

South Ayrshire Health and Social Care Partnership	Strategic Planning Advisory Group	
Held on	20th December 2022	
Agenda Item:	4	
Title:	Locality Planning Report	
Summary: The purpose of this report is to update SPAG members on key developments and issues related to Locality Planning in South Ayrshire		
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Recommendations: SPAG members are asked to note the update report		
Route to meeting: Standing item for the Strategic Planning Advisory Group.		
Directions:	Implications:	
1. No Directions Required <input type="checkbox"/>	Financial	<input type="checkbox"/>
2. Directions to NHS Ayrshire & Arran <input type="checkbox"/>	HR	<input type="checkbox"/>
3. Directions to South Ayrshire Council <input type="checkbox"/>	Legal	<input type="checkbox"/>
4. Directions to both SAC & NHS <input type="checkbox"/>	Equalities	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Sustainability	<input type="checkbox"/>
	Policy	<input type="checkbox"/>
	ICT	<input type="checkbox"/>

LOCALITY PLANNING AND REPRESENTATION ON STRATEGIC PLANNING ADVISORY GROUP

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 The purpose of this report is to update SPAG members on key developments and issues related to Locality Planning in South Ayrshire.

2. RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 **It is recommended that SPAG members note the update re locality planning in the paper.**

3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 3.1 Locality Planning has been the subject of HSCP and Community Planning discussions in order to develop a joint way forward that allows the HSCP to fulfil its statutory duties re integration legislation, but in a

4. REPORT

Re-launch work

- 4.1 At the previous SPAG a range of issues were highlighted that would support the move towards the re-launch of our Locality Planning Partnerships.
- 4.2 The following is an update in relation to these:
- Recruitment into Locality Managers – One (internal) candidate appointed into Troon/Prestwick locality, the other two posts are currently in recruitment with intervals planned for mid-January 2023. If external candidates have to work 3 week notice, it is unlikely that the full complement of the 3 Locality Managers will be in place before April 2023.
 - Re-defining the Ayr North locality – there is a formal proposed approach (set out in another SPAG paper) that seeks to re-configure the Ayr North and wider Ayr localities
 - Community Planning Partner buy-in to new locality model – there is ongoing work with CPP Strategic Delivery Partnership Chairs, Vice-Chairs and others to ensure CPP buy-in to proposed new LPP arrangements
 - Engagement requirements that might emerge from Caring for Ayrshire launch – whilst the Caring for Ayrshire launch did not generate immediate need for engagement, as the content of the programme becomes clearer there will be a need to utilise the LPPs as part of the overall engagement

- 4.3 The group overseeing the re-launch process continues to meet to progress this and the group includes HSCP, LPP Chairs, Thriving Communities, VASA and CPP. They will work with LPPs to identify the timing and arrangements for the re-launch process.

Small Grant Funding Summary

- 4.4 LPPs have prioritised the funding for local groups at present.

Small grant funding of £21,000 was made available within each locality area, the money was made up of different strands of funding including Locality Small Grants allocation (£5000) and HSCP Wellbeing funding (£16,000). Due to the current financial situation for many organisations, members of the Locality Planning Partnerships decided to open a small grants process and to include Cost of Living crisis as one of their priorities.

Local groups are able apply for grants for up to and not exceeding £1000. The spirit of the funding is to allow smaller grass roots organisations to access modest amounts of money to support local projects.

5 Localities opened at the beginning of November, with a closing date of Monday 28th November 2022. Troon & Villages LPP opened slightly later, on the 8th of December 2022 and will close on Friday 13th January 2023.

Funding applications are aligned to one or more of the Locality Planning Partnership priorities. Applications are still currently being assessed across the localities and a more up to date table will be provided in the New Year. LPP members will decide on how to allocate any underspends and whether or not they will consider a themed Participatory Budgeting event or commissioning a piece of work.

Locality	Priorities	
Girvan & South Carrick	Tackling social isolation and loneliness Cost of Living Crisis (including fuel poverty) Promoting good mental wellbeing & physical health Tackling drug & alcohol issues Improving access to local information and support	Applications received: 16 Successful applications: 13 Total spend: £11,450.00 Underspend: £9,550.00
Maybole & North Carrick	Tackling social isolation and loneliness Promoting good physical and mental health including: Bereavement Suicide Prevention Tackling drug and alcohol issues Cost of Living crisis including fuel poverty	Applications received: 12 Successful applications: 7 Applications rejected: 2 Total spend: £6,269.00 Underspend: £14,731.00 Please note that there are ongoing queries with 3 applications, a full decision has still to be made.
Ayr South & Coylton	Tackling social isolation and loneliness Cost of Living Crisis (including fuel poverty) Promoting good mental wellbeing & physical health	Applications received: 12 Successful applications: 10 Total spend: £11990

		Underspend: £9010
Ayr North & Villages	Developing Green and Outdoor Spaces Cost of Living Crisis (including fuel poverty) Reducing the harm linked to alcohol & drug misuse Supporting villages to create wellbeing opportunities	Applications received: 12 Successful applications: 10 Total spend: £9970 Underspend: £11030
Prestwick & Villages	Tackling social isolation & loneliness with consideration of the following: Impact of Shielding Cost of Living Impact (including fuel poverty) Promoting Good Mental Health & Wellbeing with consideration of the following: Physical Activity Bereavement Suicide Prevention	Applications received: 17 Successful applications: 11 Total spend: £10,418.00 Underspend: £10,582.00 <i>Please note that there are ongoing queries with 6 applications, a full decision has still to be made.</i>
Troon & Villages	Supporting People Living with Long Term Health Conditions Tackling Social Isolation & Loneliness Promoting Good Mental Health & Wellbeing Cost of Living Crisis Including Fuel Poverty	Applications received: Successful applications: Total spend: £ Underspend: £ <i>To follow Jan 2023</i>

5. STRATEGIC CONTEXT

Strategic Objective 6 – We are transparent and listen to you

6. IMPLICATIONS

6.1 Financial Implications

6.1.1 No implications

6.2 Human Resource Implications

6.2.1 No implications

6.3 Legal Implications

6.3.1 No implications

6.4 Equalities implications

6.4.1 No implications

6.5 Sustainability implications

6.5.1 No implications

6.6 Clinical/professional assessment

6.6.1 No assessment needed

7. CONSULTATION AND PARTNERSHIP WORKING

This work has included input from HSCP, third sector, Council (Thriving Communities), Community Planning and the chairs of existing Locality Planning Partnerships.

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