



**Bryniau Clwyd a
Dyffryn Dyfrdwy**
Clwydian Range
and Dee Valley

Ardal o Harddwch Naturiol Eithriadol
Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty

Forward Work Programme November 2017 Update				
Project	Detail/Action Management Plan Reference	Timescale	Timescale Not Started or Problem =Red In Progress on track =Amber Complete =Green	Cost -ve or +ve (£ Cost) or neutral (Through existing and external budgets)
Finance				
Finance and Funding	To be a standing item on the Forward Work programme	Report to each JC		Neutral
Strategic Plans 2017-20				
Outreach and Volunteers strategy	To provide a policy statement, engagement plan and action plan	Summer 2016 Volunteers Strategy Internal consolation complete 2017 consult JC		Neutral
Future Landscapes Wales	To consider WG Report and adopt vision for Wales	Summer 2017. Statement in Autumn, no conclusions		Neutral
AONB Joint Committee				
Joint Committee Meetings	2 or 3 per annum	On Track complete to November 2017		Neutral
AONB Forum	Theme(s) in principle proposed by Partnership	Planned for 23 rd November 2017 Tourism and recreation Theme		Neutral
AONB Meet Local Members/Town and Community Councillors	Annual Meet	Aiming for Feb 2017 for next meeting		Neutral
AONB Town and Community Champions	To contact all Councils and request a Champion for the AONB	Meeting Oct 2017 with 10 nominated champions (Out of potentially 40)		Neutral
LA Meets with Town and Community Councils	To write to LAs to get an AONB Presentation on their collective meetings with their Town and Community Councils	Autumn 2017. In diary for 22 nd March 2018 in Wrexham.		Neutral
AONB Award	Annual	Autumn 2017 In Progress decision by the Partnership has been made on the 2 recipients		Neutral

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AONB Partnership				
Increase Full Meetings from 2 to 3	Agreed at partnership meet with the third meeting themed	Complete Extra Meet June 16 th 2017		+ve
Partnership Working Groups: Sustainable Development Fund, Landscape Character and Built Environment, Land Management and the Natural Environment , Heritage, Culture and Communities and Recreation, Tourism and Business Engagement				
Sustainable Development Fund	Deliver Full Spend	Annual Report 2016-17 completed spending Update to JC today		Neutral
Dark Skies	Joint Initiative with NPs/Visit Wales. DS Meet Visit Wales HS Discuss with LAs and TRA	Funding and events in progress. Decision on pursuing status at next JC		+ve
Limestone Legacy	Received Approval year 1 Project underway	End Date Feb 2018 Launch event 1 st December		Neutral
Active Alyn Valley	Received Funding Offer and Accepted	End Date Dec 2017 Spend in progress		Neutral
River Wheeler/Alyn Project (NWWT Led)	AONB involved in implementing	Project working towards 2017 finish, no further funding currently available		Neutral
Supplementary Planning Guidance	Built Environment	Update to JC today		Neutral
Traffic congestion and Car Parking	Loggerheads Car Park complete	Car Park operational		-ve
Tourism Strategy	To implement the action plan	AONB Badge, FCC Contribution, Tourism Growth Plan		Neutral
Distribution of Information	Forming a partnership with TICs and Country Parks for Info Distribution N Wales and N West	Review for DCC Communications Group		+ve
Engaging with businesses(Non Tourism)	Investigate working in partnership with businesses	To Develop folder visit Go Outdoors/AN Richards/Outdoor World/ Wholebake		Neutral

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AONB Special Projects				
World Heritage Site	Attend Strategic Meetings, further Collaboration between the two designations	Officers and Members on Board, Steering Group and Sub Groups. Reorganisation complete		Neutral
The Picturesque	Joint AONB/WHS Bid for Landscape Scale HLF Project	To Lottery November 2017 Project Officer made redundant –Interpretive Plan nearing completion		+ve
Friends of CR and DV AONB	Support the group where requested within resources	Summer 2017 170 sponsored dog scanner. Attend Dark Skies. 20+events held.		Neutral
Friends of CR and DV AONB	To Present to LA Scrutiny where invited	Invite to present to FCC Autumn 2017		
Climate Change Education Project	To train and deliver the programme	Winter 2017-18 3rd education round commissioned 5x new schools.		Neutral
Art Project	To deliver AONB art Projects across the AONB	Summer 2017 Local artists exhibitions in Oriel and Caban		Neutral
Site Management	Specific Projects to improve visitor enjoyment and Payback	Autumn 2017 no major progress, although National scheme being explored.		+ve
Section 85 Organisations				
SP Network Lines	To continue to investigate undergrounding possibilities	Summer 2017 Moel y Parc overhead line undergrounded		Neutral
Landscape Enhancement Initiative (National Grid)	Submit Bid for 2 Projects	Autumn 2017 Bid approved by panel have Ofgem approval		Neutral
Urbanisation	To enter into an discussion with NEWTRA and LA Highways to respect the rural nature of the AONB	Summer 2017 Meeting NWMTRA June, DCC and FCC in respect of lighting.		-ve
Area Statements and PSBs	Engage processes making AONB Relevant	Autumn 2017 Attended PSB Area Statement Presentation today		+ve