

Meeting: Well Being Strategic Partnership

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Report Title: Haringey 2012 Olympic and Paralympics Legacy Plan

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Purpose

To outline the Haringey 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Legacy Plan to members of the Board.

Summary

The report outlines the main points of the Haringey 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Legacy Plan. The following three appendices attached:

1. 2012 A Legacy for Haringey
2. 2012 Funding Prospectus
3. Haringey 2012 Action Plan Priorities

Legal/Financial Implications

None.

Recommendations

That the Board note the report.

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Background

Introduction

The Haringey 2012 Legacy Plan was produced in December 2009 after consultation with officers on the 2012 Olympic Steering Group and the lead member for the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Officers within the Business and Enterprise Team within Economic Regeneration led on producing the plan.

A copy of the plan "2012 A legacy for Haringey" is attached at appendix 1.

Haringey's 2012 Objectives

The overarching objective of the Haringey 2012 Legacy plan is

"To maximise the benefits that the 2012 Games will bring to London to achieve a lasting legacy for the People, Places and Prosperity of Haringey"

There are three key objectives in the Haringey Olympic plan. These focus on bringing added value to services provided by Council departments and key partner organisations to ensure that opportunities created through the 2012 Games have a positive impact in Haringey.

People

We will unlock the potential of Haringey residents through increasing their skill levels so that they can contribute to and benefit from the opportunities that the 2012 Games will bring to London.

Places

We will take advantage of our proximity to Olympic Sites to transform Haringey into a place in which people want to live and invest by using major sites and key locations to create positive change.

Prosperity

We will maximise business opportunities created through the 2012 Games to develop a business economy that offers opportunities for sustainable employment and enterprise and to make Haringey a place people want to work, visit and invest in.

Strategic Framework

The key objectives of Haringey's 2012 Action Plan are closely aligned to the priorities of The Haringey Strategic Partnership, The Boroughs Regeneration Strategy and The Haringey Compact.

Haringey Strategic Partnership

Haringey Council joined with local public agencies, community groups and businesses to create the Haringey Strategic Partnership (HSP) in April 2002. The HSP aims to improve public services and address the key issues in the borough through partnership working. The shared vision for the future of Haringey and the HSP's priorities are set out in the new Sustainable Community Strategy 2007-2016.

The vision for the borough to 2016 is:

“A place for diverse communities that people are proud to belong to.”

The main priority of the new Sustainable Community Strategy is to place ***People at the heart of change.***

The 2012 Action Plan will support the following priorities of the Sustainable Community Strategy to ensure that Haringey will;

- Have an environmentally sustainable future
- Have economic vitality and prosperity shared by all
- Have healthier people with a better quality of life

Regeneration Strategy

The Regeneration Strategy has been developed to address the objectives of the Sustainable Community Strategy.

The strategy's vision is to put People, Places and Prosperity at the heart of regeneration in Haringey, and this focus will have a positive impact on all major developments in the borough.

The 2012 Action Plan closely supports the key priorities of the Regeneration Strategy.

The key priorities are;

- To unlock the potential of Haringey residents through increasing skill levels and raising employment so that they can contribute to and benefit from being part of one of the most successful cities in the world.
- To transform Haringey into a place in which more people want to live and invest by using the opportunity of major sites and key locations to create positive change.
- To develop a 21st century business economy that offers opportunities for sustainable employment and enterprise, to help make Haringey a place people want to work, visit and invest in.

Haringey Compact

Haringey's Compact, "Working BETTER Together" was officially launched in June 2006 and identifies the following principles to improve partnership working:

- Improve volunteering
- Valuing the role of BME, Voluntary and Community Groups

- Recognising the role of young people
- Good practice in funding and procurement
- Good practice in communications and consultation
- Promoting partnerships

Voluntary and Community sector organisations will be supported to be involved in 2012 initiatives through consultation and through funding to deliver projects and events through the Haringey 2012 Fund.

Haringey 2012 Fund

£180,000 of internal funding is available to support 2012 Games related activity in the borough. These funds will be used to enable our residents and young people to reap the many opportunities that the Games will create and to ensure that there is an Olympic Legacy for Haringey. Funding will be available to support existing initiatives and to set up new projects that fulfil these objectives and to enable voluntary and community organisations to deliver events that stimulate enthusiasm for the Games.

Priorities

All projects will aim to raise awareness of opportunities that will be created by the 2012 Games to residents and young people.

All projects will focus on at least one of the seven priorities listed below.

- Encouraging sports participation and healthy lifestyles
- Promoting Citizenship and community activity
- Supporting the themes of the Cultural Olympiad
- Providing learning opportunities for our residents and young people
- Promoting tourism in Haringey
- Supporting the development of elite athletes

Timetable

Projects will be delivered between March 2010 and July 2012.

The first funding round closed on February 1st and the funding panel will meet on February 17th to decide which projects will be funded until March 2011.

A copy of the 2012 Funding Prospectus is attached at appendix 2.

Use of Appendices

Three appendices are attached that expand on the main objectives of the Haringey 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Legacy Plan

Appendix 1 2012 A legacy for Haringey

Appendix 2 2012 Funding Prospectus

Appendix 3 Haringey 2012 Action Plan Priorities