

DRAFT BURY WEST TOWNSHIP AREA PLAN - WORKING DOCUMENT 2012 -2013

ACTION PLAN THEME	EMPLOYMENT/WORKLESSNESS			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	<p>How to help reduce the number of benefit claimants</p> <p>The need for more apprenticeships and pathways to work</p> <p>The lack of employment opportunities locally, especially for young people</p>			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)	<p>November 2011 there were 409 claimants in Bury West which is 8.8% of the total of claimants in Bury</p> <p>Bury West 31.5% of total claimants are aged 16 - 24</p> <p>Church Ward 39.3% of claimants are aged 16 – 24 the highest in the borough</p>			
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards achieving the outcome?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE
Increased number of Apprenticeships for Young People In Bury West	<p>Raise awareness amongst local business of the "Backing Young Bury" Scheme</p> <p>Township Forum Members to put forward details of young people from the area</p>	<p>Bury Council</p> <p>Bury Businesses</p> <p>Training Providers</p> <p>Bury Connexions</p> <p>Job Centre Plus</p> <p>Councillors</p> <p>Members of the Township Forum</p> <p>Township Co-ordinator</p>		
Increased number of Volunteering Opportunities	Multi Agency Approach to increase the number and raise awareness of volunteering	<p>Groundwork</p> <p>BTVC</p>		

	opportunities	B3SDA Sports Development		
Get young people/people ready and into work	Explore possibilities for Job Fairs/ Job Clubs and ways to help prepare people to get into work	Job Centre Plus		

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ACTION PLAN THEME	CRIME			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	Youths Involved in Anti Social Behaviour (ASB)			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)	Youth Anti Social Behaviour is an issue in some areas of Bury West			
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards achieving the outcome?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE
Reduce Anti Social Behaviour by Early Intervention and Prevention.	To look at the possibility of setting up a youth club at the Elton Centre to deliver weekly sessions to help to reduce ASB	Churches Together/ ROC Centre / Police/ Volunteers/Councillors Township Co-ordinator		

Reduce Anti Social Behaviour by Early Intervention Multi Agency Partnership working to identify young people who are at risk of offending	To look at the possibility of setting up regular partnership meetings to identify and quickly deal with potential offenders.	Sgt Oakley/Inspector Williams Youth Services/Education Township Co-ordinator		
More school visits target 13-16	To be approved by Township Forum and Police Put forward by Ian Pilling			

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ACTION PLAN THEME	HEALTH AND WELLBEING			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	Work across the Children's Centre broad agenda to support Children and Families			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)	Bury West has the 3rd highest level of obesity in Reception Year and the 3rd lowest level in Year 6 pupils About 1 in 11 (9%) of Reception Year Children are classified as obese Almost 1 in 7 (15%) of Year 6 children are classified as obese			
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE

	achieving the outcome?	responsibility?		
Early Intervention and Support for Children and Families		Children's Centre Leads		

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ACTION PLAN THEME	EDUCATIONAL ATTAINMENT/LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	Ensure children are school ready			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)	Nursery School Children are well below the expected standards and have poor communication skills			
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards achieving the outcome?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE
Ensure children are "school ready"	Support for parents in most need and encourage reading from an early age Book Start Initiative	Reaching Families	Material have been delivered to the Children's Centres	June 2012
Libraries are still important but need investment in more modern practices where distance learning via the internet must be a priority in terms of service users by	To be approved by Township Forum Put forward by Ian Pilling			

provision of relevant material and equipment of hardware / software.				
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ACTION PLAN THEME	HOUSING/ENVIRONMENT/LIVING CONDITIONS/PUBLIC TRANSPORT			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	Need to decide as a group what the priorities for this area			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)				
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards achieving the outcome?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE

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ACTION PLAN THEME	COMMUNITY COHESION COMMUNITY PRIDE AND BELONGING			
KEY ISSUES/IDENTIFIED NEEDS:	Need to decide as a group what the priorities are for this area			
CURRENT POSITION (Baseline/Context)				
OUTCOMES – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards achieving the outcome?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	PROGRESS TO DATE	RESULTS/ TIMESCALE
Instil pride and responsibility in the Bury West area to address issues such as litter, graffiti and fly tipping	Identify and reporting of litter and grot spots Work with community payback team Report to the Township Forum	Advisory Group Members Councillors Residents Township Co – ordinator Community Payback Team		