



REPORT TO: Conwy and Denbighshire Public Services Board
DATE: 16th April 2018
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SUBJECT: Approval of Conwy and Denbighshire PSB's Well-being Plan

1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

- 1.1 To provide PSB members with feedback from the executive boards of the statutory partners in relation to the Conwy and Denbighshire's Well-being Plan 2018 – 2023. To seek PSB approval of the Well-being Plan.

2. RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 To approve the summary and technical version of the Conwy and Denbighshire Well-being Plan 2018 – 2023 (appendix A and B).
- 2.2 To approve the publication of the Well-being Plan on the Conwy & Denbighshire PSB website.

3. BACKGROUND INFORMATION

- 3.1 The Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 places a statutory requirement on each Public Services Board (PSB) to produce a Local Well-being Plan for their area.
- 3.2 The local well-being plan must set out how the PSB intends to improve the economic, social, environmental and cultural well-being of its area by setting local objectives which will maximise the contribution made by the board to achieving the well-being goals in its area.
- 3.3 In line with the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015, the Well-being Plan has been approved at the following executive boards of the statutory partners. Approval letters and extracts of the minutes (where available) can be found in appendix C.
- i. Denbighshire County Council – 20 February 2018
 - ii. Conwy County Borough Council – 1 March 2018
 - iii. Natural Resource Wales – 16 March 2018
 - iv. North Wales Fire & Rescue Service – 19 March 2018
 - v. Betsi Cadwaladr University Health Board – 5 April 2018

4. CONSULTATION

- 4.1 Widespread engagement has taken place during the development of the well-being plan, including -

- Extensive consultation took place with residents and professionals across Conwy & Denbighshire under the County Conversation project during the summer of 2016, which informed both the well-being assessment and plan.
- Conwy and Denbighshire PSB held several stakeholder events in June 2017. This provided an opportunity for stakeholders from the Conwy and Denbighshire area to help the board prioritise activity along Social, Cultural, Environmental and Economic themes, and proposed potential solutions and actions in the short, medium and long term.
- A 12 week formal consultation on the draft Well-being Plan took place from November 2017 to January 2018 with statutory stakeholders and community groups.

5. RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS

- 5.1 The Public Services Board does not have a dedicated PSB resource to deliver projects in support of these priorities, and also considers that the creation of another 'layer' of work would not be effective. Hence it has agreed the focus of the PSB will be to provide leadership, scrutiny and the promotion and collaboration of work in these areas among existing structures, and seek to consolidate and challenge those structures to meet the agenda that it has set out.

6. RISK

- 6.1 As the plan is developed in more detail, a risk register will be developed. At present, the main risk is the risk that the Public Services Board fails to maximise the potential impact it can achieve through a collaborative approach.
- 6.2 There is a risk that partners do not have the resources or matching priorities to support delivery of the projects on which we'd like to collaborate, impacting upon our ability to deliver.

7. DRIVERS AND IMPLICATIONS

- 7.1 The PSB Well-being plan supports the goals of the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015.

8. REASON(S) FOR RECOMMENDATION(S)

- 9.1 The Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act requires that Well-being Plans must be published no later than 12 months following the first local government ordinary election following commencement of Part 4 of the Act. The statutory deadline for publishing the plan is by May 4th 2018.

BACKGROUND PAPERS	LOCATION	WEBSITE INFO