Argyll and Bute Community Planning Partnership

Helensburgh and Lomond Area Community Planning Group

12 October 2017



Briefing Note: Area Community Planning Action Plan

This briefing is for the final sign off of the attached action plan.

Summary

The Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act places a requirement on Community Planning Partnerships to publish 'Locality Plans' known here as Area Community Planning Action Plans to address the inequality of experience across communities and have actions to address these. All Community Planning partners are responsible for ensuring the CPP delivers its commitments within the plans. The Plans are required to be signed off in October 2017 by Area Community Planning Groups and will form the basis of future meetings.

Points for Consideration

Over the past year the CPP's work on the Area Community Action Plan has involved:

- Consideration of the legislation
- Consideration of current community and partner plans and their existing actions to address issues
- Use of statistics and community profiling using a national tool, created for CPPs in Scotland by the Improvement Service
- Engagement with Area Community Planning Groups on key issues (February 2017)
- Engagement using the Place Standard Tool (over 500 responses from individuals across Argyll and Bute, April 2017).
- Engagement with Community Planning Partners at a Development Day on 7 June to devise actions and further refinement of these at CPP meeting at end June 2017.
- Public consultation on the draft plans in August 2017.
- Drafting of final action plans and consideration of community feedback at CPP Management Committee, 20 September 2017

Next steps

- Final sign off at Area Community Planning Group
- Monitoring at Area Community Planning Group meetings

Point for Discussion

Discuss and agree the action plan, and sign this off for its use in future Area Community Planning meetings.

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