

**Haringey Council**

**Haringey's Greenest  
Borough Strategy**

**Children & Young People's  
Partnership Board**

10 December 2007

# Context: national / regional

- **Rapidly evolving policy area**
- **Government targets to reduce carbon emissions**
- **Mayor's London Plan and supporting strategies**

# Context: local

- **Sustainable Community Strategy**  
*An environmentally sustainable future*
- **Haringey Council Plan**  
*Making Haringey one of London's greenest boroughs*  
*Creating a Better Haringey: cleaner, greener and safer*
- **Changing lives – The Haringey Children & Young People's Plan**

# Developing the strategy

- **Better Haringey Member Working Group**
- **Better Haringey Stream Board & Away Day**
- **Using existing consultation**
  - Sustainable Community Strategy*
  - Green Fair*
  - On the road to improvement*
  - Climate change conference and workshops*
- **SEA/RENUUE carbon reduction scenarios**

# Vision

**We will work together to secure a clean, safe and environmentally sustainable future for everyone living, working, visiting or studying in Haringey.**

**We will achieve this by:**

- Leading by example**
- Enabling everyone to take positive action**
- Acting as a custodian of the environment**
- Providing excellent front line services**

# **Six key priorities**

- 1. Improving the urban environment**
- 2. Protecting the natural environment**
- 3. Managing environmental resources efficiently**
- 4. Leading by example – managing the Council sustainably**
- 5. Sustainable design and construction**
- 6. Promoting sustainable design and construction**

# Cross-cutting themes

- **Actions to tackle climate change**

*Integrating SEA/RENUE consultant's carbon reduction scenarios*

- **Raising awareness and participation**

*Mobilise Better Haringey branding*

*Galvanise civic pride*

*Longer term behavioural change*

# Linkages with Changing Lives

## **‘Be Healthy’**

- **Use of recreational facilities – affordable, safe, and well promoted.**
- **School travel – walking buses.**
- **Healthy eating – growing clubs.**

## **‘Enjoy and Achieve’**

- **Out of school learning and activities – Green Fair.**
- **Environmental Education Centre – Clean Sweep**



# Linkages with Changing Lives

## **‘Make a positive contribution’**

- Engage young people in decision making
- Citizenship – Junior Wardens scheme

## **‘Achieve economic well-being’**

- Decent, warm homes – free from fuel poverty
- Potential job opportunities in new ‘green’ industries

# Financial implications

- **Utilise existing policies with funding already in place**
- **Align with business planning framework**
- **Join up with partners to maximise resources**
- **Use strategy to bid for further funding**
- **Opportunities through BSF programme and potential 'decent homes' investment**

# Consultation process

- 01 November '07 to 31 January '08
- Web based consultation [www.haringey.gov.uk/goingggreen](http://www.haringey.gov.uk/goingggreen)
- On the street 'vox pop'
- Partners, via the HSP thematic boards
- Area Assemblies
- Schools and young people
- Haringey Council staff
- Landmark conference on 26 January '08

# Timetable

- **Cabinet – 16 October '07**
- **Consultation begins – 01 November '08**
- **Conference – 26 January '08**
- **Consultation ends - 31 January '08**
- **Cabinet – 22 April '08**
- **Full Council – July '08**