

AGENDA FOR

BURY EAST TOWNSHIP FORUM

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To: All Members of Bury East Township Forum

Councillors : D Cassidy, M C Connolly, S Haroon, T Holt, K Rothwell, J Smith, S Smith, T Tariq and S Walmsley

Advisory Group Members: Tan Ahmed (ADAB), Tim Boaden (Seedfield TRA), Darren Durham (Freedom Church, Bury), Janet Edwards (Older Peoples' Forum), Harry Reed (Pimhole Residents' Association), Gemma Philburn (Streetwise 2000), Lesley Wildeman (Topping Fold TRA – Chair), Becky Mayo (Young Persons' Representative)

Dear Member/Colleague

Bury East Township Forum

You are invited to attend a meeting of the Bury East Township Forum which will be held as follows:-

Date:	Monday, 24 November 2014
Place:	The Mosses Centre, Cecil Street, Bury.
Time:	7.00 pm
Briefing Facilities:	If Opposition Members and Co-opted Members require briefing on any particular item on the Agenda, the appropriate Director/Senior Officer originating the related report should be contacted.
Notes:	

AGENDA

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

2 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members of Bury East Township Forum are asked to consider whether they have an interest in any of the matters on the Agenda and, if so, to formally declare that interest.

3 MINUTES FROM THE LAST MEETING *(Pages 1 - 6)*

Minutes of the meeting held on 18th September 2014 are attached.

4 PROPOSED NEW DELIVERY MODEL FOR CHILDREN'S CENTRES

A presentation providing information on the proposed new delivery model for Children's Centres in Bury will be given on the evening.

5 PLAN FOR CHANGE BUDGET PROPOSALS 2015/2016

A presentation will be given on the evening.

6 BURY EAST TOWNSHIP PLAN *(Pages 7 - 28)*

The Bury East Township plan is attached for information.

7 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

Questions are invited from members of the public present at the meeting on issues of concern relating to the provision of local services. Approximately 30 minutes will be set aside for Public Question Time if required.

8 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

Any other business, which by reason of special circumstances, the Chair agrees may be considered as a matter of urgency.

9 FUNDING REPORT *(Pages 29 - 34)*

A funding report is attached for information.

10 VENUE, DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of Bury East Township Forum will be Tuesday, 3 February 2015, at St. Paul's Primary, Porritt Street, Bury.

Minutes of:	BURY EAST TOWNSHIP FORUM
Date of Meeting:	18 September 2014
Venue:	Jubilee Centre, Mosley Avenue, Bury
Present:	
Councillors:	Councillors: D M Cassidy, S Haroon, T Holt, K Rothwell, J Smith, S Smith, S Walmsley
Advisory Group Representatives:	Lesley Wildeman (Topping Fold TRA, Chair) and Harry Reed (Pimhole Residents' Association)
Public attendance:	There were 12 members of the public in attendance
Apologies for absence:	Councillors M Connolly (CI) and T Tariq (CI), Tan Ahmed (ADAB), Tim Boaden (Seedfield TRA), Janet Edwards (Older People's Forum) and Gemma Philburn (Streetwise 2000)

BETF.283 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No declarations of interest were made in relation to any items considered at the meeting.

BETF. 284 MINUTES AND MATTERS ARISING FROM THE LAST MEETING**Delegated decision:**

That the minutes of the last meeting held on 21 July 2014, be approved as a correct record.

Jimmy Hill highlighted previous concerns in relation to Cook Street and Heywood Street and Mick Ainsworth stated he was still awaiting feedback regarding the traffic lights on Walmersley Road and a response on whether the Council had a mobile air quality monitor.

The Chair, Lesley Wildeman, reported that she had requested of Dave Thomas, the Township Co-ordinator, actions asked for by residents over the last 12 months and it was also stated that a request would be made to Highways and the Police to attend the next Bury East Township Forum meeting in November to try and address these issues.

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BETF. 285 TOWNSHIP AREA PLAN AND EQUALITY ANALYSIS

Dave Thomas, the Township Co-ordinator, explained that he had circulated to all Elected Members and Advisory Group Members of the Township Forum, the revised Bury East Town Plan 2012 – 2015, including all suggestions and ideas following the last meeting.

It was agreed

That Bury East Township Forum accept the revised Plan

BETF. 286 HEALTHIER TOGETHER CONSULTATION (BURY CCG)

Sharon Martin, Head of Commissioning and Deputy Chief Officer of Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG) and Claire Wilson, Chief Finance Officer (CCG) attended the meeting to explain the current Healthier Together consultation and to ask those present for their comments and feedback on the proposals.

It was explained that the way in which healthcare was provided across Greater Manchester was changing and the vision was to provide the best health and care in the Country. Sharon explained that Healthier Together was about improving GP Services, Health and Social Care and making sure the sickest patients receive the best care in hospitals.

It was explained that Services would be working together to provide the best care for patients. General hospitals deliver care locally for the majority of patients, with all hospitals having A&E and acute medicine departments. Specialist hospitals would provide the same general hospital care to the local population and also care for the very small number of very sick patients across a wider area of Greater Manchester. This would mean that residents would receive the majority of care from their local hospital but also be able to access the very best specialist care at an appropriate hospital.

The question was how many specialist hospitals throughout Greater Manchester should there be – 4 or 5? There are currently 3 hospitals that already provide specialist care, which are Manchester Royal, Salford Royal and Royal Oldham and these hospitals would stay as such. The options with 4 specialist sites were:

- Royal Bolton
- Royal Albert Edward, Wigan
- Wythenshawe
- Stepping Hill, Stockport

Or with 5 specialist sites:

- Royal Albert Edward, Wigan and Stepping Hill
- Royal Alert Edward and Wythenshawe
- Royal Bolton and Wythenshawe
- Royal Bolton and Stepping Hill, Stockport

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Fairfield General Hospital would stay as it was but the consultation is asking the public what is important to them; quality and safety, travel and access, affordability and value for money or transition. The CCG have already liaised with Councillors, hospital staff, GP's and Paramedics and all responses will be collated at the beginning of October with a decision by hopefully the end of the year or the very start of 2015. It was really important to get people's views in relation to this consultation.

Those present were given the opportunity to ask questions and make comments and the following points were raised:

- Would this include ambulance drivers?
Yes, the North West Ambulance Service has been involved with the design of the consultation.
- Who runs the North West Ambulance Service?
It is an organisation in its own right with a board of Directors, which is part the NHS, emergency response.
- What specialist areas were the hospitals short of?
Emergency and high risk general surgery and intensive care for complex patients – these are areas that looking at centralising.
- What assurances was there that Fairfield would continue as a General Hospital and how will the re-structure impact on the NHS Funding Formula which is already £20 million short and until that is on target would this not impact upon the provision of services?
Fairfield would remain in the short term a General Hospital with an A&E Service but there was no specific answer in relation to what could happen in 15 – 20 years.
With regards to the funding formula, there is a trajectory period so the £20 million shortfall will lower each year.
- Is anything being done to educate people on health matters?
Working with adult and children's Social Care through integrated Services of Bury and it is hoped to see more changes.

It was agreed:

That Sharon Martin and Claire Wilson be thanked for their presentation and attendance at the meeting.

BETF. 287 WASTE MANAGEMENT

Councillor Susan Southworth, Deputy Cabinet Member for a Sustainable Borough attended the meeting and was accompanied by Glenn Stuart, Head of Waste Management. Councillor Southworth explained that the way bins would be collected across the Borough from the second week of October would be different and this presentation was to explain why.

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The Council have to find savings of £16 million for the 2015/2016 financial year. Although re-cycling has improved from 2011 and is up to 47%, it was hoped that by encouraging residents to re-cycle more, that could rise to 60%, in line with other areas in Greater Manchester and add to the savings.

The Council are paid £25 per tonne of blue bin (glass, plastics and metal) and green bin (paper and card) waste. The Council paid £61 per tonne to process waste from the brown bins (garden and food waste) which is composted and available for residents to buy. However, the Council has to pay £284 per tonne to get rid of waste from the grey bins for landfill. Most households can recycle 75% of their waste and it was important people were aware of the cost implications in not doing so.

The main concern from residents seemed to be vermin and maggots if waste was not collected often enough. However, the brown bin, which all food waste should be put in, would be emptied every 2 weeks. With regards to nappies etc. as long as these items are wrapped well, there should be no smell in the grey bin and a public health officer has assured the Council this should pose no risk.

Councillor Southworth also explained that if residents require an additional grey bin then they will be assessed and advised on re-cycling and if it is deemed one is required, then a fee of £30 will be payable for admin and delivery fees. Additional blue and green bins will be available for those who need one.

Those present were given the opportunity to ask questions and make comments and the following points were raised:

- A local resident asked why it cost £284 to get rid of waste to landfill, as he ran a small company and currently paid £115 per tonne to get rid of waste.

Glenn Stuart explained that this was a 25 year contract with Virridor, who had bid and won the contract and were the most economical of all and it was not just Bury but 9 Councils in total, only Wigan Council did not use Virridor. It was owned by Greater Manchester Waste Authority and Glenn would ask for further information and report back to the next meeting to further explain the contract and what would happen at the end of the 25 years.

- Mr Ainsworth asked how much Wigan Council paid?

Glenn stated that they had just awarded a 25 year contract but it was unknown how much they would pay. Wigan were an 'oddy' and not with the other 9 LA's.

- Councillor Cassidy asked if the people with the smaller grey bins who now needed a larger one, would that be free.

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Councillor Southworth stated that yes, if residents had down sized but now needed a larger bin, then they would be offered.

- Harry Reed asked who was supposed to empty re-cycle bins in the Parks?

Glenn explained that bins are emptied with no charge to the Parks – if there were any issues, residents should contact their local Councillor or report to the contact Centre.

Andy Hazeldine, from Age UK, also explained that people should donate to Charity shops any unwanted clothing, DVD's, household goods etc.

- Jimmy Hill stated that once the grey bins were full, black bags would be used and would need collecting, which would be an additional cost to the Council.

Councillor Walmsley reported that 75% of waste should be re-cycled, which means only 25% would need to be put in the grey bins. Bury was leading the way with the bin collections and it was important residents realised all the implications in not re-cycling correctly.

It was agreed:

That Councillor Southworth and Glenn Stuart be thanked for their presentation.

BETF. 288 BURY EAST ALCOHOL PROSPECTUS SCHEME REPORT

The Township Co-ordinator explained that the report would be presented at the next meeting of Bury East Township Forum.

BETF.289 PUBLIC QUESTION TIME

The Chair, Lesley Wildeman, invited questions, comments and representations from members of the public present at the meeting. Questions were asked and comments made on the issues detailed below.

- A local resident, who lived on Arley Avenue, explained that a group of youths were becoming a nuisance within the area and asked if there could be a Police presence, to deter the group.

The Township Co-ordinator explained that he worked with the Anti Social Behaviour Team and he would take this complaint to them.

- Harry Reed complained of a grid flooding at the top of Pimhole Road. Councillor Holt was aware of this and asked if this issue could be addressed.

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- Harry Reed placed his thanks on record for the replacement of the swings on Openshaw Park. Harry also explained that due to the very bad weather, unfortunately, the Party in the Park which had been organised for 10th August, had to be cancelled. However, there was to be a penalty shootout taking place on Hoyle Park, involving the Police and members of the community and he would report back with the date of this event.
- Mr Ainsworth complained that the grids at the roundabout on Bell Lane, near the nursing home, were also flooding and there was a broken grid on Sanderson Street.
- A local resident stated that the lights in the car park of the Seedfield Centre, off Parkinson Street, were lit up for 4 hours in the morning and the afternoon, which were not necessary as they came on when it was light.

BETF.290 ANY OTHER BUSINESS

There was no other business to report.

BETF.291 FUNDING REPORT

The Bury East Funding Report had been included in the Agenda for Members' information.

BETF.292 VENUE, DATE AND TIME OF NEXT MEETING

The next meeting of Bury East Township Forum will be held on 24 November 2014 at the Mosses Centre, Bury.

**LESLEY WILDEMAN
(Chair)**

(Note: The meeting started at 7.00 pm and finished at 8.40pm)

Bury East Town Plan

2012 - 2015



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Welcome to Bury East Township Plan

Thank you for taking the time to read the Bury East Township Plan. This document provides details on how we plan to tackle some of the local issues we face as a community.

Over the past few months we have held round table discussions at Township Forum meetings where Councillors, Community representatives and other members of the public were present and able to give us their views and share ideas. From this and other statistical information, we have been able to identify our priority areas for inclusion in our action plan for 2014/15.

This plan outlines how we will continue to make progress towards the vision for our Township to promote better outcomes for the social, health, economic, and environmental well being of people within our community.

Despite the challenging economic climate we continue to strive for improvement, working together with our communities and partner agencies such as the Council, Police and Fire service, health services, faith groups and so on. We have a strong, dedicated, skilled and committed partnership that is working on a range of projects to help us deliver our priorities and improve the quality of life for residents in our community.

Bury Council has a number of key outcomes that underpin its work; delivery of this plan will support these outcomes.

- Reducing poverty and its effects
- Supporting our most vulnerable residents
- Making Bury a better place to live
- One Council, One success together

We would like to thank all our partners and residents for their continued efforts in supporting the Township Forum and the important work it does for the community of Bury East.

Lesley Wildeman
Chair,
Bury East
Township Forum

Who we are and what we do

Bury East Township Forum welcomes those who live, work, or have an interest in the area. The Forum meets at local venues such as community centres and schools. These meetings are public meetings and we strongly encourage everyone to come along. Discussions are fed back to Bury Council and its partners for appropriate action.

Bury East Township Forum is a constituted council committee consisting of all the elected members representing our area and a co-opted advisory group of local representatives from the business community, voluntary organisations and community groups. There are up to nine members on each Advisory Group and a place is also reserved for a young person's representative.

The forum empowers our communities, promotes the debate of local issues and brings decision making closer to our residents. It seeks to harness the many strengths and assets we have in place here in Bury East, including local groups, strong community networks, talented young people, charities and voluntary groups, to work through these issues as a strong and committed partnership.

For further information about your Township Forum please visit [Township Forums](#) or contact David Thomas, Township Co-ordinator on 0161 253 7455, or by email at d.thomas@bury.gov.uk



Some facts about Bury East



Demography: Bury has a population of 186,500. Of these, approximately 34,047 live in Bury East. Of the population of Bury East 57.1% are Christian, 17.8% are Muslim and 17.8% have no religion or do not say what religion they are.

Deprivation: In terms of measuring deprivation, England is split into small areas called super output areas (LSOA). Each LSOA represents approximately 1500 residents. Deprivation is measured over 7 domains: income, employment, health, disability, education and training, barriers to housing and services, living environment and crime. In England there are 32,482 LSOAs. In the borough of Bury there are 120 LSOAs. Each LSOA is given a ranking, with 1 being most deprived.

Many areas of Bury East are consistently in the 20% most deprived super output areas in the country (52.3%). Bury East has 5 LSOA's in the top 10% of most deprived LSOA's in Bury and 4 in the top 10% of most deprived in England. Chesham Fold is in the 1% most deprived nationally.

Closing the gap: Deprivation levels are a major concern to us and recent data shows conclusively that Bury East suffers higher than average levels of health inequalities compared with the other Townships in Bury. Inequalities between our neighbourhoods mean poorer health, lower levels of education and skills, higher crime and unemployment for people living in Bury East. Our Township Plan aims to close the gap so that the lives of those in the most deprived areas are improved.

Our Assets: Bury East has much to be proud of, it is a popular place to live; it has some beautiful parks and green spaces such as Openshaw Park and active and enthusiastic Friends Groups. The area is diverse and different religions and cultures are celebrated. The area has also seen significant levels of investment in recent times, in particular around the Pimhole area.

We seek to harness the many strengths and assets we have in place here in Bury East, including local groups, strong community networks, talented young people, charities, voluntary groups and community buildings, so that together we can work as a strong and committed partnership.

Together we can achieve more!

Bury East Township Forum aims to promote better outcomes for the social, health, economic, and environmental well being of people within our community.

We can achieve this by working together to achieve a number of key outcomes:

Key Outcomes:

Our Plan will contribute to the following outcomes:

Improved Employment Opportunities

Key Issues identified: The need for more apprenticeships and improved pathways to work for younger residents (16-24yr olds).

Current Position: June 2014 figures show there are 960 JSA claimants in Bury East, accounting for 31% of the total claimants in Bury.

Bury East has the highest number of youth (JSA) claimants (285)

Educational Attainment/Learning

Key Issues identified: The need to ensure that children are school ready.

Current Position: Some Nursery School Children are well below the expected standards and have poor communication skills.

Improved Health and Wellbeing

Key Issues identified: Main issues identified focus on Town Centre alcohol issues and hospital admissions related to alcohol. Areas of concern also exist around mental health and the impact of worklessness on this issue.

Current Position: Bury East has the highest number of alcohol related hospital admissions within the borough (975). East ward has the highest proportion of ESA claimants in the borough and figures show that 43% of ESA claims are due to mental health issues.

Improved Community Safety

In Bury East significant issues exist around alcohol related anti-social behaviour (ASB), with the main concentration around the Town Centre. Perceptions of crime continue to be relatively high which indicates that more needs to be done to reassure people.

Bury East Township Forum aims to promote better outcomes for the social, health, economic, and environmental well being of people within our community.

We can achieve this by working together to achieve a number of key outcomes:

Community Pride & Belonging

In Bury East we have a diverse community with residents from different cultures and religions.

The Bury Council Community Cohesion Plan has now been agreed and published. We have limited representation in the Township Forum from the different faith groups in Bury East.

Making a difference

We will measure our performance as follows:

- We will monitor the action plan which will support delivery of these outcomes (an updated action plan will be shared at each Township Forum meeting)
- Bi-annual performance reports in relation to the above outcomes (presented to our Township Forum)

Everybody's Involved

Our Township Plan has been drawn together in a number of ways. We have used our knowledge of local people's priorities to focus on those issues which matter most to local people.

Key Group	How have they influenced the Township Area Plan?
Residents & Community Groups	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Consultation activities • Township Forums- open forum issues and round table discussions • PACT meetings
Councillors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Direct involvement in the development of the objectives for this plan • Consultation activities • Township Forums
Research and Demographic Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National research and intelligence • Local Health Data • Ward profiles • Intelligence gathering
Partner Organisations	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Police and partner meetings • Six Town Housing (Engagement) • Council departments (Views & Input) • Primary Care Trust/ health authority • Other Partners (Views & Input)

There will be further opportunities for you to **get involved** and **have your say** on a range of issues. Your views are really important to us so make sure you take part. Please come along to our Township meetings- you will be made very welcome.

Bury East Township Forum

**Our Township Plan:
2012-15**

(September 2014 Update)

Outcome: Improved Employment Opportunities

In June 2014 there were 960 job seekers allowance claimants in Bury East, which accounts for 31% of the borough total. Bury East also has the highest number of youth (JSA) claimants in the borough (285), 32% of the borough total.

ISSUE – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards addressing this issue?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	MILESTONES	By When?
<p>Assist those young people who face barriers to entering into employment through Connecting Provisions Initiative</p>	<p>Pull together existing and funded provision across the borough into one coordinated activity.</p> <p>Focused activity on those who fall under the Supporting Communities Improving Lives criteria.</p> <p>6 weeks work placements, individuals will be offered a temporary job with training and/or a guaranteed interview should internal apprenticeships arise.</p> <p>At the end of 6 months assistance will be given to move them onto an apprenticeship.</p>	<p>Economic, employment & Skills Lead</p> <p>Bury Employment & Skills Task Group</p> <p>With Support From:</p> <p>Township Co-ordinator</p>	<p>Connecting Provision on hold until Oct 2014</p>	<p>October 2014</p>

<p>Increased number of Volunteering Opportunities</p>	<p>Multi Agency Approach to increase the number and raise awareness of volunteering opportunities</p>	<p>Groundwork With Support From: B3SDA Sports Development Communities Team</p>	<p>Bury East area number to be increased by agreed amount. Awaiting a list of area specific projects from Groundwork</p>	<p>End March 2015</p>
<p>Increased number of Apprenticeships for Young People In Bury East</p>	<p>Raise awareness amongst local business of the "Backing Young Bury" Scheme Township Forum Members to put forward details of young people from the East Bury area with their agreement</p>	<p>Economic Development Team With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Bury Businesses Training Providers Bury Connexions Job Centre Plus Councillors Members of the Township Forum</p>	<p>Names of Bury East based young people to be submitted for consideration for the scheme Confirm number of young people from Bury East accepted on the Backing Young Bury Apprentice Scheme Confirm number at the end of March 2015</p>	<p>October 2014 then ongoing End March 2015 Ongoing</p>
<p>Get young Bury East residents work ready and into work</p>	<p>Explore possibilities for Job Fairs/ Job Clubs and ways to help prepare people to get into work.</p>	<p>Economic Development B.E.A.S.T Group With Support From: Township Coordinator</p>	<p>Hold a Backing Young Bury Careers and Skills Event</p>	<p>2nd December 2014</p>

Township Forum to support a series of interventions developed by Bury Employment & Skills Task Group	Township Forum to have representation on Bury Employment & Skills Task Group	Township Coordinator	Township Coordinator attending regular Bury Employment & Skills Task group.	Ongoing 2013/14
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Outcome: Educational Attainment / Learning

A particularly high proportion of the population of Bury East have no qualifications (30%), and a comparatively low proportion are qualified to degree level or above (Level 4 and above).

ISSUE – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards addressing this issue?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	MILESTONES	BY WHEN?
Improve information sharing between local community and central organizations re learning needs locally	Community Learning Partnership representative to take Bury East issues to CLP meetings	Township Forum members With Support From: Adult learning	A range of learning opportunities developed that respond to local needs and reflect the views of local people	November 2014
Mapping of current provision In Bury East	Identify gaps in learning opportunities	Adult learning With Support From: Township Forum	Increase participation in adult learning locally	November 2014
Deliver more learning opportunities in the Bury East community to make learning more accessible	Identify suitable venues for adult learning facilities Offer taster courses	Six Town Housing	Increase in number of learning venues in communities	September 2014
Ensure children are “school ready” Encourage reading	Book start programme for 2-3 year olds BOO project for nursery children-transition stages	Children’s Centres	Delivery of projects via the Children’s centres and updates on progress to township Forum	September 2014

Food sleep lifestyle and exercise all contribute to being fit and ready to learn	Engage women and teenage girls in sport and fitness	Sports Partnership Activity Alliance SAPAS	More women and girls taking part in regular physical activity	September 2014
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Outcome: Improved Health and Wellbeing

Key Issues identified: Areas of concern exist around mental health and the impact of worklessness on this issue. Bury East has the highest number of alcohol related hospital admissions within the borough (975).

ISSUE – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards addressing this issue?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	MILESTONES	BY WHEN?
Consistent reductions in alcohol related health inequalities for Bury East residents	Develop a programme of activity aimed at reducing alcohol related hospital admissions	Township Forum With Support From: Community Alcohol Partnerships DAAT Home Office Drug & Alcohol Team	Meeting scheduled with colleagues from Community Alcohol Partnerships and the Home Office Drug & Alcohol Unit	October 2014 Ongoing
Reduce Fuel Bills for those most in need	Assist with meeting target of 140 Little Bill installs by promoting the scheme to community groups and at various locations/events.	Energy Officer With Support From: Township Forum	To be agreed	March 2015
Reduce fuel poverty and its affects in Bury East	Promote “ECO Toasty 2013” to enable Bury East residents to access energy efficiency measures	Awardable Warmth Team Referrals to GM energy Advice Service 0800 009 3363 or via getmetoasty@manchester.gov.uk With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Township Forum	Results at end of financial year re number of measures and savings	April 2014
A growth in participation	Deliver activities which engage	Sports and Physical Activity	Applications submitted	June 2014

14-25 year olds in Bury East and across adult population	with Bury East communities and attract more residents into regular physical activity	Service (SPAS) With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Township Forum	for Sportivate funding Community Sports Activation Funding (CSAF) external funding I Will If You Will	ongoing
Help promote understanding and awareness Welfare Reform	Support the work of Bury's Welfare Reform Board, including implementation of the Borough's Poverty Strategy. Invite relevant speakers to talk to township forum on key aspects of the reform agenda	Bury Welfare Reform Board With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Township Forum	Members of the Team attend Welfare Reform Board Meetings	April 2014 ongoing
To reduce the number of children suffering Childhood Obesity in Bury East	Deliver activities which engage with young children to get them more active	Children's Centre Leads With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Township Forum	Events being delivered in conjunction with Children's Centres	June 2014 Ongoing

Outcome: Improved Community Safety

Key Issues identified: We have seen significant reductions in anti-social behaviour across all 3 wards over the last 12 months, but there is still work to be done. Perceptions of crime continue to be relatively high which indicates that more needs to be done to reassure residents.

Issue – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards addressing this issue?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	MILESTONES	By when?
Consistent reductions in alcohol related anti-social in Bury East communities	Develop a programme of activity aimed at reducing alcohol related ASB in identified hotspots	Township Forum With Support From: Joint Enforcement Team (JET) Community Alcohol Partnerships DAAT Home Office Drug & Alcohol Team	Share learning from BEAPS project through the end of project evaluation report Meeting scheduled with colleagues from Community Alcohol Partnerships and the Home Office Drug & Alcohol Unit	September 2014 October 2014 Ongoing
Reduce Anti Social Behaviour by Early Intervention	Weekly Joint Enforcement Team (JET) meetings established to identify and quickly deal with potential offenders. Report to Bury East Township Forum re actions and successes.	Police With Support From: Anti Social Behaviour team Youth Services/Education Six Town Housing Township Co-ordinator	Monthly Partnership Action Group Meetings replaced by weekly JET Meetings July 2014 Township Co-ordinators invited to join the group	1 st full meeting held 2 nd July 2014. Attended 06/08/2014 ongoing

<p>Ensure Bury Town Centre is a safe, vibrant, appealing and well managed place to visit</p>	<p>Achieve 'Purple Flag' accreditation for Bury town Centre.</p>	<p>Purple Flag Board With Support From: Township Coordinator New Economy Home Office Drug & Alcohol Unit</p>	<p>A Bury "Purple Flag" workshop was held on 29th January 2014 to gauge the level of support</p> <p>Bury's Purple Flag application was registered on 31st March with the ATCM (Association of Town Centre Management)</p> <p>Overnight self assessment of Bury Town Centre took place on Friday 18th July covering the period 5pm to 5am</p> <p>Full application to be submitted to ATCM.</p>	<p>January 2014</p> <p>March 2014</p> <p>July 2014</p> <p>September (12th) 2014</p>
<p>Reduce negative perceptions of anti-social behaviour in Bury East</p>	<p>Develop regular communication of good news stories through Township Forum website and other media</p>	<p>Neighbourhood Policing Team With Support From: Township Coordinator Communications</p>	<p>Regular attendance at forum meetings established.</p>	<p>July 2014</p> <p>Ongoing</p>
<p>Raise awareness of ASB/ personal safety/ crime/ drugs etc amongst school age children</p>	<p>BSafe BCool project to be delivered to year 9 pupils in Bury East Schools</p>	<p>Police With support from: Bury Council officers Schools Bury College Six Town Housing</p>	<p>Next round of workshops due to commence in mid October.</p>	<p>October 2014</p>

<p>Address issue of speeding traffic in residential areas of East Bury</p>	<p>Work with schools and local communities to endorse and assist in implementation of Streetsafe 20mph in</p>	<p>Highways With Support From: Township Co-ordinator Road Safety Teams Township Forum Members</p>	<p>Successful implementation of 20mph schemes</p> <p>Banners now being displayed outside schools</p>	<p>2013-2015 ongoing</p> <p>January 2014 and ongoing</p>
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Outcome: Community Pride and belonging in East Bury

Key Issues identified: There is a desire from residents to see Bury East promoted as a vibrant place to work and live. Bury East has a diverse community with residents from different cultures and religions (57% of the population are Christian, 17.8% are Muslim and 17.8% have no religion). This diversity should be celebrated and promoted.

ISSUE – What needs to be achieved	ACTIONS/OUTPUTS – How can we work towards addressing this issue?	LEAD AGENCY- Who should take responsibility?	MILESTONES	By When?
Promote Bury East as a positive place to live, work and visit	A range of Positive Activities taking place in Bury East (i.e. Party in The Park) Active promotion of activities and groups	Bury East Township Forum Members With Support From: Various Community Groups	Advisory Group members to give regular updates at the forum meetings to promote new projects and events Additional promotion via social media (Township Coordinator)	Ongoing 2014/15 Ongoing 2014/15
Increase attendance and involvement from BME community at Township Forum meetings	Meet with leaders of Mosques within Bury East to promote dates and explore agenda items	Township Coordinator With Support From: ADAB Township Forum Members Communications Team	Formal invitation sent to Bury East Mosques Arrange suitable dates for visits with faith leaders.	May 2013 Ongoing 2014
Improve engagement of young people on key issues	Increase number of young people attending forum meetings	Township forum members With Support From:	Increased numbers of young Bury East residents attending township forum	July 2014 Ongoing

		Schools/Colleges Partner Agencies		
Encourage community to help shape the Bury East area	Develop a series of thematic groups to manage delivery of key outcomes within Township Plan	Township Coordinator With Support From: Advisory Group Members Councillors Residents	Initial discussion held with key Advisory Group members regarding their involvement	November 2014

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1.0 Introduction

The Council has allocated £1,000 per ward to support the work of voluntary and community groups. The application funding decisions will be made by the relevant ward councillors. Individual grants to the **"ward" fund** are available for a maximum of £250. Additionally, a borough-wide allocation of £13,000 is available for **"cross-ward"** applications from third sector organisations, with a maximum individual grant of £750.

2.0 Ward Funding 2014/15 East

Group	Details	Allocated
Openshaw Management	Landscape small plot inside park	£ 250.00
Pimhole Residents Assoc	Newsletter costs	£ 250.00
Pimhole Residents Assoc	Running cost (in lieu of duplication)	£ 250.00
Openshaw Park	Maintenance of Bowling Greens	£ 250.00
Fund Remaining		£ 900.00

Moorside

Group	Details	Allocated
Chesham Fold TRA	Big Lunch Day	£ 250.00
Openshaw Park	Maintenance of Bowling Greens	£ 250.00
Chesham Fold Youth Club	Christmas Disco & activities	£ 200.00
Fund Remaining		£ 1200.00

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Group	Details	Allocated
New Springs Community	Guest speakers for events	£ 250.00
Little Britain Anglers(adv B3SD	Tools to repair areas of River	£ 250.00
New Springs NSCPG - Trip	Excursion to Blackpool Lights	£ 250.00
New Springs NSCPG - Awards	Community Awards event	£ 250.00
Fund Remaining		£ 900.00

3.0 Cross Ward Funding 2014/15

Group	Details	Allocated
PUPILS	Encourage Independent living trip	£ 750.00
Making Space	Further Develop Choir	£ 750.00
Bury Society for Blind	Develop a sensory garden	£ 703.06
Hard of Hearing	Tutor classes	£ 750.00
Bury Dragons Diving Club	Diving Event	£ 750.00
The Enterprise Centre	Purchase stone & hire of tractor & labour	£ 500.00
Unsworth South Social Club	Signage and posters	£ 723.00
Bury District Angling Society	Plywood sheets & roofing sheets	£ 250.00
23 rd Prestwich & Whitefield Scouts	Tents, benches, pans & utensils	£ 750.00
Tottington Sports Club	Tottington Big Day Out Event	£ 750.00
Langley Gardening Club	Replace weather boards of shop	£ 470.00
Churches Together	Family fun day in Whitehead Park	£ 750.00
Brandlesholme Scarecrow Festival	Scarecrow Festival & Harvest family fun day	£ 750.00
Bury Parents Forum Ltd	Run seminars to empower Parents who have children with additional needs.	£ 750.00
Prestwich & Whitefield Heritage Society	Restore Memorial Stone	£ 450.00
Prestwich Carnival Comm (Xmas Fair)	To put on a Christmas Fair & Santa's Grotto	£ 750.00
Whitefield Horticultural Society	Folding display tables for horticultural events	£ 750.00
Home Watch Conference	Hire of Elizabethan Suite	£ 600.00
Friends of Bury Young Carers	Youth event	£ 750.00
Carers Support	Promoting an active lifestyle	£ 303.94
Fund Remaining		£ 00.00

4.0 Small Grants Panel 2014/15

Bury Council has an annual allocation of £46,200 for the Small Grant's Fund. The current funding priority is to encourage and support grass-root community activity. This means small, community-based and locally controlled groups that manage themselves, encourage active participation from volunteers, and have minimal cash reserves and limited access to funding support.

The next round of funding for this financial year closes on 13th January and the Panel will meet on 3rd February. Application forms for the new round of funding are available from Liz Saunders 0161 253 6357 or e.saunders@bury.gov.uk

Applicant	Project	Requested	Decision
New Springs Community Group	Development of Community garden	£ 3,000.00	£ 2,000.00
Tottington Holiday Play scheme	Summer holiday playscheme	£ 3,000.00	£ 1,500.00
First Light Training	Intergenerational film and photography project	£ 4,806.30	£ -
South Royd Street Allotment Assoc	Rebuilding of access path	£ 3,107.44	£ -
Chesham Fold TRA – Youth Club	Six Week playscheme	£ 1,925.00	£ 500.00
Abbey Close TRA	Weekend trip to Blackpool	£ 4,227.00	£ 500.00
The Enterprise Centre	Establish and Naturally Enterprising Centre	£ 4,500.00	£ 2,000.00
Radcliffe District Scout Council	Replacement windows	£ 5,000.00	£ 1,000.00
Five Stars Appeal	Sessional workers to support volunteers	£ 5,000.00	£ -
Relate	Provision of bursary fund for low cost counselling	£ 5,000.00	£ 2,000.00
Simister Village Community Association	Information boards and bench	£ 4,300.00	£ -
APNA Health	Meeting health needs of BME in East Bury	£ 5,000.00	£ -
Ramsbottom Young People	Youth provision in Nutall park	£ 1,613.00	£ 1,000.00
Unsworth South Social Club	Chairs and tables for community hub	£ 5,000.00	£ 1,000.00
			£ 11,500.00
Bury Diabetic Support Goup	Running costs for the support group	£ 1,500.00	£ 1,000.00
Its Time 4 Change	Twice weekly homeless breakfast club	£ 5,000.00	£ 5,000.00
Rotary Club of Radcliffe	Over 70's Christmas Party	£ 2,550.00	£ 1,500.00
Bury Groups of Advanced Motorists	Driving skills for life course	£ 2,500.00	£ -
Outwood TRA	Running costs for youth club	£ 2,492.00	£ 1,500.00
ADAB	Disability inclusion course	£ 5,000.00	£ -

Bury Cricket Club	Cricket net system	£ 5,000.00	£ -
Bury Parents Forum	Special Educational needs and disability training	£ 4,275.00	£ -
Bloco Ashe Samba Group	Samba Group workshops	£ 4,690.00	£ 750.00
Besses Oth Barn URC	Replacement of floor covering	£ 2,653.00	£ -
Speakeasy	To update the ICT of the group	£ 4,068.00	£ 2,000.00
Holy Law Ladies for Bury	New kitchen to run nutrition course	£ 5,000.00	£ -
			£ 11,750.00

5.0 Community First

The fund, **Community First** aims to help groups improve their area and is intended to maximize community involvement in the process whilst expecting neighbourhood groups to match funds with either money or time.

The two eligible wards have set up Panels whose principal role is to identify local priorities for funding and make recommendations relating to projects to be supported.

East Bury Panel - eastward.bury@yahoo.co.uk

Organisation	Activity	Allocated
Holly Court Social Club	Gardening Project - required storage for tools and equipment.	£250.00
B:eastie's Junior Youth Club	Breakfast Club, and variety of activities for summer holidays	£1,247.00
Eagles Wing	A package of support and practical assistance to meet some of the identified needs of local people	£2,184.00
Topping Fold Community	Gardening project - equipment required	£1,467.54
Making Space	Development of pop-up cafes	£1,714.46
Rebuild	Provide basic IT training to residents	£500.00
Bury Asian Women's Centre	Health and Wellbeing event with local volunteers	£600.00
Bury Blind Society	Befriending project	£850.00
The Met	Dance Workshops	£800.00

The Met	Recording Studio Workshops	£800.00
Beasties Youth Club	Youth club equipment	£1,100.00
Friends of Openshaw Park	Marquees for event in the park	£200.00
Bury FC Community Trust	Cricket	£2,350.00
		£14,063.00

Moorside Panel - moorsideward.bury@yahoo.co.uk

Organisation	Activity	Amount
Seedfield Tenants and Residents Association	Setting up and running of a fortnightly luncheon club	£2,500.00
Seedfield Tenants and Residents Association	Day trip to Blackpool	£750.00
Seedfield Tenants and Residents Association	Weekly luncheon club for elderly	£1,250.00
Seedfield Tenants and Residents Association	Trip to Tattan park	£1,008.00
Friends of Chesham Woods	Promote the local nature reserve to pupils and staff	£1,275.00
Cartwheel Arts	Creative writing workshop once a month	£400.00
Chesham Fold TRA/Community Centre	Continue running of two junior clubs, and gardening for elderly	£430.00
Making Space	Development of pop-up cafes	£2,500.00
Ramsbottom Angling Association	Offer junior tuition and disabled angling provision	£2,500.00
Friends of Chesham Woods Nature Reserve	Funding for First Aid Training, insurance cover, tools, equipment and materials	£1,500.00
		£14,113.00

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