



Community Planning Aberdeen

Minutes of the meeting

Meeting Name – ABERDEEN PROSPERS OUTCOME IMPROVEMENT GROUP

Date	Monday 15th January 2024
Time	10.30 – 12 noon
Location	TEAMS
Present	Allison Carrington (SDS), Angela Taylor (ACC), Bob Farthing (Civic Forum), Charlotte Saunders (ACC), Colin Farquhar (Culture Aberdeen), Duncan Abernethy (NEScol), Guilherme De Ross (Elevator), James Whyte (ACC), Laura Chalmers (RGU), Mike Duncan (FSB), Roz Taylor (Elevator), Julie Kean (SDS) minute taker

		Action
1.	Welcome and Introductions	Allison C
	Allison welcomed everyone onto the call.	
	Apologies	
	Tom Power (NHS Grampian), Jim Johnstone (ACC), Liam Connell – James Whyte in his place (ACC), Martin Barry (SE), Liz Rattray (UoA), Nicola Graham (SDS)	
2.	Minutes of previous meeting, actions & matters arising	Allison C
	N/A	Allison C
3.	No Agenda – open discussion on how to progress going forward with new proposed Projects	Allison C
	Allison wanted to discuss with this group the potential new Projects and take forward to the Stakeholders. Allison would like to discuss this group's membership as these need updating as the people	

round this group might not be necessarily the correct people to take this forward and, if indeed this is the case, who is the right person?

Allison wanted the group to read the email sent from Allison Swanson regarding LOIP Refresh: Public mental health in Aberdeen - Mapping/Comments for OIG Consideration



Aberdeen City MH
Mapping.docx

There was a general discussion but was agreed that the above is not in our remit and everyone was comfortable with that decision.

Allison C shared her screen to have an open discussion and is keen that we finalise the updated project proposals for the refreshed LOIP today. Please see attached below the details of projects which we are continuing and suggested new projects for discussion/finalisation. Allison will send out a revised version after today's meeting.

Allison C is aware that many of our organisations are undergoing change now so it would also be useful to look at the membership of the group to confirm we have the correct representatives from each organisation at these meetings.



AbdnProspers Initial
Proposals 100124.doc

Key considerations/Deadlines

- Proposals to be confirmed by 15 January
- Economy Thematic stakeholder session – 23 January (everyone is more than welcome)
- CPA Management Group – 31 January 2023
- Draft LOIP published for consultation – 5 February

Remaining potential gaps –

- Completion rate of MAs/youth employment – Duncan to provide rationale for not including and aligning to new youth employment project
- Empty buildings and incentives – support to set up a business/training opportunities (South and Central) – initial discussion with City Growth held in December and further discussion scheduled for 23 Jan

Allison C would like to update the membership for this group-
RGU – **Laura Chalmers (Angela T would like someone from RGU to link in with).**

	NESCol – Duncan Abernethy Aberdeen University - Liz Rattray (Allison will contact Liz) NHS – Tom Power DWP –? need a contact GREC -? Allison C will contact Laura Chalmers mentioned there are free rooms available with IT in the Garthdee & Schoolhill Campus's and will link in with Angela T.	Allison C Laura C
4.	AOB	Allison C
	Allison C will update this group after the next Stakeholder meeting.	All
5.	Date and time of next meeting Monday 26 th February 2024, 10.30-12pm via Teams	