through to some of the largest multinational businesses in the area. The Gala Awards Evening in October saw South Derbyshire businesses pick up numerous awards, including the overall prize which went to Two Twenty staircases of Foston. Other winners included Bright Side Vets (best customer service and small business with less than 10 employees), Chameleon School of Construction (young employee and small business 11-20 FTEs), First Fence (use of innovation/technology) and Hi-Tech Fabrication (manufacturer).

A '**Thinking of Starting a Business?**' workshop was held for prospective entrepreneurs in November at Sharpe's Pottery Museum by the South Derbyshire Business Advice Service. The evening event attracted sixteen participants considering self-employment.

A **business breakfast** was held alongside the launch of the new South Derbyshire Economic Development Strategy in November at the Odeon Cinema at The Pipeworks. The event provided an overview of new sources of advice and financial assistance for businesses and attracted almost 80 attendees. A host of partner organisations exhibited at the networking session that followed the presentations. Breakfast was provided by the 'Food Saver Champions' as part of the Sainsbury's Waste less, Save more initiative.

Health and Wellbeing Group

Update - Jan 2017

Sustainability and Transformation Plan (STPs)

The NHS and local councils have come together in 44 areas covering all of England to develop proposals and make improvements to health and care. These proposals, called Sustainability and Transformation Plans (STPs), are place-based and built around the needs of the local population. The plans set out a vision for a more joined up approach to health and social care, the steps that should be taken to get there and how everyone involved needs to work together to improve what we deliver.

Derbyshire's STP is called 'Joined Up Care Derbyshire and can be found here:-

www.southernderbyshireccg.nhs.uk/joinedupcarederbyshire

In order to achieve the aims of the STP, a Place-Based working approach has been adopted. This will focus efforts on populations with similar needs to ensure better outcomes for patients. Interventions will then be tailored to support those communities. South Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Group partners are becoming engaged in the South Derbyshire Place developments to support health improvement, collaboration and joint working across South Derbyshire.

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Gardening Project

A partnership funded 'Gardening and Low Level Support Scheme Pilot' is showing positive initial outcomes. The project aims to support elderly and vulnerable tenants across the district of South Derbyshire to remain in their own home (particularly in the most deprived areas) by supporting with gardening and upkeep of outside areas of the home along with low level maintenance tasks. The project also offers numerous opportunities to mitigate against community safety risks, improve environmental aesthetics and support positive mental health.

So far 27 vulnerable tenants have been supported, with 79 gardening visits completed. In addition 2 low level maintenance tasks have been completed. Secondary outcomes include 27 people receiving information related to safety, security and fire risk.

The next phase of the scheme is to recruit and support a team of volunteers to grow and sustain the project in the longer term.

Below are a few comments collected from people who have accessed the project so far.

" Very good service, polite and helpful. Did an excellent job which I could not do myself and was worrying me"

"couldn't have got the garden in order without his help"

" thank you for doing our garden"

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Additional Public Health Investment

'5 Ways to Wellbeing'

Derbyshire County Council Public Health have allocated an additional £18,000 to the South Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Group locality budget to support implementation of the '5 Ways to Wellbeing' approach. '5 Ways' is a highly regarded and recommended set of evidence-based public mental health messages, which are aimed at improving the mental health and wellbeing of the population.

The '5 Ways to Wellbeing' are:-

- Connect
- Be Active
- Take Notice
- Keep Learning
- Give

They are applicable to the whole life-course and can be incorporated into everyday life by all of us whether we have mental ill health or not. The '5 Ways to Wellbeing' can be used to both improve individual wellbeing and to provide a framework for strategic planning and service design.

Funding will be allocated to two strands of work:-

- £5,000 towards development of a Partnership Communications Plan to promote the '5 Ways to Wellbeing' and delivery of a campaign to be both public-facing and internal to partner organisations.
- £13,000 towards a South Derbyshire small grants fund to support voluntary and community sector organisations. Applications must demonstrate activity aimed specifically at increasing understanding and participation in the '5 Ways to Wellbeing' by people who are at higher risk of developing mental ill health.

The measures will build on and enhance existing local activity.

Derbyshire Healthy Workplaces



Derbyshire County Council Public Health has also allocated the South Derbyshire Health and Wellbeing Group an additional £5,000 in non-recurrent funding. This is to promote and support new organisations to engage with the Healthy Workplaces programme.

The Derbyshire Healthy Workplaces Programme engages with organisations from the public, private and voluntary sectors across the County to enable them to embed sustainable mechanisms that support the health and wellbeing of staff, employees and volunteers.

Workplaces are key settings to engage with residents to promote a range of positive health factors through health promotion messages, policies, training, local providers and ultimately the creation of healthy communities/environments.

The Healthy Workplaces Derbyshire programme is now embedding a Locality approach across public health and supports Place Based Working by forming part of the prevention framework of the STP.

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SAFER COMMUNITIES

Safer South Derbyshire Partnership



Q3 Update 2016 /17

Swadlincote Town Team

The long running Swadlincote Shop Watch meeting has now been amalgamated with the SDDC Town Team meeting. The first meeting was held in October. Increased promotion of the next meeting will occur in January to improve numbers attending.

Updated shop lifter offender books have been provided to designated shops and businesses within Swadlincote Town Centre. The police have provided the books which contain names and photos of convicted shop lifters.

Parents Education Evening

On 13th October the SSPD facilitated a parents evening at Granville School. Parents were split into 4 groups and attended education sessions on Child Sexual Exploitation, Sexting, Drugs and Mental Health. Feedback from the event was extremely positive and further events are planned at Pingle and William Allitt School in 2017.

Neighbourhood Watch

New Neighbourhood Watch Groups have started up in Scropton and Ferry Green Willington. Approx. 40 people attended the launch night at Scropton, and the group are planning on creating a voluntary library and are also forming footpaths group.

Crime prevention training has been arranged for local business to help train members of staff on what they can do to limit the risk of being a victim of shoplifting. The session which took place on 20th October was held at rink passage and delivered by The Chamber of Commerce.

ASB

1 FPN issued to young person for breach of CPN in Hilton.

The ASB Officer is looking at prosecuting a parent for failure to comply with a Community Protection Notice in relation to the behaviour of their child.

Prison Me? No Way! Insight Sessions

Prison Me No Way Offender insight sessions - The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership has introduced these sessions to try and change the behaviour of young people who are currently causing ASB issues in the community.

The first session took place with eight local young people, all of who are currently on Acceptable Behaviour Contracts at Swadlincote Police Station on 25th October. The group session involves the young people meeting with a serving or ex-offender (accompanied by a PMNW! member of staff), who talks openly about their life and time in prison. The group get to ask questions about daily prison life and the consequences of serving a prison sentence. Further sessions are planned in 2017.

Sexting Intervention in Schools

PC Louise Stevenson has held assemblies at Pingle and William Allitt schools to all pupils to warn of the risk and consequences of sending indecent images via mobile phones. ASB Officer Claire Rawlins has joined PC Stevenson in delivering a Sexting discussion group for a local girls youth group.

Hate Crime Surgery

A Hate Crime Surgery aimed at listening to victims of hate crime was held in Stenson Fields on Saturday 26th November. A number of local people attended and discussed their experiences, barriers to reporting incidents and were provided with information on local services.

SDDC Hate Crime Reporting Form

The Council Hate Crime Reporting Form and Procedure Document have been reviewed and updated. The documents, which were approved by the Council Equalities and Safeguarding Group and have been simplified, to make it easier for officers to understand and to ensure that positive action is taken and recorded by the officer receiving the report.

White Ribbon Campaign

The White Ribbon Campaign was promoted by Trident Reach the Charity on Thursday 24th November in Swadlincote Town Centre. White Ribbon Campaign UK is part of a global movement to put a stop to male violence against women and girls. Local people were asked to sign up to the campaign and in return received a small white ribbon which they were asked to wear for the next seven days in support of the campaign.

Safer Homes for DV Victims

The existing Safer Homes Scheme has been extended to ensure all Domestic Abuse victims will now get a security visit by the Safer Homes operative if referred by local Domestic Abuse services. The 'Sanctuary Scheme' service provided by the DCC Handy Van service now only provides security visits to high-risk victims. Medium-risk victims do receive a pack of alarms via 'Handy Van' but they don't get a full security check which can install additional items such as door chains, spy holes, window locks, or additional security measures for outside the property.

Swadlincote Town Centre PSPO

The Public Space Protection Order which is now in place on the Town Centre is starting to take effect. The police have confiscated alcohol on 4 occasions and one fixed penalty notice has been issued for refusing to hand over alcohol.

Safer Neighbourhood Funding

Aston on Trent CCTV has been upgraded with the help of a Safer Neighbourhood Grant. The new HD camera has replaced the old poor quality camera and has been funded by SSDP, the Parish Council and Aston NHW Group.

A new Youth Group has been set up in Hilton with the help of a Safer Neighbourhood Grant of £500. The Village Games Officer is assisting with the development of the group with a number of local volunteers. Numbers have been very promising with over 50 young people in attendance each week.

A £400 grant has been awarded to Friends of Aston Brickyard to buy three Wildlife CCTV Cameras to help prevent further criminal damage.

Safer Neighbourhoods Meetings

Dates have been set for the next round of Safer Neighbourhood / Area Forum public meetings. All meetings start at 6.15pm.

Area 1 SNT meeting - Monday, January 30, at Hatton Jubilee Hall.

Area 2 SNT meeting - Tuesday, January 31, at Repton Village Hall.

Area 3 SNT meeting - Tuesday, January 24, at Melbourne Sports Park.

Area 4 SNT meeting - Wednesday, February 15, at Oakland Village, Swadlincote.

Area 5 SNT meeting - Wednesday, February 1, at Midway Community Centre.

Area 6 SNT meeting - Monday, February 6, at Coton-in-the-Elms Community Centre.
