

Governance and Accountability

The new Community Plan 2013-23 set out a revised Governance and Accountability Framework. As part of these arrangements, each of the New Outcome Delivery Groups have prepared draft Outcome Delivery Plans which were approved by the CPP Board on 23 May 2014. The plans set out detailed delivery arrangements for progress against the strategic objectives and outcomes in the Community Plan/SOA.

The Community Empowerment Working Group is established and met for the first time on 17 April. Development sessions were held on 2 May and 13 June 2014. Further consideration of long-term chairing arrangements and community representation will take place in due course.

Joint Resourcing

The Community Planning Partnership Board approved a joint submission to the National Community Planning Group on joint resourcing on 29 November 2013. The submission laid out the continued move in Perth & Kinross towards preventative spend in the provision of early years, health & social care and reducing re-offending. Further updates will be required in the course of 2014. The Executive Director, HCC, is leading on CPP support on joint resourcing, building on experience from the IRF/elsewhere.

Community Planning Partnership Development

A Development Programme for the Community Planning Partnership is in place for 2014 which will focus upon shared vision and leadership, supporting locality working, approaches to joint resourcing and promoting positive partnership culture and behaviours. Recent/upcoming events include:

- The Children and Young People's Strategic Partnership development day on 7 March
- The 'Connecting, Inspiring, Creating' Conference on 30 April
- The CPPEOG leadership development session on 2 May
- A further CPPEOG development session to be delivered by CIPFA, on developing effective joint resourcing arrangements
- The development programme for the Community Empowerment Working Group (outlined above)
- Individual Outcome Delivery Groups have held workshops to develop their Outcome Delivery Plans, coordinated/facilitated by PKC ODG Lead Officers
- Additionally, a development programme for EOT/CMG members is under preparation for delivery in June 2014. This will focus on leadership in uncertain times, in the context of public service reform and beyond.

National and key stakeholder relationships

The new Perth and Kinross Scottish Government Location Director is Trudi Sharp, with effect March 2014 who replaces Shirley Laing. Trudi is Deputy Director, Business and Enterprise in SG. An induction session with Perth and Kinross was arranged for June 2014 which focussed on locality partnership working and included a site visit to Strathearn Community Campus to see community-led partnership working in action. Feedback on the day was very positive.

