



The Cheshire Partnership

CHESHIRE PARTNERSHIP MEETING 8 SEPTEMBER 2005 FRODSHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE, FLUIN LANE, FRODSHAM

AGENDA

WELCOME

Helen Carey, Chair of the Cheshire Partnership

- 9.30 REVIEW OF THE CHESHIRE PARTNERSHIP & LSP FRAMEWORK UPDATE**
Robin Wendt, Chair, Chester in Partnership

ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION / DECISION

- 9.45 WORKSHOP 1 : CHESHIRE COMMUNITY STRATEGY REVIEW – KEY OUTCOMES**
Alison Armstrong, Strategic Partnerships Manager, Cheshire County Council

Following consideration of the principles underpinning the review of the Cheshire Community Strategy and framework for the revised document, the Cheshire Partnership will be asked to consider the national, regional, sub regional and local context underpinning the themes of:

- Safer Communities
- Children & Young People
- Healthier Communities
- Older People
- Economic Development & Enterprise
- Stronger & Sustainable Communities

Partners will also be asked to suggest and agree key outcomes under each of these themes to be used as the basis for the development of the Strategy and supporting Action Plan.

- 10.45 COFFEE**

- 11.00 WORKSHOP 2 : CHESHIRE & WARRINGTON LEARNING & SKILLS COUNCIL STRATEGIC AREA REVIEW (StAR) & EMPLOYER ENTITLEMENT**
Liz Davis, Executive Director, Cheshire & Warrington Learning & Skills Council

The Strategic Area Review (StAR) provides a comprehensive review of learning and skills provision in Cheshire & Warrington. The review will form the basis for the future planning and funding of education and training locally. A final report has been published and consultation on the recommendations and proposed options ends on 30 September 2005.

Partners will be asked to consider awareness raising of the emerging issues and

recommendations from the Strategic Area Review and implementation of the entitlements across Cheshire.

12.00 REGIONAL ECONOMIC STRATEGY – CONSULTATION DRAFT

Martin Lee, Chief Executive, Cheshire & Warrington Economic Alliance

Partners will be asked to consider and agree comments to be incorporated into a collective Cheshire & Warrington response.

**12.10 CHESHIRE – THE CARBON NEUTRAL COUNTY
EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR ROUND 8 INVEST TO SAVE BUDGET**

*Eric Whitworth, Co-ordinator, Local Energy Support Programme (LESP)
(paper attached)*

The Cheshire Partnership will be asked to confirm its support for this project under the Invest to Save initiative.

ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

12.15 i) PARTNER ISSUES

ii) SECOND GENERATION LOCAL PUBLIC SERVICE AGREEMENT

Liz Lunn, Performance Improvement Manager, Cheshire County Council

Prior to the ceremonial signing of the second generation Local Public Service Agreement by the lead partners for each target, the Cheshire Partnership will receive a short presentation on the development of the LPSA, the final detailed content of the Agreement and next steps towards its delivery.

12.30 CEREMONIAL SIGNING OF LPSA & LUNCH