

Bracknell Forest Partnership Board – Work Programme 2010/11 - DRAFT

Theme 1 – Strategy and outcomes

Workstream A – Sustainable Community Strategy (SCS) development

To undertake an annual refresh of the Sustainable Community Strategy 2008-2014 evidence base in order to validate the long term vision. To begin rationalisation of the various needs assessments/data sources and to publish a revised Story of Place for Bracknell Forest.

Workstream B – Local Area Agreement (LAA) development

To hold the partnership annual event to develop new priorities for the short to medium term and to develop, agree and launch the associated targets within the Local Area Agreement 2011-2014.

Workstream C – Strategic direction

To identify areas for future strategic development in light of any national, regional or local changes to guidance, legislation or political direction (particularly following the general election in Spring 2010). To use the results from innovations/pilots in other areas to develop and improve the efficiency and effectiveness of the partnership.

Theme 2 – Management and improvement

Workstream D – Driving performance

To manage the outcome-based performance framework that includes the National Indicator Set, the LAA and the SCS. To embed performance management within theme partnerships and to manage Comprehensive Area Assessment. To use the framework to identify and, where possible, correct areas of underperformance.

Workstream E – Operational management and improvement

To manage, support and continually improve the various management mechanisms associated with Bracknell Forest Partnership. This will include risk management (particularly around the current economic challenges), efficiencies, value for money, governance arrangements, scrutiny, the BFP Handbook, work programmes, structural set up, self-assessments and information sharing.

Theme 3 – Engagement and involvement

Workstream F – Communication and engagement

To improve the communications and engagement mechanisms of Bracknell Forest Partnership including securing an independent web presence, producing and improving the quarterly workshops and newsletters, achieving media coverage where possible and co-ordinating responses to local and regional consultations.

Workstream G – Annual Report development

To develop an Annual Report for Bracknell Forest Partnership that sets out achievements both in terms of outcomes for residents and improvements in partnership working.