
Scrutiny Inquiry into Neighbourhood Working

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Would neighbourhood working add value?

Questions that the panel is likely to put to **Richard Crossley**

What, in your view, is neighbourhood working?

Please consider: What makes this way of working different and special? What does it do, that traditional approaches do not?

What evidence is there that it achieves better services?

Please consider: And how does it achieve these results?

You will have seen that the Inquiry scoping report sets out three different 'models' of neighbourhood working. Do you think this captures the range of models? What others would you add?

What benefits should we expect from neighbourhood working in Chorley?

Please consider: Should and will neighbourhood working reinforce the Sustainable Community Strategy and other strategic targets?

What costs might this involve?

Please consider costs in the wider context – not just money but also time and disruption

Have you any thoughts on how we might measure the costs and the benefits that flow?

In your experience, what do you consider are the main threats to successful implementation of neighbourhood working?

Is devolved control or influence over budgets and resources important to the success of neighbourhood working?

Do you consider that party political consensus is important to achieving success?

What is government policy on neighbourhood working?

Please consider: How can the government help? How will policy develop in the foreseeable future?

Is there anything else you would like to add to help the Inquiry panel?

Please use this as an opportunity to add your own thoughts
