

Joint Local Well – being Plan Proposal

Food & Well-Being	
OBJECTIVE	
<p>We will aim to strengthen both food systems and community networks- focusing upon reducing crisis demand while building long-term resilience and self-sufficiency.</p>	
Strategic Aims	Suggested Actions
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To reduce levels of food insecurity • To improve access to affordable and healthy food • To strengthen, increasingly sustainable local food systems • To increase community resilience and self-sufficiency • To ensure linkages through to PSB objectives / Regional & Local Partnerships / LRF • To work with and support existing food initiatives e.g. the DP Food resilience project, local food partnerships the Healthy Wales Weight Wales project. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Establish a partnership-led approach to guide and coordinate actions. • Map Volunteer networks • Complete a county-wide food provision and access map (incl. rural gaps) • Work with food partnerships alongside the LRF to focus upon food resilience, taking into consideration matters such as supply, procurement and distribution of food produce. • Implement the agreed priority on public sector food procurement identified in the regional Roots of Change workshop'

Poverty & Hardship

OBJECTIVE

We aim to develop move **beyond a crisis response** to deliver measurable **reductions in poverty** and **financial hardship**, providing clear accountability and visible impact

Strategic Aims

- **To reflect upon and build on** existing good practice
- **To continue with the focused forward work plan principles already established** but with a **regional footprint** -
 1. To reduce costs and maximise income
 2. To increase understanding of local poverty and tackle the stigma of poverty
- **To pursue active engagement** from all PSB partners (local authority, health housing, DWP, third sector)
- **To analyse, interpret and use local data** (benefit uptake, fuel poverty, housing need, food insecurity)

Suggested Actions

- Enhance the membership of a focused, data-driven, partnership-led group
- Expand work on the fair work charter
- Expand cost of living support (regional monthly bulletin)
- To research Low Income Family Tracker (**LIFT Program**)
- Establish an online library of poverty related data, case studies and lived experience to inform grant applications and decision makers.
- Develop a localised '**Claim What's Yours**' campaign
- Develop and deliver 60-minute "poverty-aware conversations" micro-training for frontline roles.

Climate Change and Nature Emergency

OBJECTIVE

We aim to deliver **measurable carbon reduction** and stronger climate resilience based on clear accountability and **strong community involvement**.

Strategic Aims

- To continue to **secure sustainable development** and the responsible management of natural resources, supporting local food production and driving growth in the local green economy.
- To **improve public health** and wellbeing by helping to increase access to greenspace.
- To promote **sustainable land-use** planning and resource management, aligning with global environmental objectives.
- To **strengthen** the climate risk evidence base through improved data sharing and monitoring.
- To **improve communication** and engagement around climate risks and adaptation planning.

Suggested Actions

- To continue the work of the collaborative Climate & Nature delivery group in reviewing the risks identified in the Climate Change Risk Assessment CCRA3.
- To strengthen collaboration between PSB partners to address cross-sector climate risks.