

## LA 21 PMG Priority Actions 2009

## Progress December 2009

Aim	Key Action	Target/Standard/Process	C&E	Tasks	KPI	Progress
<b>Aim 7</b> <b>LA21 Result 1.</b> <b>Increase public and community participation in decision-making</b>	The LA21 committee will continue to promote participation, decision-making and facilitate active citizenship in South Tipperary	<b>Four parishes project.</b> Consider the evaluation of the 4 parishes project and repeat project using learning from the evaluation	Eileen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>PMG to read draft evaluation</li> <li>Decide on further roll-out</li> </ul>	Project completed and evaluated	<p>This project has been completed led by STDC and evaluated by TI.</p> <p>Need to decide if it can be run elsewhere.</p> <p>Documents circulated. To be considered at Jan 2010 meeting agenda</p>
		VolCheck	Eileen	Decide if this needs to stay on this list or incorporated into another project.		On Jan 2010 meeting agenda.
		<b>Active Citizenship</b> Support Civic Engagement of young people through engagement with schools and colleges	Eileen	<p>Subgroup will consider the topic and identify actions along with partners. The group will bring back a summary of their deliberations to the next meeting.</p> <p>CVF will hold community meetings with elected councillors every 6-12 months.</p>	Plan for longer term project with young people to be discussed.	<p>Decided that a long term plan is required. To be followed up in 2010</p> <p>CVF held Active Citizenship events before the local elections. It included 'Questions &amp; Answers Night' held in the five electoral areas.</p>
		<b>Support community representation on SPCs</b> Workshop to take place for SPC Community representatives and processes to be reviewed	Eileen	<p>Subgroup will prepare a written <i>Statement of Expectations</i>. Amongst other things it will incorporate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The introduction of Exit interviews for outgoing community reps.</li> <li>Requirements in relation to receipt of information</li> </ul>	<p>Processes of SPC improved.</p> <p>CVF Coordinator to meet with Chairs of SPCs</p> <p>Regional Training Packs being developed</p>	<p>Nominations to new SPCs completed.</p> <p>Being organised</p> <p>Will be addressed in 2010</p>

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				<p>1-2 weeks prior to the meeting if a decision needs to be taken on a particular topic.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Requirement for SPC Chairs to invite the community representatives to communicate and ensure that they have the relevant information.</li> </ul>	for CVF representatives on the SPCs.	
		Continue to support the <b>Volunteering Centre</b> and its services		Each member of LA21 continues to promote the activities of the Volunteering Centre		4 CPMG members are Directors of Volunteer Centre board.
		<b>Feedback to communities</b> The CDP to be send to 300 active Community and Voluntary Forum member and those who made submissions		Groups are informed about the CDP and are recognised for their participation	Hard copy of CDP sent to CVF. The CDP is available on-line and in libraries. CVF newsletter will highlight availability of CDP.	Done.  Done.  October 2009
	Explore European initiatives to assist in progressing the participative model and other initiatives which have a LA21 ethos.	The LA21PMG to identify potential projects that may be of assistance to South Tipperary in the delivery of its programmes.	Eileen	Identification of relevant programmes.  1. INTERREG project on Village Planning		Watching Brief

<b>Aim 8. LA21 Result 2.</b>  <b>Facilitate the development of Services that will contribute to sustainable forms of living in South Tipperary</b>	Integrated Transport	Carry out Audit /Inventory of all transport services in the county, routes, timetables capacity and transport types  Disability and school services to be included	Eileen	Subgroup to meet	Identify where gaps exist and achieve greater integration.  Opportunities for sustainable transport will be apparent.	Energies diverted due to threat of funding being withdrawn.
	Litter Management project to be implemented	South Tipperary Development Company and South Tipperary County Council to meet to develop a proposal in relation to litter and waste management	Eileen	Subgroup to meet and report back to PMG for December meeting.	Litter management project is being implemented.	An innovative anti litter workshop was held in three schools. They were delivered by Magical Marvin. He spent a full day in three primary schools and delivered 3 – 4 workshops per day.
	Community facilities, businesses and homes to be energy sustainable	Roll out community scale environmental education and awareness program as was carried out in North Tipperary. The project will be carried out through the primary school	Eileen	TEA to present outcomes from North Tipperary pilot at December LA21PMG meeting  Develop South Tipperary Project	Lower energy use across communities in South Tipperary. Greater awareness of energy consumption within households	A pilot project with St. Ailbhes secondary school monitors energy use. Devices have been installed to measure energy consumption. The study will be used to motivate other schools to measure and control their impact on the environment.
	Respond to requests for assistance as they arise.	Sustainable Travel Bid	Eileen	Subgroup to develop input into Stage 1 bid for 3 October	Relevant community engagement incorporated into the bid	Community consultation provisions made in the bid submitted
	Collect and collate data for LA21 Indicators				Annual figures collated	Template prepared. 2009 indicators ready for March CDB meeting.