

# West Oldham District Plan – July 2016 Update

# Appendix 1

## Improving the Environment

Support communities to improve, enhance, and maintain the local environment					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
Review how we tackle dumping, flytipping and poor environment	District Team	Jan 2017	District Team and Environmental Services	West Oldham	The Council is reviewing and redesigning its approaches to improving systems/processes regarding flytipping and dumping. We are also considering how we communicate with local people about waste/litter and the environment
Deployable Cameras and signage to be located in hotspots for enforcement	Environmental Enforcement	Sept 2016	10 cameras at £300each £3,000 Capital  <b>No expenditure to date</b>	West Oldham	The services have been appraising different technologies and will be in a position to start trialling some new systems.
Work with schools and voluntary, community, and faith groups to develop local environmental action areas to support community activity in maintaining and improving the environment	District Team	March 2017	Materials and equipment to support and promote community activity £12,000 Revenue  <b>No expenditure to date</b>	West Oldham	<b>Medlock Vale</b> – Coppice Primary school have been awarded some Green Dividend funding to improve the environment on the approaches to the school. The school, Primrose Centre, and other local organisations will be supported to work together to undertake collective activity in the Coppice/Primrose Bank area  <b>Werneth</b> – Materials to be purchased to support local faith groups to undertake regular clean up activity. Early stages of development.  <b>Coldhurst</b> – Conversations' were held earlier in the year with OBA Millennium Centre and Vision to work together with other groups to hold regular clean ups and engage people to keep their neighbourhoods clean.

Supporting co-operative activity for winter maintenance.	Highways	Oct 2016	Refill for 10 additional grit bins £3,100 Revenue <b>No expenditure to date</b>	Coldhurst Werneth Coppice	This will take affect from October 2016.
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### Improving Community Facilities

Support local hubs and services that people can easily access					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
<p>Develop and support Community Hubs (see also “Improving Health and Wellbeing”), with a varied offer. This would be tailored to local need, but aimed predominantly at supporting people in need, and could include elements such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Citizens’ Advice</li> <li>• Job Clubs</li> <li>• Homework Clubs</li> <li>• Access to I.T</li> <li>• Training Courses</li> <li>• Community Café</li> <li>• Counselling services</li> <li>• Social activity</li> <li>• Exercise classes</li> <li>• Health improvement activity/advice</li> <li>• Budgeting skills</li> <li>• Food growing</li> <li>• Holiday food clubs</li> <li>• Substance Misuse interventions</li> </ul> <p>The District will look to develop and support the offer in the following district hubs Clarkwell Tenants Hall Werneth and Freehold Community Development Project Coppice Community Centre Primrose Centre Honeywell Centre</p>	District Team	March 2017 and ongoing	<p>Financial support will be required to develop appropriate activity or invest in some local facilities. This could be subject to change, depending on further assessment and work with the local community and centres.</p> <p>£15,000 Revenue £15,000 Capital</p> <p><b>Expenditure to date: £460 for summer youth activities at Clarkwell</b></p>	Clarkwell Werneth Coppice Hathershaw	<p><b>Clarkwell</b> Activity is already taking place – advice sessions, home language classes. Kids table tennis club started in July. IT and Wi-Fi is being checked – there may be a need to update the equipment.</p> <p>A pop up consultation has taken place, where local people have shown an interest in developing the following activities: activities for young people; a girls groups, women’s exercise classes.</p> <p>There will be a need to improve some of the internal equipment (tables and chairs).</p>
Continue to support the provision of high demand local advice services, via the C.A.B.	CAB	Present to July 2017	Increase the current half day drop in advice service from fortnightly to weekly at	Werneth Coppice Hathershaw	CAB Advisory services are being delivered out of Werneth and Freehold Community Development Project and

			Werneth and Freehold Community Development Project and the Honeywell Centre. £7,763 Revenue <b>Funding allocated and awaiting invoice</b>		Medlock Vale Childrens Centre (Honeywell Centre)
Explore alternative ways of funding and/or providing local advice services.	District Team and Policy	October 2016	Oldham Council commission for Advice services	Oldham	The Council and partners are discussing at a senior level how we respond to the issues related to poverty and as part of that work there is an assessment of the way advice services are commissioned to deliver across Oldham
Support proposals to keep Grange pitch available for community use. Work with local community groups to access external funds.	District Team	March 2017 and beyond	£4,000 Capital £4,000 Revenue <b>No expenditure to date</b>	Coldhurst	Early discussions have taken place and Unity Estates are compiling a report to propose the site for asset transfer.

### Improving health and well-being

Support local people to adopt healthy lifestyles					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
Develop health and wellbeing advice and activities from community hubs, as appropriate. Oral Health, health checks, exercise classes, walking groups, social activity	District Team	March 2017	Local hubs where appropriate activity can take place	West Oldham	Currently discussing appropriate approaches to increase up take of bowel screening and flu vaccinations in West Oldham.
Support the Schools Out For Summer delivery in Fitton Hill – engage young people in positive and healthy activity during the summer holidays	Community Group Network	Aug 2016	The Community Group Network members delivering activity £3,500 Revenue <b>Payment pending</b>	Fitton Hill and Hathershaw	This project will run over the summer period and the CGN will provide an update at a future DE meeting.
Targeted work with young people in Fitton Hill	Eden Project	March 2017	Eden project staff time and The Brew £2,000 Revenue <b>Payment pending</b>	Fitton Hill	This project is currently running and Eden will provide an update at a future DE meeting.

## Supporting local community groups

Encourage co-operative activity and build community capacity					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
Continue a small grant scheme to support local community activity that meets District priorities.	Elected Members and District Team	March 2017	Councillors funding £22,500 Revenue  <b>Payments made for following projects:</b> £500 – Werneth primary – Improving attendance £500 – Old Skool FC £1,000 – Coppice Sports Alliance fun day	West Oldham	Grants are being processed as Councillors make on decisions applications.
Support activity in the BGreen area. Support the OL1 group in development of activities to support local people	District Team	March 2017	£1,000 Revenue <b>No expenditure to date</b>	Coldhurst BGreen area	No update at this time
Werneth women's support and capacity building	Werneth and Freehold Community Development Project	Upto March 2017	Additional capacity at Werneth and Freehold Community Development Project £2,500 Revenue <b>No expenditure to date</b>	Freehold/Werneth	No update at this time
Local community groups to be supported to access other local funding streams	District Team and Action Together	Ongoing	Officer time	West Oldham	Groups are being provided with support and advice from the Community Development Officer, and monthly funding updaters from Action Together

## Educational Attainment & Employment

Support the aspirations of families and young people to achieve a good educational foundation.					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
Support an annual educational achievement awards night	Jagganathpur Thana Probashi Shongo	Dec 2017	An Annual awards night £1,000 Revenue <b>Payment pending</b>	Coldhurst	This is an annual event.

## People feeling safe in their local area

Work with partners and communities to foster safer neighbourhoods					
Action	By Who?	By When?	Resources needed	In which places?	Update
To support local communities to take ownership of shared spaces to improve safety	Community Safety Services	Mar 2017	£8,000 revenue to cover the costs of installing new alleygate schemes <b>No expenditure to date</b>	Werneth Coppice	As per alleygating update report 27/07/2016
Work with local services, agencies, and partners to monitor community safety issues and develop partnership responses	District Team	Ongoing	Partnership plans and resources <b>Partnership funding application registered</b>	West Oldham	Key areas of work for the summer period: ASB associated with Metrolink stops – Westwood and Freehold ASB at derelict sites – Hartford Mill and former Westwood Medical Practise ASB in Copster Park