Cardiff Public Services Board Monday 24 April 2023, 11am-1pm Microsoft Teams



Attendees

Board Members:

Councillor Huw Thomas (Chair) Leader, Cardiff Council (CC)

Fiona Kinghorn Executive Director of Public Health, C&V UHB

Paul Orders Chief Executive, CC

Sarah McGill Corporate Director People and Communities, CC

Michael Evans Head of Operations South Wales Central, Natural Resources Wales

(NRW)

Mike Wyatt Group Manager, South Wales Fire & Rescue Services (SWFRS)

Martyn Stone Superintendent, SWP

Eirian Evans PDU Head, National Probation Service (NPS)

Sheila Hendrickson-Brown Chief Executive Officer, C3SC

Alun Michael Police and Crime Commissioner South Wales (PCC)

Suzanne Rankin Chief Executive, C&V UHB

Ceri Phillips Vice Chair, C&V UHB
Huw Jakeway Chief Fire Officer, SWFRS

Apologies:

Danny Richards Chief Superintendent, SWP

Gareth O'Shea Executive Director of South Wales Operations, NRW

Charles Janczewski (Vice Chair) Chair, Cardiff & Vale University Health Board (C&V UHB)

Abigail Harris Director of Planning, C&V UHB

Dan Jones Director of the Violence Protection Unit, South Wales Police (SWP)

Matt Jenkins Deputy Director Futures & Integration, Health and Social Care,

Welsh Government (WG)

Other attendees:

Gareth Newell Head of Performance and Partnerships, CC

Dylan Owen Operational Manager Policy & Improvement, CC

Claire Deguara Deputy Cabinet Business Manager, CC
Sian Sanders Head of Community Safety & Cohesion, CC

Andrew Gregory Director Planning Transport & Environment

Helen Evans Assistant Director, CC

David Bebb National Probation Service, NPS
Rob Robbins National Probation Service, NPS

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1.	Welcome/ Apologies	
	The Chair opened the meeting and noted apologies as above.	
2.	Minutes and Actions	
	The Chair noted that all actions in the minutes of the previous meeting held on 15 February 2023 are complete. However, there is one open action remaining from the meeting of 5 October 2022:	
	 It was agreed that Cardiff Council's 'Fostering Friendly Policy' – which will support employees who are prospective or existing foster carers – would be shared with PSB members. The Policy was formally approved by Cardiff Council in March. The Chair welcomed a discussion at a future PSB meeting to understand progress made by partner organisations. 	
	AGREED:	
	 Minutes of the previous meeting held 15 February 2023 Discussion regarding partner progress on Fostering Friendly Policy to take place at future PSB meeting. 	
3.	Cardiff Local Well-being Plan 2023-2028	
	The Chair noted that throughout March, the Cardiff Local Well-being Plan had been approved by partner organisations and now required final sign off by the PSB prior to publication.	
	The Chair acknowledged the work of Officers in bringing together the Plan. A number of emails had been received to confirm partner organisation approval processes had been completed. The Chair further noted that there is further work to do following publication to communicate delivery to the public in an accessible way.	
	The following points were raised by PSB Members:	
	 Sheila Hendrickson Brown highlighted the need to go forward and consider how the work of the PSB is made visible. Sheila further added that there was a need to consider readability and some additional work was required in relation to the absence of diversity in some of the narrative and imagery. Alun Michael reflected on the maturity of the document and paid thanks to all involved and referenced the forthcoming WG, Criminal Justice and Policing Plans which may build into the trajectory of the work of the PSB. Michael Evans commended the document and highlighted a future challenge around the journey to net zero. 	

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	The Chair noted that the Board were content to sign-off the Well-being Plan for publication.	
	 AGREED: The PSB agreed to sign-off the Well-being Plan, for publication following amendment to the imagery. 	
	Actions: • Imagery to be updated prior to publication.	
	Future PSB Meetings	
	Gareth Newell provided options for future PSB meetings. The proposal is to return to thematically focussed face to face meetings. Proposals for the next 2 meetings were in the circulated presentation. The following comments were made:	
	 Alun Michael noted support for the principle, but highlighted the need to deal with immediate emerging issues. Alan Michael also noted that there is a need to continually challenge the connects between the RPB/PSB; for example, there are some areas, like substance misuse, which would benefit from wider discussion. Paul Orders highlighted the need for some preparation time for partners in relation to the partnership asset themed meeting. 	
	The Chair noted the general consensus in relation to the propoals and agreed that there needed to be time to pick up tactical matters, consider the work done on governance review, and ensure visibility of items that are considered at the RPB.	
	AGREED: ■ The PSB agreed to the thematic approach to the meeting cycle.	
	 PSB partners to contact the secretariat with any suggested topics/themes for consideration. Dates to be issued 	ALL Secretariat
4.	Unpaid Work and Community Payback	
	The Chair welcomed David Bebb and Rob Robbins from the National Probation Service. A presentation was provided which highlighted the following: • What community payback is, and the core principles • Principles of projects and placements • Group and individual placements and employment training	

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- public transport network, it needs an ambitious programme to deliver it.
- Alun Michael applauded the ambition, but set out challenges and concerns around staff retention related to the Police Force, and shared concerns that the proposals could be disadvantageous to staff who are retained over hours or working unsociable hours. The Chair responded to reassure the Board, that through this phase of consultation and engagement, potential unintended consequences need to be worked through and that exemptions

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	 and discounts could be worked through to mitigate those unintended consequences. Suzanne Rankin offered her support, but highlighted that there may be challenges when presenting the proposals to the Health Board. It would be helpful to draw out the unique benefits to each of the teams; for example, around reduced respiratory illnesses presenting at the front door. Huw Jakeway noted that it may take some time for technology to catch up; for example, an electric fire truck is approx. £1m. Fiona Kinghorn noted the strength in the inequity narrative, particularly studies highlighting the link between disadvantaged communities, athsma and air pollutants. Furthermore, the link to the Physical Activities Insight work has synergies with this work. Ceri Phillips referenced the work undertaken by NICE regarding increases in cycling, highlighting that inequalities must be carefully looked at. Sheila Hendrickson-Brown noted concerns around current public transport infrastructure and that the narrative is not clear as to how this will change going forward. Further clarity is also needed around how people engage at an early stage. 	
	leading the work will be in touch with partners for further engagement and development.	
10.	AOB	
	Next PSB meeting: • 28 June 2023	