

## Management Committee

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# Evaluation of the Community Planning Partnership Full Partnership, Queen's Hall Dunoon, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019

## 1.0 Purpose

This report is being presented to the Community Planning Partnership (CPP) Management Committee as an evaluation of the CPP Full Partnership 2018/19 held at Queen's Hall, Dunoon, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019.

## 2.0 Recommendations

It is recommended that the Committee note the contents of this report.

## 3.0 Background

The CPP Full Partnership 2018/19 was held at Queen's Hall, Dunoon, 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019. The theme of the CPP Full Partnership 2018/19 was 'Community Planning in Action: Meeting Challenges Together'. The day provided informative sessions, both presented and interactive, and an opportunity for attendees to network among their peers. Sessions included: 'Dunoon from a youth perspective', 'Community Planning from a Scottish Government Perspective', 'Heart & Soul of Scotland Tourism Campaign', 'The Strachur Hub Model', and 'Reflections over the past year', from Police Scotland, the Department for Work & Pensions, and Area Community Planning Groups.

Delegates were also given the opportunity for group discussions around 'Fairness & Equalities', and 'Opportunities for Engagement & Participation'.

## 4.0 Detail

### Evaluation of Sessions

The sessions provided during the day were well received, the bulk of ratings for each achieving a score of 4 or 5, where 5 is excellent and 1 is poor. The scores of each individual session can be found in Appendix 1.

## **Partnership Working**

Of those who responded, 30 people out of 31 (97%) thought that the Full Partnership increased their understanding of partnership working, and 100% of respondents felt that the day provided networking opportunities.

## **Future key themes to be addressed by the Community Planning Partnership**

Delegates were asked to identify key themes for future CPP Full Partnerships in the evaluation forms provided. Community Engagement was the most popular theme, with Transport and Infrastructure a close second. Appendix 2 provides details of all suggestions.

## **CPP 'Takeaways' - Issues / ideas which delegates will use in their professional lives going forward.**

The strongest 'takeaway' from the day was found to be the opportunity for networking and establishing contacts, and the introduction of ABplace2b was also very popular. Full details of these can be found in Appendix 3.

## **Other Feedback: Comments on the day**

Delegates were asked to comment further on the day, and the comments received were generally favourable, particularly regarding the contribution of pupils from Dunoon Grammar School. However, there were also learning points, such as the need for presenters to explain the terminology used, the need for more 'comfort breaks' and a suitable ambient temperature in the venue. Full comments can be found in Appendix 4.

## **5.0 Conclusions**

The evaluation of the CPP Full Partnership from attendees was very encouraging. Delegates were engaged and had a positive experience, which translated into high scores for the sessions presented and the comments made. The feedback also gave important information with regard to forward planning the next CPP Full Partnership in terms of interest and relevance.

## **6.0 Implications**

Strategic Implications	N/A
Consultations, Previous considerations	N/A
Resources	N/A
Prevention	N/A
Equalities	N/A

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## **References**

N/A

## **Appendices**

Appendix 1 – Feedback on individual CPP Full Partnership Sessions

Appendix 2 – Key themes identified for future CPP Full Partnerships

Appendix 3 – CPP 'Takeaways' - Issues / ideas which delegates will use in their professional lives going forward.

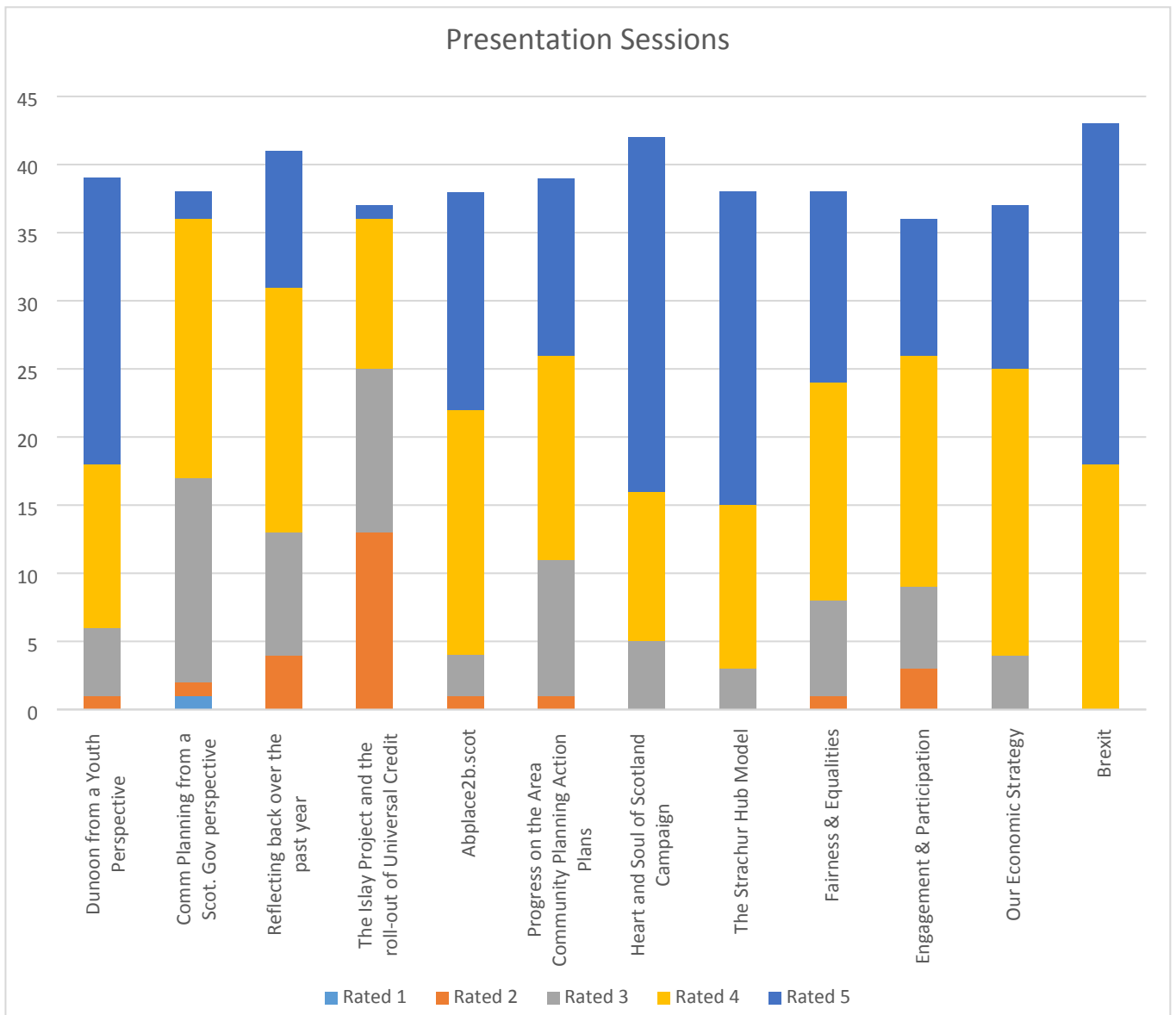
Appendix 4 – Comments on the day

## Appendix 1 - Feedback on individual CPP Full Partnership Sessions

Attendees were asked to rate individual sessions – where 5 is excellent and 1 is poor

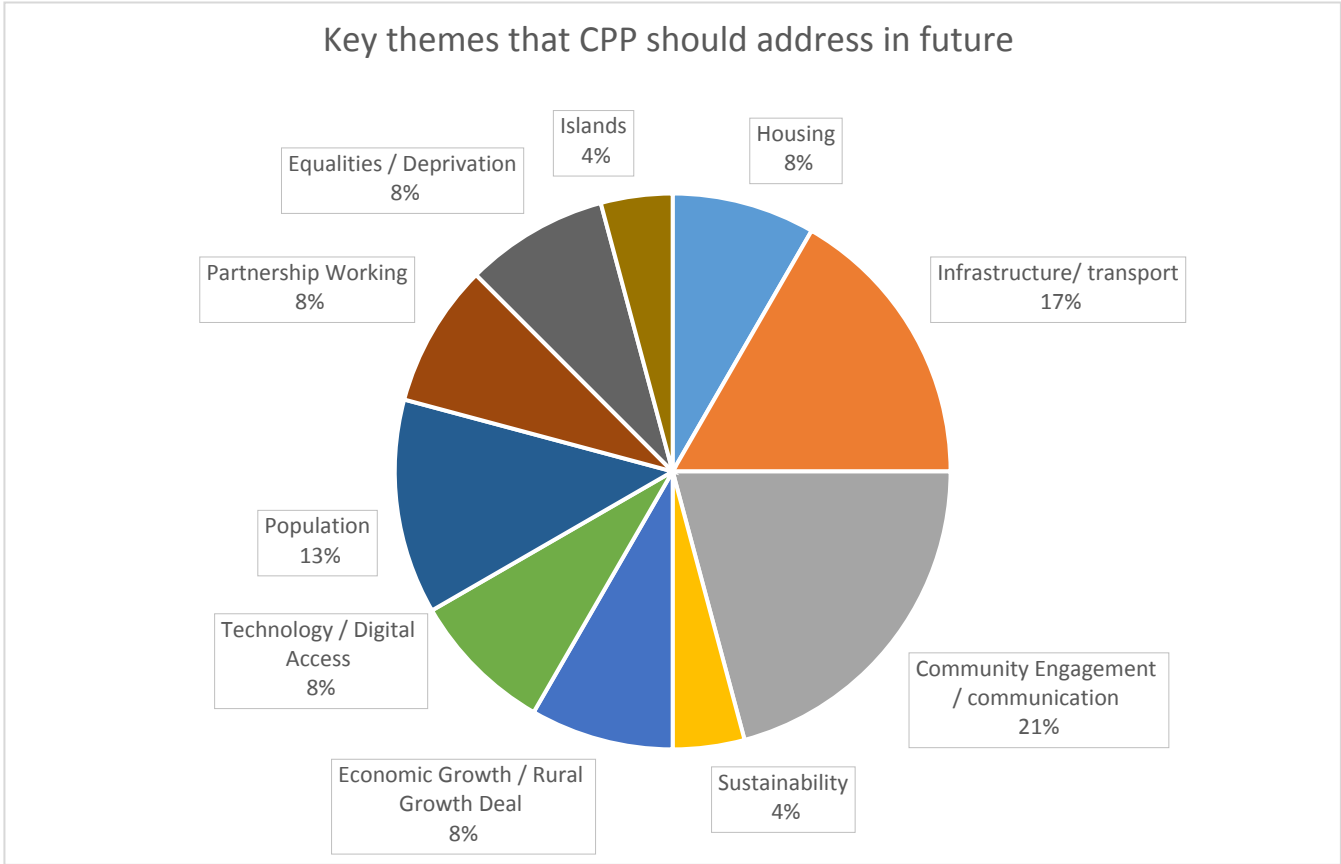
CPP Individual Sessions	No. of Ratings Received				
	Rated 1	Rated 2	Rated 3	Rated 4	Rated 5
Dunoon from a Youth Perspective		1	5	12	21
Community Planning from a Scottish Government perspective	1	1	15	19	2
Reflecting back over the past year		4	9	18	10
The Islay Project and the roll-out of Universal Credit		13	12	11	1
Abplace2b.scot		1	3	18	16
Progress on the Area Community Planning Action Plans - Chairs of Area Community Planning Groups		1	10	15	13
Heart and Soul of Scotland Campaign			5	11	26
The Strachur Hub Model			3	12	23
Fairness & Equalities		1	7	16	14
Engagement & Participation		3	6	17	10
Our Economic Strategy			4	21	12
Brexit				18	25
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>173</b>

## Appendix 1- Feedback on individual CPP Full Partnership Sessions



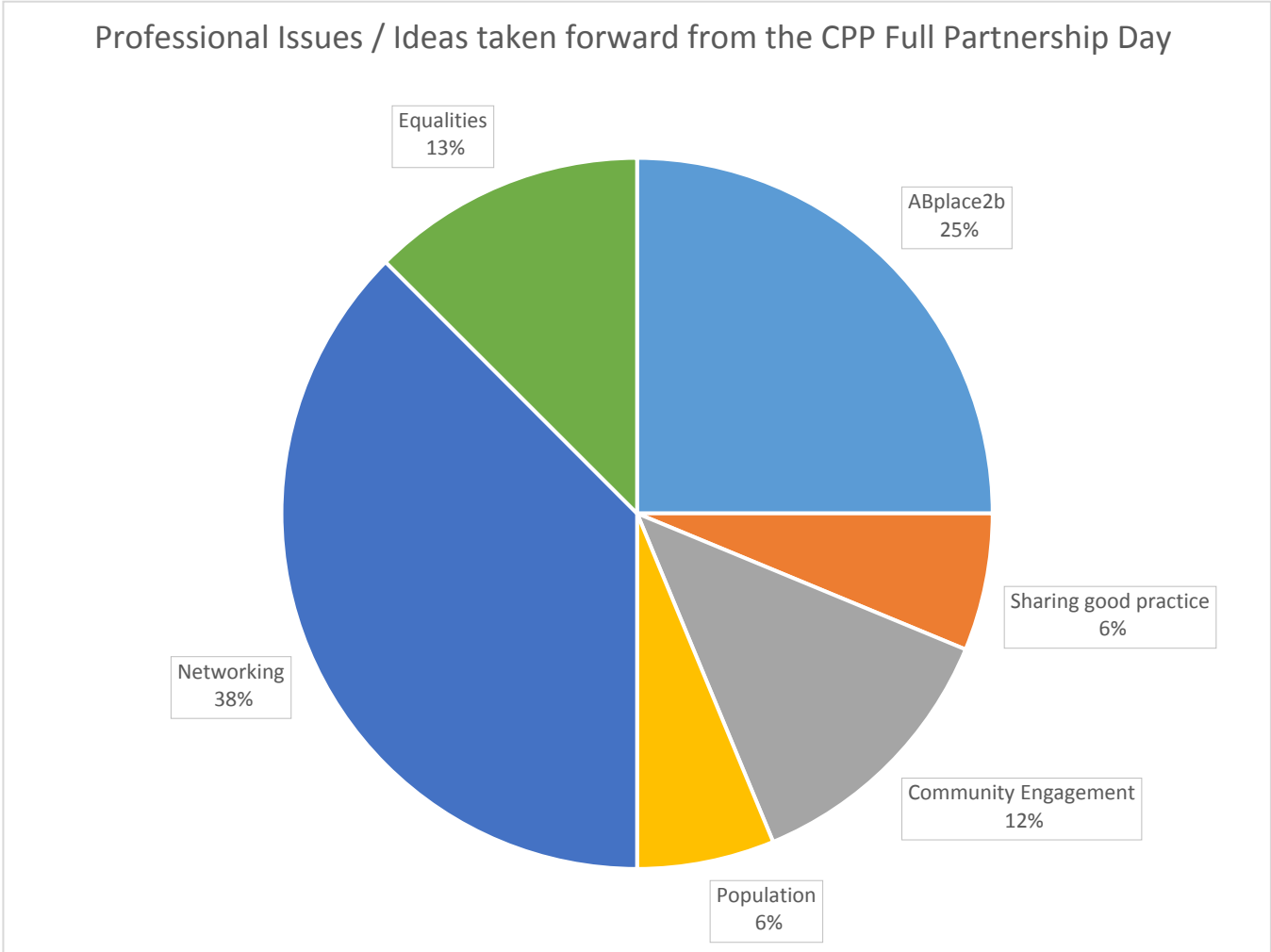
# Appendix 2 - Key themes identified for future CPP Full Partnerships

Key themes that CPP should address in future	
Community Engagement / communication	5
Infrastructure/ transport	4
Population	3
Housing	2
Partnership Working	2
Economic Growth / Rural Growth Deal	2
Technology / Digital Access	2
Equalities / Deprivation	2
Islands	1
Sustainability	1



**Appendix 3 – CPP ‘Takeaways’ - Issues / ideas which delegates will use in their professional lives going forward.**

Professional Issues / Ideas taken forward from the CPP Full Partnership Day	
Networking	6
ABplace2b	4
Community Engagement	2
Equalities	2
Sharing good practice	1
Population	1



## Appendix 4 – Comments on the day

CPP Full Partnership – Dunoon 28 <sup>th</sup> March 2019 – Comments
Local Presentations by local people are best!!
CPP- How many unpaid people attended or presented today? Schools music was fabulous however, networking over lunch stopped people benefitting I think. CPP agendas and work are <u>not</u> reaching Joe Bloggs the public which is devastating.
Musical input provided by school was great.
Great Venue, should use again or similar in future. Interactive sessions in afternoon worked well.
Huge Well done and Thanks to Dunoon Grammar School (such talented kids!! ☺) & all the organisers.
It was good involving young people, they added a lot to the day.
Excellent Day. Very professional. Well Done team!
A good informative Day
A good range of topics and subjects.
Thanks for an informative & well organised event.
Interesting, energetic day.
I gave [a score of 4] because although excellent there's always room for improvement.
2 ½ hours in the morning without a break or discussion – too long.
Dunoon youth perspective very informative but I'm not from this area.
Lovely venue and entertaining but in the hall where I was seated it has been cold all day as right under air conditioner.
Nice to see young people taking an active role. ABplace2b.scot and Heart & Soul are both very good interesting presentations. Left me wanting to know more. A presentation related to local area very good & very informative.
Everyone gave very informative presentations although some could have done with notes rather than umming and erring through them – it distracted from the otherwise excellent information.
Clearer terminology, particularly where agencies use different terms.
Positive day and emphasises the commitment to partnership working in A&B.
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