



Community Planning Aberdeen

Torry Locality Partnership - Wednesday, 20 June 2018

MEETING NOTE

Present: Rod Smith (Police Scotland – substituting for Chris Kerr); Margaret Wright (Community Rep); Patrick Robertson (Community Rep); Normund Varganovs (Community Rep); Fay Morrison (Community Rep); Laura Horn (Big Noise, Team Leader); Christian Allard (Local Councillor); Jo Mackie (Locality Manager); Blessing Udofia (Community Rep)

In attendance: Colin Wright (Development Manager); Dave Black (GREC)

Apologies: Graham Dale (Sport Aberdeen; Christopher Kerr (Police Scotland, Inspector) Councillor Yvonne Allan; Neil Hendry (Lochside Academy, Head Teacher); Jenny Cranna (Torry Academy, Head Teacher) Emma King (Head of NHS South Locality); Susan Morrison (ACVO TSI,); Shamini Omnes (NHS) Linda Algie (Community Rep);

1. Minutes of Meeting 28th March 2018

The Partnership approved the minutes as a correct record

Matters arising:

Torry Outdoor Centre: 6.30, 3rd July meeting, to take forward interest from some partners. Article in the Torry vision edition and on SHMU

City Voice Survey: A specific survey has been created for the locality to update baselines from Locality Plan. It will be made available electronically, and on street/in local groups - volunteers to contact Colin.

ACTION TRACKER

**JM to report back results to next
Locality Partnership**

<p>Fairer Aberdeen Fund Workshop – still awaiting dates</p> <p>Action Tracker to be more clearly defined in the Minutes</p> <p>Visit dates from Vice Chair and Chair of CPA to be requested to allow planning of agenda</p> <p>No other matters arising other than covered on the Agenda</p>	<p>JM to request dates from the Fairer Aberdeen Team JM to action for next meeting</p> <p>JM to action</p>
<p><u>2 Locality Improvement Tracker</u></p> <p>VictoriArt – This is on track and the Partnership noted the positive addition of the anchor in Torry</p> <p>Uptake of Free School Meals – We are seeing incremental take up in registrations. The team are working with council teams to look at possibilities of auto enrolment. There will be a phase two project providing key focus on the take up of free school meals for those registered, some of this activity has happened in the first phase.</p> <p>Alcohol and Drugs Improvement Charter – This project has delivered some activities around community awareness and training of key staff to make referrals – however it needs to be further developed with partners engaging more fully</p> <p>Domestic Abuse and Coercive Control - This charter is yet to start</p> <p>Dog Fouling – This project is now closed and due to success attracted additional funding to scale up across Aberdeen</p> <p>Free Food and Fun – This project is a City wide project and will be delivered at Tullos Primary in the summer holidays</p> <p>Jog Torry – Further work needs to be done on this to make it an improvement project, maybe a change idea to look at the obesity agenda</p> <p><u>3 Improvement Project Identification</u></p>	

We need to have a project that focuses on youth ASB – There are only a small minority of young people involved locally. Focus is on targeting the next generation to involve in them in activities. Torry Youth Action Group has been established pulling together organisations delivering activities and targeted initiatives. Potential improvement project to be developed around Youth ASB that police can lead, one change idea could be involving somebody from Police on a consistent basis in Big Noise. The Partnership also felt there is a need to identify ‘something for the community to do’ and consideration needs to be given to use of vacant Finnan Place shops to regenerate that area.

Jo encouraged partners to develop improvement projects against the priorities in the Locality Plan and bring these to the Partnership for consideration.

4 Torry Brand

The sub group are working with partners to produce a video (December/January target) music video, upbeat version of “Torry Song” with a dance performed by community groups with “Talking Heads” on video about Partnership’s successes to date and priorities

5 RGCF Bid and Torry Hub

Colin updated the Partnership on progress to date in the development of proposals for the RGCF Bid following the special Hub meeting (7th June 2018) which discussed the design and the RGCF Bid. Cllr Allard would like more input into the bid and any further submissions will endeavour to do this, bearing in mind the short lead in times provided by the Government for Full Guidance. Colin reiterated that the project is still at feasibility stage. The Partnership expressed a desire to be more involved in the development of the project going forward and agreed to ask the architect to meet with them and the Project Team.

6 Torry Development Trust

David Fryer, Simon McLean, presented details of proposed bid

The proposal is for the development of the Victoria Road School and site for a community led mixed

Police Scotland - Discuss Improvement Project options at next TYAG meeting and report back to Locality Partnership

JM to set up a meeting with the Partnership and the Project Team

9 Times and Dates of Future Meetings

JM will circulate times and dates for the next 12 months for Partnership Agreement

10 AOCB

The need to ensure pupils moving to Lochside Academy are aware of information about availability of grants for clothing was raised. Jo to discuss with Neil Hendry