



Washington Area Plan

2023-2027

Sunderland City Council

Supported by
Washington Area Committee



Our Ambition

To actively encourage local residents to become involved in shaping the Area Committee Area Plan.

To listen and respond to the needs of residents and through working in collaboration with partners across all sectors and at an area level ensure the delivery of activities and projects to support matters which affect residents and enable them to be resilient.





Our Vision

To empower communities to enable self-help and resilience and all organisations working together to ensure the best outcome for our residents



Our Themes



**A dynamic
smart
Washington**



**A healthy
smart
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**A vibrant
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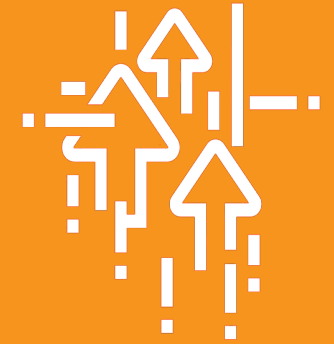
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we will have:



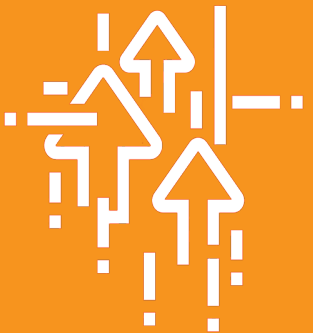
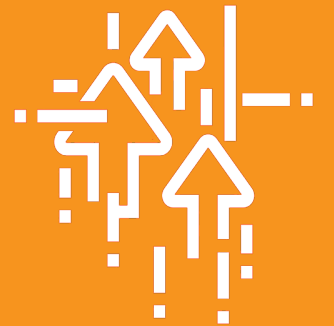
Supporting people into work via REACT

Providing individual welfare and financial support
via WISP



Developing skills of young people via CAN DO

Supporting young people to be more financially
resilient via Youth Money Matters



An improved approach to consultation with
communities/residents



**A healthy smart
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we will have:



Programme of outreach youth provision

Neighbourhood management and enforcement



Invest in parks and play areas

Positive activities for young people during
school holidays





Diversionary activities for young people

Contributed to the development of the Links for Life programme



Improved access to allotments and community gardens

A considered approach to park development, including ecological impact





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we will have:



A plantation and tree management programme

Washington Clean and Green project



Support for VCS organisations and Community Hubs

Community events





Deliver a Heritage & Culture strategy/programme

The Washington Ward Improvement
Programme



A road safety and Vehicle Activated Sign programme

Public artwork & Celebrations for Washington 60 and Galleries 50





A Washington Volunteer Recognition Project

Signage at Fatfield Riverside to incorporate the heritage and ecology of the area



A feasibility study for the vision of Fatfield Riverside development