

**PERTH AND KINROSS COUNCIL**

**16 December 2015**

**Summary of Community Planning Partnership Activity  
September – December 2015**

**Briefing Note by Senior Depute Chief Executive, ECS (Equality, Community  
Planning and Public Service Reform)**

**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

To update Council on the activities of the Community Planning Partnership (CPP) between September and December 2015.

**1. Community Planning: The Journey Over the Next Five Years**

A report setting out a CPP response to the Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act 2015 was approved at Full Council on 18 November 2015. The report, *Community Planning: The Journey Over the Next 5 Years*, presents key principles for CPP operations and governance. The proposals were discussed by the CPP Executive Officer Group (CPPEOG) on 20 November 2015 and approved by CPP Board on 4 December 2015. There has been consultation with Elected Members in order to fully inform them of the report's content, recommendations and implications. Further consultation with Elected Members and CP partners will inform the development of an implementation plan, with the aim of full implementation in April 2016.

**2. Community Empowerment Working Group**

Community Empowerment Working Group (CEWG) presented a progress update to CPP Board on 4 December 2015. The CEWG is progressing work on Community Asset Transfer, Participatory Budgeting, Stories of Place, and Joint Resourcing. The Joint Resourcing pilot project to tackle worklessness in Blairgowrie/Ratray continues: the working group developed an action plan, involving practitioners to examine the issues from a local perspective at an event in Ratray in November. Progress against the action plan will be reported to a future CPP Board meeting.

**3. Perth and Kinross Annual Progress Report 2014/15**

The Community Plan Annual Progress Report for 2014/15 was approved by Council on the 7 October 2015 and was approved by the CPP Board on 4 December 2015.

4. **Community Planning Outcome Delivery Groups: 6 Monthly Progress Reports**

The 6 Monthly Progress reports against the Outcome Delivery Plans have been discussed by CPPEOG and were discussed at CPP Board on 4 December 2015. Progress has been reported by all 4 Outcome Delivery Groups (ODGs) and the report concludes that there are no significant issues or challenges to highlight to either the CPP Board or Council. The CPP Team Leader will continue to co-ordinate the 6 Monthly Progress Reports with ODG Lead Officers. The next Progress Report will cover October to March 2016, and will be due for consideration by CPPEOG in May 2016 and CPP Board June 2016.

5. **TayPlan**

TayPlan's [Proposed Strategic Development Plan 2016-2036](#) has been published; consultation has now closed and the responses are being reviewed for inclusion into the plan. CPP Board received a presentation on the Proposed Plan for information on 4 December 2015.

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