

LSP OVERVIEW & SCRUTINY TASK GROUP

In order to start scoping this inquiry into a manageable and focused project some discussion points have been set out against the objectives agreed at the meeting.

Objectives	Discussion Areas
<p>1. Ensure the wider engagement of the Council, Local Councillors and local people in the work of the LSP.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Consider members understanding of the LSP and its role and the work of the Theme Groups. (evidence from training and development interviews) ● Look at current LSP communications with Councillors and the public.
<p>2. Maximising Capacity.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Maximising Funding contributions from parties. ● Aligning funding and projects with the objectives of the Sustainable Community Strategy. ● Consider the process used to select projects. ● Look at the delivery of projects and how they have added value. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Identify funding pots held by other forums eg Lancashire Locals and partners and their links to the delivering of the Community Strategy ● Consider the role of Lancashire Locals. ● Look at current selection process for projects. ● Learn from project selection processes used by other LSPs. ● Clarify what we mean by “added value” ie. key criteria. ● Consider and agree how best to apply to last years projects.
<p>3. Investigate how the LSP will tackle one of the issues for the Borough, the high rate of alcohol harm related hospital admission rates.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● What other indicators illustrate the effects of alcohol. ● Possible witnesses to discuss alcohol related issues – Police, Primary Care Trust, Trading Standards. ● Look at effectiveness of the Alcohol Designation Order in Coppull and other alcohol related projects eg Operation Cherub

Members may wish to concentrate on one aspect of the above with a view to looking at other areas in the future.

Consider changing the name of the group to the Overview and Scrutiny Task Group – Chorley Partnership