Rewiring Programme Summaries

This section details the high level summaries of each of the four programmes.

Additional information on each of the four programmes is contained in the background documents to this report.

Children's Services

Cabinet Decision:

Para 2.2 To commission a period of engagement to consider -

- Early Years
- School Improvement Service
- Services to Young People

CHILDREN'S SERVICES, EDUCATION & SKILLS

The services available through Children's Centres focus on early learning, including support to families to access the offer of early learning for 2 and 3 year olds; information and activities for families; adult learning and employment support; integrated child and family health services and targeted parenting and family support. City of York Council's current budget for Early Years Services is £2,188,910 per annum.

Early Years Services	
Transformational Outcome	Develop a transformed Early Years offer that delivers sustained and improved outcomes for children pre birth to 5 years.

Activity that will take place	 2 Working with communities to co-construct solutions that meet the requirements of the area in which they are set 3 Building strong links with the Private and Voluntary sector 4 Researching the best possible environment to deliver services to the greatest number of people with the highest needs
Key points	 Engagement to begin on the following: 5 Prioritisation of services over buildings 6 Enabling local people to become champions 7 A review of the most appropriate method of service delivery 8 Development of the community and voluntary sector to deliver non statutory services 9 Reduction in core team < currently being clarified 10 The relationship of schools in Early Years services 11 Commissioning models in Early Years 12 How we can provide a more targeted service
Financial Value	£400k

CHILDREN'S SERVICES, EDUCATION & SKILLS

The key duties of local authorities in education, as defined by the 1996 Education Act, are to: Secure sufficient places for the education of children and young people in their area between the ages of 2 and 19 (up to 25 for young people with learning difficulties and/or disabilities; Support vulnerable children and young people, and; Promote high standards in primary and secondary education. City of York Council's current budget for School Improvements and Skills is $\pounds1,671,310$ per annum.

School Improvement and Skills	
Transformational Outcome	Commission and quality assure high quality flexible advice, guidance, support and challenge to a range of settings and schools.
Activity that will take place	 13 Development of a commissioning model with Schools and Partners 14 Restructure of existing core teams 15 Enabling and supporting schools to develop a sector led improvement model
Key points	 Engagement to begin on the following: 16 Enabling schools to move away from traditional reliance on LA to provide services 17 Developing a commissioning model for school improvement 18 Restructure of the Local Authority core team
Financial Value	£350k

CHILDREN'S SERVICES, EDUCATION & SKILLS

Services to Young People – Phase 2

Services to Young People covers the three areas formally part of the Integrated Youth Services – Connexions, Personal Support Inclusion Workers and Community Youth Support. City of York Council's current budget for Integrated Youth Support Services is £2,922,630 per annum.

Transformational Outcome	Provision of targeted support for the most vulnerable young people in order to support them into education, employment and training.
Activity that will take place	 Link with partners who can add range and variety that would not be viable if delivered exclusively by the CYC team Develop a traded service to schools Build capacity within communities - support the voluntary, community and independent sector to develop the 'Youth Offer
Key points	 Engagement to begin on the following: 22 Build capacity within communities 23 Support the voluntary, community and independent sector to develop the 'Youth Offer" 24 To explore the provision of services currently located at Castlegate through a variety of sites. 25 Restructure of existing core teams 26 To provide a traded service to schools to provide additional support to them in the delivery of their statutory responsibilities. 27 Ensure that the Youth Offer is clear visible and promoted to young people
Financial Value	Phase 1 - £310K (target achieved) Phase 2 - £500k

Health & Wellbeing & Integration with Health

Cabinet Decision

Para 2.3 To commission a period of engagement to consider -

- Information, advice and guidance
- Integration with health
- Adult social care operational services

HEALTH & WELLBEING & INTEGRATION WITH HEALTH

We are focusing on how we can provide and improve Information, Advice and Guidance for all residents, including self help options to enable them to access timely and relevant information quickly and easily. Helping to increase knowledge of what is available and where. Our system will help residents to select and be guided to alternative support options where they choose to do so. This will enable us to engage with residents earlier, reaching more of the people who need the services most, and helping reduce the costs currently incurred if we provide access to services.

Information, Advice & Guidance	
Transformational Outcome	 28 Delivery of Personalisation and Direct Payments 29 Creating a sustainable City infrastructure that enables Residents to access information for themselves 30 Where they can plan for Older Age or disability 31 Where they can access support from a wide range of organisations within their communities that promote self help and independence

Activity that will take place	 32 A single view of support and advice enabled through a joint care record 33 Increased community provision through hubs and re-vitalised CVS 34 Joined up support with partners at the point of delivery 35 Services available 7 days a week 36 The introduction of a partner with the expertise to provide a gateway into Health and Social Care in York in line with the Care Act and Better Care Fund
Key points	 37 The development of a joint care record 38 Development of on line and phone based tools with commercial, mutual and social enterprise partners to replace current arrangements 39 Commission different outcome based services from CVS and others 40 We anticipate our in house services will be handling far fewer referrals and only managing those cases that require support from a statutory body
Financial Value	Target reduction of £1m-£2m

HEALTH & WELLBEING & INTEGRATION WITH HEALTH

Joining up our services with health in some areas is central to the delivery of the Better Care Fund, which enables the NHS and Local Authorities to work together in a more collaborative way. This will mean we will be able to join up a persons support where and when they need it, helping residents achieve better health outcomes, be supported in their own home and communities, quicker and for longer. Together we will work with communities and all sectors to develop support options that deliver real outcomes for people, giving control to residents wherever possible and supporting those who need our help to manage their support.

Integration with Health	
Transformational Outcome	 41 Better health outcomes for York residents including Mental Health 42 Narrowing the gap < currently being clarified 43 Increased community based intervention and reduced acute activity 44 Reduced costs and improved use of combined budgets 45 Residents supported at home longer- rather than moving into care homes 46 Improved end of life care at home – rather than in hospital or care
Activity that will take place	 47 Delivery of the Better Care fund <i>(Gateway, Assessment, Safeguarding, Data sharing, Single record, 7 day working)</i> 48 Creation of a joint commissioning unit with health that will deliver outcome based support 49 Improved market development and contract management 50 Providing clearer requirement of City needs to give the CVS time and opportunity to create capacity and solutions in York 51 To develop different (and sometimes more commercial) service delivery models that meet Council objectives

Key points	A recognition that the private, independent, voluntary and community sector will need to play a greater role in some aspects of service delivery and in parallel CYC's directly employed staffing will reduce.
Financial Value	Target reduction of £2m-£4m

Place Based Services

Cabinet Decision

Para 2.4 To agree to:

- •Create, from within existing resources, an operational delivery team to deliver efficiency savings in 2014/15 and 2015/16 by focussing on community capacity through Smarter York, core service delivery, deprioritisation of non essential services and the development of commercial activities
- •Commence work on potential alternative delivery/business vehicles including undertaking a period of engagement with residents, users, businesses, partners, suppliers, Members, staff and Trades Unions to consider the most appropriate models of commissioning, support and delivery.
- Create from within existing resources a project team and internal bid team to assess CYC options for the delivery of services from 2015/16 onwards
- Commence an interim procurement on residual waste ahead of Waste Public Private Partnership (PPP)

STREET BASED SERVICES

Street based services includes collection of waste; managing the streets, including litter, highways, maintenance and lighting; managing and maintaining parks and open spaces, and; managing the Council fleet of vehicles. The services are all delivered in house and are based at the Hazel Court eco-depot. Highways, Waste, Public Realm and Fleet services have a c£20m budget per annum and generate c£8.5m income (internal to CYC and external income) per annum.

	Develop transformed Street Based Services that deliver affordable, sustained and improved
	outcomes for residents and visitors.

Activity that will take place	 52 A review of the most appropriate method of service delivery 53 Work with communities to develop services that meet their requirements 54 Building strong links with the private and voluntary sectors
Key points	 To agree to: Create, from within existing resources, an operational delivery team to deliver efficiency savings in 2014/15 and 2015/16 by focussing on community capacity through Smarter York, core service delivery, de-prioritisation of non essential services and the development of commercial activities Commence work on potential alternative delivery/business vehicles including undertaking a period of engagement with residents, users, businesses, partners, suppliers, Members, staff and Trades Unions to consider the most appropriate models of commissioning, support and delivery. Create from within existing resources a project team and internal bid team to assess CYC options for the delivery of services from 2015/16 onwards Commence an interim procurement on residual waste ahead of Waste Public Private Partnership (PPP)
Financial Value	£430k in 2014/15 £931k in 2015/16 (£750k plus £81k + £100k from budget papers) £750k in 2016/17

PLANNING & STRATEGIC SERVICES

City of York Council provides a suite of services to support both the forward planning and the development management processes. This ranges from intelligence teams to specialists in areas related to planning (such as conservation, ecology, sustainability and archaeology) to development management, land information services and building control. For a City with rich heritage and one that prioritises its built and natural environment these services have historically been very important.

Transformational Outcome	 Planning and strategic services business model Develop sustainable and affordable strategic service and planning functions
	 Carbon and energy management Achieve the best energy and water management possible across the Council estate, reducing costs and maintaining income Position the Council for better carbon management and protect against increasing costs in future years Promote renewable energy generation in the City
	Significant savings are considered achievable though they cannot be firmly quantified until the energy and water audits of the council assets are complete. To achieve the savings investment in technology and staff is required.
	 Parking and congestion Coherent set of options around managing congestion and parking

Activity that will take place	 55 Developing the strategic services and planning functions to provide a new sustainable business model 56 Activity on the Carbon and Energy management programme to reduce energy usage levels across our estate and investigate and implement renewable energy schemes. 57 Review work on the dynamics of congestion and parking and address the long term strategy and related operations.
Key points	 58 Acknowledgement that strategic service and planning team, to maintain services levels will be working on external contracts and will have to prioritise in their work. 59 Approve direction of travel for the Carbon and energy management programme.
Financial Value	New business model - £235k in 2015/16 Carbon & energy management – savings from £250k up to £2.5m over 5 years have been demonstrated as achievable at other Local Authorities, depending on ambition

HOUSING

City of York Council currently owns and manages a Housing Stock of c7900 properties. The maintenance of the Housing stock is an inhouse function, which also provides building maintenance services to the council's buildings. The building maintenance function has a budget of c£6.2m per annum and generates income of c£6.9m per annum.

Transformational Outcome	 60 To deliver the council's Housing priorities 61 To ensure the prudent management of the Housing Revenue Account 62 Optimise the Building Services function and deliver work as part of income generation strategy 	
Activity that will take place	 63 Review of Housing function to seek efficiencies 64 Implementation of technology enablers to unlock capacity in Building services 	
Key points	65 Note progress	
Financial Value	Building services - £30k 15/16	

COMMUNITY SAFETY

The council's Public protection teams (Environmental health, Environmental protection, trading standards, licensing) and the Safer York partnership have the remit of ensuring that York is a safe City. These teams work in partnership at a local, regional and national level to ensure the best outcomes for residents and visitors. The public protection teams have a budget of c£3.2m per annum and generate c£2.1m income per annum into the council.

Transformational Outcome	To work with Communities and partners to deliver safe communities.	
Activity that will take place	 66 Developing an Anti-social behaviour hub for CYC and partners to consolidate intelligence and case management. 67 Further develop the CCTV and network management operation to maximise opportunities for working with partners and creating a safer city. 68 Reshape the Public protection service to enable the sustainment of service levels 	
Key points	69 Note progress	
Financial Value	CCTV development/Road safety partnership - £100k 15/16 Public protection review - £316k 15/16	

CUSTOMER SERVICE

City of York Council provides a number of contact points for residents and businesses, across face-to-face, telephone and digital channels. As we aspire to customer excellence, there are significant gains from better integration of these channels, facilitating self-service online, and giving staff the skills and tools to help them fulfil changing customer needs.

Customer Service Design

"To put residents first by providing a high quality and responsive service that uses fit for purpose technologies to ensure we are always open and available for everyone to use"

Transformational Outcome	To give residents the freedom of choice as to how and where they do business with us and to support them to transact with us online to improve not only the cost effectiveness of customer service but to the overall customer experience/outcome.	
Activity that will take place	 70 Provide a new easy to use, customer focused & responsive website that allows residents to transact with us on-line & allows them to view the progress of their transactions through a 'my account' facility 71 Increase the number of services residents can transact with us on-line 72 Increase the digital channels residents can use to transact with us e.g. web-chat 73 Completion of a digital inclusion strategy that includes training and support for residents to transact with us on-line 74 Reduce failure demand by increasing customer satisfaction at first point of contact 	

Key points	 To agree to: Create, from existing resources, an operational delivery team to deliver efficiency savings in 2014/15 and 2015/16 focussed on community capacity through Smarter York, core service delivery, deprioritisation of non essential services and the development of commercial activities; Consult with service areas with a view to reducing the operating hours of the Customer Service Centre to 9.00am to 5.00pm to reflect demand
Financial Value	£450k

COMMUNITY & RESIDENT ENGAGEMENT

City of York Council provides a number of contact points for residents and businesses, across face-to-face, telephone and digital channels. As we aspire to customer excellence, there are significant gains from better integration of these channels, facilitating self-service online, and giving staff the skills and tools to help them fulfil changing customer needs.

Consultation & Engagement

Transformational Outcome	To help build locally responsive and stronger communities where people come together to make decisions by introducing new ways for residents and communities to interact with the Council, improving the quality of services, increasing skills in consultation and engagement, using resources wisely, and encouraging greater
	residents and communities to interact with the Council, improving the quality of services, increasing skills in consultation and engagement,

Activity that will take place	 75 An on-line engagement log is being established to provide a central record of all consultation and engagement activity; 76 An approach is being introduced to support our new way of working, together with a framework that includes standards and a toolkit for staff on how to consult and engage 77 Training will be available together with guidance for staff; 78 A toolkit will also be produced for residents and communities; 79 Leadership development for Councillors to support their role a champions of the new approach. 	
Key points	To note the work underway and planned that enables all other transformation projects and business as usual to support the new way of working. It provides the approach, tools and skills needed to consult and engage with residents and communities.	
Financial Value	None. This project provides skills to all those involved in our new way of working.	

ORGANISATIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Transformational Outcome	Organisational Development is the term used to describe how we will adapt internally to support our transformation programme. It is a total approach to supporting our people and captures any work that results in significant improvements to our performance and facilitates achievement of our priorities.
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Activity that will take place	 80 A comprehensive assessment was conducted with directors, managers, staff, councillors, our partners, and trade unions, to understand perceptions of where we are now, how ready the Council is to change and how engaged people feel; 81 Key themes are being identified from all of the discussions and these will be grouped together to show where the Council is strong in terms of supporting people and where we need to be stronger; 82 This will help to determine the priorities that will be captured as part of the organisational development strategy. This will be supported by an action plan that details all of the specific work planned to build the leadership, skills, culture, and capacity in the short, medium and long term; 83 All existing activity will be brought into line so that we have one plan and current workforce strategy and policy will be reviewed to ensure it is fit for purpose.
Key points	To note the planned and systematic approach taken to deliver improvement that is sustainable, and results in excellent customer service and a happy, healthy workforce.
Financial Value	None.

Rewiring Programme Business Cases

This section details in outline form the business cases for each of the four programmes:

- Community and Resident Engagement
- Place Based Services
- Children's Services
- Health and Wellbeing and Integration with Health –
 Integration with Health project and Initial Assessment project
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COMMUNITY & RESIDENT ENGAGEMENT

City of York Council provides a number of contact points for residents and businesses, across face-to-face, telephone and digital channels. As we aspire to customer excellence, there are significant gains from better integration of these channels, facilitating self-service online, and giving staff the skills and tools to help them fulfil changing customer needs.

Work Stream	Overview
A key ambition of our current Customer Strategy 2012/15 is to be 'always open'. As such, we are committed to increasing the number of ways in which people can contact us and ensure services are available 24/7, with improvements particularly focused in online provision and training.	The proposal is to procure a digital platform that (from April 2015) will offer a 'my account' facility, allowing residents and staff to use the same system. Services include: Increased council tax, environmental reporting and booking facilities; benefits; parking; housing register and rents; licenses; building control, and many more. The control of the new website will sit with the Customer Service Department who will create a

Appendices	resident user group to help re- design and reduce the content on our current website.
Situational Analysis	Outcomes
Currently it is clear that:	To:
 We have not maximised potential to place transactional services on-line, whilst other councils have done so; Our web-based services are 	 provide customers with direct access to a personalised view of their information and access to services on-line through a 'my account' facility;
hard to find/use;	 Implement an employee-
 There is not a strong/ consistent user experience; 	friendly system that integrates with view the customer has of their account:
 Customers cannot build a self- serve portal of what is important to them; and 	 increase access to digital self- service provision e.g. web-chat, mobile apps, tablet based
 From an internal point of view, our systems are not light/agile or easily reusable. 	 improve digital access for those without/reduced access;
Previous decisions	 inform customers of the status

 In Feb 2014, Cabinet agreed to: the creation of a 'my account' mode of service; the ability to sign up for regular updates; a transactional website; service consolidation into the customer centre; and multi-skill and empower staff to fulfil customer needs. 	 of their enquiry at all times; increase the number of online transactions available; increase professionalism in customer service; eradicate failure within the system move to max. 10 contact telephone numbers initially; consolidate customer service functions into one management structure; and agree our Customer Strategy beyond 2015 in line with the evolving vision above.
Benefits	Risks
 Customers can do business with us easily online, on any device; Minimum 39% reduction of demand on telephone, face- to-face and admin service, with some online-only; Average 61% online transactions with some services at 100%; 25% improvement in customer satisfaction on the website; Improvement in website rating from 1* to 3* 	 As services are moved to the digital platform, there may be a need to review and update current policy to reflect the preferred approach to doing business with the Council online. For example: how customers notify a change of circumstance; pay bills and make bookings. Support for residents who have no access to on-line services. Measures in place include: Accessible face-to-face and phone support; Improved internet access mobile phone access and training for residents.
Investment	Savings

Minimum £450K savings by April 2016 from:
 April 2016 from: £340k in additional channel shift savings derived from moving new services online (+£80k existing savings targets); £110k from staffing savings from a change in complaints management, a reduction in failure demand and integration of customer service management structures; (+£150k existing savings targets) Additional savings will be realised as Health and Wellbeing and Integration with Health, Children's and Place based services move to a digital platform;
 Further savings identified to 2018 which will be built into future budget proposal
Income
N/A

We realise to progress services to 100% digital delivery is a new approach for City of York Council. Rewards demonstrated by other authorities include:

- 100% new benefit claims completed on-line in Barking and Wigan;
- 100% of premises and highways licenses completed on-line at Hammersmith and Fulham;
- 62% of all contact in Harrow is via their website;

• 85% of parents in Barking top up their school dinner cards online

Key points

To agree to:

84	Make all council services available electronically and
	promote these as the preferred method of contact. For those customers for whom electronic access is not
	appropriate we will provide alternative means of contact

85 Consult with service areas with a view to reducing the operating hours of the Customer Service Centre to 9.00am to 5.00pm to reflect customer demand

CONSULTATION AND ENGAGEMENT

City of York Council provides a number of contact points for residents and businesses, across face-to-face, telephone and digital channels. As we aspire to customer excellence, there are significant gains from better integration of these channels, facilitating self-service online, and giving staff the skills and tools to help them fulfil changing customer needs.

Work Stream	Overview
Community and Resident Engagement Appendices	The aim is to help build locally responsive and stronger communities where people come together to make decisions. We will do this by introducing new ways for residents and communities to interact with the Council, improving the quality of services, increasing skills in consultation and engagement, using resources wisely, and encouraging greater participation in decision making.
Situational Analysis	Objectives
We are unable to completely capture what consultation and engagement is happening and the outcomes aren't shared across other services. When consulting or engaging with a community we are unable to link this easily to other information such as statistical data or demographics.	 improve engagement activity with residents and communities to understand local needs and promote self reliance; increase capacity and capability of council staff and communities to improve the quality of outcomes and achieve value for money; and

Every team now has responsibility for consulting and engaging with residents, communities or customers before any service improvements are introduced. There is a greater desire to work in partnership with residents and communities. However, people may not have the right skills or confidence to work in this way. Previous decisions None.	 Improve democratic participation by broadening engagement activity to include all sections of the community.
Benefits	Risks
 Increased engagement of residents in their own community from 54% to 65% Increase in the number of residents who actively make their community a better place to live from 42% to 50% Increase the percentage of people who believe they can influence decisions affecting your local area from 24% to 30% Increase the percentage of people who have given help in their community from 65% to 68% Staff feel more confident and capable when engaging with residents and communities as part of the new way of working Councillors feel more confident and capable when 	 If staff resources are not allocated to develop the consultation and engagement element of the website, this endangers the delivery of a quality product that is consistent with the overall CYC website, and timescales may be missed The Neighbourhood Working Model will fail if Councillors do not embrace the new way of working

engaging with residents and communities as part of the new way of working	
Investment	Savings
£22,000 for a dedicated resource is needed within the Consultation and Engagement Team to manage this work stream	None. This project provides skills to all those involved in our new way of working
	Income

This project is an enabler to all other transformation projects and business as usual. It will support the council by providing the approach, tools and skills needed to consult and engage in a meaningful way with residents and communities under the new methodology. The diagram below shows the rewiring methodology and our commissioning cycle which forms the basis of increased consultation and engagement.

Key points

To note the work underway and planned that enables all other transformation projects and business as usual to support the new way of working.

It provides the approach, tools and skills needed to consult and engage with residents and communities.

Place Based Services

As part of the council's Rewiring Public Services programme, this paper considers how strategic place-based services can be made more open, optimised and enterprising whilst meeting the city's priority outcomes. It focuses on four key areas:

- 1. Planning and strategic services (including energy and carbon management)
- 2. Street-based services
- 3. Community Safety
- 4. Housing

Planning and Strategic services

City of York Council provides a suite of services to support both the forward planning and the development management processes. This ranges from intelligence teams to specialists in areas related to planning (such as conservation, ecology, sustainability and archaeology) to development management, land information services and building control. For a City with rich heritage and one that prioritises its built and natural environment these services have historically been very important.

Work Stream	Overview
Planning & Strategic Services Business Model Appendices	A proposal to supplement budgets with external income through pre- planning advice for major applications and adoption of a more enterprising business model, pro-actively targeting regional and national planning working with other authorities. This could be extended to include consultancy services to a wider market.
Situational Analysis	Objectives

 There is a requirement to reshape how strategic services, planning and environmental services are operated to meet the expectation of a growing, environmentally conscious city against a backdrop of reduced funding. Although options exist to reduce levels of service to meet the decrease in funding, there is both an expectation of a good level of service and a responsibility to maintain and improve the built and natural environment. Engagement with businesses has demonstrated a more efficient planning process, particularly on major sites, where the council has engaged with the developer earlier in the process. The pre-planning fee is only a small percentage of total cost to a developer during the planning process. Exploratory work of shared local authority services has been initiated in Harrogate. 	 To: Provide a professional and enabling set of planning and strategic services; Support an ambitious, growing City whilst ensuring that development maintains and enhances the built and natural environment; Deliver additional work required to ensure that the offer to York residents and businesses is sustainable Explore income-generation opportunities.
Benefits	Risks
 Maintain a higher level of service Longer-term sustainability 	 Balancing CYC and external workload, with a need to generate capacity quickly Retention of officers with the

 Accelerate Local Plan process Income generation Market-driven efficiencies 	most "marketable" skillsReduced pre-app demand long-term
Investment	Savings
None required.	Total £235k:
	 External income to support roles in the team: £70k priority based budgeting (15/16)
	 External funding (transport teams): £125k priority based budgeting (15/16)
	 Planning and transport Income:£25k (15/16 budget)
	 Income streams: £15k (15/16 budget)
	Income
	Total £3.075m in 15 years: Pre-application evaluation fees: £375k approx. (over next 5yrs) £300k approx. (6-10yrs) £225k approx. (11-15yrs) Planning Application fees: £925k approx. (over next 5yrs) £800k approx. (6-10yrs) £450k approx. (11, 15yrs)
	£450k approx. (11-15yrs)

Additional funding streams might include: CIL, other planning gain, Government contribution to support Neighbourhood planning.

Key points

To acknowledge that, in order to maintain (and even improve) service levels, the strategic service and planning team will be prioritising their work to factor in new, external demands. This would be complemented by additional, more flexible capacity to meet internal pressures when required.

STRATEGIC SERVICES AND PLANNING - TRANSFORMING CARBON & ENERGY MANAGEMENT

City of York Council provides a suite of services to support both the forward planning and the development management processes. This ranges from intelligence teams to specialists in areas related to planning (such as conservation, ecology, sustainability and archaeology) to development management, land information services and building control. For a City with rich heritage and one that prioritises its built and natural environment these services have historically been very important.

Work Stream	Overview	
Carbon & Energy Review	 Achieve the best energy and water management possible across the Council estate, reducing costs and maintaining income Position the Council for 	
Appendices	better carbon management and protect against increasing costs in future years	
	 Promote renewable energy generation in the City 	
	Significant savings are considered achievable though they cannot be firmly quantified until the energy and water audits of the council assets are complete. To achieve the savings investment in technology and staff is required.	
Situational Analysis	Objectives	
Despite a 25% reduction in carbon emissions between 2008– 2013, the council currently has:	 Create a new corporate carbon and Energy management plan and invest to save programme 	
Annual energy spend of £4.7	 Carry out estate energy audits and streamlining of energy 	

 million (excluding CYC fleet) An annual Carbon Reduction Commitment of £230k Estimated 10% pa. increase in energy spend A need to find an addition £470k annually or, over a 5 year period, an additional £2,350,000. Annual expenditure for energy across the estate could reach £7,050,000 by 2019, if nothing changes. Since restructures, there has been no capacity to create a new carbon management plan Previous decisions	 data, water data and processing Create a new water management plan and invest to save programme Carry out detailed feasibility studies to develop an investment grade business case for a large scale renewable energy project by 2015/16 Carry out energy master-planning studies to identify district heating opportunities A new coordinated corporate utilities task and finish group to deliver the work
Benefits	Risks
 A new transformational carbon and energy management plan and a new water management plan capable of reducing energy and water consumption reducing CYC's utility expenditure reducing carbon emissions reducing CYC's mandatory carbon reduction commitment requirements revenue through renewable energy generation creating 2 invest to save programmes that could 	 Lack of urgent action to address carbon and energy issues will represent an increased long term cost to the council in energy bills and penalties. Need to generate own energy to close gap on self- sustainability.

 fund new projects and possible staff Streamlined management processes and procedures – including centralised billing and procurement of utilities Up to 3 detailed renewable energy feasibility studies to develop investment grade opportunities from (PV and district heating) A long term renewable energy investment roadmap Delivery towards CYC's One Planet Living (OPL) ambitions 	
Investment	Savings*
New plan and corporate group to oversee change (£33k); Estate audit (£50k); Streamlined management processes (£8.8k); VC farm business (£20k), energy masterplans (£80k). Total: £196k	 Energy Efficiency measures installed Water efficiency measures installed Water Bill Validation Carbon & energy management – savings from £250k up to £2.5m over 5 years have been demonstrated as achievable at other Local Authorities, depending on ambition
	 Renewable energy generation and associated financial incentives Feed in Tariff
	 Renewable Heat Incentives (Renewable Energy

Obligations)
* Income forecasts are not possible until energy audits are carried out audit and projects sufficiently developed. Financial savings / income avenues are above.

Please see examples of action taken by other authorities in the background documents.

Key points

• To note the direction of travel for carbon and energy management programme

STREET BASED SERVICES

Highways, Waste, Public Realm and Fleet services have a budget in the region of £20m per year and these services generate in the region of £8.5m in income (internal to CYC and external income). This includes the collection of waste; managing the streets, including litter, highways, maintenance and lighting; managing and maintaining parks and open spaces, and; managing the Council fleet of vehicles. These services have historically been delivered by in-house teams located at the eco-depot.

Work Stream	Overview
Street based services – alternative delivery vehicle	Proposal to put communities at the centre of service provision, develop community capacity and recast the council's service provision in this context.
Appendices	

Situational Analysis	Objectives
 Despite a 25% reduction in carbon emissions between 2008–2013, the council currently has: Budgets of around £20m with income of around £8.5m (not 	 Increased resident engagement, co-design and participation Create capacity in communities through the community hubs
including some related elements, such as the Waste disposal budgets)	 Setting realistic priorities and service levels
 Services have been working through efficiency over the last few years and are 	 Ensuring the internal business is fit to test against the market
reaching an optimal level for internal provision. Services	 Maximise income generation opportunities
levels will be significantly affected without transformational change	 Defining what the "offer" is moving forward and working towards a sustainable business
 Opportunities exist to share services with local districts where a business case exists 	model to support the offer.Start to develop options for
 Development of models using Yorwaste and teckal compliance possible. 	future business model, develop in-house offer and test the market.
 Smarter York provides a strong foundation for Community engagement, capacity building and resilience. 	
Previous decisions	
Benefits	Risks
Greater community involvement in service design	Ambitious procurement timetable and possibility of an

and delivery and engagement • Financial sustainability whilst maintaining realistic service levels	 in-house bid may deter potential bidders and restrict competition. Mitigate risk through open and honest dialogue with potential bidders and ensure all business model options are developed. Capacity of Procurement Team to deliver major procurement exercise and transformational savings (£750k) during 2015/16. Mitigate risk by identifying resource requirements at earliest opportunity. Strong in-house offer would support continuation of internal services, but there would be no risk transfer and consequently the further development of the services, and potential shortfall in expected reductions in budgets would be at CYC's risk.
Investment	Savings*
 Resourcing of 3 work streams to be identified. Task team to deliver 14/15 and 15/16 Bid team to develop the inhouse offer Procurement team, who will be looking at the commissioning the future business model. 	Street based services transformation £430k 14/15, £931k 15/16, £750k 16/17
	Income*
	Income generation will be part of the model. Fleet, workshops, Highways and Commercial waste
	* Income forecasts are not possible until energy audits are carried out audit and projects

Variety of models in operation across the country. Interesting models to explore around mutual ownership between CYC and private partner to enable risk sharing, better investment and shared management.

Key points

To agree to:

- Create, from within existing resources, an operational delivery team to deliver efficiency savings in 2014/15 and 2015/16 by focussing on community capacity through Smarter York, core service delivery, de-prioritisation of non essential services and the development of commercial activities
- 86 Commence work on potential alternative delivery/business vehicles including undertaking a period of engagement with residents, users, businesses, partners, suppliers, Members, staff and Trades Unions to consider the most appropriate models of commissioning, support and delivery.
- •Create from within existing resources a project team and internal bid team to assess CYC options for the delivery of services from 2015/16 onwards
- 87 Commence an interim procurement on residual waste ahead of Waste PPP

COMMUNITY SAFETY

The council's Public protection teams (Environmental health, Environmental protection, trading standards, licensing) and the Safer York partnership have the remit of ensuring that York is a safe City. These teams work in partnership at a local, regional and national level to ensure the best outcomes for residents and visitors. The public protection teams have a budget of c£3.2m per annum and generate c£2.1m income per annum into the council.

Public Protection Review	Redesign of the public protection unit into a business-friendly system that rewards responsible businesses.	There is a saving target of £316k for 15/16. The development of the commercial arm of public protection is to close this budget gap and safeguard the standard of service	31-32
Road Safety & Network Management Review	Exploring CCTV service as a commercial offer to new partners and geographies.	There is a £100k savings target associated with this work.	31-32
Anti Social Behaviour (ASB) Hub	Development of cross- agency intelligence and case management hub.	The ASB hub has been delivered and the team is now working on optimising opportunities with partners.	31-32
Key Points N	lote progress		

HOUSING

City of York Council currently owns and manages a Housing Stock of c7900 properties. The maintenance of the Housing stock is an inhouse function, which also provides building maintenance services to the council's buildings. The building maintenance function has a budget of c£6.2m per annum and generates income of c£6.9m per annum.

Building Services Review	Efficiency and opportunity review covering technology (integration of systems and mobile working), external income generation and commissioning.	There is a requirement to generate £30k of income in 15/16 leading to a model where more external income replaces savings from general fund to support a sustainable service.	33-34
Key Points Note progress			

Children's Services

The transformation programme in CSES covers three main areas – Early Years Services, School Improvement and Skills and Connexions.

Each of the areas is covered in more detail in this section, with descriptions of the current services and the proposals around which we would like to engage.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

The services available through Children's Centres focus on early learning, including support to families to access the offer of early learning for 2 and 3 year olds; information and activities for families; adult learning and employment support; integrated child and family health services and targeted parenting and family support. City of York Council's current budget for Early Years Services is £2,188,910 per annum.

Work Stream	Overview
Early Years Services	The core purpose of Children's Centres is to improve outcomes for young children and their families and to reduce inequalities in relation to:
	 child development and school readiness
	 parenting aspirations and parenting skills
	 child and family health and life chances.
	A key driver within this transformation project is to protect front line service delivery against a backdrop of budget pressures.
	However, we also believe opportunities exist to develop an

Appendices An example of how a particular model could work is in Annex <u>?</u>	Early Years offer that delivers sustained and improved outcomes for children pre birth to 5 years. A period of engagement would explore potential models.
Situational Analysis	Objectives
 Prior to April 2011 Children's Centre funding was through the ring fenced Sure Start, Early Years and Childcare Grant. Following the significant reduction in funding, Phase 2 and Phase 3 Children's Centres have been grouped This has allowed all Children's Centre buildings across the City to be retained, whilst affording increased flexibility to deliver all elements of the Children's Centre core purpose. The services available through Children's Centres focus on early learning, including support to families to access the offer of early learning for 2 and 3 year olds; information and activities for families; adult learning and employment support; integrated child and family health services and targeted parenting and family support. 	 Within our proposed transformed service, it is likely the following themes will be incorporated and therefore we would like to consult on: Prioritisation of services over buildings Enabling local people to become champions A review of the most appropriate method of service delivery Development of the community and voluntary sector to deliver non statutory services The relationship of schools in Early Years services How we can provide a more targeted service

Previous decisions	
 Benefits Working with communities to co-construct solutions that meet the requirements of the area in which they are set Building strong links with the Private and Voluntary sector Researching the best possible environment to deliver services to the greatest number of people with the highest needs 	 Risks Reputational risk of a stigmatised service in Children's Centres – only the most vulnerable targeted Political sensitivity if a Children's Centre were to potentially close Reduction in quality of an Early Years setting
Investment	Savings* • £400,000 Income* •
Additional info	

Key Points

To note that a period of engagement will take place on the following:

- Prioritisation of services over buildings
- Enabling local people to become champions
- A review of the most appropriate method of service delivery
- Development of the community and voluntary sector to deliver non statutory services
- Reduction in core team
- The relationship of schools in Early Years services
- Commissioning models in Early Years
- How we can provide a more targeted service

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

The key duties of local authorities in education, as defined by the 1996 Education Act, are to: Secure sufficient places for the education of children and young people in their area between the ages of 2 and 19 (up to 25 for young people with learning difficulties and/or disabilities; Support vulnerable children and young people, and; Promote high standards in primary and secondary education. City of York Council's current budget for School Improvements and Skills is $\pounds 1,671,310$ per annum.

Work Stream	Overview
School Improvement & Skills	The transformation is driven by the importance of clarifying the continuing role of the local authority in education in order to ensure that we generate the 2020 vision and narrative for education
Appendices	

	and skills in the City of York.
Situational Analysis	Objectives
 York has a high performing education system both in terms of attainment and educational outcomes. However, there are areas we need to improve in order to effectively discharge our duties under the 1996 Education Act. In 2010 the government published the White Paper, 'The Importance of Teaching', to which the transformation of the school improvement in York has focused. Since 2010 school improvement in York has focused. Since 2010 school improvement. This is against a reduction in local authority's school improvement team of 40%. 	 Development of a commissioning model with Schools and Partners Restructure of existing core teams Enabling and supporting schools to develop a sector led improvement model Ultimately, commission and quality-assure high quality flexible advice, guidance, support and challenge to a range of settings and schools
Benefits	Risks
 A sustainable school to school support model through cluster based school improvement Co-created solutions 	 Relationship between Local Aithority and Schools may deteriorate Pupils may suffer or not improve at the required rate

 Flexible operating models Strategic commissioning strategy and framework for quality assessing school improvement services 		
Investment	Savings	
	• £350,000	
	Income	
	•	
Additional info		
Key points		
To note that a period of engagement will take place on the following:		
 Enabling schools to move away from traditional reliance on LA to provide services Developing a commissioning model for school improvement 		

• Reducing the Local Authority core team

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Services to Young People covers the three areas formally part of the Integrated Youth Services – Connexions, Personal Support Inclusion Workers and Community Youth Support. City of York Council's current budget for Integrated Youth Support Services is £2,922,630 per annum.

Work Stream	Overview
Services to Young People	Our proposed transformation of the Connexions Services would provide targeted support for the most vulnerable young people in order to support them into education, employment and training.
Appendices	A period of engagement would explore partnership working to add range and variety to the services available to young people.
Situational Analysis	Objectives
 Connexions is part of the Integrated Youth Services The service is made up of Schools based Information, Advice and Guidance (IAG), Castlegate and the Duke of Edinburgh team Castlegate delivers 4800 drop-in advice sessions and 1750 counselling sessions each year, on areas such as: Careers Advice, employment; Benefits, Housing, Health, and Counselling. Each year 3000 individual 	 Retain a team of qualified advisers to deliver careers advice to young people who are NEET (or at risk) Retain capacity to support schools to deliver their statutory duty, with a traded service for additional support To explore the provision of services currently located at Castlegate through a variety of sites. Clearly define and describe priority/targeted areas on 360 degree feedback - to ensure

 careers sessions currently delivered via IAG. Duke of Edinburgh provides rich experience of personal and social development, with 180 DofE Awards delivered a year for young people. Previous decisions	 resources are utilised and distributed effectively Build capacity within communities - support the voluntary, community and independent sector to develop the 'Youth Offer' based on this collaborative approach Ensure the voice of young people is evident throughout all aspects of service redesign and development
Benefits	Risks
 Retaining a team of qualified advisers to deliver impartial careers advice to young people who are NEET or at risk of becoming NEET Retain capacity to support schools to deliver their statutory duty Link with partners who can add range and variety that would not be viable if delivered exclusively by the CYC team Develop a traded service to schools Build capacity within communities - support the voluntary, community and independent sector to develop the 'Youth Offer' 	 Young People may not be able to access good quality Information, Advice and Guidance One to One support is significantly reduced
Investment	Savings

	• £500,000	
	Income	
	Income	
	•	
Additional info		
Key points		
To note that a period of engageme	nt will take place on the following:	
 Build capacity within communitie Support the voluntary communitie 		
 Support the voluntary, community and independent sector to develop the 'Youth Offer" 		
 To explore the provision of services currently located at Castlegate 		
through a variety of sites		
Reduction in the core team		
 To provide a traded service to schools to provide additional support to them in the delivery of their statutory responsibilities 		
 Ensure that the Youth Offer is clear visible and promoted to young 		
people.		

HEALTH & WELLBEING & INTEGRATION WITH HEALTH

We are focusing on how we can provide and improve Information, Advice and Guidance for all residents, including self help options to enable them to access timely and relevant information quickly and easily. Helping to increase knowledge of what is available and where. Our system will help residents to select and be guided to alternative support options where they choose to do so. This will enable us to engage with residents earlier, reaching more of the people who need the services most, and helping reduce the costs currently incurred if we provide access to services.

Work Stream	Overview
Information, Advice & Guidance	The ASC Information and Advice work stream concerns the provision of high quality advice and information about social care and health services, support and resources outside the council. Available to everyone a 'Universal' offer, it will tale a variety of forms, tailored to peoples needs but drawing upon a single, robust body of information. Currently at the beginning of this transformation process, community need assessment and existing service benchmarking will inform an Advice and Information Strategy. From there, the Information "Network" will be developed.
Situational Analysis	Objectives

 The ASC transformation programme consists of five main work streams that interlink and address the whole of Health and Wellbeings business, its technical functions, processes, and people, based on the customer journey, their experiences and value for money. This vision and business change is being co-developed with residents, their carers, partners and stakeholders The organisational change is viewed as a "once in a generation" opportunity to revitalise services and deliver customer-focused support of the highest quality. Personal Budgets and Personal Health Budgets give us the opportunity to forge ahead with the shift towards self-directed support. 	 A single view of support and advice enabled through a joint care record Increased community provision through hubs and re-vitalised CVS Joined up support with partners at the point of delivery Services available 7 days a week The introduction of a partner with the expertise to provide a gateway into Health and Social Care in York in line with the Care Act and Better Care Fund Ultimately, so "Individuals and their families can make informed choices about the different care and support options available to them in the community, to help them live independent and fulfilling lives".
Benefits	Risks
 Delivery of Personalisation and Direct Payments Creating a sustainable City infrastructure that enables Residents to access information for themselves. Where they can plan for Older Age or disability. Availability of IT platform Systems ability to integrate Deliverability of Community Hubs Willingness of partners to engage Customers aren't diverted in numbers anticipated Improved info and advice 	

• Where they can access support from a wide range of organisations within their communities that promote self help and independence	creates more demand for services
Investment	Savings
 Project team drawn from existing resources Potential investment in IT to facilitate self assessment 	 Total: £1-2m, based on 25% reduction in: initial enquiries (i.e. those that do not make it to initial recording) and enquiries that result in initial recording but do not lead to assessment for service, as initial enquirers use a self- management option as the default route. % reduction in admissions to residential/day care as individuals feel more supported to live independently through targeted information delivered by a route that meets needs % reduction in referrals for other Council services such as aids and adaptations as individuals have direct access to Health and Wellbeing and Integration with Health information and advice without the need for assessment % reduction in future demand for local authority services as individuals are better supported to manage their own care packages through high quality financial advice % reduction in future demand for local authority services as individuals plan their needs further in advance Increase in community access

Additional info	
	N/A
	Income
	Full extent of savings will materialise as customers are diverted from our care. Diverting 1 older person from residential care would save £15k per annum.
	points to high quality co- ordinated Health and Wellbeing and Integration with Health information

Key points

To commission a period of engagement to consider -

- Information, advice and guidance
- Integration with health
- Adult social care operational services

HEALTH & WELLBEING & INTEGRATION WITH HEALTH

Joining up our services with health in some areas is central to the delivery of the Better Care Fund, which enables the NHS and Local Authorities to work together in a more collaborative way. This will mean we will be able to join up a persons support where and when they need it, helping residents achieve better health outcomes, be supported in their own home and communities, quicker and for longer. Together we will work with communities and all sectors to develop support options that deliver real outcomes for people, giving control to residents wherever possible and supporting those who need our help to manage their support.

Work Stream	Overview
Integration with Health Appendices	The Integration with Health work stream is to provide improved outcomes for the people of York. Working together with our CCG partners to offer better value for money and more sustainable options to meet individual needs and increase independence. A joint BCF submission has been made to NHS England.
Activity	Objectives
 Delivery of the Better Care fund (Gateway, Assessment, Safeguarding, Data sharing, Single record, 7 day working) Creation of a joint commissioning unit with health that will deliver outcome-based support Improved market development and contract management Providing clearer requirement 	 Greater integration between health, social care services and the independent sector One care record - improved data sharing and co-ordinated person centred support Collegiate of primary and secondary care system Better use and management of assets and estate

of City needs to give the CVS time and opportunity to create capacity and solutions in York • To develop different (and sometimes more commercial) service delivery models that meet Council objectives. Previous decisions	 7 day service availability Using health facilities to support community care Ultimately, Council and partners working together to "achieve prevention, empowerment and engagement that puts the individual at the centre and provides personalised high quality support."
Benefits	Risks
 Better health outcomes for York residents including Mental Health Narrowing the gap Increased community based intervention and reduced acute activity Reduced costs and improved use of combined budgets Residents supported at home longer- rather than moving into care homes Improved end of life care at home – rather than in hospital or care 	 It is assumed that: Sufficient and capable staff resources are assigned to progress the work stream The Council is ready to make the changes necessary to improve outcomes Stakeholders are enabled to co-design solutions Partners involved in the delivery of outcomes are engaged The Adults Social Care and Integrated Health Board is engaged and committed to provide timely direction and drive transformation required Health and Wellbeing Board are able to sign off budget Savings materialise in acute trust to the level anticipated
Investment	Savings
 £216k investment in Emergency Care Practitioners £250k Priory Medical Group re Care hub 	Potential £2-4m Please note: Savings from the pilot unlikely to materialise in Health and Wellbeing and

£100k Street Triage
£135k Hospice at Home
£25k Psychiatric Liaison

Additional info

Better Care Fund is the overall programme driver and includes: Care Hub development, Priory Med pilot, Emergency Care Practitioners, Street Triage, Selby Pilot, and Hospice at Home.

Key points

To commission a period of engagement to consider -

- Information, advice and guidance
- Integration with health
- Adult social care operational services

To acknowledge that the private, independent, voluntary and community sector and communities will need to play a greater role in some aspects of service delivery and in parallel CYC's directly employed staffing will reduce.

1. Rewiring Programme Risks

We have identified 7 programme risks:

Risk	Detail	Mitigation
Timescale for project delivery	Many of the projects have a 1 year plus lead- in period before implementation. This period includes: engagement; feasibility reviews; due diligence; procurement; legal and commissioning. This lead-in period is required to be completed before any outcomes can be clearly demonstrated and before savings are delivered.	Establishing clear communication on timescales and project milestones. Working with staff to identify appropriate resources, skills and capacity and using a community development approach, where communities and voluntary sector are involved in design and delivery will help.
Community Capacity & Skills	The Council is building its relationship with the community, commercial and voluntary sectors but this will take time. There is a risk that the sectors do not develop quickly enough to allow the Council to divest some services. In addition the sectors may not 'buy-into' the co-design process leaving the Council with a choice of delivering savings or developing effective community	

	engagement rather than delivering to both objectives. Voluntary and community sector – many voluntary organisations are keen to be involved, but struggle with their own cuts to funding, meaning that their capacity may be reduced and they may face challenges over longer-term sustainability. Community – similarly,	Voluntary & Community Sector – gauge what the response from the voluntary sector is initially. Consider investing beyond the investment already made in the secondment from York CVS.
	people are in full-time work doing long hours, maybe more than one job, and if not, are under pressure to be working.	great scope for volunteering. Clear outcomes, purpose and role descriptions. Good induction, training and supervision roles in volunteering will be important.
Organisational Development	Internal staff may not have the right information, skills and attitudes to undertake the necessary transformation	We have developed a comprehensive organisational development plan and will be adding additional capacity to the team. Good information about what is to be achieved, communicated early and regularly.
	Many of the proposals	Assessment of skills

	contained in the programme business cases require significant change to the organisation, its staff and partners.	needed and training needs analysis for relevant staff. Training programme developed and delivered at appropriate times
Political risk	There is a risk that some of the Rewiring proposals will be politically unacceptable. This could mean that key projects are not achieved within the programme timescales set.	The Rewiring programme has had regular contact with Members, Trades Unions and senior officers over the last 3 months.
	The decisions required to enable this change will be difficult ones often with political and community impacts.	In addition each of the programmes has a governance process and a Board which has discussed the key projects and their implications.
	Whilst the nature of the decisions can be based on sound principles and evidence the political consequence of these decisions may cause the programme, its sponsors and Members to question the decisions.	CMT, Boards and Programme leads will continue to test the evidence base for decisions and recommendations.
	This may in turn lead to delay, additional cost and potentially cessation of a project if political buy-in to the	Further engagement with residents, staff and effective engagement with Trades Unions,

	proposals is not achievable.	Members and key partners is proposed in the Cabinet Report due to be considered on 1 st July
ICT support	There is a risk that the ICT service is not currently in a position to fully support and develop the Rewiring Programme due to the likely resources and skills required	ICT have been involved throughout the setting up of the Rewiring programme and as such have good sight of what is needed.
	Many of the projects contained in the Rewiring programme require significant ICT investment and change. There is a risk that the ICT service will not have sufficient capacity and skills to enable the successful delivery of the scale of change required. This is seen as a key dependency as without effective ICT planning and delivery many of the key projects could stall	A potential resource plan has been produced and additional expenditure was agreed as part of the 2014/15 budget process to allow for this additional investment
Financial Risk	There is a danger of double counting the same financial savings	Each of the projects reports monthly through the

	in more than one project or programme area. The Rewiring programme is scheduled to deliver in excess of £5m of savings and this amount has been assumed within the budget 2015/16 onwards. It is a complex programme taking in much of the Council and its key partners and as such the individual projects risk duplicating savings particularly in areas such as administration. The Rewiring programme is not the only savings programme currently being delivered within the Council. There are many one-off as well as ongoing savings already in delivery or planned amounting to a further £18m of financial savings being delivered over the coming years.	programme management office and the savings identified within each project are tested and assessed against each other. In addition CYC financial managers are part of the PMO team and they check and confirm the budget figures as the projects progress from project idea to brief to business case and into 'live'.
Market Risk	A number of the proposals will require new partnership, suppliers and delivery arrangements to be created.	The programmes have been developing good relationships with sector peers, potential partners and suppliers.

There is a risk that the market, whether that is in the commercial, voluntary or other public sector, will not be in a position to respond	Further work will be required to promote the opportunities with potential key partners
adequately in the time available.	The proposals will be soft market tested to ensure that the
Factors which may impact the market view could include:	potential options are of the type which partners would be interested in.
 Scale Location Political uncertainty Price Competing opportunities. 	Commercial, voluntary and other public sector providers are being actively engaged in the Rewiring programme