

AGENDA SUPPLEMENT (1)

Meeting: Bradford on Avon Area Board

Place: St Margaret's Hall, Bradford on Avon

Date: Wednesday 5 June 2024

Time: 7.00 pm

The Agenda for the above meeting was published on 29 May 2024. Additional documents are now available and are attached to this Agenda Supplement.

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Presentation slides for the meeting.

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Welcome and Introductions

Bradford on Avon Area Board – 5 June 2024



1. Election of Chairman

To elect a Chairman for the forthcoming year

2. Election of Vice-Chairman

To elect a Vice-Chairman for the forthcoming year

3. Welcome and Introductions

4. Apologies for Absence

5. Minutes for Approval

To approve and sign as a correct record the minutes of the meeting held on 21 February 2024.

6. Declarations of Interest

Councillors are requested to declare any personal or prejudicial interests or dispensations granted by the Standards Committee.

7. Chairman's Updates

- Consultation on the Licensing Policy
- Local Nature Recovery Strategy Public Engagement
- Multiply - National Numeracy Day
- Film - Rewilding of BoA's Old Golf Course

8. Information Items

- Community First
- Healthwatch Wiltshire
- Update from BSW Together (Integrated Care System)

9. Appointment of Representatives 2024/25

To appoint representatives to outside bodies, to reconstitute and appoint Working Groups for the year 2024/25.

10. Area Board – End of Year Report

To receive a report from the Strategic Engagement and Partnership Manager and Engagement and Partnership Lead reviewing the activities of the past 12 months and consider setting priorities for the next 12 months.

Looking Back

Positive activities for young people

- Mental health
- Collaborations
- Youth network
- Sports



Addressing Climate change

- Themed Area board



Loneliness and Isolation


- Activities
- Hub
- Support groups



Supporting the Local Economy

Bringing people into the town





Come and have your say on

Highways Matters

hosted by Bradford on Avon Area Board

With:

- Wiltshire Council Director of Highways and Transport
- Cabinet Member for Highways and Transport

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Transport and access

- Highways matters
- Traffic modelling
- LHFIG
 - £34,824
 - 16 projects

Looking Forward

- Summary of Community Survey / CAJSNA data
- Proposed priorities for May 24 – May 25

Summary of Community Survey

99 responses (3.7% of county survey)

Age	Responses (out of 99)	Proportion of respondents
Under 16	0	0.0%
16-24	1	1.0%
25-34	6	6.1%
35-44	6	6.1%
45-54	18	18.2%
55-65	19	19.2%
65+ years	49	49.5%

Summary of Community Survey- Top priorities

1. Health – 45 % of respondents had this as their first choice. Top 5 issues in order are:

- Support for “living longer better”
- Mental health support
- Care for those living with dementia
- Support for keeping physically active
- Tackling levels of obesity

CAJSNA health data

- Joint 4th highest community area for % of patients diagnosed with depression
- 2nd highest proportion of persons aged 65 years and over and highest aged 85 years and over
- Above Wiltshire average hospital admissions due to falls in persons aged 65 year

Summary of Community Survey- Top priorities

2. Environment – 21% of respondents had this as their first choice.

Top 5 issues in order were:

- Supporting public transport services
- Support for increase in biodiversity
- Tackling poor air quality within my community
- Addressing flooding in my community
- Improving the quality of landscapes (nature reserves & other destinations)

CAJSNA Environment Data

³⁵₁₇ 1 of 6 community areas to have an air quality management plan

³⁵₁₇ Land designated within flood zone 3 which has a high probability of flooding from rivers and the sea.

³⁵₁₇ 2nd lowest reported incidents of fly tipping in the county

Summary of Community Survey- Priority workstreams

3. Community– 9% of respondents had this as their first choice. Top 5 issues in order were:
 - Supporting the quality of open spaces, community gardens and playing fields in my area
 - Improving cultural assets and performances / opportunities
 - Improving the range of community groups and activities in my community
 - Improving facilities at my Wiltshire Council leisure centre
 - Improving facilities at my library

CAJSNA Community data

³⁵/₁₇ Over 80,000 visits to the library annually

³⁵/₁₇ 43% of local population a library member (3rd highest in Wiltshire)

³⁵/₁₇ Over 140,000 visits to a Wiltshire Council Leisure Centre

- 4th highest % of Workforce employed in the Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation sector

Summary of Community Survey- Top priorities

4. Children and young people – 6% of respondents had this as their first choice.

Top 5 issues in order were:

- Improving positive activities for young people
- Young people's mental health
- Support for young people who are not in employment, education or training (NEET)
- Improving health and especially obesity
- Support for children claiming free school meals

CAJSNA young people data

³⁵₁₇ Lowest levels of childhood obesity in Wiltshire

- 2nd highest Hospital admissions as a result of accidental injury in children aged 0-14 years
- Below Wiltshire average referrals into Children and Adolescent Mental Health services

Proposed priorities for May 24 - May 25

In selecting the priorities, we:

- Recognise that the area board and its partners are not always able to tackle the issue e.g. house prices, national policy
- Look for synergy between what the community wants to achieve and what Wiltshire Council's priorities are.
- Have limited resources and time so are unable to do everything all at once.
- Will at times work across community areas

Proposed priorities for May 24 - May 25

Recommendation: That Bradford on Avon Area Board adopts the following priorities and Cllr leads for 2024/25

- Positive activities for young people (Cllr. Carbin)
- Addressing climate change (All?) (Cllr Gibson?)
- Promoting wellbeing and reducing social isolation and loneliness in older and vulnerable people reducing isolation and loneliness (Cllr. Kidney)
- Improving transport and access (Cllr. Trimble)

11. Partner Updates

- Parish and Town Councils
- Climate Friendly Bradford
- Wiltshire Music Centre
- Health and Wellbeing
- Local Youth Network
- Bradford on Avon Town Council
- Neighbourhood Policing Team
- Age UK

12. Grants for Local Groups

Applications for Area Board Grants



Current Financial Position

Area Board Current Financial Position

	Community Area Grants	Youth Grants	Older and Vulnerable People Grants
Opening Balance For 2024/25	£14,160.00	£11,528.00	£7,700.00
Awarded To Date	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Current Balance	£14,160.00	£11,528.00	£7,700.00
Balance if all grants are agreed based on recommendations	-£840.00	£4,528.00	£2,700.00

Community Area Grants

Application Reference	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG1521	Bradford on Avon Cricket Club	2 lane artificial practice facility	£45,700	£5,000
ABG1674	St Nicholas PCC, Winsley	Church Hall New Roof	£23,000	£5,000
ABG1704	Staverton Social Club	Disabled and accessible facilities	£22,000	£5,000

Older & Vulnerable Adults Grants

Application Reference	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG1814	Arts Together	Projects for isolated and vulnerable older people in Bradford on Avon	£14,398	£5,000

Youth Grants

Application Reference	Applicant	Project	Total Cost	Requested
ABG1160	4 Youth South West	No limits SEN Youth Club	£16,362.63	£5,000
ABG1749	Bristol Avon Rivers Trust	River Detectives	£154,950	£2,000

13. Local Highways and Footway Improvement Group (LHFIG)



14. Urgent Items

Next meeting

18 September 2024

