

Annex 2

Achievements to date against stated deliverables

1. Ensure that appropriate services are delivered to meet the needs of the community	
a	Asset transfer solution (land ownership transfer)
b	Waste Management consultation Holgate, in total 747 households were consulted with a 48% response rate.
c	10 Chat2Us Sessions
d	Secured Social Isolation research project (JRF) Acomb
e	Partnership with Clements Hall Management Committee which provides two hours per week of NMO time to staff the reception and gives the NMO contact with the local community.
2. Increase the number of participating residents in local decision making and community based activities and increase the level of community ownership.	
a	2 new Residents Associations formed, an increase of approximately 14%
b	3 neighbourhoods wanting support to start a Residents Association an increase of approximately 19%
c	Delivering Street Based Volunteering project in Poppleton and Acomb jointly funded by Take Part York project and V Volunteering project through York CVS. (Starts Jan 2011)
3. Increase residents awareness of ward committees and community groups	
a	Partnership initiative to support older people in sheltered housing schemes will include feedback to and from Ward Committees where residents are unable to attend.
b	Partnership with CVS enabling access to hard to reach residents
4. Determine a framework for partnership working at a local level and determine the efficiencies that can be achieved	
a	Six ward partnership boards have met and agreed priorities
b	Access to free training via partner organisations this includes basic benefit advice, general housing advice and a future neighbourhoods course. In October NMU hosted, contributed to and learnt from the 'It's up to Us' regional Big Society event, this was funded by Take Part Pathfinder monies and in kind contributions from COGS and WEA.
5. Determine a framework approach to resolving the root cause of issues	
a	Tasking groups meetings scheduled for January 2011
b	Secured time of a Regional Neighbourhood Empowerment and Cohesion Advisor with a neighbourhood management background to help with shaping the project with particular regard to measurable outcomes and demonstrating financial efficiencies through the use of the area working model at no cost to the authority
6. Develop a communications approach for community, members and partners	

a	Ward Members within the pilot wards receive fortnightly ward updates on progress
b	Inserts describing progress to date in 6 pilot Your Ward newsletters
c	All member pilot newsletter awaiting approval before circulation

Further detail will be provided at the meeting.