

East Sussex LAA Delivery Plan



East Sussex Strategic Partnership

National Indicator:	NIS No: 1			
	Definition: % of people who believe people from different backgrounds get on well together in their local area (Hastings only)			
Performance:	Baseline	08/09	09/10	10/11
	Placeholder	70	n/a	71.1
Indicator Lead:	Mary Denning Hastings Borough Council mdenning@hastings.gov.uk 01424 451102			
Partners:	The Hastings LSP to adopt the Community Cohesion Framework and Action Plan in June 09. Appoints the Steering Group which oversees implementation and monitors progress			
Steering Group/ Partnership:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elected Members of Hastings Borough Council • Hastings Borough Council officers from Policy & Performance, Regeneration & Community Services, Marketing & Communications, Democratic Services and Housing Services • Hastings LSP Chair • Safer Hastings Partnership • Police • Hastings Voluntary Action • Registered Social Landlord 			

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hastings Community Network • Hastings Intercultural Organisation • Hastings Interfaith Forum 		
Specific Sub Targets:	Objectives in the Community Cohesion Action Plan		
Links with Other Plans:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pride of Place • Hastings Community Strategy (particularly inclusion chapter) • CLG Community Cohesion reports and advice • Hastings Economic Development and Inclusion Strategy • Draft Community Cohesion Action Plan 		
Risks/Barriers:	Risk/Barrier	Mitigating Action	
	1. Insufficient resources to deliver the Action Plan in full	HBC's External Funding Officer has been charged with identifying appropriate sources of funding and with pursuing these	
	2. Increased community tensions as economic situation deteriorates	Widespread community sign up for the Action Plan and enhanced community empowerment in implementation may help to mitigate	
	3 Prevent agenda exacerbates tensions	Engage and inform the community to ensure support replace suspicion	
Resources:	<p>Area Based Grants (Community Cohesion element)</p> <p>2008-09 - £48k</p> <p>2009-10 - £91k</p> <p>2010-11 - £140k</p> <p>A Community Cohesion Officer has been appointed by the Council and is due to be in post from 1</p>		

	<p>September 2008. The post is funded from the above Area Based Grants</p> <p>2009-11 Community Partnerships Fund c £60k per year</p> <p>Additional funding from external sources will have to be identified</p>
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*Indicator Leads should list of **ALL** activities undertaken by partners which will contribute to the successful achievement of the National indicator. Not all activities will relate specifically to the targets(s) used; where they do they should be identified. All partners will need to provide evidence which shows their activity is being achieved.*

Activity	Timescale	Interim Measure + frequency of measurement	Partner	Named link
<i>Description of activity</i>	<i>When will it start / finish</i>	<i>How we know activity has been achieved</i>	<i>Name of organisation</i>	<i>Contact name & phone number</i>
Appointment of Community Cohesion Officer	01.09.08-31.03.11	Officer in post	HBC	Pranesh Datta Neighbourhood Manager 01424 451784 pdatta@hastings.gov.uk
Draft Community Cohesion Action Plan goes out for consultation	1 st October 08	12 weeks	n/a	n/a
After amendment to reflect consultation, Action Plan and Framework adopted by Cabinet	March 09	Cabinet minutes	n/a	n/a
Framework and Action Plan adopted by LSP	June 09	Minutes of LSP	n/a	n/a
Steering Group supports the implementation of the Plan	From March 2009	Twice yearly reports to Hastings LSP Updates to Cabinet as appropriate	n/a	n/a

Resource needs to be assessed and action to identify sources of funding under way	Ongoing	Sufficient resources available to implement the Action Plan in a timely manner	n/a	n/a
Delivery of Community Partnerships Fund and any Small Grants in accordance with of Community Cohesion Guidelines	<p>Ongoing</p> <p>First CPF allocations determined by Cabinet Jan 09.</p> <p>Initial scheme to run for 2 years with review after year 1.</p>	Quarterly monitoring wef April 09	<p>CAB 1066</p> <p>HVA</p> <p>Gensing and Central St Leonards Forum</p> <p>Hastings Trust</p> <p>TCM</p> <p>1066 Enterprise</p> <p>CRI</p>	<p>Geoff Brown Manager 01424 433493 geoff@hastingscab.co.uk</p> <p>Steve Manwaring Director 01424 444010 steve@hvauk.org</p> <p>Sylvia Bennett Chair 01424 438291 chair@gcsl.org.uk</p> <p>Mel Bonney-Kane Chief Executive 01424 452523 mel@hastingstrust.co.uk</p> <p>Rob Woods Town Centre Manager 01424 205516 rob.woods@1066enterprise.co.uk</p> <p>Graham Marley Chief Executive 01424 205502 graham.marley@1066enterprise.co.uk</p> <p>Sue Vaughan CRI Area Manager</p>

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Encourage and support regular community communications such as newsletters, websites, email groups, publicity and marketing	Ongoing First CPF allocations determined by Cabinet Jan 09. Initial scheme to run for 2 years with review after year 1.	Quarterly monitoring wef April 09	HVA Gensing and Central St Leonards Forum	Steve Manwaring Director 01424 444010 steve@hvauk.org Sylvia Bennett, Chair 01424 438291 chair@gcsl.org.uk
Ensure continued support for East Sussex Compact	Ongoing	Attendance at and participation in County wide structures	East Sussex County Council	Paul Rideout Voluntary and Community Services Co-ordinator 01273 482911 Paul.Rideout@eastsussex.gov.uk
Support the role of the Multi Agency Tasking Teams and ensure co-ordination of work with Neighbourhood Policing Panels and Environmental Teams	Ongoing.	4 MATT meetings each month. Progress report indicates effectiveness of measures taken	Range of agencies	n/a
Develop and implement 'myth busting strategy'	From February 09	Procedure in place and operational Currently being developed. Partly delivered through Image Raising project funded through ABG (see NI	HBC Marketing Services	Kevin Boorman Head of Destination Management and Marketing 01424 451123 kboorman@hastings.gov.uk

		153 Plan)		
Ensure all public consultations, are genuine, co-ordinated, accessible, offer feed back, and effectively publicised.	From April 09	<p>Consultation strategy being developed</p> <p>Major consultations will appear in HBC Corporate Planning process</p> <p>Quarterly reporting on consultations carried out and the outcomes</p> <p>Procedures being developed currently</p>	HBC Policy and Performance Unit	<p>Jane Hartnell Head of Policy and Performance HBC 01424 451482 jhartnell@hastings.gov.uk</p>
Launch Annual voter registration campaigns, encouraging participation and debate - e.g. Question Time, speed dating with politicians etc	From April 09	<p>Annual report on increase in level of voter registration</p> <p>Increase in voter turnout to be monitored and recorded as appropriate</p>	HBC Democratic Services	<p>Graham Belchamber Democratic Services Manager 01424 451718 gbelchamber@hastings.gov.uk</p>
Improving access to support for work readiness, work placements, and sustainable employment through co-ordinated and additional services	From April 2009- March 2011	Outputs to be monitored on a quarterly basis	ABG programme now operational. See NI 153 Plan for details	n/a
Improving access to benefit advice, money management, debt advice, financial literacy training, low cost loans etc	March 2009- March 2011	Outputs to be monitored on a quarterly basis	Consortium led by CAB 1066	<p>Geoff Brown Manager 01424 433493 geoff@hastingscab.co.uk</p>