

## Route Map for Further Development of Area Plans

### How do we move from Town to Area Plans?

Output from discussions with Town Plans Co-ordinating Group, 26/2/13

#### Where we are

- 7 Town Plans
- Short, medium and longer term priorities for each Town
- An identified budget – revenue and capital
- Some concerns about community support for and buy-in to the Plans
- Some concerns about the level of ambition and strategic links
- Some concerns about links between the Plans and Service plans



#### Where we want to be

- Broader Area plans covering the whole County area
- Owned by the local community and reflecting their priorities
- Full engagement of local private and third sector (plus other public sector?)
- Ambitious and with clear links to Denbighshire's corporate priorities
- Guiding documents for service planning and funding decisions
- Referenced by Grant funders to identify local support and priority for external grant funding applications
- Living documents that change as need and priorities change



#### What we need to do

##### ***Phase 1 work***

##### Town to Area

1. Agree what an 'Area' is for planning
2. Agree the boundaries
3. Capture local priorities
4. Local consultation and engagement
5. Write and approve new plans

##### ***Phase 2 work***

##### Raising the Ambition

6. Evaluate existing priorities in Town Plans against local profiles, strategic priorities/vision etc
7. Facilitate further local discussion

##### Making connections

8. Evaluate Service etc plans against Area Plans and align priorities
9. Raise profile of Area Plans with funding bodies