

Meeting of:	Cabinet
Date of Meeting:	Thursday, 20 October 2022
Relevant Scrutiny Committee:	All Scrutiny Committees
Report Title:	Annual Delivery Plan Monitoring Report: Quarter 1 Performance 2022/23
Purpose of Report:	To present quarter 1 performance results for the period 1st April, 2022 to 30th June, 2022 in delivering our 2022/23 Annual Delivery Plan commitments as aligned to our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives.
Report Owner:	Executive Leader and Cabinet Member for Performance & Resources
Responsible Officer:	Rob Thomas, Chief Executive
Elected Member and Officer Consultation:	Consultation has been undertaken with Directors and the Strategic Leadership Team. The performance report applies to the whole authority. Quarterly performance reports covering the Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives will be considered by all Scrutiny Committees and Cabinet.
Policy Framework:	This is a matter for Executive decision by Cabinet.

Executive Summary:

- The performance report presents our progress at quarter 1 (1st April, 2022 to 30th June, 2022) towards achieving our Annual Delivery Plan (2022/23) commitments as aligned to our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives.
- All 4 Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives were attributed a Green performance status at Q1 to reflect the good progress made to date in meeting our Annual Delivery Plan commitments for 2022/23.
- 94% (341 out of 362) of planned activities outlined in our Annual Delivery Plan have been attributed a Green performance reflecting the positive progress made during the quarter, 1% (2) of planned activities were attributed an Amber status and 5% (19) of planned activities were attributed a Red status.
- Of the 128 performance measures aligned to our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives, data was reported for 32 measures where a performance status was applicable. 56% (18) measures were attributed a Green performance Status, 13% (4), Amber status and 31% (10), Red status. A performance status was not applicable for 96 measures, 22 of these related to those measures



establishing baseline performance for 2022/23, 67 of those measures are monitored annually and 7 of the measures no update was provided.

- The report seeks Cabinet's consideration of Q1 performance results and the proposed remedial actions to address areas of identified underperformance.
- All 5 Scrutiny Committees have reviewed quarter 1 performance reports between 6th and 12th October, 2022 and upon consideration, have noted the performance results and progress to date in relation to the Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23.
- This report seeks Cabinet's consideration of the views and recommendations of Scrutiny Committees in relation to Q1 performance and approval of identified remedial actions as the basis to address areas of underperformance and to tackle the key challenges identified.
- In addition, Cabinet is requested to note overall service performance results to date and progress made towards achieving the priorities in our Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23.

#### Recommendations

- 1. That Cabinet considers the views and recommendations of Scrutiny Committees in relation to Q1 performance and approval of identified remedial actions as the basis to address areas of underperformance and to tackle the key challenges identified.
- 2. That Cabinet notes overall service performance results to date and progress made towards achieving the priorities in our Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23.

#### **Reasons for Recommendations**

- 1. To ensure the Council clearly demonstrates the progress being made towards achieving its commitments in the Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23 aimed at making a positive difference to the lives of Vale of Glamorgan citizens.
- 2. To ensure the Council is effectively assessing its performance in line with the requirement to meet our performance requirements as outlined in the Local Government & Elections (Wales) Act 2021 and reflecting the requirement of the Wellbeing of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 that it maximises its contribution to achieving the well-being goals for Wales.

#### 1. Background

- **1.1** The Council's Performance Management Framework is the mechanism through which our key priorities and targets are monitored and realised in order to secure continuous improvement and meet our performance requirements.
- 1.2 As part of the review of its Performance Management Framework, the Council has adopted a Corporate Plan (2020-25) which reflects the requirements of the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 and identifies 4 Well-being Objectives for the Council. We have also refined our performance reporting and monitoring approach to enable us to meet our new duties under the Local Government & Elections (Wales) Act which came into effect from 1st April, 2021.
- **1.3** Our performance framework is aligned to our Corporate Plan to enable us to track our progress on well-being objectives (keep our performance under review) and demonstrate how the steps we intend to take will contribute to achieving multiple well-being objectives and in turn the national goals.
- 1.4 In line with these performance arrangements, Cabinet and Scrutiny Members will consider a high-level overview of performance in a presentation report format. The report is aligned to the remit of the Committee and reports progress against all four Well-being Objectives enabling members to look at the achievement of the Corporate Plan holistically. The report also highlights areas of improvement that may require greater scrutiny by members and enables Cabinet and Scrutiny Committees to flex their work programme to reflect any emerging performance issues that may require more intensive consideration.
- 1.5 Work will continue to further develop and enhance our performance monitoring and reporting arrangements in line with our duties as outlined in the WBFG (Wales) Act and the LG&E (Wales) Act with reference to the wider local government agenda. These discussions will continue to consider the best way to

present information to elected members to facilitate scrutiny and identify and explore areas of interest.

- **1.6** Appendix A outlines our performance for the period 1st April to 30th June, 2022 against our Annual Delivery Plan commitments for 2022/23. The quarterly performance report presents the reader with a more accessible view of performance in relation to our annual commitments and demonstrates the progress we are making towards achieving our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives.
- **1.7** The presentation structure provides members with:
- An overall performance summary of the Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23;
- An overview of achievements specific to each scrutiny committee's remit across all 4 Wellbeing Objectives.
- A performance snapshot specific to each scrutiny committee's remit, including the overall status of actions and performance measures. Hyperlinks to detailed performance commentary for all actions and measures including performance exceptions are embedded within the presentation. These are the areas we need to improve in relation to our Annual Delivery Plan activities as aligned to the Corporate Plan Wellbeing Objective.
- An overview of areas for improvement specific to each scrutiny committee's remit across all 4 well-being objectives.
- 1.8 The presentation report uses the traffic light system, that is, a Red, Amber or Green (RAG) status and a Direction of Travel (DOT) to aid performance analysis. Progress is reported for all key performance indicators and actions by allocating a RAG performance status.
- 1.9 For ease of scrutiny, performance exceptions (that is, all actions or PIs within the remit of the Committee that have been attributed a Red status) are presented at <u>Appendix B</u> including a direction of travel and commentary on the performance. Detailed performance commentary for all actions and measures are provided at <u>Appendix C</u> which provides contextual information for members' information should they wish to examine this level of detail.

#### 2. Key Issues for Consideration

2.1 We have assessed progress in relation to our planned activities as outlined in our Annual Delivery Plan for 2022/23 and used local performance data where available. There is limited national benchmarking data available due to the suspension of our national data obligations by the Welsh Local Government Association (WLGA) and Welsh Government (WG). However, we have used local performance indicator information to support our performance reporting where possible.

- **2.2** All 4 Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives were attributed a Green performance status at Q1 to reflect the good progress made to date in meeting our Annual Delivery Plan commitments for 2022/23.
- 2.3 94% (341 out of 362) of planned activities outlined in our Annual Delivery Plan have been attributed a Green performance reflecting the positive progress made during the quarter, 1% (2) of planned activities were attributed an Amber status and 5% (19) of planned activities were attributed a Red status.
- 2.4 Of the 128 performance measures aligned to our Corporate Plan Well-being Objectives, data was reported for 32 measures where a performance status was applicable. 56% (18) measures were attributed a Green performance Status, 13% (4), Amber status and 31% (10), Red status. A performance status was not applicable for 96 measures, 22 of these related to those measures establishing baseline performance for 2022/23, 67 of those measures are monitored annually and 7 of the measures no update was provided.
- **2.5** A detailed report outlining the progress made this quarter towards achieving our Annual Delivery Plan commitments is provided at <u>Appendix A</u>.
- **2.6** Appendix B provides a summary of the key achievements and challenges as aligned to the remit of the Scrutiny Committees and also provides members with an update on Coronavirus recovery. For ease of scrutiny, performance exceptions, that is, all actions or PIs that have been attributed a Red status are presented at Appendix C including a direction of travel and commentary on the performance.

#### Performance Summary by Scrutiny Committee Remit

- 2.7 In relation to the planned activities within the remit of the Healthy Living & Social Care Scrutiny Committee, 94% (107 out of 114) were attributed a Green performance status, and 6% (7) were attributed a Red status. Of the 4 measures reported, 75% (3) were attributed a Green performance status and 25% (1) were attributed Red status.
- 2.8 In relation to the planned activities within the remit of the Homes & Safe Communities Scrutiny Committee, 94% (51 out of 54) were attributed a Green performance status, and 6% (3) were attributed a Red status. Of the 7 measures reported, 71% (5) were attributed a Green performance status and 29% (2) were attributed Red status.
- In relation to the planned activities within the remit of the Learning & Culture Scrutiny Committee, 97% (68 out of 70) were attributed a Green performance status, and 3% (2) were attributed a Red status. Of the 5 measures reported, 40% (2) were attributed a Green performance status and 60% (3) were attributed Red status.
- 2.10 In relation to the planned activities within the remit of Environment & Regeneration Scrutiny Committee, 98% (106 out of 108) were attributed a Green performance status, 1 (1%) was attributed an Amber status and 1% (1) was attributed a Red status. Of the 7 measures reported, 71% (5) were attributed a Green performance status and 29% (2) were attributed an Amber status.
- 2.11 In relation to the planned activities within the remit of the Corporate Performance & Resources Scrutiny Committee, 93% (214 out of 228) were attributed a Green performance status, 1 (1%) was attributed an Amber status and 6% (14) were attributed a Red status. Of the 12 measures reported, 42% (5)

were attributed a Green performance status, 25% (3) were attributed an Amber status and 33% (4) were attributed Red status.

- **2.12** The report seeks Cabinet's consideration of the views and recommendations of Scrutiny Committees in relation to Q1 performance and the remedial actions to be taken to address areas of underperformance and to tackle the key challenges identified.
- **2.13** In addition, Cabinet is requested to review overall service performance results to date and progress made towards achieving the priorities in our Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23.

#### Summary of Scrutiny Committee Recommendations

- 2.14 Quarter 1 performance in relation to the Annual Delivery Plan for 2022/23 has been discussed at all 5 Scrutiny Committees between 6th September and 12th October, 2022 and is now being presented to Cabinet for approval. The outcome of Scrutiny Committees discussions is detailed below:
- **2.15** The Healthy Living and Social Care Scrutiny Committee (6th September, 2022) noted quarter 1 performance results and progress to date.
- **2.16** The Homes and Safe Communities Scrutiny Committee (7th September ,2022) noted quarter 1 performance results and progress to date.
- **2.17** The Learning and Culture Scrutiny Committee (6th October, 2022) noted quarter 1 performance results and progress to date.
- **2.18** The Environment & Regeneration Scrutiny Committee (11th October, 2022) noted quarter 1 performance results and progress to date.
- **2.19** The Corporate Performance & Resources Scrutiny Committee (12th October, 2022) noted quarter 1 performance results and progress to date.
- **2.20** Upon review of quarter 1 performance, all 5 Scrutiny Committees have noted the performance results and progress to date in relation to the Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23.

# 3. How do proposals evidence the Five Ways of Working and contribute to our Well-being Objectives?

- **3.1** Performance Management is an intrinsic part of corporate governance and integrated business planning which underpins the delivery of the Council's Corporate Plan and its Well-being Objectives and associated annual commitments in its Annual Delivery Plan 2022/23. Our Corporate Plan has been structured around the Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015, through the development of four Well-being Objectives. By aligning our Well-being Outcomes in the Corporate Plan with the Well-being Goals of the Act, this will enable us to better evidence our contribution to the Goals.
- **3.2** Performance reporting is an important vehicle for showing our progress, not only in terms of impacts across the national well-being goals through achievement of our well-being objectives but also in terms of the changes and improvements made in our approach to integrated planning.
- **3.3** The five ways of working are a key consideration in our corporate Performance Management Framework ensuring that we continue to focus on working

differently and in an inclusive way to challenge why, what and how we respond to our key performance challenges.

#### 4. Climate Change and Nature implications

- **4.1** There are no direct climate change and nature related implications associated with this report. The Corporate Plan and Annual Delivery Plan incorporate our key commitments which aim to have a positive impact on climate change and nature overall. However, failure to deliver on these commitments could impact negatively on achievement of our Well-being Objectives and in turn our contribution to the national goals and on any external regulatory assessments of the Council.
- **4.2** The climate change and nature implications related to the Council's activities are outlined in Project Zero (our Climate Change/carbon reduction and nature programme) and identifies the mitigating actions we intend to take to minimise the adverse consequences of our activities. It also includes key measures and targets that are monitored and regularly reported to all stakeholders to enable us to demonstrate and track progress towards achieving our key climate change and nature related commitments enroute to achieving net zero carbon status by 2030.

#### 5. Resources and Legal Considerations

#### **Financial**

**5.1** There are no additional budgetary implications arising from this report, although underperformance in some areas may have a negative impact on external assessments of the Council and could put certain funding opportunities at risk.

#### **Employment**

**5.2** There are no direct workforce related implications associated with this report. However, there are a number of issues contained within the performance report that if not effectively managed have the potential to impact on our staff establishment and performance overall. This may in turn impact adversely on achievement of key outcomes associated with the Corporate Plan.

#### Legal (Including Equalities)

- **5.3** The Local Government & Elections (Wales) Act 2021 requires that the Council keep its performance under review and consult and report on its performance in order to secure continuous improvement and meet its performance requirements.
- **5.4** The Well-being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015 requires the Council to set and publish annual Well-being Objectives that maximise its contribution to achieving the Well-being goals for Wales and report its progress in meeting these.

#### 6. Background Papers

Corporate Plan 2020-25

Annual Delivery Plan 2022-23

#### ANNUAL DELIVERY PLAN MONITORING REPORT 2022/23

QUARTER 1 - CORPORATE PERFORMANCE & RESOURCES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

Links to latest corporate health reports/information to enable members to maintain oversight of issues that may impact on the work of the Council and their respective committees •Q4 Corporate Risk Register 2021-22 •Q4 Sickness Absence Report •Insight Board Action Tracker

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## WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

#### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- We published our Public Participation Strategy in May 2022 and have made good progress in establishing an internal network to coordinate the Council's participation work including representatives of the Youth Service as well as key corporate teams.
- Our voluntary employee turnover rate in Q1 was 1.91% against a target of 7.5%.
- We continue to maintain the benefits of hybrid working across all services and are progressing work in line with the Council's Transformation agenda and 'Eich Le' 'Your Space'.
- 87.1% of customer enquiries made to C1V during April, May and June 2022, were resolved at first contact.
- 30% of financial savings targets have been identified across the Council (against a target of 25%).

# Objective 3: Support People at home and in their community:

- Working together as an organisation, we are proud to say that we raised £14k for the Disasters Emergency Committee Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal through various events including walking, cycling, running and even knitting more than 1,775 miles, the distance from the Vale of Glamorgan to Ukraine.
- A draft Community Investment Strategy (CI) is being developed to drive further development in CI initiatives and interventions. Resident consultation is also underway to ensure that local people have an opportunity to feed into the priorities identified.
- SRS updated their website with a view to supporting victims, particularly in light of the cost-of-living crisis and post covid economy. A digital campaign is in progress with Credit Union Wales focussing on social media messaging and blogs throughout the campaign to highlight the dangers of borrowing from illegal money lenders.

# Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

- We opened a specialist resource base at Whitmore High School. New projects are also in place which will see the building of new schools for children and young people with ALN including the expansion of Ysgol y Deri.
- We are on track to deliver Band B of the 21<sup>st</sup> Century Schools programme with construction work currently taking place at Ysgol Sant Baruc, Cowbridge Primary and the Centre of Learning and Well-being.
- Our Regeneration Service continue to work towards establishing a permanent team to engage with and support our communities, businesses and third sector organisations in the delivery of new projects and in shaping local services.

# Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

- Salix schemes have continued to progress installing LED lighting in all schools and we are proceeding with procurement for solar PV schemes to existing schools in line with Project Zero goals. Tender and plans in place to install Electric Vehicle (EV) chargers for current pool cars and potential new EV's with installation inspected during Q2.
- We recently installed photovoltaic solar panels as part of a roof replacement scheme at Cowbridge Leisure Centre and are developing a future programme of works targeting high energy consuming assets.
- Corporate Energy procurement remains 100% renewable energy. We were successful in our Heritage Lottery Bid which will enable us to further expand our Llantwit Major food poverty work. Ovobikes have been rolled out in Sully, Dinas Powys and Penarth





#### PERFORMANCE SNAPSHOT:

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#### AREAS FOR FUTURE FOCUS AND IMPROVEMENT

# Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- The number of working days/shifts per FTE lost to sickness was 2.84 during Q1. This figure has worsened when compared with the same period last year (2.63) and has missed the target of 2.33.
- We need to improve the number of corporate complaints dealt with within target timescales. Performance at Q1 was reported as 63.7% complaints resolved within target timescales against a target of 75%.
- We need to progress our digital inclusion work through the work of the Digital Inclusion Steering Group and Vale Heroes group and develop the Council's website to better reflect user experience and provide better content that is useful to our citizens.

# Objective 3: Support people at home and in their community:

- Progress the joint working arrangement required to improve engagement and therefore outcomes of young people who perpetrate serious violence and persistent ASB within the Vale.
- Continue to provide support to staff and citizens in view of the cost-of-living crisis.

## Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

- Whilst we are working towards establishing the Community Development and Innovation Team, a delay in identifying sufficient funding has slowed our progress this quarter.
- We continue to work with private sector partners and WG to roll out fast broadband to communities. Country parks and Dunraven Bay will soon be supplied with fibre broadband for use by Businesses and residents.
- Governance arrangements for the Council's Investment
   Strategy are under development and will be put in place in
   Quarter 2.

# Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

- Increase the percentage of municipal waste collected by local authorities and prepared for reuse and/or recycled, including source segregated bio- wastes that are composted or treated biologically in another way. Performance was slightly down this quarter, 70.2&% versus 72.1% in the same quarter last year. The main cause being a decrease in green waster and increase in black bag waste. We will continue to promote recycling and waste elimination via social media campaigns and community engagement.
- Progress the LED streetlight conversion programme to increase the percentage of lights converted to LED.
   90% of lights were converted at Q1, which was slightly under the target of 95%.





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### WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

#### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

In Place, we have continued to focus on developing the digital delivery of services by refining the Planning Register, using web based forms and engagement software, aswell as successfully utilising social media. We hold our planning meetings online and are continually reviewing and updating our webpages to enhance customer experience and improve productivity and engagement.

In Neighbourhood Services & Transport, we have implemented an Asset Management system within our Highways Services which will assist with the sustainability of carbon reduction; and have partially implemented the issuing of residential and coastal parking permits online which will make the process quicker whilst contributing towards our Project Zero goals.

# Objective 3: Support People at home and in their community:

- We have invested in active travel improvements in the Vale including recently completed cycle tracks and road safety installations in school playgrounds, the construction of a 1.1km walking, wheeling and cycling route in St Athan and the introduction of free bicycle repair stations and bicycle parking stands throughout the Vale.
- We worked with Whitmore High School to produce a School Active Travel Plan and supplied £10k worth of bicycles and equipment including locks, helmets and a storage container to help encourage active travel for pupils and teachers.
- 51% of the 106 dwellings approved through the planning system during Q1, were designated as affordable housing.

## Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

We have supported our leisure centres to recover from the effects of Covid-19 for example, the recovery fund provided by Sports Wales has seen the completion of two new important facilities - the outdoor area at Barry Leisure Centre and the Tennis Courts at Romilly Park which will provide exciting additional recreational activities. Work is also on-going with bus operators to encourage passengers to use services following Covid-19.

#### Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

- We were awarded <u>10 Green Flags</u>, and <u>16 Green Flag Community</u> <u>Awards</u> by Keep Wales Tidy, recognising the highest possible environmental standards in our out door spaces.
- The Local Nature Partnership continues to support groups across the Vale to deliver their own biodiversity projects, with funding made available of up to £500 per project.
- Salix schemes have continued to progress installing LED lighting in all schools and we are proceeding with procurement for solar PV schemes to existing schools in line with Project Zero goals.
- We recently installed photovoltaic solar panels as part of a roof replacement scheme at Cowbridge Leisure Centre and are developing a future programme of works targeting high energy consuming assets.
- Corporate Energy procurement remains 100% renewable energy.
- We were successful in our Heritage Lottery Bid which will enable us to further expand our Llantwit Major food poverty work.
- Ovobikes rolled out in Sully, Dinas Powys and Penarth.
- 100% of dangerous structures were inspected within 1 working day of the Council being notified of the concern.
- 1.54 days The average time taken to clear fly-tipping incidents was above target (2 days) again this quarter.





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**ENVIRONMENT & REGENERATION SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** 

#### AREAS FOR FUTURE FOCUS AND IMPROVEMENT

### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- We need to progress work in relation to securing income from enforcement, inspections and fleet sponsorship in line with our transformation goals.
- We need to recruit more volunteers for the Greenlinks Transport service to ensure that the service is sustainable

## Objective 3: Support people at home and in their community:

- Increase the number of sports clubs which offer either inclusive or specific disability opportunities.
- Continue to work with partners to evaluate the regionalisation of Sports Development services being implemented by Sport Wales.

# Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

We recognise that there is more work to do to tackle decarbonisation of school assets, improve air quality around our schools and raise awareness of young people in relation to the climate and nature emergencies.

## Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

- Increase the percentage of municipal waste collected by local authorities and prepared for reuse and/or recycled, including source segregated bio- wastes that are composted or treated biologically in another way.
   Performance was slightly down this quarter, 70.2&% versus 72.1% in the same quarter last year. The main cause being a decrease in green waster and increase in black bag waste. We will continue to promote recycling and waste elimination via social media campaigns and community engagement.
- Progress the LED streetlight conversion programme to increase the percentage of lights converted to LED. 90% of lights were converted at Q1, which was slightly under the target of 95%.





#### ANNUAL DELIVERY PLAN MONITORING REPORT 2022/23

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## WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

#### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- We have made good progress in implementing the new Housing Software System by commencing work to build the software domain ready for the exchange of data and transition to the new system. We have identified Project Managers, and established a Project Board and staff groups.
- The H&SC committee have considered the final Tenant and Leaseholder Engagement Strategy to improve how we involve, engage and communicate with our tenants and leaseholders.
- We continue to successfully engage with our tenants and stakeholders through initiatives such as the Penarth Food Pod which has been expanded to offer information and support with the cost-of –living crisis and food insecurity.

# Objective 3: Support People at home and in their community:

- Work on site continues at Hayeswood Road, Barry and St. Cyres Road, Penarth to provide 67 council homes to address housing need in the Vale. A further 32 homes are due to be built in Barry and 39 units are awaiting planning approval.
- A new scheme 'Value in the Vale' has been developed to incentive local volunteering in the Vale. The scheme links volunteering opportunities to local businesses and will allow people to redeem 'credits' at local outlets.
- New CCTV cameras have been installed at Penarth contributing towards our community cohesion and community protection goals.

## Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

- We have enhanced people's skills and readiness for work through community investment opportunities such as the Council housebuilding programme which creates opportunities for work experience and apprenticeships. These opportunities are matched to local people via the Community Investment Team and are targeted towards those individuals participating in employability initiatives.
- Our One Stop shop continues to provide assistance to residents regarding a wide range of issues, including health, debt, rehousing, benefits and employment. The short, focussed interventions are having positive outcomes and assisting large numbers of vulnerable people.

#### Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

Work has commenced on developing a carbon reduction team within Building Services to focus on completing Building Passports to all Council homes by 2026 as part of WHQS2.

We continue to operate and develop the Penarth Food Pod and Clean Slate scheme in Penarth The number of volunteers and supporters are growing and the community garden has recently been harvested by the community and our Wellbeing Champions, providing fresh produce to offer at the Food Pod. Champions also worked with residents to clear the neighbourhood of litter and undertake general gardening duties.





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#### HOMES & SAFE COMMUNITIES SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

#### AREAS FOR FUTURE FOCUS AND IMPROVEMENT

# Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- At present the construction industry is still adjusting to the cost pressures arising from increased costs resulting from Brexit, the Ukraine conflict and a change in fuel duty to plant and machinery. This has seen costs rise by as much as 30% for individual projects and some contractors have been reluctant to commit to long term projects or to hold costs for long periods. Budgets and individual programmes are being reviewed as data emerges for each project but this will undoubtedly be a challenge for us.
- Work with partners to implement the Youth Offending Service Plan to enhance young people's outcomes. Delayed by agreement with the Youth Justice Board to August so Youth Offending Service inspection outcomes can be included

#### Objective 3: Support people at home and in their community:

- Continue to provide advice and support to citizens in light of the cost-of-living crisis.
- Continue to work with partners to identify and deliver effective interventions for young people at risk of homelessness.
- Continue to improve the percentage of households successfully prevented from becoming homeless against a back drop of spiralling rental costs and the cost-of-living crisis.
- Increase the number of new accessible/adapted homes delivered across the Vale. There were 2 units delivered in Q1 against a target of 9. Units have been delayed during the quarter but work is set to resume in Q2.

# Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

The Wales Illegal Money Lending Unit continues to deal with a large volume of cases arising from the financial difficulties some found themselves in as a result of the pandemic and associated lockdowns. Work continues to both to investigate the illegal lenders and to support victims.

# Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

- Prepare an updated Carbon Management Plan with appropriate recommendations and actions for 2023-2030.
- Continue to identify and deliver near zero carbon, or at a minimum A rated new Council homes and utilise Optimised Retrofit Programmes that include Modern Methods of Construction and off-site manufacturing to meet carbon reduction targets.
- Continue to invest in our housing stock and improve thermal efficiency by maximising the performance of the existing components and materials of our homes and looking at alternative fuel supplies to support carbon reduction and reduce fuel poverty.





#### ANNUAL DELIVERY PLAN MONITORING REPORT 2022/23

QUARTER 1 - HEALTHY LIVING & SOCIAL CARE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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# OVERALL RAG STATUS FOR THE ANNUAL DELIVERY PLAN IS GREEN

Overall Action	RAG	Direction of Travel	Overall PI's	RAG	Direction of Travel	Overall Objective	RAG	Direction of Travel
Objective 1	G	N/A	Objective 1	A	N/A	Objective 1	G	N/A
Objective 2	G	N/A	Objective 2	A	N/A	Objective 2	G	N/A
Objective 3	G	N/A	Objective 3	A	N/A	Objective 3	G	N/A
Objective 4	G	N/A	Objective 4	A	N/A	Objective 4	G	N/A
Annual Delivery Plan	G	N/A	Annual Delivery Plan	<b>A</b>	N/A	Annual Delivery Plan	G	N/A

## WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

## Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- We launched a <u>Dementia Friendly Vale</u> website in June 2022, increasing awareness and support for people living with dementia across the Vale of Glamorgan and contributing towards our strategic equality goals.
- We continue to support and offer opportunities to staff across all service areas to learn Welsh in accordance with our Welsh Language Strategy.
- We have implemented digital medication in Ty Dyfan residential care home and are nearing completion of digital cabling at Ty Dewi, Cartref and Southway, after which the system will be fully implemented across all our care homes.
- Two people have moved into our newly developed Transition SMART house aimed at improving outcomes for our citizens by supporting independent living and enhancing wellbeing. The contract has been awarded for the second SMART house development with completion anticipated in November 2022.
- We delivered WCCIS training alongside a suite of online training tools to our new users. We also delivered refresher training to relevant officers upon request.
- A new project manager has been actively raising awareness and promoting Dewis Cymru across social media, through staff networking and via engagement events such as the recent visit of Wellbeing Champions to Penarth Food Pod. We have already seen an impact with an increase in both the number of resources listed and viewed in detail by up to 44% compared to the previous period.

# Objective 3: Support People at home and in their community:

- The Council were successful at the Social Care Wales Accolade Awards held in April. The team at Rondel House was highly commended in the Supporting People Who Live With Dementia category. This highlights the amazing work that the Rondel team do, in partnership with the Care Collective, in supporting people living with dementia and their carers.
- After a hugely successful Winter of Wellbeing programme, colleagues have been planning an eventful Summer of Fun to encourage physical activity and improve wellbeing for young people and families.
- Wellbeing Champions negotiated a discounted Leisure Centre membership for all staff alongside the delivery of regular online yoga classes and in person HIIT classes.
- We successfully secured funding via the Stronger Communities Fund to expand into another unit at the Community Enterprise Centre and offer a 'Craft in Barry' project to people with learning difficulties in the Vale.
- The average number of calendar days taken to deliver a Disabled Facilities Grant exceeded target by 77 days this quarter. The average number of days taken was 273 which is a significant improvement on last year's performance of 359 days (Q1 2021/22).
- 1.4% of children in care had to move 3 or more times during quarter 1. This is an improvement in performance compared to 1.7% in the same quarter last year and is well within our target of 9%.





#### PERFORMANCE SNAPSHOT:

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HEALTHY LIVING & SOCIAL CARE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

#### AREAS FOR FUTURE FOCUS AND IMPROVEMENT

### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- Following implementation of the GovService website, continue to progress the development if an interactive website for Adult Services.
- Develop a digital tool to support engagement of residents in our residential care settings.
- Progress engagement work with children, young people and their families (including those with protected characteristics) beginning with the Parent's Group to help identify and inform service developments.

# Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

• We continue to maintain the benefits of hybrid working across all services and are progressing work in line with the Council's Transformation and Project Zero agendas.

# Objective 3: Support people at home and in their community:

- Embed the new escalating concerns procedures.
- Continue our focus on recruiting and retaining social care staff in key areas to ensure that we have the capacity to meet increasing levels of demand across all our services areas.
- The Council continues to support people to be safely discharged from hospital wherever possible and in a suitable timeframe however we have experienced high demand for social work assessment in our integrated discharge service causing extended wait times for allocation/assessment.
- Ensure cross directorate representation and contribution from all Directorates into the Corporate Safeguarding Group and associated Work Plan.
- Embed outcome focused contact monitoring in relation to the Learning Disabilities Supported Living Contract that is inclusive of citizen's experiences living in supported accommodation.





#### ANNUAL DELIVERY PLAN MONITORING REPORT 2022/23

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Objective 4	G	N/A	Objective 4	A	N/A	Objective 4	G	N/A
Annual Delivery Plan	G	N/A	Annual Delivery Plan	<b>A</b>	N/A	Annual Delivery Plan	G	N/A

# WHAT HAVE WE ACHIEVED?

#### Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

 Following consultation with stakeholders including parents, childcare providers and partner organisations, we were able to develop a draft Childcare Sufficiency Assessment (CSA) and this is currently out for public consultation.

## Objective 3: Support People at home and in their community:

- We have invested in active travel improvements in the Vale including recently completed cycle tracks and road safety installations in school playgrounds.Furthermore, 10 VOG schools are being assisted in creation of the 'Active Travel Plans' and processes.
- 'The Free School Meal' offer is under development in all Vale primaries and we are exploring how and when the universal offer can be expanded further.
- The Youth Homelessness project is working closely with schools on a preventative measure to support learners, this is in close contact with Llamau and VoG Housing who deliver programmes for families at risk of homelessness.
- Our Community Libraries ran over 100 events and activities showcasing how Libraries can promote community and wellbeing whilst increasing the diversity of leisure, art and cultural learning opportunities available to our citizens. For example, Dinas Powys run regular yoga sessions and weekly breastfeeding groups for new mums, Wenvoe Community Library offers Welsh learning meet ups. Our main libraries offered 650+ activities this quarter including digital drop in sessions, Caffi Cymraeg, crochet and knitting.

# Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

- Extra curricular support has been scoped and secured for the summer term at both primary and secondary schools in the St Cyres, Stanwell, Pencoedtre, Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg clusters, as well as to the primary schools in the Cowbridge cluster.
- Barnados were successfully awarded the new School and Community based counselling service which began in June 2022.
- 4 therapists have been employed to deliver therapeutic interventions to primary aged children and Luna Play has been commissioned to deliver therapeutic play work in 4 primary schools. A therapy room is under development within the CEC.
- 420 pupils across four year groups participated in WG;s 'Reform of the School Day' which saw 5 Barry Schools develop a joint timetable of an extended school day to include additional learning and wellbeing opportunities and activities for vulnerable pupils outside of normal school hours.
- 107% of Communities for Work and 105% of Communities for Work+ were engaged against target.

#### Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

Across all services, we continue to maintain the benefits of the hybrid model of working by reducing unnecessary journeys, maximising our use of technologies and ensuring more effective

- use of our assets.
- Salix schemes have continued to progress installing LED lighting in all schools and proceeding with procurement for solar PV schemes to existing schools.





#### PERFORMANCE SNAPSHOT:

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70	5	68(97%)	2 (40%)	0 (0%)	0 (0%)	<u>2 (3%)</u>	<u>3 (60%)</u>		

LEARNING & CULTURE SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

#### AREAS FOR FUTURE FOCUS AND IMPROVEMENT

# Objective 1: Work with and for our communities:

- Continue to improve engagement with children, young people and their families and our partners to meet their needs for specialist services and placements.
- Continue to progress work to develop and implement a regional approach to increase ALN provision to Welsh medium schools.
- Retention within the current childcare workforce and recruitment of new staff continues to be a challenge. Local Authority officers continue to support the sector by working in partnership with providers and key stakeholders including local secondary schools, Further Education establishments and training partners as part of their ongoing commitment.

# Objective 3: Support people at home and in their community:

 Continue to contribute to the poverty agenda and the Move More Eat Well Plan by implementing free school meals for all primary school pupils throughout the Vale of Glamorgan. Objective 2: Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth:

- The number of referrals to the Engagement Service, for external support to meet SEMH needs in Primary schools has risen exponentially, from 81 in 2019-20 to 154 2021-22 placing additional pressure on our services and resources.
- Attendance remains a concern post covid especially at secondary level but we have now appointed and are inducting 6 new officers to work from September 2022-23 as an interim tier of support for attendance as LEOS – engagement and attendance liaison officers.

# Objective 4: Respect, enhance and enjoy our environment:

Further invest in carbon reduction measures across the education estate. For example, we need to increase rollout of the scheme to include 6 projects a year to ensure targets are met. We are currently reviewing expanding the scope of carbon reduction measures implemented in existing education estate in response to rising energy costs.





#### **Corporate Performance and Resources Scrutiny Committee**

#### Performance Exceptions

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary
AS/A001: Development of online referral forms via website to improve quality of referral advice and to support faster access to information and signposting and into care and support services as required.	0%	N/A	The development of an interactive website, providing tailored information on Adult Services is dependent on the implementation of the GovService website. Initial scoping of existing interactive websites across the UK has been undertaken.
RMS/A007: Contribute to WCCIS performance oversight via the NWIS and Senior Management Board to continue identify and support the development of reporting mechanisms for system issues.	0%	N/A	Social Services are represented and contribute to the SMB by members of the WCCIS Team and the Operational Manager from Business Intelligence and Service Development.
SRS/A002: Maximise mobile working opportunities by reviewing ICT and mobile working needs across the service including evaluating options for virtual communication between staff and other stakeholders to ensure service continuity.	0%	N/A	No progress made during Qtr 1 due to other work commitments, however this will be picked up during Qtr 2.
PB/A006: Work with partners through the Digital Inclusion Steering Group to address issues of digital inclusion across the Vale.	10%	N/A	Work has been delayed during Q1 due to resource issues and the steering group has not net during this period. Work is ongoing to make online services as easy as accessible as possible through the GovService platform.
PB/A007: Co-ordinate council- specific activity with the Vale Heroes group to maximise the impact of digital inclusion focused activity.	10%	N/A	Vale Heroes group has been focused on responding to the Cost-of-Living Crisis. A telephone service has been created to support those citizens who are unable to access online support services.
PB/A008: Develop the Council's website to better reflect user experience and provide better content that is useful to our citizens.	10%	N/A	This work is to be undertaken as part of the Phase 2 GovService implementation and will be informed by citizen research activities.
RMS/A003: Develop a digital tool to support engagement of	0%	N/A	Connectivity is poor across all homes other than Ty Dyfan, and needs improving in order to progress. Re-

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary	
residents in our residential care settings.			cabling nearing completion	
NS/A008: Secure income from enforcement, inspections and fleet sponsorship.	0%	N/A	No work undertaken to date (although previous work on vehicle dimensions and possibilities has been shared).	
PB/A014: Utilise the findings from the Wellbeing Assessment to develop a robust evidence base and a new Public Service Board Wellbeing Plan.	10%	N/A	Draft well-being objectives agreed and submitted to the Future Generations Commissioner. Futures workshop planned for July to be hosted by NRW and also a workshop with Cardiff PSB and the RPB to look at strategic priorities. Engagement plan being developed and structure for the Plan.	
PB/A017: Undertake internal and external engagement to develop a new framework for the Council's relationship and work with the Third Sector.	5%	N/A	Work with the third sector has not been progressed due to other constraints on the team. Work will be undertaken as part of the development of the Well- being Plan.	
PB/A020: Develop improved customer insight that includes protected groups and socially disadvantaged groups to inform service design, development and delivery.	0%	N/A	The Equalities Team has not been involved in this work to date.	
CS/A001: Progress engagement work with children, young people and their families (including those with protected characteristics) beginning with the Parent's Group to help identify and inform service developments.	0%	N/A	Planning underway to establish.	
RMS/A013: Support the delivery of the delivery of the Council's 5-year Welsh language promotion Strategy alongside the 'More than just words' framework.	0%	N/A	Meetings with Corporate Welsh Language re-instated and agreement in place for joint working with OD, SS and Equalities going forward.	
PB/A024: Support the review of building/ street names and monuments.	10%	N/A	Work on the review of statues, monuments, street names and building names has continued internally, with research being undertaken associated with the Welsh Government's report. However, due to the timing of the election, the Panel have not met during the quarter. An update for Cabinet is being developed for consideration in Q2 and work is anticipated to recommence in Q2/3.	

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	Direction of Travel	Commentary
CPM/008 (CPM/215) Spend against approved Council capital programme.	30.6%	22%	25%	$\checkmark$	Inflationary Costs and Professional Skill shortages impacting delivery of programme although a significant proportion of schools schemes will be undertaken over summer months.
CPM/016 (CPM/223) Percentage of Corporate complaints dealt with within target timescales.	62.9%	63.7%	75%	↑	Performance in Q1 is in line with performance during 2021/22. In Quarter 2 the recording of complaints will move from Oracle CRM to GovService. This will provide functionality to send automated notifications to complaint owners to remind them of resolution dates. In addition, it will be possible to "stop the clock" on complaints when there is a delay in investigation when waiting for information from the complainant. It is anticipated that this will help to improve the percentage of complaints resolved within time scales.
CPM/002: Average daily impressions achieved by @VOGCouncil Twitter account	12,300	5,100	10,000	$\downarrow$	The two main social media channels continue to consistently engage large numbers of residents in news and information about the Vale of Glamorgan Council. There is considerable variation between posts.
CPM/029: (PAM/001) The number of working days/shifts per fulltime equivalent (FTE) local authority employee lost due to sickness absence.	2.63	2.84	2.33	Ŷ	No commentary provided

## Environment and Regeneration Scrutiny Committee

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary		
NS/A008: Secure income from enforcement, inspections and fleet sponsorship.	0%	N/A	No work undertaken to date (although previous work on vehicle dimensions and possibilities has been shared).		

### Healthy Living and Social Care Scrutiny Committee

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary
AS/A001: Development of online referral forms via website to improve quality of referral advice and to support faster access to information and signposting and into care and support services as required.	0%	N/A	The development of an interactive website, providing tailored information on Adult Services is dependent on the implementation of the GovService website. Initial scoping of existing interactive websites across the UK has been undertaken.
RMS/A007: Contribute to WCCIS performance oversight via the NWIS and Senior Management Board to continue identify and support the development of reporting mechanisms for system issues.	0%	N/A	Social Services are represented and contribute to the SMB by members of the WCCIS Team and the Operational Manager from Business Intelligence and Service Development.
CS/A001: Progress engagement work with children, young people and their families (including those with protected characteristics) beginning with the Parent's Group to help identify and inform service developments.	0%	N/A	Planning underway to establish.
RMS/A003: Develop a digital tool to support engagement of residents in our residential care settings.	0%	N/A	Connectivity is poor across all homes other than Ty Dyfan, and needs improving in order to progress. Re-cabling nearing completion
RMS/A018: Continue to strengthen the quality assurance meetings to monitor activity regarding quality and financial stability across the sector.	0%	N/A	No commentary provided
RMS/A025: Embed the new escalating concerns procedures.	0%	N/A	No commentary provided
PB/A037: Maximise opportunities to signpost citizens to cultural and arts activities designed to	0%	N/A	This work to be started as part of Phase 2 GovService implementation, maximising use of electronic communications to cross promote activities within context of the residents enquiry.

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary
enhance their mental health and wellbeing.			

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	Direction of Travel	Commentary
CPM/137: Number of new accessible/adapted homes delivered	5	2	9	$\rightarrow$	There have been two wheelchair accessible units completed at the former Windsor Hotel pub in Barry. Further units delayed and will be delivered in the next quarter.

### Homes and Safe Communities Scrutiny Committee

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary
SRS/A002: Maximise mobile working opportunities by reviewing ICT and mobile working needs across the service including evaluating options for virtual communication between staff and other stakeholders to ensure service continuity.	0%	N/A	No progress made during Qtr 1 due to other work commitments, however this will be picked up during Qtr 2.
AS/A022: Embed outcome focused contact monitoring in relation to the Learning Disabilities Supported Living Contract that is inclusive of citizen's experiences living in supported accommodation.	0%	N/A	Vale People First 'Citizen Panel' embedded into new Letter of Understanding. The Citizen Panel assists in monitoring our new supported living contract through face to face and on-line meetings with people living in supported accommodation to gain their views and experiences and to see if the service specification is being met. This quarter, dates have been booked for the year for 4 x officers to meet with the Citizen Panel on a quarterly basis, to discuss feedback and their report prior to the formal contract meetings with providers. Regular telephone /email correspondence with VPF is maintained in between to ensure all appropriate support is provided.
CS/A016: Work with partners to implement the Youth Offending Service Plan to enhance young people's outcomes.	0%	N/A	Delayed by agreement with the YJB to August so YOS inspection outcomes can be included.

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	Direction of Travel	Commentary
PAM/012: Percentage of households successfully prevented from becoming homeless.	64.5%	49%	70%	→	Prevention success percentage continues to improve, despite the pressures on the service and the number of household still presenting as homelessness with S21 notices. Although the private rented sector continues to be explored for solutions the spiralling rental cost are often for beyond the affordable reach of many households. The Council and RSL new build programmes are having a very positive impact with households receiving prompt permanent offers of social accommodation. This is also having a positive impact in reducing numbers of households in bed & breakfast/hotel type accommodation particularly.

CPM/137: Number of new accessible/adapted homes delivered	5	2	9	$\downarrow$	There have been two wheelchair accessible units completed at the former Windsor Hotel pub in Barry. Further units delayed and will be delivered in the next quarter.

### Learning and Culture Scrutiny Committee

Service Plan Actions	% Complete	Direction of Travel	Commentary
RMS/A013: Support the delivery of the delivery of the Council's 5-year Welsh language promotion Strategy alongside the 'More than just words' framework.	0%	N/A	Meetings with Corporate Welsh Language re-instated and agreement in place for joint working with OD, SS and Equalities going forward.
PB/A037: Maximise opportunities to signpost citizens to cultural and arts activities designed to enhance their mental health and wellbeing.	0%	N/A	This work to be started as part of Phase 2 GovService implementation, maximising use of electronic communications to cross promote activities within context of the residents enquiry.

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/2 2	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	Direction of Travel	Commentary
CPM/102: Number of visits to public libraries during the year per 1,000 population.	117.7	534.0	1560	1	Library visitor figures are up 77% compared to the same period in 2021/22 but are not reaching the target. Library customers still have some way to go before they regain the confidence, they once had to visit libraries in large numbers. Individual libraries vary, but there was a jump in visitors during May and a fallback in June, as perhaps the last variant increased concerns of some users. Activities for children are as popular as ever though numbers are kept purposely smaller in most cases. We expect a boost in children's activities during the summer months as we provide a range of interesting activities to attend. The low level of regular room bookings and attendances by outside bodies has had a marked effect on visitor numbers at Barry so we will promote room use there, especially from September onwards. We will also promote library use to schools, as class visits by schools have been slow to return to former levels.
CPM/128: Percentage of I2A young people engaged against target.	14	10	66	¥	We are currently below target, as the I2A project is coming to an end we currently have 33 as the target for Q1,2 and 3 combined (Q1 - 30, Q2 - 3 and Q3 -0) - the project currently sits at 95% against project so we are well within the 15% tolerance for ESF funders- if we were to not work with any clients the project would come out at 91% TOTAL so no concerns
CPM/129: Percentage of I2W young people engaged against target.	0	0	70	$\leftrightarrow$	We are currently below target, as the I2W project is coming to an end we currently have 54 as the target for Q1,2 and 3 combined (Q1 - 30, Q2 - 24 and Q3 -0) - the project currently sits at 109% against project so we are well within the 15% tolerance for ESF funders- if we were to not work with any clients the project would come out at 101% TOTAL so no concerns

#### **APPENDIX 1: Service Plan Actions contributing to this Well-being Objective**

Well-being Objective 1: To work with and for our communities

CP Commitment: 1.1 Impro			d communicate with others about our work and deci			
Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
	•.	•	rvices and how we communicate including more res	ponsive online	services, enha	ncements to the
website and use of the new digital cus AS/A001: Development of online referral forms via website to improve quality of referral advice and to support faster access to information and signposting and into care and support services as required. AS/A002: Expand the development of SMART houses and review the outcomes of them in terms of impact	31/03/2023 31/03/2023 31/03/2023	25%	The development of an interactive website, providing tailored information on Adult Services is dependent on the implementation of the GovService website. Initial scoping of existing interactive websites across the UK has been undertaken. Transition Smart house completed. Two people have moved in with a third person by end of June. Outcomes being monitored by provider for each individual and WSCC Stem to Improve a film of	Red Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care Homes and Safe Communities
for citizens in supporting independent living and enhancing their wellbeing.			individual and IHSCC Storyteller planning a film of their learning. Contract has been awarded to Willis Construction for the second SMART House development. Meeting held confirming start date of June 6th, with estimated completion of renovation and building work of 7th November.			Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A002: Maximise opportunities within CYPS to undertake hybrid meetings to support the engagement of children young people and families aligned to the Council's 'Eich Lle'- Your Space project.	31/03/2023	25%	First meeting of the new work stream has taken place. TOR's agreed.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resource Healthy Living and Social Care

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CS/A003: Utilising dedicated WCCIS project support, increase and develop CYPS practitioners' capacity and consistency in the use of the system.	31/03/2023	25%	Training for new WCCIS users established and supported by WCCIS guidance notes. Dedicated Staffnet page created to hold guidance and training materials. Refresher training provided on request. Training videos in development to provide bite size instructions on WCCIS functionality	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A004: Implement digital medication in our residential care homes.	31/03/2023	25%	Implemented in Ty Dyfan, and renewal of digital cabling nearing completion in Ty Dewi, Cartref and Southway after which the system will be implemented across all homes (phased)	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A005: Further enhance and develop use of forms within WCCIS to support quality assurance work and enhance customer experience.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is progressing well with task and finish groups now established for Adults, Children and Young People, and Safeguard to take forward the development of new forms.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A006: Implement the WCCIS workplan within the Performance Champions workstream of the Reshaping Programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Three working groups established, and meetings/workshops scheduled every two weeks (CYPS/AS/Safeguarding) Attended by OM leads and WCCIS Systems team.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A007: Contribute to WCCIS performance oversight via the NWIS and Senior Management Board to continue identify and support the	31/03/2023	0%	Social Services are represented and contribute to the SMB by members of the WCCIS Team and the Operational Manager from Business Intelligence and Service Development.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
development of reporting mechanisms for system issues.						Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A008: Review and enhance current information on Staffnet, DEWIS and public facing website.	31/03/2023	25%	Dewis (SM): A new project manager for Dewis Cymru has been appointed to cover maternity leave, and work has commenced to increase awareness of Dewis Cymru via promotion on social media and networking. We have already seen an impact with an increase in both the number of resources listed and viewed in detail by up to 44% compared to the previous month. Website (NH): AS information pages have been restructured to follow SSWBA pathway through IAA to service provision. Updates currently being reviewed by service managers	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
ALN/A001: Maximise the use of digital methods including an updated website, information portal and social media to engage and communicate with schools and Vale citizens on matters relating to ALN and Well- being.	31/03/2023	25%	Teams have been working to update information for the website. Initial meetings with corporate website design to change the website, so information is more accessible to all citizens have taken place. Further meetings to update information for all stakeholders and review the format are planned. SharePoint for all teachers is available and running, this will be updated in the autumn term. ALNCO SharePoint has been further developed on HWB, ensuring all information shared in ALNCO days, all processes and central formats are available for download.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
ALN/A004: Develop processes to enable the new way of working and improve management information systems, including ICT infrastructure to ensure that both the new ALN	31/03/2023	25%	The ALN team are working closely to develop systems on ONE to support the new process, for the new ALN system, whilst maintaining the old SEN system. ALN resource bases are being added to the system so that admissions and movement	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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arrangements and the old SEN arrangements can co-exist over the implementation period.	21/02/2022	25%	can be recorded and tracked accurately. An ALN portal is being developed for schools to write and collaborate on IDPs, developing an online system that should work alongside corporate systems and schools own systems.	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A001: Maximise the use of digital methods including an updated website, information portal and social media to engage and communicate with schools and Vale citizens.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>Youth Service:</li> <li>Digital Task Group set up to look at all digital technology across service, key aspects being delivered upon include the following;</li> <li>becoming digital (use of membership forms and parental consent etc. all online to be easier and simpler in the future)</li> <li>Social Media – groups looking at the VYS brand book alongside promotion of day to day activity and events</li> <li>Online pages- review of current pages and ensure that developments are made to simplify use if the future (directorate discussions ongoing)</li> <li>Policy procedure and documents online – documents to go online such as complaints, action plan, working guides, procedures etc</li> <li>Pupil Engagement – development of new page on internal and external pages for Sept 2022 for the Pupil Engagement team / EOTAS to ensure people can see the policy, procedures, Alternative Education Brochure etc.</li> </ul>	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
NS/A003: Develop a phased approach to expand on-line services such as parking permits, waste and leisure services as well as automated systems for fleet and public transport and an	31/03/2023	25%	Partially implemented the Residential Permits / Coastal Permits via online. The production of the permit is currently manually undertaken. Looking at ways to undertake the process fully, but this may be restricted as we do not charge for residential permits. The process if quick, and has	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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asset management system for parks			assisted with carbon reduction, as customers are			Environment
and other neighbourhood assets.			not required to travel to the nearest office. Asset			and
			Management system has been implemented			Regeneration
			within Highway Services / Street Lighting and a			
			reduction in street lighting charges has finally			
			been submitted. Next phase Play inspection,			
			training undertaken aiming for start date Quarter			
			2. Also liaising with GIEST and NUAR for assets to			
			be imported into CONFIRM system.			
HS/A003: Implement the new Housing	31/03/2023	25%	The system software agreement has been signed	Green		Corporate
Software System and deliver a Digital			and NEC have commenced building the software			Performance
Transformation Strategy for Housing			domain ready for exchange of data and transition			and Resources
and Building Services.			to the new system. Project Managers, Project			
			Board and staff groups have been established.			Homes and
						Safe
						Communities
SRS/A001: Improve engagement and	31/03/2023	25%	A review of feedback received during 2021/22	Green		Corporate
consultation with stakeholders			was undertaken during Qtr 1, however response			Performance
including service users and residents			rates were very low following the move to online			and Resources
and review the effectiveness of			surveys as opposed to hard copies that were			
current mechanisms used to access			previously sent out. Steps will be taken during			Homes and
Shared Regulatory Services.			Qtr 2 to improve response rates by including QR			Safe
			codes in letters to improve accessibility.			Communities
SRS/A002: Maximise mobile working	31/03/2023	0%	No progress made during Qtr 1 due to other work	Red		Corporate
opportunities by reviewing ICT and			commitments, however this will be picked up			Performance
mobile working needs across the			during Qtr 2.			and Resources
service including evaluating options						
for virtual communication between						Homes and
staff and other stakeholders to ensure						Safe
service continuity.						Communities
FS/A001: Refresh the current	31/03/2023	25%	Service Asset Management Plan templates have	Green		Corporate
Corporate Asset Management Plan	, ,		been updated with current asset list by service			Performance
during 2022.			area and will be distributed to service leads			and Resources

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			during July 2022. Drafting of the main report has commenced and the engagement process with Service areas is due to commence in Q2.			
FS/A002: Maximise our use of assets and technology to improve our services and how we communicate including more responsive online services, enhancements to the website and use of the new digital customer experience system.	31/03/2023	25%	The Capita single sign on has now been integrated into the new CRM system Granicus. This will enhance the way in which customers can engage with the Council to access online services within Revenues and Benefits and to increase take-up of on-line services such as e-billing.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A003: Continue to signpost applicants to enable them to fully access support on the digital service for UC applications.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council's 'Vale Heroes' project team continue to meet to introduce new initiatives to ensure customers can access the advice and information required to support customers with their Housing Needs.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A001: Continue to increase performance in service delivery through the Lexcel standard and achieve the Lexcel accreditation.	31/09/2022	100%	Accreditation following year 2 AMR completed with Lexcel accreditation approved for a further 12 months from 30th June 22.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A004: Deliver phase 2 of replacement CRM (including the use of GOV service platform) with a focus on transformation and service user design to improve customer and staff satisfaction.	31/03/2023	25%	Phase 1 implementation complete, and work is underway to prioritise Phase 2 activities to create and agreed roadmap.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A005: Involve our citizens in the development of services and how they are accessed to inform service design and delivery.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has started with the WLGA Digital team to develop skills and capacity to undertake a Human Centred Design approach service development.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A006: Work with partners through the Digital Inclusion Steering Group to	31/03/2023	10%	Work has been delayed during Q1 due to resource issues and the steering group has not net during this period. Work is ongoing to make	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources

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address issues of digital inclusion			online services as easy as accessible as possible			
across the Vale.			through the GovService platform.			
PB/A007: Co-ordinate council-specific activity with the Vale Heroes group to maximise the impact of digital inclusion focused activity.	31/03/2023	10%	Vale Heroes group has been focused on responding to the Cost-of-Living Crisis. A telephone service has been created to support those citizens who are unable to access online support services.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A008: Develop the Council's website to better reflect user experience and provide better content that is useful to our citizens.	31/03/2023	10%	This work is to be undertaken as part of the Phase 2 GovService implementation and will be informed by citizen research activities.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A001: Continue to focus on developing the digital delivery of services focusing on productivity and customer experience.	31/03/2023	25%	Reviewing and updating the website. We continue to encourage Agents and Applicants to submit applications electronically rather than by post. Planning Register has been refined to make it easier to search for documents within each application. We have continued with online planning meetings with staff and with applicants and agents. The regeneration team have been using web based forms and other software such as evolutive as part of community engagement on funding bids and to received expressions of interest from individuals for funding and on projects. Social media is also very active, especially in the tourism team and for trade pages in particular to receive	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment & Regeneration
			information in a timely manner.			
-			ages greater involvement for residents and other sta	keholders in de	ecision making	as part of
enhancing our understanding of comm			•			
ALN/A002: Through partnership working, develop understanding across agencies of person-centred	31/03/2023	25%	Well established partnerships receive on going and update training around Papp process and	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources

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practice to facilitate collaborative discussion about needs, outcomes and provision with all concerned.			IDPs. Regular meetings take place to ensure all updates are shared and communicated clearly.			Learning and Culture
ALN/A003: Provide consistent and transparent information and advice about the new ALN system and develop an integrated approach to address disputes and disagreements so that they can be avoided or resolved at an early stage.	31/03/2023	25%	Dispute Resolution Information is available on the corporate website for ALN. This will be updated in the near future. All schools have been trained in dispute resolution and further training will be offered in the Autumn term. The ALN team meet regularly with Dispute resolution providers SNAP to discuss ongoing cases and offer help and advice.	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A002: Work with Social Services, the Central South Consortium Joint Education Service (CSCJES), schools and other external agencies to strengthen our approach to engaging, involving and communicating with children and their families to deliver services that meet their learning needs within all education settings.	31/03/2023	25%	The Directorate participation strategy is being developed and a senior worker has been recruited to coordinate and oversee the work within the youth service. This has formed part of the wider participation drive across the LA. Work has started on recruiting young people to the new youth voices forum, this includes discussion with harder to reach and vulnerable groups. The work with school councils is ongoing and the aim is that this will interlink with the wider strategic work under the youth cabinet, support and facilitated by the youth service.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
SL/A002: Strengthen our approach to communicating, engaging and involving schools, parents and their children and other key stakeholders to ensure all pupils have access to an appropriate learning environment that meets their needs.	31/03/2023	25%	Completed self-assessment survey and face-to- face discussions with school clusters regarding our services, support and engagement processes.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
NS/A002: Involve, engage and consult residents and other stakeholders including the voluntary sector and	31/03/2023	25%	Active Travel consultation for route options connecting Cowbridge to Ystradowen launched in Q1. Currently awaiting the implementation of the	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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town and community councils in redesigning waste, flood risk management, trees, transport and active travel services, ensuring that those who are seldom heard have the opportunity to be involved. This will include the development of school Active Travel Plans, active travel consultations and a public transport opinion survey (2022).			Electric Vehicles infrastructure - due for commencement end of July, 2022. Also looking at technology around fleet and possible option for monitoring current vehicles and replacing with EV i.e. Building Vehicles. Also introduction of the Asset Management system which will assist with sustainability of carbon reduction i.e. wildflowers.			Environment and Regeneration
HS/A001: Implement the new Tenant and Leaseholder Engagement Strategy to improve how we involve, engage and communicate with our tenants and leaseholders.	31/03/2023	25%	Final Strategy has been considered by H&SC Scrutiny and is awaiting final sign off by Cabinet. Implementation of action plan is underway, and progress is monitored by a working group of staff and tenants.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes and Safe Communities
HS/A002: Work in partnership with residents and stakeholders to improve community engagement and encourage behaviour change in relation to reducing food poverty and waste in line with the Climate Change Community conversation.	31/03/2023	25%	An area-based approach to community engagement has been developed in Penarth which has been focussed around a number of locally identified priorities, including food, environment and resident engagement. The Food Pod is a key element of this approach and external grant funding has been used to support the expansion of the project. A group of local volunteers are also supported by staff to provide much needed food to vulnerable people but also to engage with residents in a positive way and support them access information and other services. This approach can be rolled out in other areas	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration Homes and Safe Communities

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HS/A007: Evaluate the outcomes of the Tenant Profiling exercise to improve and better target services to meet individual needs.	31/03/2023	25%	Final stage of data capture exercise is underway and the final three tenant profilers are due to finish in September 2022. Attempts will have been made to contact all Council tenants. A postal questionnaire is being carried out of all tenants who do not have a telephone number or who have not been contacted by phone	Green		Homes and Safe Communities Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A004: Work in partnership with Policy & Business Transformation colleagues to deliver aspects of the Public Participation Strategy, including introducing e-petitions.	31/03/2023	100%	Public Participation Strategy and e-petitions have been approved by Cabinet in April 2022 in readiness for the statutory obligation taking affect on 5 May 2022. Work is ongoing with colleagues in the Comms Team to ensure that the strategy and scheme are promoted.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A001: Publish the Public Participation Strategy and commence delivery of the Action Plan.	31/03/2023	100%	The Public Participation Strategy was published in May 2022.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
ADP3-Support increasing numbers of y CS/A001: Progress engagement work with children, young people and their families (including those with protected characteristics) beginning with the Parent's Group to help identify and inform service developments.	oung people to 31/03/2023	be engaged in a	<b>wider range of participation opportunities and wit</b> Planning underway to establish.	h decision maki Red	ng within the ( Green	Council. Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance and Resources
RMS/A001: Explore the feasibility of using digital platforms to support participation and engagement of children and young people to shape service development.	31/03/2023	25%	Liaison with providers of services in this area has taken place. Scoping of use and financial feasibility taking place with CYPS colleagues	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care

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RMS/A002: Tender for the delivery of a young person's Regional Advocacy Service.	31/03/2023	25%	Project group continued to meet with regional partners. Timetable for commencement of new service amended to 1st January 2023, meaning that tender will be advertised and evaluated in quarter 2.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A003: Develop a digital tool to support engagement of residents in our residential care settings.	31/03/2023	0%	Connectivity is poor across all homes other than Ty Dyfan, and needs improving in order to progress. Re-cabling nearing completion	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
SP/A003: Support increasing numbers of young people to be engaged in a wider range of participation opportunities and with decision making within the Council e.g. through child centred planning and Pupil Voice.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has started on recruiting young people to the new youth voices forum, this includes discussion with harder to reach and vulnerable groups. Workers are attending the Public Participation Practitioners Network to ensure we are working together effectively when consulting communities.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources
SL/A003: Facilitate opportunities for Pupil Voice in response to the Learning & Skills Directorate's consultations and public engagement activities.	31/03/2023	25%	All School Organisations ensure that pupils are given every opportunity to participate in engagement activities. There were no statutory consultations this quarter. Pupils engagements sessions are planned for quarter to in relation to the proposal to permanently relocate the SRB at Llandough Primary School to Ysgol Y Ddraig.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
PB/A002: Establish a task and finish group to identify and progress ways to effectively engage with young people on corporate issues.	31/03/2023	25%	A new internal network has been established to help better coordinate the Council's participation work. This group includes representatives of the Youth Service as well as key corporate teams.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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						Learning and Culture
ADP4- Build momentum around the Cli	mate Change C	ommunity Conv	versation and the nature emergency involving different	ent stakeholder	groups and de	eveloping a
green ambassadors group to shape our	plans and enco	ourage behaviou	ur change.	-		
CS/A016: Work with partners to implement the Youth Offending	31/03/2023	0%	Delayed by agreement with the YJB to August so YOS inspection outcomes can be included.	Red	Green	Homes and Safe
Service Plan to enhance young people's outcomes.						Communities
NS/A001: Build momentum around the Climate Change Community Conversation and the nature emergency involving different stakeholders with a focus on waste service change proposals for Penarth and flats and apartments, covenants on green spaces with fields in trust to protect open space and biodiversity as well as reinstatement of the old harbour as a biodiversity area.	31/03/2023	25%	When the roll out to Penarth is confirmed the service area will commence consultation throughout the whole of Penarth area through the use of roadshows and social media to build momentum on the waste agenda and the environmental benefits linking in with the environmental change agenda. Additionally the parks department continue to build upon biodiversity and is currently exploring options to protect this for now and the future in respect of parks and the old harbour.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A002: Work with businesses, stakeholders and the community to encourage behaviour change having regard to climate and nature emergencies.	31/03/2023	25%	Increased importance placed upon landscaping, tree planting and bio-diversity enhancements when determining planning applications. Developing plans for a transport interchange at the Dock Office to enable more sustainable access to the office and surrounding areas. Climate and nature emergencies placed at heart of planning decision making. LDP review commenced work on objectives and vision with climate / nature focus. The Local Nature Partnership continues to support groups across the Vale to deliver their own biodiversity projects, with funding made available of up to £500 per project.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

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PB/A003: Develop and deliver our	31/03/2023	25%	An outline communications strategy and	Green		Corporate
Communications Strategy, community			supporting action plan has been developed. Work			Performance
engagement approaches (including			on a review of and updates to the Project Zero			and Resources
young people, protected groups and			section of the Council's website is due to start in			
those socially disadvantaged groups)			August. This will establish a solid platform for an			Environment
and our, website content to			enhanced online campaign to begin shortly			and
encourage behaviour change and			afterwards.			Regeneration
shape our work as part of Project						
Zero.						

CP Commitment: 1.2 Work innovatively, using technology, resources and our assets to transform our services so they are sustainable for the future.

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ADP5-Deliver the next phase of the Council's Transformational Change Programme that puts in place new ways of working to respond to current and future								
community needs and organisational of	challenges inclu	ding COVID rec	overy, Brexit and the climate and nature emergencies	s.				
RMS/A009: Implement our quality	31/03/2023	25%	New role being developed to support the	Green	Green	Corporate		
assurance framework to support the			implementation of QA framework. Post will go out			Performance		
Reshaping programme for Social			to advert Autumn 2022.			and Resources		
Services.								
						Healthy Living		
						and Social		
						Care		
RMS/A010: Recruit and retain staff to	31/03/2023	25%	Progress has been made to create a relief 'bank' in	Green		Healthy Living		
enable the reopening of the			collaboration with HR, Comms and Lifecycle,			and Social		
reablement service within residential			contact system options have been explored and			Care		
care.			advert content agreed.					
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RMS/A011: Establish a PPE management team to embed processes and to co-ordinate supplies to relevant teams and settings across the council.	31/03/2023	25%	The PPE has been established and a supply and distribution centre in operation.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A012: Reopen 'Bay Unit' at Ty Dyfan as a bridging unit between hospital and home to mitigate capacity issues within the market.	31/03/2023	25%	Plans to re-open the Bay as bridging unit are currently on hold on instruction of HOS.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
ALN/A005: Ensure that appropriate exit and forward planning strategies are in place for ESF funded projects to minimise service disruption and ensure sustainable services.	31/03/2023	25%	Exit strategies and processes to end provision have been initiated for the 4 L&S Employability ESF funded projects. Work with WG has started to explore how the CfW projects will be replaced with additional funds in 2023. It is suggested that notification of funds and planned structures may be launched in September. This will see the role of the YPG extended. Regional work through the CCR 10 LA Cluster Employment and Skills group secured UKG CRF Grant to run the CELT project this has been extended until Dec 2022. Regional workshops have taken place and early financial plans submitted to RCT regional lead; Programme plans for employability provision are under development linking key themes within the UKG SPF bid (due August 1st). This has a number of project ideas building on perceived gaps, for example a employability pod, a supported employment provision and a new pre16 provision.	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A004: Establish appropriate exit and forward planning strategies for ESF funded projects to minimise	31/03/2023	25%	Work is underway regarding possible future service being delivered by the Youth Service for Pre/Post16 with the Youth Engagement & Progression Framework at the heart of this.	Green		Learning and Culture

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service disruption and ensure sustainable services.			Finances have been shared in relation to a possible Pre16 model within the Shared prosperity Fund, whilst we await a Pan Wales meeting on the Youth Guarantee, new programmes are emerging from Welsh Gov. for Post 16 including JGW+, ReAct+, C4W and C4W+, and the Youth Guarantee there is a lack of pre16 other than what the Youth Service has developed.			
SL/A001: Implementing a new Digital Strategy, focusing on expanding online services and the range of digital methods used to engage and communicate with Vale of Glamorgan citizens, whilst reducing office space and travel.	31/03/2023	25%	Meetings have been initiated to discuss the implementation of a new Digital Strategy in the context that this action is now within the portfolio of the new Director of Resources. Governance and process have been considered alongside the recommendations contained within the organisation-wide review of Digital capability that CGI recently carried out. A 'Digital Temperature' has been taken by way of a survey, which asked all service areas to detail all things digital that are currently underway or planned in their areas. An analysis of this data is due to be carried out in Q2 2022/23.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and Culture
SL/A004: Engage and support schools with remote learning provision and new technologies to maximise access to learning and minimise inequalities for learners.	31/03/2023	25%	<ol> <li>We are exploring next generation MIS options for schools, with a current pilot (Arobor's MIS solution) being run in 3 Vale schools. A second pilot is due to kick off in September, to undertake a complete review of another product (Bromcoms MIS solution). Both systems are cloud based products and would eb a direct replacement to SIMS.net.</li> <li>We are awaiting delivery of devices and large format displays, procured across all Vale schools under the 2022-23 Hwb funding, we are hoping to roll-out these devices over the summer.</li> </ol>	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources

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SL/A005: Work with our partners and engage with schools to respond to the Climate Change Challenge with a particular focus on active travel, green travel, new technologies and digital practices to reduce carbon footprint.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>3. We are working with the network and server teams, with the hope of migrating our education VM's to new corporately managed hardware, thus allowing us to decommission our aging legacy server environment.</li> <li>The directorate is engaging with Active Travel Coordinator to identify new routes to link with school projects. New schools are also being issued with Travel Plan documents. These are being reviewed by South Point, St David's and Ysgol Sant Baruc with an update to be rolled out in September 2022. We are incorporating EV charging into new schools with Property on operation system used for charging neighbor.</li> </ul>	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
SL/A006: Continue to support schools to manage their budgets and identify creative solutions to ease increased resource pressures arising from COVID and cessation of the Welsh Government COVID hardship funding from April 2022.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>used for charging points is ongoing as these ideally need to link with other Council chargers.</li> <li>During quarter on we have been working with schools in order to ensure all school budgets are agreed and plans are confirmed for any surplus balances. A report will be made to L &amp; S DMT in quarter two to consider the position in more detail. One school causing concern has had a series of meetings to explore ways of developing a budget recovery plan. Support from Mentor headteachers, HR, finance and other Learning &amp; Skills colleagues is available to the school in question</li> </ul>	Green		Learning and Culture
SL/A007: Monitor the cost pressures arising from the increase in construction, materials and energy costs in relation to the 21st Century Schools capital programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Aecom are going to market test cost prices on Band B projects. There is a need to review for next tranche of funding on scope of cost consultants. Increased costs have been received on all outstanding projects. Ongoing discussions are taking place with Welsh Government on how to	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources

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			address the issue as schemes exceed size and cost standard issued in January 2022.			
NS/A004: Deliver the next phase of transformation in respect of Brexit, and the Council's declared nature emergency including finding solutions for the supply and cost of parts for vehicles, cost of construction materials, additional HGV drivers and additional technical engineers.	31/03/2023	25%	Additional motor vehicle fitter started working in the Garage workshop in Q1. Additional motor vehicle fitter was interviewed and offered a role and will start early in Q2. Both will undertake HGV training in Q3.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
NS/A006: Work with contractors (providers) to gain assurance of their readiness for the impact of Brexit post transition.	31/03/2023	25%	Supply of parts and vehicles still being delayed by global shortages of semiconductors and suppliers buildings vehicles by order. The position is not currently critical as we are prolonging the life of current fleet vehicles and hiring in where appropriate. Passenger Transport services continue to remain a problem, particularly school transport, where positive COVID cases mean services cannot run as relief drivers are not available.	Green		Environment and Regeneration
NS/A007: Further develop agile working within the service area and contribute to the renewal of the Corporate CRM.	31/03/2023	25%	Upstairs Garage office work completed in Q1. Network points to be installed mid Q2. Staff who can work from home continue to do so and use the office area as required. Passenger Transport queries now coming in via Granicus system.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
NS/A008: Secure income from enforcement, inspections and fleet sponsorship.	31/03/2023	0%	No work undertaken to date (although previous work on vehicle dimensions and possibilities has been shared).	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources

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						Environment and Regeneration
HS/A004: Contribute to the Council's Transformational Change Programme by developing a new Housing Solutions Delivery model considering the impact of the pandemic and changing homelessness legislation.	31/03/2023	25%	An internal review has commenced looking at the new strategy to tackling homelessness. This takes into account expectations within the WG High Level Action Plan and the 'no one left out' approach. A dedicated Rapid Rehousing Officer is being recruited and funding received for a Strategic Coordinator, to pull together and embed the Council's change to a Rapid Rehousing approach.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
HS/A005: Monitor the cost pressures arising from the increase in construction, materials and energy costs in relation to the Housing capital programme.	31/03/2023	25%	At present the construction industry is still adjusting to the cost pressures arising from increased costs resulting from Brexit, the Ukraine conflict and a change in fuel duty to plant and machinery. This has seen costs rise by as much as 30% for individual projects and some contractors have been reluctant to commit to long term projects or to hold costs for long periods. budgets and individual programmes are being reviewed as data emerges for each project.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes and Safe Communities
HS/A022: Work with partners to mitigate the impact of COVID-19 by continuing to facilitate the Homelessness Coordination Cell meetings fortnightly so that any issues are identified early, and the appropriate preventative action is taken.	31/03/2023	25%	Bi monthly meetings of Coordination Cell continue to take place and are attended by WG Officers and local partners. Actions are agreed in relation to temporary accommodation and related services affected by the Covid response. Funding to support the continued use of B&B accommodation for single homeless people will reduce from the end of September 2022, meaning that just the Holiday Inn Express will be available. A Rapid Rehousing Officer is being appointed to work intensively with single people in B&B and PRS	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			temp accommodation, in order to expedite move on and minimise use of rooms.			
SRS/A003: Formulate and progress the next SRS three-year financial programme (2021-2024) with all three partner Councils.	31/03/2023	75%	The SRS budget was agreed in December 2021 by the Joint Committee. Given the uncertainty around Coronavirus and the additional work generated, a longer term budget programme has been deferred until the 2023/25 period.	Green		Homes & Safe Communities
SRS/A004: Implement the actions within the Directorate Recovery Plan to address the impact of COVID-19 on our services, service users and their families and communities.	31/03/2023	25%	The service continues to work with partners in managing high risk settings for the regional team aspect of TTP.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
SRS/A011: Work in partnership to respond to the Covid-19 pandemic by leading on the Test, Trace, Protect service, supporting businesses and high risk care settings to operate safely and enforcing regulations and self-isolation requirements.	31/03/2023	25%	The service continues to work with partners in managing high risk settings for the regional team aspect of TTP.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
FS/A004: Undertake engagement with Vale of Glamorgan citizens on budget issues to inform the Council's budget and its Transformational Change Programme for 2022/23.	31/03/2023	25%	Initial work has commenced to upgrade Pay 360, implement Eshop to enhance payment channels. Work is ongoing with the Oracle Fusion Implementation. Whilst the delivery profile shows as amber the completion percentage reflects the expected profile of delivery.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A005: Review the inflationary pressures impact on the affordability on construction schemes as part of Capital Monitoring and the Capital Strategy.	31/03/2023	25%	Initial work has commenced to identify the status of tendering of the capital programme, existing and emerging cost pressures. Iterative work to support project managers in retendering, value engineering and scheme redesign is undertaken through regular monthly capital monitoring. Whilst the delivery profile shows as amber the	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			completion percentage reflects the expected profile of delivery.			
FS/A006: Review our primary office accommodation as part of our move to Hybrid Working arrangements and make appropriate recommendations.	31/03/2023	25%	Civic - Chief Executive and cabinet room have been relocated and teams within Corporate Resources (on 1st and 2nd Floors) have rationalised storage and floor space requirements. Property section has reduced floor space requirement by 60% and are working in a totally agile while with hot desking and break out spaces installed. Technology to support Hybrid meetings in new Boardroom has been installed. Docks - Discussions are ongoing regarding future uses and key service user requirements. Alps Depot - Space rationalisation exercise is ongoing lead by lead service Director.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A008: Migrate the Service's Oracle financial systems into Oracle Cloud to maximise application capacity.	31/03/2023	25%	Oracle Fusion, covering Finance, Procurement, HR and Payroll will go live early autumn. Will bring in more streamlined processes to drive organisation efficiency. Programme is behind the original timelines with Oracle and Evosysy (the Council's implementation partner needing to address some residual defects before moving out of UAT (User Acceptance Testing)	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A009: Continue to deliver the Reshaping budget and savings programme as part of wider Budget Strategy to 2025.	31/03/2023	25%	Initial work has commenced to identify emerging cost pressures and funding gaps and link funding to the Council's ADP and Corporate Priorities. Whilst the delivery profile shows as amber the completion percentage reflects the expected profile of delivery.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A001: Support organisational- wide change as part of the Council's new Transformational Change Programme, COVID recovery, Brexit	31/03/2023	25%	The implementation of the Oracle system is ongoing with significant work being undertaken by the various teams to ensure the system will be live towards the end of this calendar year. An	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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and the climate and nature emergencies including any HR and OD issues that may arise.			Occupational Health system is also being introduced, with the contract agreed in Q1, with implementation starting in Q3. We are also in the process of reviewing the Workforce Strategy which includes a Recruitments & Attraction policy and grading with the Heads of Service, to agree a way forward over the coming months			
LD/A002: Support current and future organisational challenges as part of the Council's Transformational Change Programme.	31/09/2022	25%	Support provided by Legal and Democratic Services and through support provided at Senior Leadership Team meetings.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A003: Continue to maintain service continuity of business-critical services in line with the Legal Services and Democratic Services Business Continuity Plans (in line with available resources).	31/09/2022	25%	Service continuity of business critical services continues to be maintained in line with the Legal Services Business Continuity Plan (in line with available resources). Review scheduled by Legal services Q2 2022/23.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A009: Review the Council's Contact Strategy to ensure that our services are accessible to all our citizens.	31/03/2023	N/A	This work is to be commenced during Q3 in line with the development of the council's new digital strategy and Phase 2 of the GovService implementation.	N/A		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A010: Lead on the delivery of a new Transformational Change Programme with an emphasis on community, resources and new ways of working.	31/03/2023	25%	No commentary	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A011: Develop opportunities for service held data to be shared across the organisation alongside corporate data sets to encourage data driven decision making, as part of a new Insight way of working.	31/03/2023	25%	As part of the organisations response to the cost of living crisis, discussions are on-going to identify data-sets which may be used to provide an early indication of growing pressures on households. As part of this work, service areas are discussing how data can be better shared and aligned in order to inform strategic decision making. Building on this	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			work, we will continue to identify opportunities for data to be shared between service areas to provide better organisational insight			
PB/A012: Work with Social Services to review Telecare services.	31/03/2023	50%	Review is progressing with implementation of new web-based Telecare system scheduled for August 2022. The service is supporting the development of improved work distribution to maximise operational efficiency and in the development of a new product offering to better meet the needs of residents and maximise potential of growth of the service.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A013: Contribute to the development of the Vale Alliance and Wellbeing Matter Service.	31/03/2023	25%	The Operational Manager from Customer Relations is actively engaged in the steering group and contributing to the development of the concept. The service is actively engaged with Citizens Advice Bureau to develop a complete and consistent response for residents and improve efficiency of referrals between CAB and Council services,	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A003: Deliver the next phase of the Council's Transformational Change Programme that puts in place new ways of working to respond to current and future community needs and organisational challenges including COVID recovery, Brexit and the climate and nature emergencies.	31/03/2023	25%	We formalised hybrid working arrangements for staff. Flexible approach to the use of properties in town centres to assist COVID recovery. Programming and planning for online and hybrid community engagement events for RLDP review. A sizeable piece of work has been undertaken around the preparation for the Shared Prosperity Fund to pull together an evidence base for future activity. Covid Recovery, Brexit Impact and the cost of living crisis are the main focus of need. This will help to inform how internal and external staff and financial resources are best targeted over the next 3 years.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

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RP/A004: Work with partners in the region to ensure that a consistent approach is adopted to engage with the business community to communicate Business Wales, UK Government and Welsh Government advice around Brexit.	31/03/2023	25%	A regional approach has been taken to the development of the Regional Investment Plan for Shared Prosperity, with a consistent message to all involved that the new funding is not a replacement for EU funding because the scope of funding is different and the amount of funding available across Wales is lower. This exercise is around managing expectations and also making businesses, groups and education institutions think more creatively around how they can still achieve positive outcomes with less money.	Green encourage peo	ple to get mor	Environment and Regeneration
their local communities.	,	,,	р			
SL/A008: Work collaboratively via the Big Fresh Catering Company, 21st Century Schools Benefits Programme and community libraries to deliver and shape local services and to encourage people to get more involved in their local communities.	31/03/2023	25%	We are currently identifying local Social Value Enterprises in the Vale of Glamorgan who are in a position to benefit from School development programme. This will be trialled on Ysgol Y Deri Expansion Project. we are also undertaking Community Use improvement works as part of new Welsh Government grant scheme working collaboratively with social enterprise Benthyg. Currently works are being reviewed by Property to understand which short listed schools could benefit from the funding. Works to be completed by March 2023.	Green	Green	Learning and Culture
NS/A009: Work with not for private- profit, voluntary and community organisations to deliver and shape local services and to encourage people to get more involved in their local communities including working with Greenlinks volunteers, Tidy Towns voluntary litter pick groups,	31/03/2023	25%	Numbers of Greenlinks volunteers have dropped since COVID and at present with increasing cases it is not envisaged this will change any time soon. Other Community Transport providers have been sent funding application forms which will enable them to apply for BSSG funding (as we do on an annual basis). However, the Council is still waiting on official confirmation of the BSSG allocation.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

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tree forums and groups, the probation service for highways and sports clubs and organisations.						
FS/A007: Work with not for private- profit, voluntary and community organisations to deliver and shape local services and to encourage people to get more involved in their local communities.	31/03/2023	25%	Collaborative working through the Cost of Living Hub to develop the Council's Discretionary Scheme. Brought the Citizens' Advice Bureau into the discussions through a specific session at SLT	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A014: Utilise the findings from the Wellbeing Assessment to develop a robust evidence base and a new Public Service Board Wellbeing Plan.	31/03/2023	10%	Draft well-being objectives agreed and submitted to the Future Generations Commissioner. Futures workshop planned for July to be hosted by NRW and also a workshop with Cardiff PSB and the RPB to look at strategic priorities. Engagement plan being developed and structure for the Plan.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A015: Co-ordinate council-specific activity with the Vale Heroes group to maximise the availability of appropriate support and signposting to improve the outcomes of citizens and to enhance their wellbeing.	31/03/2023	25%	We have carried out some work with the 50+ forum to promote take up of entitlements, such as pension credits. Work is ongoing to further promote campaigns and signposting linked to the cost of living and older people entitlements.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A016: Work with Adult Services to develop a customer facing service to enable self-referral to universal services available via the Third Sector.	31/03/2023	25%	This work is to be completed as part pf the Phase 2 of the GovService implementation. Utilising Citizens Advice Bureau's Referent system to make referrals to and from council services and will be used to develop a proof of concept to be considered by the Vale Alliance and Wellbeing Matters Steering Groups.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
PB/A017: Undertake internal and external engagement to develop a new framework for the Council's relationship and work with the Third Sector.	31/03/2023	5%	Work with the third sector has not been progressed due to other constraints on the team. Work will be undertaken as part of the development of the Well-being Plan.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources

#### CP Commitment: 1.3 Develop our strong culture of good customer service aligned to the Council's values of being ambitious. Open, together and proud

Actions identified under Corporate Plan commitment 1.3 sit under ADP1 (ALN/A001- Maximise the use of digital methods including an updated website, information portal and social media to engage and communicate with schools and Vale citizens on matters relating to ALN and Well-being. SP/A001-Maximise the use of digital methods including an updated website, information portal and social media to engage and communicate with schools and Vale citizens. PB/A006- Work with partners through the Digital Inclusion Steering Group to address issues of digital inclusion across the Vale. PB/A007- Coordinate council-specific activity with the Vale Heroes group to maximise the impact of digital inclusion focused activity.) and ADP5 SL/A001- Implementing a new Digital Strategy, focusing on expanding online services and the range of digital methods used to engage and communicate with Vale of Glamorgan citizens, whilst reducing office space and travel. PB/A004- Deliver phase 2 of replacement CRM (including the use of GOV service platform) with a focus on transformation and service user design to improve customer and staff satisfaction. PB/A005- Involve our citizens in the development of services and how they are accessed to inform service design and delivery. PB/A008- Develop the Council's website to better reflect user experience and provide better content that is useful to our citizens.

CP Commitment: 1.4

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ADP7-Deliver year three of the Counci	l's Strategic Equ	uality Plan, achi	eve Age Friendly status for the Vale and progress wo	rk as part of nat	tional action a	round race and
sexual orientation and gender identity						
AS/A003: Contribute to the	31/03/2023	25%	The Dementia Friendly Vale website was launched	Green	Green	Healthy Living
development of Dementia Friendly			at the beginning of June 2022.			and Social
Communities.			VOG Comms will promote the DFV website on our			Care
			own networks. Chair of DFV to promote with local			
			social care providers. DFV network to link with Age			Corporate
			Friendly Vale network to take advantages of			Performance
			existing contacts to promote DFV across the local			and Resources
			businesses.			
AS/A004: Enhance equality of	31/03/2023	25%	Vale People First 'Citizen Panel' embedded into	Green		Corporate
opportunity and inclusivity by putting			new Letter of Understanding. The Citizen Panel			Performance
the voice of 'lived experience' at the			assists in monitoring our new supported living			and Resources

Promote equality of opportunity and work with the community to ensure we are responsive to the diverse needs of our customers

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centre of our approach in relation to engagement, participation, service development and recruitment.			contract through face to face and on-line meetings with people living in supported accommodation to gain their views and experiences and to see if the service specification is being met. The 'Citizen Panel' has also taken part in one round of LD social work interviews and is booked for interviews taking place in June. This has been thoroughly endorsed by the VPF Board. Using people with lived experience has also taken place in interviews for mental health social workers. In Mental Health representatives from the VLMHT are working with CAVAMH to look at how we can work with people with lived experience in further developing the Locality Model. Agreed that we will develop a Day Services Board with citizens being critical members of the Board. Exploring opportunities as to how we can develop this Board to ensure that citizens are adequately supported to participate and that we develop the Board and the future work programme with all members. Aim to hold first Board meeting in September 2022.			Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A004: Complete a review of key elements of Children and Young People Services paperwork to ensure its accessible and child friendly (includes assessments and care plans).	31/03/2023	25%	The WCCIS team have set up regular meetings with lead officers from CYPS to progress the review of paperwork and processes.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A029: Pilot a project to reduce social isolation and loneliness and develop an age friendly community in the Western Vale.	31/03/2023	25%	Annual report completed. Meeting with Welsh Government planned to summarise the outcomes at the end of year review on the 5th July. Next years funding still to be confirmed.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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						Corporate Performance and Resources
ALN/A006: Work in partnership with schools, Welsh Government and other partners including the third sector to ensure that school staff access the necessary professional learning and guidance to adopt a proactive approach to all forms of discrimination including issues such as peer-on-peer sexual harassment, including homophobic, biphobic and transphobic bullying and harassment, racism and body shaming.	31/03/2023	25%	A series of 1 day workshops facilitated by Barnardo's focussing on Harmful Sexual Behaviour (HSB) in school settings was delivered in May/June/July to over 100 school & Directorate staff. A workstream is underway to secure LA support for L&S Directorate to be Stonewall Children & Young Persons Champions, supporting the rights of LGBTQ+ learners, ensuring our policies and places of learning are welcoming and pay due attention to the needs of people of all protected characteristics.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources
ALN/A007: Work with schools to ensure pupils are happy, safe and free from discrimination with a focus on establishing effective processes to enable the collection, analysis and response to bullying data, including incidents involving vulnerable groups and protected groups.	31/03/2023	25%	Autumn 2021 saw the recording of bullying incidents on 'My Concern' and subsequent automation of this data collection via 'Clarity' this has allowed for far greater analysis and risk forecasting. It is anticipated by Spring 2023 we will have year on year comparable data which will help further in plotting trends, along with potential hotspots prediction. The data ensures that incidents of bullying / on-off prejudice incidents is captured for all protected characteristics.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources
SP/A005: Deliver and evaluate programmes and interventions aimed at addressing gaps in progress to make sure they have a positive impact on socio-economic disadvantage, disability, sex, race,	31/03/2023	25%	The Local Authority have provided all schools with a template to update their Strategic Equality Plan (SEP) which is aligned to the Council's Strategic Equality Plan. This SEP for schools will support them to demonstrate how they are evaluating their school based programmes and interventions	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance and Resources

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Children Looked After, young carers, other vulnerable groups and other protected characteristics.			aimed at addressing gaps in progress for vulnerable pupils.			
NS/A010: Improve accessibility for disabled residents by continuing to operate a Greenlinks adapted service for those with mobility issues,	31/03/2023	25%	This is on-going with drivers having undertaken the necessary training.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
ensuring drivers are fully trained to transport disabled passengers, and by working collaboratively with the over 50s forum, youth cabinet,						Environment and Regeneration
schools and all public transport buses to meet the Public Services Vehicle Accessibility Regulations.						Homes and Safe Communities
						Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A011: Develop and implement plans to promote our natural and built environment and cultural heritage, including accessibility to	31/03/2023	25%	On-going with bus shelter improvements part of any active travel or S106 scheme. To date nothing received on LTF funding to upgrade shelters throughout the VOG. However, WG officers have	Green		Environment and Regeneration
protected groups including raised bus shelter kerbs, new changing facilities, provision of beach buggies and interpretation boards.			agreed the funding request of £500k which is to be signed off by ministers.			Corporate Performance and Resources
HS/A006: Work in partnership with Cardiff City Council to contribute to the Council's participation in a regional Global Resettlement initiative to ensure that we are able to meet the needs of refugees.	31/03/2023	25%	Following discussions with Cardiff a proposal has been put forward to establish Vale specific resettlement project. Emergency powers have been used to approve the staff structure and a member of staff has been appointed on an acting up basis for six months. No further pledges have been made via the UKRS, ARAP programmes.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			However, confirmation received from UK Government that relocation of asylum seekers is going to be broadened from 4 hub areas to include all Local Authorities in Wales. Clear springs Ready Homes have met with Chief Officers to share details of their role (as appointed agent by the Home Office) and advice regarding processes.			
HR/A002: Take action to address barriers for protected groups, particularly disabled and young people, and create more opportunity for employment within the council.	31/03/2023	25%	Work was finalised in Q1 to support the Defence Employers Recognition Scheme application, we have now achieved the Gold Award. This ensures that we are supporting the armed forces group and their families in all the Council services including job opportunities. We also recently undertook a project as part of our Insight Cohort, looking at Disability, Recruitment and Working environment which will commence shortly.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A003: Improve lesbian, gay, bi, and trans inclusion in the workplace and measure progress through the Stonewall Workplace Equality Index every year.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council was advised in Q1 that we were ranked 190 in the Stonewall index and awarded a silver award (an improvement on 196th place in 2020). Discussions will take place over the coming months to review the scoring and look at further improvements. Currently drafting a transgender policy and will be reviewing best practice in terms of roll out.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A018: Implement the Race Equality Action Plan.	31/03/2023	15%	<ul> <li>Work continues on supporting raised awareness on race, sexual orientation and gender identity.</li> <li>We identified race awareness trainers and training content with the Diverse network with a view to piloting training sessions.</li> <li>We have attended a meeting discussing how local authorities in general need further clarity on their role and have begun planning to review how</li> </ul>	Amber		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			Services are involved in delivering the national			
			priorities.			
PB/A019: Support the implementation of 'Safe Space' discussions.	31/03/2023	25%	Following the Safe Space meeting in February, Equalities and HR have been working with the Diverse network to identify suitable trainers for the delivery of mandatory race awareness training and to agree how training can be tailored to meet different needs across the Council and schools. We have also met with the Communications Manager to discuss how the profile of ethnic minority colleagues can be raised using StaffNet to highlight profiles of a variety of individuals in different sorts of roles.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A020: Develop improved customer insight that includes protected groups and socially disadvantaged groups to inform service design, development and delivery.	31/03/2023	0%	The Equalities Team has not been involved in this work to date.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A021: Continue to progress the work programme in relation to the LGBTQ+ inclusion agenda including supporting the implementation of the Welsh Government's LGBTQ+ Action Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	We continue to use the Stonewall Workplace Equality Index to guide improvements in the way we work and to promote the inclusivity agenda.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A022: Continue to support and develop staff networks to support colleagues to improve inclusivity in the workplace and explore how they can inform future service design and delivery.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is ongoing to support the staff networks. Recent examples include working with Diverse to plan the implementation of action arising from the Safe Space meeting and working with GLAM on the Stonewall Workplace Equality Index and to plan for participation in Pride Cymru.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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PB/A023: Progress work in partnership with the PSB to achieve Age Friendly status for the Vale.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has continued to progress the age friendly vale application to achieve world health organisation age friendly status. Age friendly vale webpage continues to be regularly updated to show progress. Findings from the recent joint age friendly survey undertaken between the PSB and the 50+ forum have been shared internally and externally and will help to develop the future action plan.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A024: Support the review of building/ street names and monuments.	31/03/2023	10%	Work on the review of statues, monuments, street names and building names has continued internally, with research being undertaken associated with the Welsh Government's report. However, due to the timing of the election, the Panel have not met during the quarter. An update for Cabinet is being developed for consideration in Q2 and work is anticipated to recommence in Q2/3.	Red		Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A005: Consider the needs of protected groups when developing and implementing Regeneration and Economic Development strategies.	31/03/2023	25%	The Barry Growth Programme is currently being completed and it is hoped that it will be ready in September / October 2022. The scope of works specifically set this need out in the tender documentation.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
ADP9-Work in partnership as part of t and widow or widowers	he Armed Force	es Covenant to a	achieve gold standard for our support for members o	f the armed for	ces, veterans,	family members
FS/A010: Promote the support available under the Armed Forces Covenant with specific focus on housing and council tax benefits.	31/03/2023	25%	All staff are up to date with there Armed Forces training. We continue to disregard all War Pensions and Armed Forces compensation.	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources

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PB/A025: Promote the support available under the Armed Forces Covenant.	31/03/2023	40%	The Council has successfully met the criteria and has been awarded the Defence Employers Recognition Scheme Gold Award. A staff survey has been undertaken to identify staff with a connection with the armed forces family. 33 staff have been identified and further engagement work is planned for Q2. Following the confirmation of the Armed Forces Champion after the Council elections partnerships meetings are being scheduled with external organisations. In addition the Armed Forces Liaison Officer continues to support veterans and armed forces families in the vale of Glamorgan with a wide range of wellbeing issues.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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		Completion			Action RAG	RAG	Scrutiny	
		Date			status	Status	Committee	
CP Commitment: 1.5	Promote the use of the Welsh Language and contribute to the Welsh Government target of 1 million Welsh speakers by 2050.							

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ADP8-Increase the use of the Welsh La	anguage and en	hance Welsh La	nguage services through the delivery of the Council'	s new 5 year We	lsh Language	Promotion
Strategy and a new Welsh in Educatio	n Strategic Plan	(WESP).				
AS/A005: Build on the linguistic skills	31/03/2023	25%	Opportunities to learn or improve their Welsh	Green	Green	Learning and
of the Division to support roll out the			language skills continue to be available to staff			Culture
next stage of the Welsh Language			across our division, and staff are supported in or			
Strategy.			out of work time. The Directorate's lead officer			Corporate
			has also engaged the Council's Workforce			Performance
			Development Team and the Corporate Equalities			& Resources

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			Team in furthering actions to enhance local			
			implementation, alongside a Regional Forum.			
CS/A005: Build on the linguistic skills	31/03/2023	25%	Opportunities to learn or improve their Welsh	Green		Learning and
of the CYPS Division to support the			language skills continue to be available to staff			Culture
next phase of the Council's Welsh			across CYPS, and staff are supported in or out of			
Language Strategy.			work time. The Directorate's lead officer has also			Corporate
			engaged the Council's Workforce Development			Performance
			Team and the Corporate Equalities Team in			& Resources
			furthering actions to enhance local			
			implementation, alongside a Regional Forum.			
RMS/A013: Support the delivery of	31/03/2023	0%	Meetings with Corporate Welsh Language re	Red		Learning and
the delivery of the Council's 5-year			instated and agreement in place for joint working			Culture
Welsh language promotion Strategy			with OD, SS and Equalities going forward.			
alongside the 'More than just words'						Corporate
framework.						Performance
						& Resources
ALN/A008: In accordance with the	31/03/2023	25%	The review of Welsh medium is ongoing and is	Green		Learning and
WESP, review Welsh -medium ALN			informing the development of provision. A new			Culture
provision to evaluate sufficiency and			base for pupils on the autistic spectrum has been			
utilise findings to enhance provision			in development over the summer term and will			Corporate
as appropriate.			open in September for the start of the new term.			Performance
			Further work is being undertaken with a view of			& Resources
			developing a similar provision for Welsh medium			
			Primary schools.			
SP/A006: Work collaboratively to	31/03/2023	25%	CSC in conjunction with Cardiff University have	Green		Learning and
enhance provision through the			produced a new standardised Welsh reading test			Culture
medium of Welsh in line with our			for use with pupils from Years 1 to 11 in Welsh			
commitments in the Welsh in			medium schools. This new test was published			Corporate
Education Strategic Plan and the			during the summer term 2022 along with			Performance
requirements of the ALN & Education			associated professional learning. The test will			& Resources
Tribunal (Wales) Act.			support schools to accurately assess, plan support			
			and track progress of pupils' Welsh reading.			
			• Work ongoing in supporting the Welsh Language			

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			<ul> <li>Charter work. Since April 2022, 4 English medium schools have received the Cymraeg Campus</li> <li>Bronze Award, 1 the silver award and 2 the gold award. Overall totals at each award:</li> <li>Cymraeg Campus (English medium schools) - 14</li> <li>Bronze, 1 silver and 2 Gold</li> <li>Siarter laith (Welsh medium schools) - 2 Bronze and 5 silver.</li> <li>Welsh language development professional learning ongoing. Number of attendees during summer term 2020 from Vale schools: Part 1 -7;</li> </ul>			
SL/A009: Increase the use of the Welsh Language and enhance Welsh Language Services through a new 10- year Welsh in Education Strategic Plan (WESP).	31/03/2023	25%	Part 2 – 6, Part 3 – 1. Following positive feedback from Welsh government, a revised WESP was submitted this quarter. In addition, a grant bid for further funding of immersion services was submitted to build on the early success of our new Welsh Language Centre for primary pupils which opened in February 2022.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance & Resources
SL/A010: Extend the 'Learn Welsh' programme to Council staff and provide training and support to learn Welsh, promoting fast track courses, face to face and blended learning opportunities.	31/03/2023	25%	A new funding stream has been secured by the Learn Welsh Team and a full time Welsh tutor has been appointed for Vale staff	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance & Resources
PB/A026: Commence work on the Council's new 5-year Welsh Language Promotion Strategy and Action Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	The new 5 year Welsh Language Promotion Strategy was approved and published at the end of June. Work will start on implementing the actions.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance & Resources

CP Commitment: 1.6

Support the development and well-being of our staff and recognise their contribution to the work of the Council

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	and Employee	Development P	Programme with a particular focus on improving dive	rsity across the	workforce, pla	nning for the
future and staff well-being. ALN/A009: Keep staff well-being under review and provide continued support through occupational health and targeted corporate initiatives and training.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular meetings are held by managers with staff to monitor well-being. All Council initiatives to support well-being are shared with staff who are encouraged to participate. In order to support well-being, staff are consulted thoroughly on any changes to working models and individual circumstances are taken into consideration.	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
ALN/A010: Work with HR colleagues to address market forces issues impacting on recruitment and to consider pressures on recruitment due to short term grant funding and the age profile of the workforce.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular meetings are held with HR colleagues in order to address recruitment issues. Some work relating to succession planning has been undertaken but in relation to specialist posts this is challenging due to the small numbers of qualified staff. This is particularly the case in relation to recruiting Welsh speaking specialists.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
SP/A007: Keep staff well-being under review and provide continued support through occupational health and targeted corporate initiatives and training.	31/03/2023	25%	We work closely with colleagues in HR and follow advice relating to OH referrals and other appropriate support to ensure the wellbeing of our workforce.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
SL/A011: Contribute to the development of a Council-wide Well- being Strategy which supports employees to achieve their full potential and keep staff well-being under review.	31/03/2023	25%	Staff wellbeing is a permanent item of discussion at manager weekly one to one meeting within Strategy & Resources. All staff have been encouraged to take time to watch the Wellbeing webinar ideally as a team but also individually in order to ensure that any concerns about well- being are identified and supported early.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture

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SL/A012: Work with Colleagues in Human Resources & Organisational Development to establish approaches and practices which address the specific recruitment challenges of the service and support recruitment and development opportunities for a more diverse workforce.	31/03/2023	25%	Establishing and promoting school-specific categories as part of the Vale's staff awards; promoting staff work and achievements via comms, with a number of internal programmes of work/staff nominated for Vale awards, both internal and external, including the Sustainable Communities for Learning programme, for example.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
NS/A012: Work with the Neighbourhood Services and Transport HR Business Partner to implement a programme for succession planning in order to retain expertise and skills especially in business-critical areas for the long term, including participation in the Quick Start Scheme.	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
NS/A013: Promote and encourage staff involvement in directorate and corporate staff engagement and well- being initiatives and proactively support staff to work at home and in different ways.	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
NS/A014: Deliver a programme of in- house training so that current and future officers are equipped with the skills required to manage services of the future (specifically technical engineers and HGV drivers).	31/03/2023	25%	HGV motor vehicle fitter training to be undertaken in Q3. Due to COVID apprenticeships to also be extended until Dec 2022. This will mean both are fully qualified HGV motor vehicle fitters.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
HS/A008: Deliver the Housing and Building Services Big Conversation	31/03/2023	25%	Staff engagement survey is scheduled and the big conversation will follow after the analysis of	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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Staff Engagement Strategy promoting staff engagement and wellbeing.			results to address the issues identified through the staff survey.			Homes & Safe Communities
HS/A009: Further develop succession planning arrangements as part of the corporate succession plan pilot in order to retain expertise and skills especially in business-critical areas for the long term.	31/03/2023	25%	Restructures within service teams are being reviewed to accommodate improved succession planning.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
HS/A010: Contribute to the expansion of the Council's apprenticeship scheme by increasing the number of Housing & Building Services apprenticeship opportunities.	31/03/2023	25%	A number of apprentice places have created within the service and will be moved around the service to gain maximum experience of a range of service points.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
SRS/A005: Further develop a recruitment strategy together with retention initiatives to address professional skill gaps within the Shared Regulatory Service.	31/03/2023	25%	SRS has been instrumental in the development of the DPPW report 'Building for the Future' which seeks solutions to the recruitment crisis affecting Regulatory Services across Wales. Among the recommendations to Welsh Government are funded support for the training of new Environmental Health Officers and the creation of a Regulatory Compliance Officer type apprenticeship in Wales. This coupled with the SRS staff survey aimed at exploring the themes of recruitment, retention and wellbeing due to be conducted in Qtr 2, will be central themes for the development of a recruitment strategy and Workforce Development Plan.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes and Safe Communities
SRS/A006: Promote and encourage staff involvement in directorate and corporate staff engagement and well-	31/03/2023	25%	SRS has a series of initiatives in place such as match funded training, professional subscriptions, etc. and is engaged on a range of corporate	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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being initiatives and proactively support staff development in line with the new ways of working			programmes to support change within the Council. The Staff survey to be undertaken during Qtr 2 aimed at exploring the themes of recruitment, retention and wellbeing will inform future improvements.			Homes & Safe Communities
SRS/A007: Further develop succession planning arrangements as part of the corporate succession plan pilot in order to retain expertise and skills especially in business- critical areas for the long term	31/03/2023	25%	SRS is working with HR to develop further the succession planning programme initiated in 2020. The appointment of a new Head of Service and the interim appointment of an Operational Manager from the SRS structure demonstrate some of those arrangements. This approach will be developed further during 2022/23 in line with the principles set out in the DPPW report 'Building for the Future'	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes & Safe Communities
FS/A011: Promote and encourage staff involvement in directorate and corporate staff engagement and well- being initiatives and proactively support staff to work at home and in different ways.	31/03/2023	25%	Working arrangements are under continual review with the team still predominantly working from home.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A012: Further develop succession planning arrangements within the Finance Division as part of the corporate succession plan pilot in order to retain expertise and skills especially in business-critical areas for the long term.	31/03/2023	25%	A number of career development strategies are in place: 4 graduate trainee posts advertised and 2 recruited to in Audit. 1 graduate pout to ad in Accountancy Apprentice role being created in Procurement	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A013: Focus on up-skilling and developing flexibility in skill sets across all teams within the Finance Division and encourage take up of self-development opportunities.	31/03/2023	25%	There have been a number of promotions in the team in the first half the calendar year and members of the team are developing in these new roles with appropriate support in place. A more formal assessment will be undertaken as part of	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			the performance review/objective setting process in guarter 2.			
HR/A004: Develop and implement a new Employee Engagement Strategy, including refreshing ongoing development of the Culture Book.	31/03/2023	25%	Work on the employment and attraction strategy has been finalised and is ready for consultation. The 2022 Staff survey is currently available online with closing date of 8th Aug, and following feedback from this, we will put together a new engagement strategy following the Big Conversation 3. We are also reviewing the ongoing development of the culture book.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A005: Progress actions as part of the Council's People Strategy to address where possible issues relating to gender and ethnic minorities pay gaps.	31/03/2023	25%	The Workforce Plan will be finalised in early 2022/23. A number of additional strategies will support the overall plan, which includes Hybrid Working, Recruitment and Retention and the People Strategy, which will be going to Cabinet after the Summer recess.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A006: Promote employment opportunities in a way that challenges gender stereotypes.	31/03/2023	25%	This will be developed as part of the Attraction Strategy in A004 and reviewed at DMT and as part of the BP dashboard.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A007: Review, enhance and embed our approach to workforce planning to inform key plans as aligned to the Council's Performance Management Framework and the Reshaping Programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Continue to support the work in relation to Stonewall (A003) and the Attraction Strategy in A004	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A008: Deliver year 1 priorities of the Employee Attraction Strategy 2022-25.	31/03/2023	25%	The attraction strategy continues to be developed in Q1. See above - all policies will be going to Cabinet following the Summer Recess	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A009: Undertake a pay grading review of all job descriptions to address emerging issues around parity in pay.	31/03/2023	25%	A review of the pay and grading structure commenced in Q1 with meetings with Heads of Service to take place during Q2 and Q3. The Council will consider the review of Job descriptions at a later date.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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HR/A010: Implement a Volunteering Strategy as part of the Well-being Strategy and work in partnership with the Public Services Board to implement the Move More, Eat Well Plan with a focus on workplace settings.	31/03/2023	25%	Volunteer Strategy going to Cabinet following the Summer Recess	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A011: Review the HR business partner structure and streamline services to ensure it remains fit for purpose.	31/03/2023	25%	Ongoing and there has been some change following additional funds from Whitmore and Pencoedtre Schools	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A006: Work with colleagues in HR and OD to further develop succession planning arrangements in Legal and Democratic Services in order to retain expertise and skills especially in business-critical areas for the long term.	31/03/2023	25%	On-going from 2022/23 and embedded within the department. Identification of key roles, with a review of LS structures under consideration/action.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A007: Focus on up-skilling and developing flexibility in skill sets across all teams and encourage take up of self-development opportunities.	31/03/2023	25%	On-going throughout 22/23 and embedded within the operational management of the LS team, demonstrated by the focus on development, opportunity, coaching, shadowing, and team working, despite the challenges posed by remote working.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
LD/A008: Promote and encourage staff involvement in directorate and corporate staff engagement and well- being initiatives and proactively support staff to work at home and in different ways.	31/03/2023	25%	Undertaken in line with the Corporate initiative.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture

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LD/A009: Deliver workforce planning with a focus on alternative service delivery and workforce implications ensuring reliance on small numbers of key staff is managed effectively.	31/03/2023	25%	Embedded within the department and on-going from 2022/23, with a focus on alternative models, smarter, digital working, and measures/action taken where necessary to ensure resilience with key members of the team.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning & Culture
PB/A027: Work with HR and OD colleagues to develop an external/internal attraction campaign for the division.	31/03/2023	25%	The Communications Team have continued to support HR colleagues in the redesign of the Council's jobs section of the website and on specific, targeted digital campaigns for different job roles. Work to support the project within Social Services to attract and recruit social care staff in Children's Services has also continued.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A028: Undertake a review of the Policy & Business Transformation structure in the context of the creation of a new Director of Resources.	31/03/2023	25%	Work to understand the future direction and resource pressures within the Policy & Business Transformation service has been undertaken so as to inform proposals for any structural changes that will be required. Work will continue in quarters two and three to refine proposals, with any formal changes to the structure being subject to the appropriate HR processes.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A007: Further develop succession planning arrangements by exploring options within hard to recruit areas in Regeneration Services through the development of career pathways and continuing to recruit and retain year- out students in Planning services.	31/03/2023	25%	Continuing to recruit year out students. Current students contracts extended part time alongside university studies. Regional discussion on scope for planning apprenticeships with POSW. Increased social media publicity of jobs to improve recruitment in hard to recruit areas. Review and modify S106 Officer JD and Person Spec to appeal to a wider audience. BC support staff member is being supported to complete BC officer qualification. Several new positions within regeneration have been created - Community Connectors and	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment & Regeneration

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			Regeneration Officers that will improve career pathways to more senior positions. "			
RP/A008: Continue to enhance the Management Development Programme in Regeneration Services so that current and future managers are equipped with the skills required to manage services of the future.	31/03/2023	25%	Staff are offered training on a regular basis and several gaps have been identified for group training in light of changes in legislation such as subsidy control.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment & Regeneration
RP/A009: Promote and encourage staff involvement in directorate and corporate staff engagement and well- being initiatives and proactively support staff to work at home and in different ways.	31/03/2023	25%	Staff encouraged to attend and engage with corporate and wellbeing initiatives e.g. yoga / staff awards / staff survey and all staff supported to work at home where possible to support work-life balance. Hybrid working has proven to be a success in Regeneration with teams coming into work mainly to work collaboratively on projects rather than as individuals. Most teams will agree working patters where everyone is in the office on one day which works well for the management team as meetings and other meetings can be arranged around this. Moving forward it will be vital that when desks are made available in other buildings, that banks of desks and space for collaboration can be booked to enable this to continue.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment & Regeneration

CP Commitment: 1.7	Ensure we have robust governance and scrutiny arrangements in place and support our elected members to fulfil their roles.

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	of the Local Go	vernment and E	lections (Wales) Act 2021 including supporting the in	troduction of C	orporate Joint	Committees
and embedding new arrangements. FS/A014: Safeguard the Council's assets and interests by complying with the National Fraud Initiative and implementing the Council's Fraud action Plan.	31/03/2023	50%	The Counter Fraud Strategy Action Plan includes progress on the NFI. Good progress has been made on the action plan(over 60% of the actions completed) as well as the NFI matches. The potential risk relates to staffing pressures in the Revenues and Creditors Teams to deal with the matches identified by the Investigations Officer for further examination and action	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A015: Review investment proposals and review existing arrangements in the context of general power of competence for Local Authorities.	31/03/2023	25%	The Governance arrangements for the Council's Investment Strategy are under development and will be put in place in Quarter 2, also covered below. Additionally reviewing tax arrangements of existing accompanies.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A005: Provide advice on whether the development of policy and practice has shown due regard to the socio-economic duty prior to clearance of reports.	31/03/2023	25%	Advise is provided by Is on an ongoing basis as required, in respect of all cabinet and committee reports received by committee reports mailbox.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Learning and
LD/A010: Continue the review following the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 to further embed Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021 requirements	31/03/2023	50%	Action Plan continuing to be progressed with various elements having been implemented to date. A significant amount of the Acts provisions were required to be implemented by 5th May, 2022 and have already been embedded in the Council Constitution. Further statutory guidance is awaited in the Autumn 2022 from Welsh Government.	Green		Culture Corporate Performance and Resources
LD/A011: Publish a revised Council Constitution and corresponding guide in line with the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021.	31/03/2023	100%	Addressed prior to the Local Government Elections in May 2022 to meet the statutory deadline for the introduction of a Guide to the Constitution to be published by 5 May 2022. A further review is	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			pending of both the Constitution and the Guide to			
			the Constitution following the publication of Welsh			
			Government guidance, statutory guidance and			
			Direction relating to the same which is anticipated			
			in Autumn 2022. The Council fed into the Welsh			
			Government consultation which closed on 22 July 2022.			
LD/A013: Report on the number of	31/03/2023	25%	Nil - The figure relates to the number of RIPA cases	Green	-	Corporate
'covert surveillance' undertaken by			undertaken accordingly the figure of nil does not			Performance
, the Council pursuant to the			represent any failure on the authority. The			and Resources
Regulation of Investigatory Powers			expectation with RIPA is they should only be			
Act 2000.			undertaken if there is no alternative.			
LD/A014: Deliver Canvass for 2022.	31/03/2023	25%	The preparation for canvass commenced late Q1,	Green	-	Corporate
			whereby 62,276 properties were sent to the			Performance
			Cabinet Office for data matching. The results of			and Resources
			the data matching were as follows:			
			48,167 properties were sent down Route 1 – this			
			means that no response is needed from the			
			property should the data still remain the same.			
			14,109 properties were sent down Route 2 – these			
			properties would have to respond to their canvass			
			form by 22 August 2022.			
			180 properties were sent down Route 3 – these			
			properties are residential care homes and houses			
			of multiple occupancy.			
			The process will commence at the beginning of Q2			
PB/A029: Respond to the	31/03/2023	25%	In developing our performance arrangements for	Green		Corporate
requirements of the Local			2022/23, we have considered the requirements of			Performance
Government Act by developing and			the Act and have taken action to strengthen our			and Resources
delivering our approach to the self-			existing arrangements, which are a key means of			
assessment process and delivering			meeting our performance duties. We have			
key priorities within the Local			increased opportunities for performance challenge			
Government Act Action Plan.			internally and externally throughout the annual			

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			performance calendar as well as developing our			
			internal 'insight' throughout the year alongside			
			governance related insights to inform decisions.			
			Taking this approach will enable us to demonstrate			
			a robust evidence base for the self-assessment			
			conclusions whilst driving continuous			
			improvement through our enhanced			
			arrangements.			
			During the quarter, Performance partners have			
			worked with Directors to complete Directorate			
			level Self-Assessments. These position statements			
			outline how well directorate services are utilising			
			resources (people, finance, assets, performance			
			and risk management, engagement and insight) to			
			deliver their priorities as aligned to the Annual			
			Delivery Plan and the Corporate Plan Well-being			
			Objectives. The findings of the self-assessments			
			have been subject to an internal peer 'critical			
			friend' challenge involving a Presenting Director,			
			Peer Director, Cabinet member(s) and relevant			
			Scrutiny Committee Chair(s). All Directorate self-			
			assessment ratings were also subject to a further			
			moderation exercise involving the Executive			
			Leader of the Council, Chief Executive and Director			
			of Corporate Resources to ensure consistency of			
			approach. The finding have been aggregated to			
			inform our judgements at a Council level of how			
			well we are using our resources to achieve our			
			Well-being Objectives and will inform our areas for			
			improvement. A public consultation exercise will			
			be undertaken during August-September to sense-			

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			check our self-assessment performance judgements and will inform our final conclusions.			
PB/A030: Undertake a review of our first year of applying the Local Government Act in producing a Self- Assessment in order to apply lessons learnt and strengthen our approach for future years.	31/03/2023	25%	Following completion of the Directorate Self- Assessment, Performance Partners have requested feedback regarding the approach and what had worked well/not so well. This feedback alongside those informed by the learning and any identified best practice from colleagues across Wales will be used to inform next year's approach. Alongside the above, we are also working collaboratively with elected members to further strengthen how they work together to support effective challenge and continuous improvement through a series of member workshops aligned to the Annual Performance Calendar. A member workshop on the Annual Self-Assessment Approach has been recently undertaken and the feedback is being reviewed. This will inform how the self-assessment findings are presented to members for their scrutiny.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A031: Work with Data Cymru to develop a core data set to ensure compliance with the performance requirements of the Local Government Act and enable benchmarking against other local authorities.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is progressing with Data Cymru to develop a national self-assessment core dataset which will help inform and strengthen annual self- assessment process. In the interim, we continue to assess our performance by using local trend data and other service data insights where available.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A032: Revise the Council's Risk Management Strategy and approach to strengthening how we identify, monitor, manage and report risks across the Council.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has already commenced in reviewing the Council's approach to risk management and reporting informed by internal audit review findings. In line with the project brief, a review of best practice arrangements across the public sector is already underway to help inform the	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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			review. Additionally, a collaborative approach is being taken involving elected members in the review process, which will help inform the monitoring and reporting of risk across the Council.			
PB/A033: Enhance our approach to how we co-ordinate and support the Council's regulatory programme to ensure we are responsive and can evidence how we address areas of improvement.	31/03/2023	25%	There is a protocol in place for supporting regulatory work across the Council. To ensure consistency of application, this has recently been re-circulated to SLT and directorate colleagues to ensure the Insight tracker, our key means of monitoring regulatory work, is up to date and evidences the most recent progress in relation to our regulatory areas for improvement. We continue to monitor progress regularly via SLT, Governance & Audit Committee and Cabinet. The most recent Insight tracker is also appended to performance monitoring reports to all Scrutiny Committees each quarter.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A034: In line with the Local Government Act, develop our approach to how we communicate performance data and information with our citizens to improve engagement and understanding to inform service improvements.	31/03/2023	25%	The Annual Self-Assessment consultation has gone live. Engagement with the public will help shape the Annual Delivery Plan 2023-24. The findings from the consultation will feature in the Annual Self-Assessment report due to be published in November 2022. This work is line with our Public participation Strategy.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
RP/A006: Following the implementation of the Local Government and Elections (Wales) Act 2021, work with the Cardiff Capital Region to reach agreement and progress a Corporate Joint Committee for the Cardiff Capital Region.	31/03/2023	25%	Work continues to progress with CCR to deliver Corporate Joint Committee in the required legal timescales	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment & Regeneration

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	Completion			Action RAG RAG		Scrutiny
	Date			status	Status	Committee
ADP11- Develop and deliver a compre	hensive induction	on programme,	training and support for members following the 202	2 local governm	ent elections.	
LD/A012: Ensure the delivery of a	31/03/2023	25%	The Member Development Induction Programme	Green	Green	Corporate
comprehensive induction			has been agreed by Cabinet in readiness for			Performance
programme, training and support for			implementation. Following the recent LG Elections			and Resources
members following the 2022 local			the new cohort of Members and Co - Opted			
government elections.			Members have started to be inducted.			

## **APPENDIX 2: Performance Indicators**

Well-being Objective 1: To work with and for our communities

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/001: Average daily reach of Vale of Glamorgan Life Facebook page	9,347	3,182	8,000	Amber	Ŷ	The two main social media channels continue to consistently engage large numbers of residents in news and information about the Vale of Glamorgan Council. There is considerable variation between posts.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/002: Average daily impressions achieved by @VOGCouncil Twitter account	12,300	5,100	10,000	Red	$\checkmark$	The two main social media channels continue to consistently engage large numbers of residents in news and information about the Vale of Glamorgan Council. There is considerable variation between posts.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/005: The number of contacts for adults received by statutory Social Services during the year.	No update provided	2496	No Target	N/A	N/A	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/006: The number of contacts for children received by statutory Social Services during the year. Of those identified: the number where advice and assistance was provided.	699	234	No Target	N/A	<b>↓</b>	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/118: Percentage of Annual canvass returns (including secondary checks).	No update provided	No figures provided	9	N/A	N/A	The preparation for canvass commenced late Q1, whereby 62,276 properties were sent to the Cabinet Office for data matching. The results of the data matching were as follows: 48,167 properties were sent down Route 1 – this means that no response is needed from the property should the data still remain the same. 14,109 properties were sent down	Corporate Performance & Resources

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						Route 2 – these properties would have to respond to their canvass form by 22 August 2022. 180 properties were sent down Route 3 – these properties are residential care homes and houses of multiple occupancy. The process will commence at the beginning of Q2. Whether we reach the target wont be known until Q3.	
CPM/007: Spend against approved Council revenue programme.	100.75%	100.2%	25%	Green	Ϋ́	There is currently an overspend projected for the year as reported to Cabinet on 21st July 2022	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/008: Spend against approved Council capital programme.	30.6%	22%	25%	Red	Ŷ	Inflationary Costs and Professional Skill shortages impacting delivery of programme although a significant proportion of schools schemes will be undertaken over summer months.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/009: Performance against savings targets.	60%	30%	25%	Green	$\checkmark$	Services are working to identify savings and will report as part of next monitoring.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/011: The number of adults who paid the maximum weekly charge towards the cost of care or support for carers during the year						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy living & Social Care
CPM/012: The number of adults who paid the flat-rate charge for care and support or support for carers during the year						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy living & Social Care
CPM/013: The total number of adults who were charged for care and support						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/014: The percentage of customers who are satisfied with access to services across all channels.	No data available	No update provided	No Target	N/A	N/A	No update provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/015: Customer enquiries to C1V resolved at first contact.	89.6%	87.1%	80%	Green	Ŷ	Based on transactions recorded on CRM. Further work is being undertaken as part of the GovService platform implementation to develop PowerBI reports using data from all systems used by Customer Relations	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/016: Percentage of Corporate complaints dealt with within target timescales.	62.9%	63.7%	75%	Red	<b>↑</b>	Performance in Q1 is in line with performance during 2021/22. In Quarter 2 the recording of complaints will move from Oracle CRM to GovService. This will provide functionality to send automated notifications to complaint owners to remind them of resolution dates. In addition, it will be possible to "stop the clock" on complaints when there is a delay in investigation when waiting for information from the complainant. It is anticipated that this will help to improve the percentage of complaints resolved within time scales.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/017: Number of Ombudsman complaints upheld against the Council (including Social Services).	0	0	5	Green	$\leftrightarrow$	No PSOW complaints have been upheld against the Council during Quarter 1.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/020: The number of contacts for adults received by statutory Social Services during the year.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/021: The number of contacts for children received by statutory Social Services during the year. Of those						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
identified: the number where advice and assistance was provided							
CPM/024: (PAM/046)) Percentage of Year 11 leavers known not to be in education, training or employment (NEET).						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/023: Percentage of Young people leaving year 13 who are not in education, employment or training.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/026: The total number of children during the year who received the "Active Offer" of advocacy						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/119: Number of people registered to vote anonymously	No update provided	14	15	Amber	N/A	No commentary provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/120: Number of passenger journeys undertaken on the Greenlinks service	584	1363	No Target	N/A	1	No of journeys have increased since last year. Groups are now using the service again.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/121: Number of members who used the community transport service over the year	63	125	No Target	N/A	1	Cumulative total of number of people who have used since April 2022	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/027: Percentage of Council staff completing Welsh language awareness training or taster sessions to increase the numbers of Welsh language speakers in the Council.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture Corporate Resources & Performance
CPM/028: Number of adult Welsh learners.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
							Corporate Resources & Performance
CPM/029: (PAM/001) The number of working days/shifts per fulltime equivalent (FTE) local authority employee lost due to sickness absence.	2.63	2.84	2.33	Red	$\downarrow$	No commentary provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/030: Employee turnover (voluntary).	1.55%	1.91%	7.50%	Green	$\downarrow$	No commentary provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/031: Percentage of staff appraisals completed.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/032: The number of working days/shifts per full time equivalent (FTE) local authority employee lost due to short term sickness absence.	0.54	0.71	No Target	N/A	$\downarrow$	No commentary provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/033: The number of working days/shifts per full time equivalent (FTE) local authority employee lost due to long term sickness absence.	2.09	2.13	No Target	N/A	+	No commentary provided	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/122: Percentage of cabinet items with scrutiny input.						This performance indicator is monitored annually	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/123: Percentage of scrutiny recommendations agreed by cabinet.						This performance indicator is monitored annually	Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/124: The percentage of Scrutiny Members who state the Scrutiny Committees have had a positive impact on the work of the Council following Scrutiny involvement.						This performance indicator is monitored annually	Corporate Performance & Resources

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/138: Percentage of engagement						This performance indicator is monitored	Corporate
index as part of our staff survey						annually	Performance
							& Resources

## **APPENDIX 1: Service Plan Actions contributing to this Well-being Objective**

Well-being Objective 2: To Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth

	insure there is appro possible outcomes w	•	quality early years nursery and education provision e.	enabling peopl	e to achieve tl	neir best		
Service Plan Actions	In Year	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan	ADP Action	Relevant		
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	Date			status	Status	Committee		
ADP13- Work in partnership with	the Central South Co	onsortium Joint	Education Service to prepare our schools for the intr	oduction of the	new educatio	on curriculum in		
2022 recognising the impacts of COVID-19 measures on continuity of learning and the well-being of learners and school-based staff.								
ALN/A011: Support the developm	ent 31/03/2023	25%	Following consultations with stakeholders	Green	Green	Learning and		

ALN/A011: Support the development	31/03/2023	25%	Following consultations with stakeholders	Green	Green	Learning and
and sustainability of the childcare			including parents, childcare providers and partner			Culture
market by building on the findings of			organisations, a DRAFT Childcare Sufficiency			
the Childcare Sufficiency Assessment.			Assessment (CSA) has been prepared and is			
			currently out for public consultation. The			
			document details 7 key actions to take forward.			
			The Action Plan will address and monitor financial			
			support not only for local parents/carers but for			
			the childcare sector to remain a sustainable and			
			viable business. Options of financial support will			
			be communicated through the Family Information			
			Service, Jobcentre Plus (JCP) and PaCE partners.			
			These include Welsh Government initiatives such			
			as the Childcare Offer for Wales, Child			
			Development fund and the 2 year old childcare			
			funding offer for the childcare sector, universal			
			credit and other sources via JCP and PaCE. The			
			local authority will also seek to roll out a series of			
			grants to support childcare providers from the			
			autumn term 2022.			
			Local Authority officers will continue to work in			
			partnership with the childcare sector regarding			

In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
Date 31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>their ability to offer more opportunities for flexible childcare; increase childcare places for extension to Childcare Offer for Wales and 2 year old funding including increasing Welsh Medium childcare and support for children with additional learning needs. Retention within the current childcare workforce and recruitment of new staff continues to be a challenge. Local Authority officers, will continue to support the sector by working in partnership with providers and key stakeholders including local secondary schools, Further Education establishments and training partners as part of their ongoing commitment.</li> <li>Improvement Partners (IPs) providing ongoing support for schools in relation to the process of adopting their curriculum and assessment arrangements and development and publishing of curriculum summary statements</li> <li>IPs currently developing Curriculum for Wales</li> </ul>	Green	Status	Learning and Culture
31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>(CfW) commentary to ensure accurate understanding of the position of every school's roll-out.</li> <li>Successful CfW conference held 29 June 2022 - 57 participants engaged from Vale schools.</li> <li>Support has been scoped and delivered during this summer term to both primary and secondary schools in the St Cyres, Stanwell, Pencoedtre, Ysgol Gymraeg Bro Morgannwg clusters, as well as to the primary schools in the Cowbridge cluster.</li> <li>CSC professional learning (PL) offer in place for the autumn term. PL offer is continually updated</li> </ul>	Green		Learning and Culture
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and high-quality professional learning opportunities.			<ul> <li>needs. It includes events, programmes and networks, and is a blend of in person and e- learning, live and on demand.</li> <li>Participation of Vale schools in funded projects in the process of being finalised. Initial involvement includes 17 schools across 25 projects.</li> </ul>			
SP/A010: Work with the Central South Consortium Joint Education Service to ensure schools, particularly in the primary sector, receive appropriate professional learning and support to enable children and young people identified as more able and talented children reach their potential.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>The CSC document Enabling Equity and Excellence focuses on meeting the needs of all learners, including more able and talented (MAT) pupils. Therefore, embedded in CSC's professional learning and support for curriculum and teaching is considering the needs of all learners, including MAT pupils.</li> <li>The cross-regional MAT group published a <u>document</u> to support schools in the developing their curriculum focused on leadership and provision for MAT pupils.</li> </ul>	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A011: Review arrangements for supporting post 16 education provision in the Vale of Glamorgan.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>Increase engagement in Post 16 CSC</li> <li>Professional learning and network meetings e.g.</li> <li>Heads of Sixth Network Meetings (5 Vale schools),</li> <li>Alps Connect training (4 staff members)</li> <li>Engagement by St Cyres in the</li> <li>development of resources as part of the tutorial</li> <li>project and subject transition project. Resources</li> <li>currently being finalised prior to being made</li> <li>available to other schools.</li> <li>Bespoke support in place for schools.</li> <li>Work with two schools has resulted to the</li> <li>introduction of new registration monitoring</li> <li>processes to improve monitoring and tracking of</li> </ul>	Green		Learning and Culture

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ALN/A013: Develop a shared understanding between the Health Board and LAs for identifying and supporting the needs of learners with ALN (0-25).	31/03/2023	25%	Meetings continue with Health to ensure a joint understanding of legislation moving forward. Health colleagues attend ALNCO training days to share information about their developing services.	Green		Learning and Culture
ALN/A014: Work with third sector partners to further develop the School and Community Based Counselling service for vulnerable children, young people and families, seeking to expand the offer to provide both primary and digital offers.	31/03/2023	25%	Following a full commissioning process Barnardo's won the new School and Community Based Counselling service, the new model started in June 2022. Reporting periods for SBC services are done termly so Q1 is restricted in what data is available. 4 therapists have been employed to deliver therapeutic interventions to primary aged children. Individuals are working between 1 and 3 days per week. A therapy room is under development within the CEC. Luna Play has been commissioned to deliver therapeutic play work in 4 primary schools. Summer term they have provided 2 days in Oakfield and Cadoxton and run a therapeutic intervention programme for parents. These will be reviewed over the Autumn term. Progress has also been made to offer one day therapy in St Athan and Holton primaries. Barnardo's are running Bounce Back across two secondary schools during the summer term. Evaluation due August 2022.Thisnwill explore the impact of lower level intervention on counselling waiting lists.	Green		Learning and Culture
ALN/A015: Utilise the Children and Communities Grant to target interventions to support children,	31/03/2023	25%	CCG continues to fund a wide variety of C&YP services. WG extended early help funds for 2022/23 to support early intervention activities.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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young people and their families ensuring that services respond to demand and have a positive impact on socio-economic disadvantage and other protected groups.	Date		<ul> <li>This has supported additional mentoring services for children, a project to support children who have experienced domestic abuse and a family support course for those who have also experienced DV, plus the delivery of a course focussed on families with late diagnoses of ASD.</li> <li>Funding for these projects to continue have been agreed by WG for 2022/23. Both Flying Start and Families First projects also saw staffing increases. All projects continue to report regularly and delivering what is expected.</li> <li>Close working with WG has ensured that connectivity with their future plans continue to complement existing CCG projects/programmes in the LA ensuring no duplication.</li> <li>Childcare Development Fund (CDF) continues to be jointly managed across 2 CCG project leads to ensure it compliments existing childcare services, with a focus on children with developmental delay and learning difficulties.</li> <li>Plans for the role out of the 2 year old Childcare Fund have been accepted and placements will be initiated from September.</li> <li>The Out of court Disposal has been connected</li> </ul>	status	Status	Committee
			into the shared FF/FS parenting service forming part of/or directly complement existing CCG programme going forward.			

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			Monitoring has been ongoing and FF RBA report cards are due early July 2023 and will reflect the progress and impact of services. The Summer of Fun funds have been confirmed and officers have ensured a comprehensive offer for Summer 2022 advertised on the FIS and Council website.			
ALN/A016: Work with the Central South Consortium Joint Education Service to ensure schools receive appropriate and high quality support to enable them to deliver an effective Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE) curriculum which provides authentic and appropriate learning opportunities for children and young people.	31/03/2023	25%	The Central South Consortium are leading on this curriculum development and are working with schools to ensure readiness for the introduction of RSE in September 2022. A conference for school on RSE is being held in September 2022 which will focus on providing key messages and support to schools to support the effective implementation of this curriculum.	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A012: Work with the Central South Consortium Joint Education Service to ensure schools receive appropriate and high quality support to enable them to deliver an effective Relationships and Sexuality Education (RSE) curriculum which provides authentic and appropriate learning opportunities for children and young people.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>Valuable resources created to support schools with the mapping of RSE         <ul> <li><u>RSE Code and Phases</u></li> <li><u>Mapping for the future</u></li> <li>Keynote from Prof. E.J Renold on RSE part of the Curriculum for Wales summer conference for schools as well as RSE booth with access to resources.</li> <li>RSE conference, planned for June 29th, postponed until 29 September 2022.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	Green		Learning and Culture
SP/A013: Work across our schools and youth services to meet the needs and respond to the social, emotional and mental health difficulties of children and young people including work on	31/03/2023	25%	Work is underway to draft a Social Emotional and Mental Health policy for the directorate and schools which is constructed with professionals and young people. A scoping exercise has also been commenced to consider how schools are	Green		Learning and Culture

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trauma informed approaches and the			progressing with the whole school approach as			
Whole School Approach to Mental			well as developing actions in light of participating			
Health and Well-being.			in Perform and Grow. The Barry and Penarth			
			clusters have both undertaken this and the rural			
			Vale are about to embark upon the sessions.			

## CP Commitment: 2.2

Invest in our schools to provide the right learning environment for the 21<sup>st</sup> century and facilities which benefit the wider community.

Service Plan Actions	In Year	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan	ADP Action	Relevant
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ADP17- Deliver 21st Century Schools P	rogramme imp	rovements (Bar	nd B) including the expansion of Ysgol Y Deri, a new s	chool building a	t St Nicholas,	expansion of
primary school capacity in Cowbridge,	expansion of V	Velsh language	primary school provision in Barry, the development o	of a Centre of Le	arning and Wo	ell-being.
ALN/A017: Continue to work with	31/03/2023	25%	There is a close working relationship between ALN	Green	Green	Environment
colleagues delivering the 21st			officers and colleagues form 21st century schools.			and
Century Schools Programme to			A specialist resource base opened recently at			Regeneration
develop provision for ALN to meet			Whitmore High School which was planned as part			_
current and projected need. This will			of the school build. New projects are also in place			
include projects such as the			which will see the building of new schools for			Learning and
expansion of Ysgol y Deri.			children and young people with ALN.			Culture
SL/A013: Deliver 21st Century	31/03/2023	25%	Delivery of Band B projects has remained on track	Green	-	Environment
Schools Programme improvements			in terms of the overall programme which ends in			and
(Band B) including the expansion of			2026.			Regeneration
Ysgol Y Deri, a new school building at			In terms of 2022/23 the following school buildings			
St Nicholas, expansion of primary			are under construction:			Learning and
school capacity in Cowbridge,			<ul> <li>Ysgol Sant Baruc (Barry Waterfront) –</li> </ul>			Culture
expansion of Welsh language primary			Complete in January 2023.			
school provision in Barry, the						

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
development of a Centre of Learning and Well-being.			<ul> <li>Cowbridge Primary Provision (Phase 1) – Construction Start May 2022, completion August 2023.</li> <li>CLWB – Construction Start May 2022, completion August 2023.</li> <li>The following projects have yet to start onsite:         <ul> <li>St Nicholas CiW School – planning approval April 2022. Construction start in September 2022 (reliant on SAB approval) completion August 2023.</li> <li>Ysgol Y Deri – planning approval September 2022. Construction Start October / November 2022, completion October 2023.</li> <li>One project, Nursery provision in Penarth has been discontinued due to project not being feasible following further investigation.</li> </ul> </li> <li>It is considered based upon the available information: the remaining Pand P projects will be</li> </ul>			
			• Ysgol Y Deri – planning approval September 2022. Construction Start October / November 2022, completion October 2023. One project, Nursery provision in Penarth has been discontinued due to project not being feasible following further investigation.			

CP Commitment: 2.3 Work with schools, families and others to improve the services and support for those with additional learning needs.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG	ADP Action RAG	Relevant Scrutiny
	Date			status	Status	Committee
ADP15- Provide training and support t	o schools to fac	ilitate the phase	sed implementation of Additional Learning Needs (A	LN) reform.		•
ALN/A018: Develop consistency of practice in the production of high- quality individual development plans (IDPs) and the corresponding arrangements necessary for monitoring and reviewing their impact on learner progress.	31/03/2023	25%	Quality Insuring procedures have been set up for the QA of school IDPs, . Continuing training and development of Cluster Lead IDP champions within schools to maintain and develop this area have been set up. Further development of QA of LA IDPs is being developed	Green	Green	Learning and Culture

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ALN/A019: Further develop arrangements between the LA and its delivery partners for keeping under review the quality and sufficiency of additional learning provision to meet the current and future needs of its population of learners with ALN.	31/03/2023	25%	Training for the use and development of school provision maps to plan for school delivery of ALPs has begun in order to review and monitor provision for pupils with ALN. LA arrangements for to review the quality and sufficiency of LA ALPs are begin developed through the use of the ONE system. Further work with external partners will be developed on an individual basis where needed.	Green		Learning and Culture
ALN/A020: Implement a training programme for central education staff in order to ensure readiness for the ALNET Act from September 2022/23.	31/03/2023	25%	Training for Central Education staff is ongoing around the requirements of the ALNET. Further training around the legal requirements and implementation will be needed. Regular IDP sessions have been well attended by central staff. Ongoing peer training around day to day implementation is scheduled on a needs led basis.	Green		Learning and Culture

CP Commitment: 2.4	Work with education, training providers, businesses and other agencies to provide a range of advice, support and training
	opportunities which improve people's skills and readiness for work.

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ADP16- Work in partnership with the	Central South C	Consortium Join	t Education Service to support our schools to minimis	e exclusions an	d enhance atte	endance whilst
recognising the impacts of COVID-19.						
SP/A014: Work in partnership with	31/03/2023	25%	Attendance remains a concern post covid	Green	Green	Learning and
the Central South Consortium Joint			especially at secondary level but we have now			Culture
Education Service to support our			appointed and are inducting 6 new officers to work			
schools to minimise exclusions and			from September 20223 as an interim tier of			
enhance attendance whilst			support for attendance as LEOS – engagement and			
recognising the impacts of COVID-19.			attendance liaison officers. These posts will be part			
			of the inclusion team but will work in schools and			
			in the home to support attendance. This will then			

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			create an early intervention tier of support and enable inclusion officers to focus on more entrenched cases and where penal measures may be needed now that this is again endorsed in extreme cases by WG. Despite the impact of covid the overall number of days lost to FTE is comparable to pre covid figures which is positive since many learners at risk of FTE were dysregulated and negatively impacted by the lack of structure in lock downs etc. There has been extensive roll out of training on exclusion and inclusion by the inclusion team and also of restrictive practices and the focus on alternatives to exclusion that this includes such as segregation of learners following behaviour issues. the LA had anticipated that there would be significantly more FTE due to the impact of covid and also a reset and greater emphasis on ensuring all FTE were formally recorded and there was a nil acceptance of unlawful / soft exclusions.			
SP/A015: Work in partnership to deliver EOTAS provision which ensures our most vulnerable learners not in education settings are able to access a curriculum that meets their needs and allows them to progress at a rate appropriate with their age and ability.	31/03/2023	25%	New term plans are in place for Sept22 academic year, a balance of preventive and reactive provision has been contracted to ensure learners have a varied offer of EOTAS intervention and support. QA processes are in place with providers and new systems have been implemented to monitor and track EOTAS learners on a termly basis rather than once a year as part of the Welsh Gov. EOTAS return. The EOTAS/Pupil Engagement strategy is in place which will be reviewed in Sept 2022 in line with adding the new Alternative Education brochure 22-23 which is currently under development.	Green		Learning and Culture

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
SP/A016: Work with others to support employment and the development of skills for the future including the delivery of initiatives such as Inspire to Work (I2W) and Inspire to Achieve (I2A), with a focus on prevention (i.e. those at risk of becoming NEET/ those classed as NEETs.	31/12/2022	25%	As a LA, we submitted a successful bid as part of Welsh Government's 'reform of the school day' pilot. Out of 13 schools selected from across Wales, five were Barry schools (Pencoedtre, Holton, Cadoxton, Oak Field and Colcot). Working in collaboration, the schools developed a joint timetable and extended their school days to provide additional learning and wellbeing opportunities and activities to vulnerable pupils outside of normal school hours, both before and after the school day. Activities included music, cooking, sport, arts and crafts and pupils were also provided with healthy meals. 420 pupils from 4 year groups participated. Similarly, WG's winter of wellbeing programme allowed schools to provide additional opportunities that children may otherwise have not been able to access.	Green		Learning and Culture
-	•	•• •	oyment and the development of skills for the future in Work, and opportunities within the Council for appre	-	•	
ALN/A021: Implement the new Welsh Government Employability Strategy to ensure that employability provision meets the future needs of young people and adults in the Vale of Glamorgan.	31/03/2023	25%	The employability team are implementing several actions to contribute to 4 of the 5 key areas noted by Welsh Government. Young people realising their potential – Through WG CfW funds the Young Peoples Guarantee (YPG) is being used locally and regionally to explore what this new requirement will look like. A plan was submitted to WG and accepted and focusses on a current model to a future model. A regional (CCR) group is having regular workshops has been set up to explore how this fits with the requirements of the Engagement and Progression Framework and the commitments on the Youth Service. At a local	Green	Green	Learning and Culture

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			level work continues with partners like Careers			
			Wales and Working Wales to see how this can			
			progress.			
			A small plan has been put in place to take forward			
			a kickstart modelled programme and work has			
			started to take that forward. Tackling economic			
			inequality: CfW team have two nominated officers			
			to act as Disabled Peoples Employment			
			Champions, promoting and influencing employers			
			and providers who are seeking to employ disabled			
			people. They also act as an information source for			
			the rest of the team.			
			A proposal within the Shared Prosperity Bid is also			
			seeking to develop a small team to support			
			disabled individuals into a supported employment			
			placement. This work also fits the key objective of			
			Supporting people with a long-term health			
			condition, in addition other parts of the SPF			
			proposal will also aim to offer wellbeing support			
			and volunteering opportunities to aid people into			
			employability provision.			
			Nurturing a learning for life culture; The team			
			continue with a joined up approach with ACL			
			putting in place a raft of courses at various levels			
	24/02/2022	250/	to support people on their journey to employment.			
SL/A014: Work with others including	31/03/2023	25%	Planned construction employment events with	Green		Corporate
key businesses to support training,			C4W continue as part of the ongoing projects. The			Performance
employment and the development of			programme team will continue to work with C4W			and Resources
skills for the future through opportunities via the 21st Century			to develop a series of construction themed events targeted at job seekers. Events have included a			Loorning and
opportunities via the 21st Century			construction preparedness digital workshop, site			Learning and Culture

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
Schools and the Council's Kick Start Apprenticeships programmes.			tours and mentoring sessions. Contractors continue to work with C4W to develop better links with supplier preferred agencies, so the process is easier to inform service users when opportunities arise. Project team attending event on 13 July 2022 to promote programme projects and involve local businesses in programme.			
HS/A011: Enhance people's skills and readiness for work through community investment opportunities including the Council housebuilding programme and Supporting People Scheme.	31/03/2023	25%	Provision within the contracts for new Council house building contracts, creates opportunities for work experience and apprenticeships. These opportunities are matched to local people via the Community Investment team and are targeted towards those individuals participating in employability initiatives.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Homes and Safe Communities
HR/A012: Build on good relationships with local education establishments (such as Cardiff University & Cardiff and Vale College) as well as independent Apprenticeship providers to expand the Council's Apprenticeship scheme offer, with a particular focus on underrepresented groups and 16-24 year olds.	31/03/2023	N/A	Work will commence in Q2 / Q3	N/A		Corporate Performance and Resources

CP Commitment: 2.5	Work with partners to ensure people can access appropriate money advice, information and debt support relating to housing, benefits,
	education training and employment.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
			on a range of issues including housing, debt, fuel pove	erty, benefits, e	mployment, an	nd training
through a number of services includin	g the one stop	shop, Money A	dvice Team and the Benefits Team.			
HS/A012: Provide residents with	31/03/2023	25%	The One Stop shop continues to provide assistance	Green	Green	Homes and
advice, support and information on a			to residents regarding a wide range of issues,			Safe
range of issues including housing,			including health, debt, rehousing, benefits and			Communities
debt, fuel poverty, benefits,			employment. The short, focussed interventions are			
employment, and training through			having positive outcomes and assisting large			
services including the One Stop Shop			numbers of vulnerable people. Following the end			
and money advice team.			of the Covid restrictions it has been possible to			
			increase face to face advice sessions and there are			
			plans in place to link with partners to expand the			
			range of services offered. There are also plans to			
			formally launch the service to increase awareness			
			amongst members of the public, including difficult			
			to reach groups.			
FS/A016: Work across the Council	31/03/2023	25%	The Benefit's team provide advice to residents via	Green		Homes and
and with partners to support			telephone, face to face and via the Council's			Safe
residents regarding changes to the			website. Additional advice has been provided to			Communities
welfare system that are rolled out.			residents on the various Welsh Government			
			initiatives, such as, Winter Fuel payments and Self			
			Isolation payments in order to maximise			
			entitlement to benefits.			

CP Commitment: 2.6

Support and promote volunteering and community learning recognising the range of benefits to individuals and the community.

No actions identified under Corporate Plan Commitment 2.6.

CP Commitment: 2.7	Work as part of the Cardiff Capital Region to progress strategic planning and transport initiatives and promote sustainable economic
	growth and employment.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
	•	-	and UK Governments to develop regional and local st	-	• • •	-
	•	· · ·	ansport Plan, investment in transport (including trans	port interchang	ges for Barry ar	nd Cogan),
major projects and the continued grow		1		-	-	
NS/A015: Work with partners	31/03/2023	25%	Active Travel schemes improving connections to	Green	Green	Environment
including the Cardiff Capital Region,			Bro Tathan and Cardiff Airport continue to be			and
Welsh Government and landowners			developed. Barry Dock Interchange plans include			Regeneration
to develop sustainable transport links			improvements to sustainable transport.			
to residential, employment and						
leisure areas including cycle, bus and rail links.						
NS/A016: Continue to develop multi	31/03/2023	25%	Planning application currently under consideration,	Green		Environment
modal transport interchanges for			SABS application under consideration, land was to			and
Barry and Cogan.			be purchased end of June. Still awaiting award			Regeneration
			funding letter from Merthyr who have been			
			allocated LTF funding from WG to take the scheme			
			forward so a number of tasks on hold			
RP/A010: Work with national and	31/03/2023	25%	A collaborative approach has been taken to the	Green	_	Environment
local partners and stakeholders			development of the Local and regional investment			and
including the Cardiff Capital Region			plans for shared prosperity. An engagement plan			Regeneration
and Welsh and UK Governments to			for the Barry Growth Programme will soon see the			
support economic growth and			public involved in its development.			
develop regional and local strategies			Work on the Strategic Development Plan (SDP) has			
for transport, planning and economic			not formally commenced within the Southeast			
development.			Wales region. However, the Council is currently			
			involved in SDP evidence base work which is being			
			undertaken as part of the South East Wales			
			Strategic Planning Group e.g. Strategic Flood			
			Consequence Assessment stage 1 and Green Belt /			
			Green Wedge study. The Council will continue to			

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
			work in partnership with other local authorities in the region, Welsh Government and other relevant stakeholders to progress the SDP. The emerging Replacement LDP will also seek to support the continued growth of the Enterprise Zone, the regeneration of Barry and the enhancement of sustainable transport in the authority. "			

CP Commitment: 2.8

Support economic growth through regeneration, improved infrastructure and support for town centres, tourism and industry.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
			support the ongoing recovery and economic growth	of Barry ensuri	ng a diversity o	of both business
and education facilities and that supp	1		•			
NS/A017: Support our town centres	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A	Green	Environment
to recover and adapt following the						and
effects of COVID-19, by improving						Regeneration
green spaces, public areas and						
transport infrastructure.						
NS/A018: Improve the access to the	31/03/2023	25%	Design works ongoing with provisional programme	Green		Environment
Murch Community Centre through			to undertake procurement works to appoint a			and
improvements to the access bridge.			suitable contractor and commence works on site in			Regeneration
			Q3. Consultation carried out with Community			
			centre, Football club and Bowls club impacted by			
			the works in Q2 and will be ongoing until			
			commencement on site.			
NS/A019: Review the Capital	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A	1	Corporate
Programme and the use made of the						Performance
Council's assets to support recovery						and Resources
and economic growth including the						
consideration of an investment						
strategy and work to deliver the						

projects identified in the Council's Capital Programme for 2022/23.					Environment and Regeneration
RP/A011: Work with UK and Welsh Governments and Cardiff Capital Region to secure funding to deliver regeneration and business support projects and programmes.	31/03/2023	25%	Extensive work has been underway to prepare a bid for a £31m programme for Barry waterfront. Likewise, a team has been working on projects development for the Vale's £14m allocation of shared prosperity funding. The team continues to work with Welsh Government on regeneration programmes such as Transforming Towns. A bid will be submitted to this programme in July.	Green	Environment and Regeneration
RP/A012: Work with communities, businesses and third sector organisations to support them in the delivery of new projects and in shaping local services.	31/03/2023	25%	A new permanent team will be recruited within regeneration in the summer of 2022 to support communities. This follows the closure of Creative Rural Communities in December 2022 which was due to the loss of EU funding. Capacity will be built across the Vale by this new team and project specific funding will also be identified.	Green	Environment and Regeneration
RP/A014: Work with partners including Welsh and UK Governments to deliver a programme of economic growth and recovery in Barry ensuring a diversity of both business and education facilities.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>LDP review commenced / identification of vision and objectives to incorporate sustained economic growth, with Barry being the primary settlement.</li> <li>Flexible approach to planning applications to enable businesses to re-locate. Working with private sector to deliver mixed use regeneration projects and new 21st Century schools including Barry Waterfront. Work with other Council service areas to prepare LUF and SPF bids. Continue to work with WG to ensure delivery of zero carbon modern educational facilities.</li> <li>The focus of the £19.9m bid to Uk Government will focus on Barry Waterfront and the Barry Growth Programme will be completed by October 2022.</li> <li>The Town Centre will be a specific priority within this programme.</li> </ul>	Green	Environment and Regeneration

RP/A017: Identify further opportunities to expand the use of underused and empty spaces for use by local businesses, creative and co- working communities across the Vale with a key focus on town centres. RP/A018: Establish a new External Funding, Community Development and Innovation Team.	31/03/2023	25%	Guidance for Welsh Government's Transforming Towns, Placemaking grant 22/23-24/25 was published in June 2022. This is now a competitive fund and candidate projects are being scoped. Outreach work to commence in Q.2 for the Transforming Towns Loan Scheme (Cowbridge Town Centre).The recruitment of this team has been delayed by several months due to the need to identify sufficient funding for future years.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Environment and Regeneration
RP/A019: Identify grant support for businesses and investment in regeneration projects in town centres.	31/03/2023	25%	Grant funding programmes for town centres have been included as a priority within Shared Prosperity Fund for later in 22/23. The Council will also be establishing a small maintenance fund for Holton Road businesses to improve Facades etc. Funding has also been identified for Cowbridge to allow a loan product to be launched to support the conversion of longer standing empty properties in the town. d recovery strategies that focus on our town centres and	Green	ne provision of l	Environment and Regeneration
support local business, social enterpri		-	a recovery strategies that focus on our town centres and	encourage ti		Jusiness space,
RP/A013: Develop and implement a sustainable Economic Growth Plan with a particular emphasis on employment land and town centres.	31/03/2023	25%	The Barry Growth Programme will be in place by October 2022 and a strategy / plan covering the Vale will be developed in this financial year. Other plans such as the Destination Management Plan and the Town Centre Framework will be reported on in Q3.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration
RP/A015: Work with colleagues in Financial Services to develop an investment strategy for the Council with a focus on economic growth, regeneration and climate change.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council has identified the Incubator Space within the Levelling up bid as a potential early project for investment within this fund. Regeneration will work with Finance to support them in the design of governance for the fund. The investment Strategy is complete.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

RP/A016: Work with private sector partners and Welsh Government to roll out fast broadband to communities.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council holds regular meetings with broadband providers and has shared opportunities with communities around available funding to support rollout. Country parks and Dunraven Bay will soon be supplied with fibre broadband for use by Businesses and residents.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
RP/A020: Work with colleagues in Transport Services to explore opportunities for transport, planning and regeneration improvements including plans for a transport interchange for Barry, in conjunction with Welsh Government and the Cardiff Capital Region.	31/03/2023	25%	The scheme is continuing to be delivered in line with the amended programme. The Weltag Stage Three report was reported to Cabinet in June and recommendations have been accepted. The Planning Application has not yet been determined and neither has the latest Sab/Suds submission in respect of drainage. The delay in gaining approval may impact the programme going forward. The Council awaits confirmation of funding from the Cardiff City Region and Local Transport Funds.	Green		Environment and Regeneration
ADP23-Reshape procurement practice	es and policies t	o ensure our	procurement activities contribute to the national Well-	being Goals, s	upport work ar	ound climate
change, community benefits and build	d on the founda	tional econo	my project.			
FS/A017: Reshape procurement practices and policies to ensure our procurement activities contribute to the national Well-being Goals, support work around climate change, community benefits, response to challenges as a result of Brexit and build on the foundational economy project.	31/03/2023	25%	"Work has commenced in this area. The Procurement Policy & Strategy is under review and the approach has been shared and discussed at Project Zero and Insight Boards"	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP24- Work in partnership regional		to continue to	respond to and recover from the effects of the COVI			
NS/A005: Refresh supply chain mapping for all priority one service areas requiring a Business Continuity Plan to identify source of transport/logistic arrangements for the supply of key products/materials and utilise lessons learnt from our COVID-19 experience and access to PPE supplies to secure additional COVID-19 vaccinations, PPE and testing kits (LFTs) for staff as required	31/03/2023	25%	PPE Supplies available via the corporate resources as well as LFT available from reception areas.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration
PB/A039: Work in partnership regionally and nationally to continue to respond to and recover from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic.	31/03/2023	25%	A robust regional network is in place via the Warning and Informing group of the South Wales Local Resilience Forum. The group is used to coordinate various regional and national messaging across organisations.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A019: Continue to develop the Capital Programme and the use made of the Council's assets to support recovery and economic growth including the proposed non treasury investment strategy.	31/03/2023	25%	The Governance arrangements for the Council's Investment Strategy are under development and will be put in place in Quarter 2	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
FS/A020: Support and deliver Welsh Government funding to address COVID recovery and community needs.	31/03/2023	25%	WG Covid Claims submitted for Months 1-3	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A014: Work in partnership regionally and nationally to continue to respond to and recover from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic, with a focus on health and safety for schools and vaccinations.	31/03/2023	25%	Partnerships continue to develop particularly with UHT and Social Care Wales.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
NS/A029: Work with partners regionally and nationally including Legacy Leisure, Community Associations, Schools and the Health Authority to respond to and recover from the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic. This will include continuing to work with passenger transport providers to meet needs and encourage public transport use, supporting leisure centres and contractors with their recovery programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Work in on-going with bus operators to encourage passengers to use services. Regional work continues with TfW and WG to enable BES funding which picks up operator's revenue shortfall as a result of COVID. Dave - The recovery fund provided by Sports Wales has seen the completion of two new important facilities - the outdoor area at Barry Leisure Centre and the Tennis Courts at Romilly Park - these will now provide exciting additional recreational activities.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration Healthy Living & Social Care
NS/A030: Work with Passenger Transport operators and the City Region to increase bus service provision to meet demand.	31/03/2023	25%	Opening meeting held with WG/TfW on the South East Wales bus network review	Green		Environment and Regeneration

## **APPENDIX 2: Performance Indicators**

Well-being Objective 2: To Support learning, employment and sustainable economic growth

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/034: Percentage of all pupils (including LAC) in any LA maintained school in year 11 who leave compulsory education, training or work-based learning without an approved external qualification.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/035: Percentage of pupils in local authority care in any LA maintained school, in year 11 who leave compulsory education, training or work- based learning without an approved external qualification.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/037: Percentage of Young people leaving Year 12 who are not in education, employment or training.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/043: Percentage success rate on accredited courses for priority learners.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/044: The percentage of young people in contact with the youth service who achieve an accredited outcome.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
CPM/128: Percentage of I2A young people engaged against target.	14	10	66	Red	Ŷ	We are currently below target, as the I2A project is coming to an end we currently have 33 as the target for Q1,2 and 3 combined (Q1 - 30, Q2 - 3 and Q3 -0) - the project currently sits at 95% against project so we are well within the 15% tolerance for ESF funders- if we were to not work with any clients the project would come out at 91% TOTAL so no concerns	Learning & Culture
CPM/129: Percentage of I2W young people engaged against target.	0	0	70	Red	$\leftrightarrow$	We are currently below target, as the I2W project is coming to an end we	Learning & Culture

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						currently have 54 as the target for Q1,2 and 3 combined (Q1 - 30, Q2 - 24 and Q3 -0) - the project currently sits at 109% against project so we are well within the 15% tolerance for ESF funders- if we were to not work with any clients the project would come out at 101% TOTAL so no concerns	
CPM/130: Percentage of C4W people engaged against target.	23	106.67	15	Green	个	A positive & steady start to the year as referrals in this area are currently low.	Learning & Culture
CPM/131: Percentage of C4W+ people engaged against target.	53	104.92	61	Green	<b>^</b>	CFW+ is now working to a new annual target of 244 engagements which incorporates YPG too. A positive start to the year with target achieved this quarter with the team not currently operating fully staffed. An increase in engagements compared to the first quarter of last year.	Learning & Culture
CPM/046: Number of tenancies maintained six months after receiving Money Advice.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/047: Value of investment levered into the Council that is dedicated to transport improvement schemes.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/048: Public satisfaction with facilities on Barry Island where they are rated as 'Good' or 'Excellent'.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/049: The number of jobs created in the Vale of Glamorgan Enterprise Zone.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/052: The percentage of householder planning applications determined within 8 weeks	95.7%	98.3%	93%	Green	个	Positive statistic in the context of extremely high work loads	Environment & Regeneration

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
or subject to Planning Performance Agreement or Extension of Time.							
CPM/053: Average vacancy rate in the Vale's main town centres. (IO)						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/054: Amount of s106 money spent in the financial year.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/060: Percentage of Listed Building applications determined within 8 weeks or subject to Planning Performance Agreement or Extension of Time.	90%	90.9%	80%	Green	<b>↑</b>	Positive statistic in the context of extremely high work loads	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/061 (PAM/018): The percentage of all planning applications determined within 8 weeks or subject to Planning Performance Agreement or Extension of Time.	91.9%	97.9%	92%	Green	<b>个</b>	Positive statistic in the context of extremely high work loads	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/062 (PAM/019): Percentage of all appeals dismissed.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/133: Number of local businesses advised in relation to funding, business planning and new start-ups.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/135: Number of community lead organisations that are financially supported.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/143: Number of Community led organisations advised						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/144: Number of businesses financially supported						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration

## Additional National Performance Indicator Measures

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
PAM/044: Number of apprentices, excluding teachers, on formal recognised apprenticeship schemes within the authority during the year per 1,000 employees.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Corporate Performance & Resources
PAM/021: Percentage of principle B roads that are in overall poor condition.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
PAM/022: Percentage of non-principle C roads that are in overall poor condition.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
PAM/020: Percentage of principle A roads that are in in overall poor condition.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration

## **APPENDIX 1: Service Plan Actions contributing to this Well-being Objective**

Well-being Objective 3: To support people at home and in their community.

Service Plan Actions	In Year	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan	ADP Action	Relevant
	Completion Date	% complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Action RAG status	RAG Status	Scrutiny Committee
ADP26- Work in partnership to facilitat health and well-being and areas where	•	••	tunities for play and sports development with a focu w participation rates.	us on tackling ir	nequalities, the	e promotion of
NS/A020: Work in partnership to facilitate and promote inclusive opportunities for leisure, play and sports development with a particular focus on tackling inequalities, working with groups/in areas with low participation rates.	31/03/2023	25%	The 2022 edition of the Summer of Fun has focused on providing a wide range of inclusive activities that tackle inequalities. A wider geographical spread, designed to address some of the issues raised in the first year of this scheme that was organised at very short notice.	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A021: Deliver the Review of Outsourced Leisure Services – Action Plan in response to the review of leisure services.	31/03/2023	25%	Progress continues to be made with outsourcing following the scheme being put on hold due to Covid. Barry Rugby Club is now being progressed with discussions continuing with other organisations.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A022: Work in partnership to deliver a comprehensive play programme that improves the well- being of children and their families.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council's play programme, that continued to provide support to essential users throughout the pandemic, is now fully operational with extensive schemes being delivered in the school holidays.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A023: Work with partners to evaluate the regionalisation of Sports Development services being implemented by Sport Wales.	31/03/2023	25%	Discussions are on-going with sport Wales and other partners within the South-Central area. A general agreement has been reached in principle that is now being finalised before any Cabinet report is drafted.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
SRS/A008: Encourage healthy lifestyles by delivering the actions set out within the Communicable Disease	31/03/2023	25%	The Health and Safety Service Plan was adopted by Joint Committee in June while the remaining Plans, namely the Food and Feed Law Service Plan	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
and Health Service Plan, Health and			and Communicable Disease Plans are currently			Healthy Living
Safety Enforcement Service Plan and			being developed with a view to seeking approval			and Social
Food and Feed Law Service Plan.			from Joint Committee in September.			Care
ADP27- Work in partnership to address	food poverty a	ind to implement	nt the Move More, Eat Well Plan.			
ALN/A022: Work in partnership with	31/03/2023	25%	Whole area of work is early in development.	Green	Green	Healthy Living
health and other stakeholders to			Some research (via a Survey led by Health) is			and Social
develop a whole school approach to			taking place on what schools are doing in relation			Care
tackling food poverty in schools and			to increasing the 'Longer Lunch' breaks.			
contribute to the Move More Eat Well						Learning and
Plan.			Food and Fun 4 schools taking part – small			Culture
			numbers of Vale schools involved, staffing has			
			proven an issue and slow development in taking			
			this forward. Looking at a 3 year financial			
			commitment from WG to help take this forward.			
			Its envisaged clarity on funding should be			
			Oct/Nov time.			
			10 VOG schools are being assisted on creation of the 'Active Travel Plans' and processes. A report of the benefits and impact is being developed and should be presented at DMT when ready.			
			Engagement plan on 'Whole School Approach' to food being developed looking at challenges and barriers. Aiming to do this from September – tested in Llantwit comprehensive, going live on health website.			
			'Free School Meal' offer under development in all Vale primaries. Looking at how and when the universal offer may be developed further.			
			Food Related Training – A Communications plan is			

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			underdevelopment and will promote the roll out of the 'Food Benefits Awareness' session to school staff i.e. using any contacts, networks, meetings and other platforms to ensure as many school based staff are aware of the schemes available to support families in/or at risk of food poverty. The digital resource is currently with translation with the aim of getting this launched over the Summer, and then a big school push mid-Sept once the schools have returned.			
SP/A017: Work in partnership involving pupils, parents and other stakeholders to develop a whole school approach to tackling food poverty in schools and contribute to the Move More Eat Well Plan through schemes such as the Winter of Well- being programme and Reform of the School Day pilot.	31/03/2023	25%	As a LA, we submitted a successful bid as part of Welsh Government's 'reform of the school day' pilot. Out of 13 schools selected from across Wales, five were Barry schools (Pencoedtre, Holton, Cadoxton, Oak Field and Colcot). Working in collaboration, the schools developed a joint timetable and extended their school days to provide additional learning and wellbeing opportunities and activities to vulnerable pupils outside of normal school hours, both before and after the school day. Activities included music, cooking, sport, arts and crafts and pupils were also provided with healthy meals. 420 pupils from 4 year groups participated. Similarly, WG's winter of wellbeing programme allowed schools to provide additional opportunities that children may otherwise have not been able to access.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care Learning and Culture
SL/A015: Contribute to the poverty agenda and the Move More Eat Well Plan by implementing free school meals for all primary school pupils and	31/03/2023	25%	Supporting community activity programmes via BFCC and schools such as the Joe Ledley football camp; working in collaboration with Environment and Housing to better utilise outdoor space in	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
commissioning a healthy eating promotion programme (via the Big Fresh catering Company) to be delivered in all schools.			<ul> <li>schools and promote/diversify community use with these facilities.</li> <li>Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 pupils will be eligible for a free school meal from September 2022. The Vale are one of 4 local authorities in Wales to be offering these year groups with a free meal. Work is ongoing in our school kitchens and schools are seeing new equipment arrive and installed, electrics upgraded, or preliminary works completed in readiness for a refurbishment during the summer holidays.</li> <li>In September 2023, a free school meal will be</li> </ul>			Learning and Culture
			offered to Years 3 – 6 inclusive. There will be some other major projects going on in schools with additional capital funding that will be communicated by WG in the course of the next few weeks. Big Fresh have also been visiting schools and speaking to Headteachers to discuss the service provision for September.			
NS/A024: Work in partnership with the Public Services Board to implement the Move More, Eat Well Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Partnership working with the Health Board by the Healthy Living team is on-going. Particular reference in the work being jointly carried out has reference to the Move more, Eat well plan.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
HS/A013: Develop a new Community Investment Strategy to improve quality of life for tenants on Council housing estates to include anti- poverty initiatives, digital inclusion	31/03/2023	25%	A draft CI Strategy is being drafted to drive further development in CI initiatives and interventions. The new strategy will build on the progress achieved during the last 6 years and take account of arising trends and best practise.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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and community garden/growing projects.			Resident consultation is also underway to ensure that local people have an opportunity to feed into the priorities identified.			
PB/A035: Work with relevant Council services to assist in the delivery of the Cardiff and Vale Move More, Eat Well Plan and ensure linkages are made with Project Zero.	31/03/2023	25%	Work continues to support the work of the MMEW plan in the Vale. Recent progress highlights are included in the PSB annual report 2021/22. Cardiff and Vale steering group has recently been established and will meet for the first time in July to further progress its work.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance and Resources
PB/A036: Work in partnership to deliver activities and support to address food poverty.	31/03/2023	25%	Under the Llantwit Major food access pilot project work has continued to progress as the project has now been awarded funding for the next 5 years from big lottery, this will help to ensure the actions to help people eat a good meal every day in the area are successful. Funding has been provided by Welsh government for 2022-23, to help support local community groups and organisations to tackle food insecurity. We are currently asking local groups to submit short funding bids, these will then be reviewed and funds distributed in quarter two.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
ADP28- Develop a new Community St community garden/growing projects.	rategy to impro	ve quality of life	e for tenants on Council housing estates to include a	nti-poverty init	iatives, digital	inclusion and
HS/A014: Develop a local volunteering scheme proposal for residents of the Vale based on the existing Timebanking model.	31/03/2023	25%	A new scheme called 'Value in the Vale' has been developed, to incentivise local volunteering in the Vale. The scheme links volunteering opportunities to local businesses. A dedicated website will underpin the scheme and allow people to redeem 'credits' at local outlets.	Green	Green	Homes and Safe Communities

CP Commitment: 3.2 Provide more opportunities for cycling and walking and develop a range of travel options to encourage people out of their cars.

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ADP29-Improve public transport infrastructure and services through support for socially necessary bus services and upgrades to the transport infrastructure including									
the award of supported bus service co	ntracts in April	2022.							
NS/A025: Improve public transport infrastructure and services through support for socially necessary bus services and upgrades to the transport infrastructure including the award of supported bus service contracts in April 2022.	31/03/2023	25%	Cabinet agreed to award contracts for supported local bus services in Q1. Additional funding has now also been agreed following the decision on one operator to shut down their business, to continue the 88 and B3 services. A call-in report is being presented to Scrutiny Committee early in Q2.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration			

CP Commitment: 3.3	Promote leisure, art and cultural activities which meet a diverse range of needs.
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ADP25-Develop and promote the ran	ge of events, re	creational and e	educational activities available across our venues an	d outdoor space	s with an ambi	tion to deliver a
number of carbon neutral public even	nts.					
SL/A016: Continue to engage with	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A	Green	Learning and
stakeholders and interested parties						Culture
to implement the preferred option						
for reshaping the Council's Arts						
Service and use of the Arts Central						
Gallery asset.						
SL/A017: Undertake an art census	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A		Learning and
and use the findings to develop a						Culture
strategy that supports the recovery						
of arts organisations in the Vale.						
SL/A018: Launch the Makerspace	31/03/2023	25%	Funding has been secured to develop a new	Green		Learning and
project in Penarth and establish a			Makerspace within Barry library. This facility will			Culture
second space at Barry Library			aim to deliver creative activities to all with			
			emphasis on engaging young people.			

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focusing on engaging with younger service users across the Vale.			The Makerspace at Penarth opened in April with a series of public open days which were well attended. These were followed by a series of demonstrations on the different equipment and facilities available, including use of the 3D printer, IMac software and laser equipment. Funding has been secured to develop a new Makerspace within Barry library. An initial list of equipment has been put together for delivery by October and in the meantime the space in the library will be prepare and improved in readiness. This facility will aim to deliver creative activities to all with emphasis on engaging young people.			Corporate Performance & Resources
NS/A026: Develop and promote the range of events, leisure, recreational and educational activities available across our venues and outdoor spaces with an ambition to deliver a number of carbon neutral public events.	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A		Environment and Regeneration Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance & Resources
RP/A021: Deliver the 2022/23 events programme with a focus on Town Centre events that will drive footfall and spend and work with partners to develop sustainable events elsewhere in the County.	31/03/2023	25%	The Events Programme will be delivered and it will see several events within town centres between now and March 2023. Later in the year Christmas and Halloween events are planned. Events will include food festivals and festivals of flowers.	Green		Environment and Regeneration

CP Commitment: 3.4 Work in partnership to provide more seamless health and social care services.

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ADP30- Implement new ways of work their future needs.	ing for Social Se	ervices that effe	ectively support our residents in the context of the ch	allenges create	d by the pande	mic and for
AS/A006: Maximise our use of funding to support development of local community initiatives to support locally identified needs.	31/03/2023	25%	Discussion with CYPS colleague Mark Davies in respect of establishing a business case to create a Supported Employment worker to assist people with LD back into paid work within the Vale. After securing Stronger Communities funding last year V21 have, this quarter, moved into another Unit in CEC Skomer Road offering a 'Craft in Barry' project to people with LD. This expands local opportunities for people with a LD in the Vale.	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A007: Develop the Vale integrated fall service to provide a rapid response to people who have fallen and access to specialist interventions.	31/03/2023	25%	A trial is running with Cardiff in the East of the Vale. Opening discussions with St John Ambulance on developing service in West of the Vale.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A008: Develop local cluster multi- disciplinary teams in the Vale to provide early information, advice and assistance to people with complex needs.	31/03/2023	25%	This action is in development alongside the Strategic Programme for Primary Care (SPPC) including how we embed the principles of the Accelerated Cluster Development (ACD). The work of clusters within the Vale is being determined centrally at present, and locally working through under the Vale Alliance plan. We are monitoring how to embed a social care voice within clusters to effectively shape services that address the population's health and wellbeing needs. Already well established in the Western Vale with their Care@Home project.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A009: Work with partners to develop a coherent engagement plan to support the development of	31/03/2023	25%	A report has been provided to Health partners and the Vale Integrated Locality is working to secure additional capacity in order to further engage with key stakeholders and the public regarding the	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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wellbeing hubs and centres across the Vale locality.			services to be provided at the Barry Hospital Wellbeing Centre.			Corporate Performance and Resources
AS/A010: Explore the development of intermediate care services and how this can enhance and support existing service provision.	31/03/2023	25%	Meetings being held across Health and Local Authority to discuss the model, workforce and resources to achieve the 'rapid response' element to intermediate care. Exploration of how Intermediate Care is provided and developed a shared understanding of the model and how we target investment to best meet the needs of our population to keep them closer to home.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A022: Embed outcome focused contact monitoring in relation to the Learning Disabilities Supported Living Contract that is inclusive of citizen's experiences living in supported accommodation.	31/03/2023	0%	Vale People First 'Citizen Panel' embedded into new Letter of Understanding. The Citizen Panel assists in monitoring our new supported living contract through face to face and on-line meetings with people living in supported accommodation to gain their views and experiences and to see if the service specification is being met. This quarter, dates have been booked for the year for 4 x officers to meet with the Citizen Panel on a quarterly basis, to discuss feedback and their report prior to the formal contract meetings with providers. Regular telephone /email correspondence with VPF is maintained in between to ensure all appropriate support is provided.	Red		Homes and Safe Communities
RMS/A014: Embed the regional care home contract in consultation with partners.	31/03/2023	25%	There has been a significant hold-up in issuing contracts signed under seal due to sickness within Legal services. Contracts Team are monitoring progress. Necessary tweaks to the third party agreement to make it suitable for temporary	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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			placements have been made and shared regionally.			
RMS/A015: Deliver and implement of the regional strategy for unpaid carers.	31/03/2023	25%	Draft charter has been produced, with project timeline being overseen by the regional carers partnership board	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A016: Develop a performance management framework and data sets that will enable us to streamline our approach to managing and monitoring performance management.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is underway to review and enhance the management information that will inform the framework across the directorate. A new dashboard is now in place for the Regional Commissioning Board and a new dashboard for the Directors is nearing completion.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A017: Embed our call-to-action process across Vale Alliance, UHB, LA to support management and monitoring of domiciliary care capacity in the market.	31/03/2023	25%	CTA Meeting happening on a weekly basis to monitor domiciliary capacity in the market. Terms of Reference will be reviewed.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A018: Continue to strengthen the quality assurance meetings to monitor activity regarding quality and financial stability across the sector.	31/03/2023	0%	No commentary provided	Red		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A019: Monitor all packages awaiting domiciliary care agency availability to actively manage the position to enable flow and support hospital discharge and VCRS capacity.	31/03/2023	25%	Weekly reports collated by Brokerage to evidence packages placed, requests received and those waiting for dom care provider to be identified. Weekly discussion regarding market situation.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
ADP31-Work with community leaders community.	/ partners in Lla	antwit Major as	a pilot to review and transform the range of support	available to old	der people witl	nin their
CS/A006: Agree and implement the future operating model for CYPS in the context of the Council's Transformation agenda and 'Eich Lle'- 'Your Space' project.	31/03/2023	25%	First Meeting of the new work stream has taken place. TOR's agreed.	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources

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						Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A007: Work in partnership locally, regionally and nationally to respond to the specific pressures associated with the management of higher levels of demand alongside the scarcity of resources (specifically workforce and placements).	31/03/2023	25%	Additional posts created with recruitment completed or underway. Two residential provisions on track to go live by year end. Foster carer recruitment activity to be collated at end of Q1. Regional plans to recruit permanently to regional fostering roles with a renewed focus on our shared priorities.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A008: Continue to explore opportunities to develop children's residential provision in the Vale.	31/03/2023	25%	Two residential developments on track to go live by year end.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A010: Further enhance our mechanisms to ensure effective oversight of increased numbers of referrals at the front door in order to effectively manage demand.	31/03/2023	25%	It is intended we move to a dedicated Intake Team resourced to respond to levels of demand. The new arrangements commenced on 27.6.22. These arrangements will be carefully monitored with the intention the RAG arrangements are not required in the medium term.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A012: Contribute to the capacity planning workstream of the Reshaping Programme to further our approaches to increase the recruitment and retention of critical posts within Children and Young People Services.	31/03/2023	25%	Our new SCOs have commenced employment. A number of existing non SW qualified staff have also been identified to commence the process to become QSWs. New team arrangements became operational on 27.6.22 with targeted recruitment taking place.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
ADP33-Strengthen existing partnershi more integrated models of care.	p arrangement	s with the Cardi	iff and Vale University Health Board and establish the	Vale Alliance to	o develop and	implement
AS/A011: Progress the work of the Alliance Model.	31/03/2023	25%	No commentary provided	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care

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AS/A012: Develop new models of joint working with the Health Board with a particular focus on sustainable integrated services.	31/03/2023	25%	This programme of work is being considered under the auspices of the Vale Alliance, whilst we work this through, we are concentrating on further development and sustainability/resilience of existing integrated teams rather than expanding into other areas at present. This will hopefully accelerate as we embrace the Vale Alliance model.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A013: Develop the domiciliary care element to the Primary Care Cluster model and support the accelerated clusters across the Vale.	31/03/2023	25%	Initial planning meeting has taken place and heat map of Western Vale dom care service provision has been requested from ICT.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A014: Further development of the sustainable and integrated model for single point of access to Well- being Matters services (via the Contact Centre)	31/03/2023	25%	Secured additional grant funding under the RIF (acceleration) to expand the workforce of the Integrated Wellbeing Matters Service - investment is for health (hosted)positions but will benefit the service we are able to offer citizens and referrers, through expansion of skills and services that we can signpost to. Recruitment to additional posts to be the focus on the next quarter.	Green	-	Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A020: Develop the Regional Commissioning Board performance dashboard to support the work of the Vale Alliance.	31/03/2023	100%	A dashboard for the Regional Commissioning Board is now in place.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RP/A022: Work with colleagues in Social Services and Housing to conduct a review of the Council's three adaptations teams with a view to implementing changes that achieve efficiencies and benefit Vale residents.	31/03/2023	25%	A 'Discovery' is currently underway with several workstreams established. This initial phase will take 12 weeks and will report in early Autumn in time for recommendations to be implemented on April 1st.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Homes and Safe Communities

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						Healthy Living and Social Care

CP Commitment: 3.5	Provide care and support to children and families in need which reflects their individual strengths and circumstances.
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	-	ocial care secto	r for appropriately skilled and experienced people inc	cluding social w	orkers, domicil	iary care staff,
foster carers and adult placement serv			1			-
CS/A009: Increase the number of Social Care Officers across the Division to add resilience to teams and further support our ability to	31/03/2023	25%	14 new SCO posts created and recruited to.	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources
'grow our own' Social Workers.						Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A011: In partnership with Foster Wales, increase the number and diversity of foster carers in the Vale of Glamorgan.	31/03/2023	25%	Q1 figures being collated.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
CS/A013: Maintain oversight of the structure of CYPS to ensure resilience.	31/03/2023	25%	Will shortly be recruiting to a new Operational Manager position as part of progressing investment into CYPS. Some teams will also be reorganised with additional resourcing to respond to levels of demand. New team arrangements will commence 20.6.22.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
HR/A013: Work in partnership with the Social Services Directorate to address workforce attraction, recruitment and retention challenges through the capacity planning	31/03/2023	25%	The Social Care Workforce Development team have led on the Fast Track to Care programme – the second cohort of 6 completed in Q1 and half have found employment so far, the 3rd cohort of 10 commenced in Q1. The team has supported the	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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workstream of the Reshaping			CYPS bulk recruitment programme of Social Care			Healthy Living
Programme.			Officers. 32 half hour sessions with SCOs and 9			and Social
			hours of prep/group facilitated sessions total 25			Care
			hours of support given to the SCO project this			
			quarter. A return to practice individual has been			
			supported into CYPS (Re-ignite). 'Grow our own'			
			Social Workers have been promoted and we have			
			9 individuals starting study at level 1 in September			
			2022. A full programme of over 50 virtual			
			classrooms/webinars has run in Q1 for staff across			
			Social Services as well as the availability of a wide			
			range of eLearning – all of which are open to			
			relevant internal and external audiences.			
			Community Care Inform (CCI) licenses have been			
			given to all staff across the directorate to assist			
			with their CPD – information sessions have been			
			run. In response to the needs of our externally			
			commissioned care providers a Manual Handling			
			Key Trainers programme has been delivered in Q1			
			for them with excellent feedback received. A suite			
			of eLearning has been purchased for Foster Carers			
			- 13 modules have been made available so new			
			Foster Carers can start their development as soon			
			as they are accepted. Adult placement service			
			development is being reviewed with the support of			
			the team. Although a Training Needs Analysis was			
			carried out at the end of 2021 to ensure our			
			workforce needs were catered for in 2022, the			
			team has been responsive to the needs of the			
			service to support staff to provide care and			
			support to children and families in need which			
			reflects their individual strengths and			
			circumstances e.g. LGBTQ+ issues for teens /			

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			supporting unaccompanied asylum seeking children / strengths-based work			
AS/A015: Contribute to the capacity planning workstream of the Reshaping Programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Identified further gaps in the establishment (Learning Disability Team) need to do bespoke advert for the areas where grant funding pending confirmation (I+A, LD) Identified additional staff to undertake the AMHP course in September. HOS engaged in student presentations for University to attract into positions following qualification	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A016: Understand levels of demand into the Adult Services and any associated capacity gaps.	31/03/2023	25%	QualificationWorking with RMS, Adult Services Team Managershave better understanding and access of WCCISdashboards providing real-time data on caseloadsand work undertaken, however WCCIS does notshow demand coming into Adult Services via C1V.A new approach to management of referrals intothe Intake & Assessment Team is implemented toprovide senior managers greater transparency ofdemand.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A017: Complete the succession planning exercise to inform workforce planning.	31/03/2023	25%	Meetings arranged to consider further succession planning. Development of Vale alliance will provide additional capacity regarding integrated positions and skills,	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A018: Enhance proactive recruitment to Adult Placement Service hosts.	31/03/2023	25%	Purchase of Shared Lives recruitment portal this quarter. All APS staff will be trained in its use by end of June 2022. This web-based application and assessment portal will facilitate a more streamlined approach to the recruitment process.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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						Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A019: Consider wider employee wellbeing offering and wider staff engagement. Identify themes and consider implementation of findings.	31/03/2023	25%	Promoted all corporate initiatives and commencing a question-and-answer session within the division. Exploration of attraction strategies and promotion. Will feed into the staff surveys and take on board responses. VCRS CIW inspection reward scheme. Analysis of leavers still ongoing	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social Care
ADP36-Work co-productively with chi	Idren and their	families throug	h a strengths-based model to improve outcomes and	enhance wellb	eing.	
<ul> <li>CS/A014: Implement Year 2 of the Strengths Based Approach, 'Building on Strengths', working co-productively with children and their families to improve outcomes and enhance wellbeing•</li> <li>Development of complementary and proportionate paperwork.</li> <li>A shared and accessible language.</li> <li>Increased visibility of children, young people and families in individual and service planning.</li> <li>Development of an evaluation framework.</li> </ul>	31/03/2023	25%	Positive indicators that approach is embedding. Common language developing, high level of engagement across the workforce. Review recently taken place to agree milestones to year end.	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care

CP Commitment: 3.6 Provide person-centred care and support to adults in need

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	are is provided	to enhance the	individual's voice and control over their care arrange	ments through	the expansion	of 'Your
<b>Choice'.</b> AS/A020: Enable safe discharges from hospital that considers the impact/consequences of Covid-19 through models of care which provide choice and control for service users.	31/03/2023	25%	Team continues to support people to be safely discharged from hospital wherever possible and in a suitable timeframe. However, the challenges associated with the domiciliary care market means that those we support remain in hospital for longer. We are aware of the proposal to provide interim care placements but remain concerned that this expedites a person's access to long term residential care, rather than maintaining them in their own home. We have also experienced high demand for social work assessment in our integrated discharge service and have had some	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care
AS/A021: Support the alignment and implementation of Strengths Based Approach (SBA) to support the integration of preventative services, admission avoidance and resilient communities.	31/03/2023	25%	waits for allocation/assessment. Discussions with training have taken place regarding E-learning modules supported by videos for staff. Both Adult Service OM's currently on the SCIE SBP Leadership Course. WCCIS forms and supervision being reviewed to support a SBP. LD Team implemented a SBA Reflective monthly group.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A028: Continue roll out of the Your Choice model in co-ordination with other services including the identification of new providers as part of this phased approach.	31/03/2023	25%	Work progresses with providers converting to YC from Q4, with first reconciliations taking place and new packages commencing on the scheme. We have met with the next provider to discuss the Your Choice scheme and agree that reviews can commence for their existing packages. This is a large provider in the Western Vale so will take a number of weeks to turn the packages over to YC.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

CP Commitment: 3.7

Work with our partners to ensure timely and appropriate mental health and emotional well-being support.

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	pport and info	rmation to supp	port mental health and well-being for all ages with an	increased focu	s on arts and c	ultural services
and the benefits they bring.				-	-	
RMS/A030: Support the offer of innovative respite opportunities for unpaid carers.	31/03/2023	25%	Opportunities for funding and types of respite for unpaid carers being explored. Voucher scheme for unpaid carers to access a range of community activities will be accessible from September 2022	Green	Green	Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A031: Work in partnership with UHB to tender the Carers Gateway.	31/03/2023	25%	Tender process has concluded and contract awarded to Care Collective. Regular service monitoring to take place	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
SL/A019: Collaborate with partners to promote our schools and libraries as community and well-being hubs and increase the diversity of leisure, art and cultural learning opportunities available including digital opportunities.	31/03/2023	25%	The Vale of Glamorgan has been allocated £910,350 to be invested in delivering Community Focused Schools, to fund practical ways of improving school facilities in order to enable greater community use. This includes providing equipment storage for community groups running extra-curricular activities, improving external lighting in sports areas, and introducing security measures to segregate school and community use areas. The Council used data from the Welsh Index of Multiple Deprivation (WIMD) 2019 to identify schools in areas which have poor access to services. A further desktop review was undertaken which identified 9 schools which had existing facilities which could be improved utilising the available funding. This work will be programmed for completion in quarters 2 and 3.	Green		Learning and Culture Corporate Performance & Resources
			Community libraries ran over 100 events or activities in their libraries in Q1, with a couple of the libraries being particularly active in this regard. In relation to well-being and learning; Dinas Powys ran a regular yoga session, plus weekly breast			

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			feeding and weaning groups for new mothers. Wenvoe ran a regular Clwb Clonc for Welsh learners and speakers and they also ran a Silver Foxes group by providing a venue for local men to meet up for a weekly discussion. Main libraries ran over 650 activities, most of them weekly reading related activities but also a range of other activities including digital drop-ins, crochet and knitting groups, colouring and puzzle activities for adults, coffee mornings, Caffi Cymraeg and a FAN group. All library activities bring people together and aid feelings of connectedness and community, all of			
PB/A037: Maximise opportunities to signpost citizens to cultural and arts activities designed to enhance their mental health and wellbeing.	31/03/2023	0%	<ul> <li>which is positive for wellbeing.</li> <li>This work to be started as part of Phase 2</li> <li>GovService implementation, maximising use of electronic communications to cross promote activities within context of the residents enquiry.</li> </ul>	Red		Healthy Living and Social Care Learning & Culture
RMS/A021: Implement the fast track to care programme to support LA and private sector recruitment.	31/03/2023	25%	Cohort 1 of 7 - all completed with all candidates finding employment in the sector. Cohort 2 of 6 - all completed and now in interview process. Cohort 3 currently being enrolled to start June 27th.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A022: Pilot the creation of a relief pool of staff in residential care to establish a bank system.	31/03/2023	25%	A What's App group will be created to notify all relief workers of current vacant shifts. In addition looking at additional software used by a private company to see if this is more appropriate (Where we work)	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A023: Identify capacity and resource challenges within safeguarding teams.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular review of performance data to inform overview of this area of business. Requires further development of data; improvement in relation to timescales of CP conference and CLA reviews to be	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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			focus of 22/23. Monitor data to inform resource requirements.			
RMS/A024: Address capacity issues within contracting team as a result of rising numbers of providers moving into escalating concerns.	31/03/2023	25%	Temp Quality Assurance post has been established. Cost pressure funding received to ensure 2 x permanent QA posts are added to establishment, and further capacity within Contracting Officers.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A025: Embed the new escalating concerns procedures.	31/03/2023	0%	No commentary provided	Red		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A026: Contribute to the capacity planning workstream of the Reshaping Programme.	31/03/2023	25%	Attend regular capacity meetings to ensure RMS is appropriately represented. Restructure proposals finalised, next steps to consult with TU and staff. Additional OM capacity secured and trial in place.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Healthy Living and Social
RMS/A027: Review the wider structure of RMS to ensure resilience.	31/03/2023	25%	RMS structure review completed and OM appointment has taken place. Further meeting will be arranged to look at succession planning below team manager level, and further work underway to conclude the structure.	Green		Care Healthy Living and Social Care

CP Commitment: 3.8 Undertake our safeguarding duties to protect people from harm

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ADP37-Deliver the priorities of the Regional Safeguarding Board, ensuring effective arrangements are in place to protect children and adults at risk of neglect, abuse							
and exploitation.							
AS/A023: Contribute to the	31/03/2023	25%	Regular review and operational support of the	Green	Green	Healthy Living	
safeguarding agenda, by delivering			Corporate Safeguarding arrangements. Lead on			and Social	
Adult Services elements of the			CSG operational group. WAO audit			Care	

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Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.			recommendations revisited to review compliance. Ensure cross directorate representation and contribution			
CS/A015: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering CYPS' elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular review and operational support of the Corporate Safeguarding arrangements. Lead on CSG operational group. WAO audit recommendations revisited to review compliance. Ensure cross directorate representation and contribution	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A032: Deliver the priorities of the Regional Safeguarding Board, ensuring effective arrangements are in place to protect children and adults at risk of neglect, abuse and exploitation.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular attendance and contribution to the regional board and associated sub groups that take the lead on progressing the identified priorities	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
RMS/A033: Implement the Social Services elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Work Plan and work with other directorates to co- ordinate their contribution to delivery of the plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Annual Reporting and attendance at quarterly CSG Strategic Group and Operational Group	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
ALN/A023: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the ALN & Well-being elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Learning & skills form part of the Local Authority Corporate Safeguarding Group and as part of this a Corporate Safeguarding Annual Plan is produced and at this time work is undergoing to put in place a Corporate Safeguarding Work Plan, a representative of L&S sits on this work plan sub- group.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
ALN/A024: Ensure that all school staff, governors and all central staff have continued access to appropriate safeguarding training via virtual methods and the use of IDev.	31/03/2023	25%	The safeguarding training being delivered to all school and Directorate based DSP/DDSP is running at over 85% compliance. All school based staff requiring level 1 safeguarding now have access on IDEV and compliance monitoring can be accessed	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			via this portal. School Governor training continues with over 70 school Governors receiving an introduction safeguarding training this year and 47 Governors receiving bespoke Designated Safeguarding Governor training.			Healthy Living and Social Care
SP/A018: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the Standards & Provisions elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	All actions and recommendations contained with the CSG work plan that are relevant to L&S are communicated to Directorate and school staff via IDEV and face to face training, along with DMT updates and termly DSP forums.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care Learning and Culture
SL/A020: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the Strategy, Community Learning & Resources elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Ongoing and part of business as usual in supporting those undertaking safeguarding duties	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
SL/A021: Support schools to operate and maintain COVID control measures to ensure the safety of learners and school staff whilst at school.	31/03/2023	25%	Ongoing and part of business as usual in supporting those undertaking safeguarding duties	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A027: Contribute to supporting the safeguarding agenda across the local authority through the Corporate Safeguarding Group and delivery of our associated Action Plan actions related to school transport and play staff vetting.	31/03/2023	25%	DBS checks for passenger transport staff on-going with decisions made on suitability taken. Member of the passenger transport team put forward to sit on the Safeguarding Task and Finish group. safeguarding training sessions continue to be offered by the Sports Development team to local clubs/ organisations.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
NS/A028: Ensure transport staff and operators complete relevant training with spot checks to be undertaken by	31/03/2023	25%	Spot checks on-going for passenger transport services. Driving Licence checks and training/assessments undertaken as required.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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the Transport Services Team to ensure compliance.						Healthy Living and Social Care
HS/A015: Continue to implement the Older Person Accommodation with Care, Care Ready and Support Strategy to meet the needs of older people.	31/03/2023	25%	The consultant appointed to undertake the work (Housing LIN) has completed the primary research and review of best practise. They are in process of preparing a draft report.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
HS/A016: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the Housing and Building Services elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Front line staff have continued to promote Safeguarding and have attended awareness raising sessions related to Child and Adult Practise reviews during the last 12 months. All front line staff have received appropriate training and forms part of staff starter induction.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
SRS/A009: Work in partnership to safeguard the vulnerable to ensure that children are protected from harmful substances and products, older people are protected from rogue traders and scams and vulnerable people are not subject to exploitation, slavery and exploitation.	31/03/2023	25%	In Q1 representative of the CS TS team participated in The Smoking and Children & Young People's Action Plan for Cardiff and Vale. The purpose of the group is for partners in Cardiff and Vale to work together to reduce children and young people's smoking uptake and prevalence; exposure to second hand smoke and smoking related harms.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities Healthy Living and Social Care
			Links were established with the liaison officer for Gang masters and Labour Abuse Authority so that SRS has greater awareness of the Authority and reporting mechanisms. Training for hairdressers is being developed so that they know what to look out for when their clients tell them of incidents/scams and who they can call/refer to if they do have concerns for their clients etc. Goodie bags/envelopes with stickers, grab cards and letter describing scams, rogue			

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			trading and doorstep crime issues will be left with the hairdresser so they can give them to their older/vulnerable clientele.			
SRS/A010: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the SRS elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan	31/03/2023	25%	Our actions under the 'Safeguarding' strategic theme reflect the alignment of the Service with the corporate safeguarding arrangements of the three partner authorities.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
FS/A018: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering Finance elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Part of the quarter 2 work programme	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
HR/A015: Support the Corporate Safeguarding Group to monitor and challenge compliance with the Council's Safeguarding Policy in line with our responsibilities and contribute to implementation of the Corporate Safeguarding Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is ongoing	Green	-	Healthy Living and Social Care
LD/A015: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering the Legal and Democratic Services elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	This work is on-going throughout 2022/2023. The OM LS attends the Corporate Safeguarding Board meetings and ensures compliance with mandatory safeguarding training via iDev.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
LD/A016: Ensure all staff are up to date with relevant safeguarding training and complete corporate mandatory training on IDEV.	31/03/2023	25%	This work is on-going throughout 2022/2023. The OM LS attends the Corporate Safeguarding Board meetings and ensures compliance with mandatory safeguarding training via iDev.	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care
PB/A038: Contribute to the safeguarding agenda, by delivering PB&T elements of the Corporate Safeguarding Group Work Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has continued to support the Safeguarding agenda with relevant chief officers regularly attending the Corporate Safeguarding Group's meetings and delivering specific actions. Work continues within the Communications Team to	Green		Healthy Living and Social Care

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			share appropriate messaging internally and externally. During the quarter, the service also coordinated a discussion around safeguarding practices for volunteers at the Insight Board.			

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-	the Safer Vale	Action Plan incl	uding priorities for social cohesion and community pr	otection and de	evelop a new S	afer Vale
Strategy for 2023-2026. HS/A017: Work with partners to deliver the Safer Vale Action Plan including priorities for social cohesion and community protection and develop a new Safer Vale Strategy for 2023-2026.	31/03/2023	25%	The Safer Vale Partnership and in particular the Council Community Safety Team continued to progress on the delivery of the Safer Vale Partnership's action plan. 3 of the deferred actions from the previous year that were brought forward to 2022-2023 involved the refresh and development of a communications strategy for the partnership. A scoping meeting was held with Council comms to establish the best way forward regarding this and an initial meeting was held between comms, Council Community Safety and South Wales Police colleagues to begin defining the parameters of this piece of work. This successful first meeting has paved the way for a development workshop with all partners that will take place in the following qtr. Development work for the new strategy has commenced through the collection of data that will inform the priorities of the partnership moving forward. Analysis of this data is underway as have conversations regarding the new duties that will be	Green	Green	Homes and Safe Communities

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			imposed on the partnership and that will need to			
			be included in the new strategy.			
			The partnership has continued working on a significant piece of work regarding the			
			development of an approved providers list. This list			
			will be used to set a benchmark of minimum			
			standards for public sector services to refer to			
			third and other sector non-commissioned services.			
			It is hoped that such a system will ensure			
			consistently safe referrals to non-commissioned			
			services and will improve the support provided to			
			third and other sector services to access referrals			
			from the public sector.			
HS/A018: Work with partners to	31/03/2023	25%	A new community cohesion officer was recruited	Green		Homes and
deliver pathways and provide advice			through the qtr. This has supported progress on			Safe
and support to people who			the actions within the community cohesion plan.			Communities
experience abuse, harassment and			Campaigns have taken place via social media			
stalking, hate crime, including			platforms in support of a number of community			Healthy Living
women from ethnic minorities,			initiatives and national days such as the Jewish			and Social
disabled women, women with			festival of Lag BaOmer, Pentecost, Gypsy Roma			Care
complex needs, children and young			and Traveller History Month and Refugee week.			
people and men.			The Community Safety Team has continued an			
			active presence online to improve cohesion across			
			the Vale and improve the information given to			
			residents relating to community safety issues. The			
			team has continued to receive community tension			
			monitoring referrals throughout the qtr and			
			process any referrals in a way that ensures a			
			partnership approach is taken to dealing with			
			complex issues of tension among the Vale			
			communities.2 tension monitoring forms were			

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			received across the qtr and both were actioned appropriately.			
			Meetings were held with the Community Cohesion Group Chair to look at further improvements to the Community Cohesion Group Agenda and membership. Additional members are being sought from communities that are currently underrepresented. The group hold a firm commitment to ensuring that the group is as diverse as possible to ensure representation from the varied different communities across the Vale within the life of community safety.			
			Across the qtr there were 40 hate incidents. These were migratorily racial incidents followed by disability. The Local Authority and South Wales Police continue to actively promote the reporting of hate crime so any increases in figures are not necessarily seen as negative indications of increases in hate crime. The Community Safety Team completed all necessary input into the Equality and Diversity returns for the Council and have developed work to further improve the collecting and recording of protected characteristics information to support service delivery.			
HS/A020: Develop plans and structures to deliver for new Legislative Duties, Serious Violence Duty and the PROTECT Duty that are likely to be passed in 2022/23.	31/03/2023	25%	The PSPG group have continued to progress on the development of an action plan to ensure the Council's readiness for the requirements that will be passed upon it with the implementation of the new PROTECT duty. A meeting with the heads of primary and secondary school teachers across the	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			Vale has been organised for the new school year in 2022 to support schools to roll out ACT Awareness training that will help them be in line with the requirements of the new duty. The Community Safety team have worked with colleagues across other Council departments to implement mandatory training for the whole Council. The Community Safety Team have met with YOS colleagues and the PCC to begin looking at taking forward the requirements that will likely be in place with the implementation of the new Serious Violence Duty. This has involved establishing meetings that will take place in the next qtr to begin looking at the parameters for the strategic needs assessment that will inform the strategy and action plan for the new duty once it comes into force (which is expected to be towards the beginning of 2023.) The Community Safety Team have already highlighted gaps in relation to work with young people within the remit of serious violence and this has prompted meetings with St Giles trust to look at joint work to improve the engagement and therefore outcomes with young			
HS/A021: Develop options for a Regional CCTV solution with Cardiff City Council.	31/03/2023	25%	<ul> <li>people who perpetrate serious violence and persistent ASB within the Vale.</li> <li>Progress on the CCTV service has advanced successfully. All orders for equipment for phase 1 of the project have been placed and the Council are in possession of all new cameras for the upgrade. New cameras have been installed in Penarth and the implementation schedule for the remaining cameras is in development. Orders for</li> </ul>	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			the connectivity and wireless aspects of the project			
			have also been placed and the Council are			
			progressing with the expected lead in times from			
			BT for the connections to be installed.			
			The new monitoring system has been installed in			
I			the Civic Centre where improved features include			
			an improved mechanism to review footage so that			
			large time frames can be compartmentalised to			
l			'find' a looked for subject matter within minutes.			
			SIA trained officers within the Community Safety			
			Team have had their first training session on the			
			new system, as have the strategic leads to inform			
			the development of KPIs for the system.			
			Progress on the development of the documents,			
			policies and procedures necessary for an effective			
			collaborative project with Cardiff have also been			
			underway. Weekly meetings have been taking			
			place to ensure open communication, effective			
			progress and the finding of rapid solutions where			
			necessary. The collaboration has been a very			
			positive example of effective partnership working			
			so far.			
ADP40-Implement the Regional Viole	nce against Wo	men, Domestic	Abuse and Sexual Violence Strategy (VAWDASV).			
HS/A019: Implement the Regional	31/03/2023	25%	Work has continued on progressing the actions of	Green	Green	Homes and
Violence against Women, Domestic			the VAWDASV strategy. The team have continued			Safe
Abuse and Sexual Violence Strategy			to oversee and coordinate the MARAC process.51			Communities
(VAWDASV).			cases were reviewed in the multi-agency meetings			
			of which 19 were repeat cases from the 1st of April			
			2021. In keeping with expected data, the majority			
			were female victims with only 8 male victims			
			throughout the qtr. The twice weekly meetings			

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			continued to improve the outcomes for the victims			
			of high-risk victims of domestic abuse by ensuring			
			a more rapid multi agency approach can be			
			provided. 107 cases were supported by the twice			
			weekly meetings of which 34 were referred to the			
			MARAC process. This means that 71% of cases			
			were diverted away from the MARAC process			
			altogether, which will have had a significant impact			
			on improving the MARAC effectiveness and			
			efficiency. 6 of the cases involved LGBT victims and			
			3 were from BME backgrounds. 42 applications			
			were made to Clare's Law. the team continue to			
			actively promote the importance of using this vital			
			tool to support the safety of women who think			
			they might be at risk of being in a relationship with			
			a perpetrator of domestic abuse.			
			The team has continued to process standard and			
			medium PPNS where the victim has given consent			
			for their data to be shared. 139 cases were			
			processed where the majority were female victims,			
			which is in keeping with expectations. The majority			
			of these were standard PPNs and 58 were repeat			
			cases which at 42% is roughly in keeping with			
			expected rates of repeat victims of domestic			
			abuse. The DAARC coordinator made 293 referrals			
			for these victims and their families.			
ALN/A025: Ensure that education	31/03/2023	25%	The safeguarding officer for L&S is heavily	Green		Learning and
services implement the Violence			committed to the delivery of group 2 VAWDASV			Culture
against Women, Domestic Abuse and			training, delivering this with colleagues to school			
Sexual Violence Strategy			and LA Directorates. L&S are currently undergoing			
			Group 3 'Workplace champion' training to further			
			support the VAWDASV agenda.			

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ADP41- Work with partners to implement No actions identified	ent the Youth (	Offending Servio	e Recovery Plan to enhance young people's outcome	25.		

CP Commitment: 3.10	Keep people safe through strong and resilient emergency planning and regulatory services which protect the public, consumers and
	business.

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ADP38-Deliver the actions contained in the Shared Regulatory Services Business plan for 2022/23 to improve health and well-being, safeguard the vulnerable, protect												
the environment, support the local ec		ximise the use										
SRS/A012: Support victims of illegal money lending to access debt advice, rebuild their finances and make a sustainable transition to legal credit and carry out enforcement to remove loan sharks from communities.	31/03/2023	25%	Website update and brand relaunch progressing with a view to supporting victims, particularly in light of the cost-of-living crisis and post covid economy. A digital campaign is progress with Credit Union Wales focussing on social media messaging and blogs throughout the campaign to highlight the dangers of borrowing from illegal money lenders.	Green	Green	Homes and Safe Communities						
SRS/A013: Review site licensing conditions in place to manage caravan sites and holiday parks to ensure they are suitable and sufficient to protect the health and safety of the public.	31/03/2023	N/A	This is scheduled for Quarter 2 / 3	N/A		Corporate Performance and Resources Homes and Safe Communities						
SRS/A014: Deliver the actions contained in the Shared Regulatory Services Business plan for 2022/23 to improve health and wellbeing, safeguard the vulnerable, protect the environment, support the local	31/03/2023	25%	The SRS Business Plan was approved in June 2022, and good progress has already been made in delivering several of the actions contained in the Plan. We continue to safeguard the vulnerable through ongoing work around rogue trading, doorstep crime, illegal money lending and ensuring children are protected from harmful substance and			Homes and Safe Communities						

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economy and maximise the use of resources.			products; The service also continues to work with partners in managing Covid-19 in high risk settings through our TTP role. Furthermore, the Section 18 Health and Safety Service Plan was adopted by the Joint Committee, who are updated regularly on the progress made against the delivery of the SRS Business Plan			

CP Commitment: 3.11 Increase the supply of good quality, accessible and affordable housing by working in partnership to address housing need.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG		
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ADP42-Maximise Council house buildi		ion opportuniti	es including Holm View Phase 2 and progress the dev			1
across the Vale.	0		5	•		
HS/A023: Maximise the supply of	31/03/2023	25%	Starts on site achieved at Hayeswood Road, Barry	Green	Green	Environment
Council rented accommodation by			(53 units) and St Cyres Road, Penarth (14 units).			and
completing schemes at Hayes Road,			Contracts to be signed for Coldbrook Road East,			Regeneration
Barry and St Cyres Road, Penarth and			Barry (20 units) and Colcot Clinic, Barry (12 units)			
commence development of over 130			with imminent start on site. Holm View Phase 2,			Homes and
new Council Homes at 5 sites across			Barry (31 units) and Maes y Ffynnon, Bonvilston (8			Safe
the Vale of Glamorgan including			units) awaiting Planning decision.			Communities
Barry, Penarth and the rural Vale.						
ADP43-Implement a five-year Local Ho	ousing strategy	to address hou	sing need and reduce homelessness and to increase t	he supply of go	od quality, acc	essible and
affordable housing.						
HS/A024: Implement a five-year	31/03/2023	25%	LHS is in place to cover period up to 2026. Delivery	Green	Green	Environment
Local Housing strategy to address			of objectives is on target and monitored by the			and
housing need and reduce			OHF.			Regeneration
homelessness and to increase the						
supply of good quality, accessible and						Homes and
affordable housing.						Safe
						Communities

CP Commitment: 3.12	Provide housing advice and support to prevent homelessness
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Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP44-Work with partners to reduce	homelessness a	and implement	a Housing Support Programme Strategy.			
HS/A025: Expand the provision of Council managed hostel/temporary accommodation.	31/03/2023	25%	A potential property has been identified and negotiations are underway with vendor. In addition, a planning application has been made for conversion of the existing building into self- contained units for homeless households.	Green	Green	Homes and Safe Communities
HS/A026: Work with partners to reduce homelessness and implement a Housing Support Programme Strategy and Homelessness Prevention Plan ensuring equality of access to services.	31/03/2023	25%	A range of actions are being progressed in line with the HSP action plan. These include recruitment of dedicated Rapid Rehousing Officer to work with households in temporary accommodation and expedite their move on to more permanent forms of accommodation. The RRO will work alongside existing support workers at the hotels.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
HS/A027: Maximise the Homelessness Prevention grant fund to support people in temporary accommodation and address longer term housing needs.	31/03/2023	25%	Award letter has been received from WG. 2022/23 allocation includes an allowance for a new Strategy Coordinator role (which will be recruited shortly). Additional funding of £190k awarded to support [prevention activities during 22/23 but grant allocation has been reduced to reflect the longer- term funding of B&B at HIE.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
HS/A028: Implement the Renting Home (Wales) Act by reviewing and redrafting Occupancy Agreements, associated policies and processes in line with statutory requirements.	31/03/2023	25%	Extension for implementation has been extended to Dec 2022. New occupancy contracts have been finalised in draft format and will be send out to existing tenants in Sept 2022. Clarification has been requested from WG in respect of any further changes to model contracts. Staff training has been completed and existing policies and procedures are being updated to reflect the terms of the Act. Information regarding the changes has been	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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			publicised on the Council's web site and a newsletter is going out with the July rent statements.			
HS/A029: Work with partners to deliver a new Gypsy and Traveller Needs Assessment and identify a potential Gypsy and Traveller site.	31/03/2023	25%	Draft GTAA has been received from consultants (ORS) however clarification has been sought from WG in relation to a specific aspect of the methodology which will have an impact on how the final need figure is calculated.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
RP/A024: Increase the supply of good quality, accessible and affordable housing by maximising opportunities through the planning system and by working in partnership with housing colleagues.	31/03/2023	25%	Of the 106 dwellings approved during Q1 54 were affordable (51%). Securing off-site affordable housing monies in line with policy. Regular support provided to housing colleagues regarding council house schemes including Holm View and Myrtle Crescent. Continued application of robust affordable housing policies and negotiating with developers to secure 30-40% of affordable housing as applicable. Major affordable housing developments approved at Coldbrook Road East and Former Cowbridge Girls School.	Green		Homes and Safe Communities
RP/A025: Work with colleagues across the Council and Welsh Government to deliver the Empty Property Management Support Programme (Enforcement Action Plan) and ensure the Council continues to be pro-active in its approach to returning problematic, long-term empty private sector homes, derelict commercial properties and land back into use.	31/03/2023	25%	First time use of the Enforced Sale Procedure has been invoked in respect of 11 Redlands Road, and Section 103 notices (Law of Property Act 1925) served on the owner.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Homes and Safe Communities
SP/A019: Work with partners to identify and deliver effective	31/03/2023	25%	The Youth Homelessness project is working closely with schools on a preventative measure to support learners, this is in close contact with Llamau and	Green		Homes and Safe Communities

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interventions for young people at risk			VoG Housing who deliver programmes for families			
of homelessness.			at risk of homelessness. We are working			Healthy Living
			collaboratively with Llamau Emphasis workers on			and Social
			cases where there is transition into post16 and			Care
			possible tenancy or supported accommodation			
			may be required. The project is on target for the			Learning and
			WG grant funding it sits within.			Culture

## **APPENDIX 2: Performance Indicators**

Well-being Objective 3: To Support People at Home and in their Community

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/063: Number of sports clubs which offer either inclusive or specific disability opportunities.	61	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No update provided	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/064: Percentage of adults reporting that they participate in sports/ physical activity three or more times a week.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/042: Percentage of NERS clients whose health had improved on completion of the exercise programme.	N/A	36.36	No Target	N/A	N/A	The Co-ordinator and Exercise Referral Development officer are working with the Exercise Referral Professionals to improve many measures on the data collection from our clients. Improvements are being made but we are still missing some parts. Continued	Healthy Living & Social Care

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						worked is required and we hope to improve this measure with the advent of an online link which allow clients access to the forms via a text or email from the team.	
PAM/017: Number of visits to local authority sport and leisure facilities during the year where the visitor will be participating in physical activity per 1,000 population.	205	1698	No Target	N/A	1	Decent figures for Q1 compared to 2021/22	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/066: Satisfaction with public transport including a) accessibility and b) road safety.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/067: Satisfaction with public transport in the Vale of Glamorgan.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/068: Percentage of adults 60+ who have a concessionary bus pass.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/070: Percentage of users showing satisfaction with a Families First service accessed.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/071: The total number of new assessments completed for children during the year						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/072: The total number of assessments completed by the IAA service during the year where: Needs were only able to be met with a care and support plan	72	93	No Target	N/A	<b>^</b>	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/073: The number of reviews completed within statutory timescales that were: child protection reviews	54	44	No Target	N/A	4	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/074: The number of reviews completed within statutory timescales that were: looked after reviews (including pathway plan reviews and pre-adoption reviews)	166	89	No Target	N/A	4	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/075: The number of reviews completed within statutory timescales that were: reviews of children in need of care and support						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/076 (CH/039): The number of children looked after at 31st March	290	286	No Target	N/A	$\downarrow$	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/077: Percentage of Supporting People service users who confirm that the support that they have received has assisted them to maintain their independence.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/078: Percentage of Supporting People clients satisfied with support provided.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/079: Percentage of telecare customers satisfied with the telecare monitoring service.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/080: The total number of carers needs assessments for adults undertaken during the year	57	44	No Target	N/A	4	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/081: The total number of services started during the year where that service is: Domiciliary Care	128	269	No Target	N/A	1	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/082: The total number of services started during the year where that service is: Day Care	4	0	No Target	N/A	$\downarrow$	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/083: The number of care and support plans that were due to be reviewed during the year	317	381	No Target	N/A	1	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/084: The number of care and support plans that were due to be reviewed during the year Of those, the number whose reviews were completed within the statutory timescales	252	175	No Target	N/A	$\checkmark$	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/085: The number of adults supported with direct payments that were due for review during the year	25	39	No Target	N/A	1	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/086: The number of adults supported with direct payments that were due for review during the year Of those, the number that were completed within statutory timescales	10	11	No Target	N/A	<b>^</b>	This figure is a measure of activity data only	Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/088: Percentage of domestic abuse victims that report that they feel safer as a result of target hardening.	78.5%	100%	100%	Green	1	Of the 21 target hardening referrals, 10 provided feedback. Of these 10, 100% reported feeling safer, 100% reported that they felt the target hardening had stopped them going into refuge and 100% stated they were happy with the service. One referral stated that she would recommend the contractors who provided the service and another echoed that she was very pleased with them.	Homes & Safe Communities Healthy Living & Social Care
CPM/089: Number of additional affordable housing units granted planning permission during the year as a percentage of all additional housing units granted planning permission during the year.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities
PAM/023: Percentage of food establishments which are 'broadly compliant' with food hygiene standard.	97.1%	97.5%	94%	Green	1	Target exceeded.	Homes & Safe Communities

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/091: The percentage of tenants satisfied with the programmed works.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/092: Average number of working days to let an empty property (standard condition). (Housemark)	21.3 days	Incorrect figures provided	20 days	N/A	N/A	Performance has dipped for the first quarter due to staff shortages, and material supply issues. The team are working hard to improve turnaround times and it is expected to return to the accepted levels	Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/093: Percentage of people who have received a Disabled Facilities Grant who feel the assistance has made them safer and more independent in their own home.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Healthy Living & Social Care Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/094: (PAM015): Average number of calendar days taken to deliver a Disabled Facilities Grant.	359 days	273 days	350 days	Green	Υ.	No commentary provided	Healthy Living & Social Care Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/095: (PAM/013) The percentage of private sector dwellings that have been vacant for more than six months at 1 April that were returned to occupation during the year through direct action from the local authority.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities
PAM/045: Number of new homes created as result of bring empty properties back into use.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities
PAM/037: Average number of days to complete all repairs.	No update provide d	No update provided	N/A	N/A	N/A	No update provided	Homes & Safe Communities

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
PAM/036: Number of additional affordable housing units delivered during the year per 10,000 households.						Annual national performance indicator. To be reported at quarter 4.	Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/137: Number of new accessible/adapted homes delivered	5	2	9	Red	Ŷ	There have been two wheelchair accessible units completed at the former Windsor Hotel pub in Barry. Further units delayed and will be delivered in the next guarter.	Homes & Safe Communities Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/012: Percentage of households successfully prevented from becoming homeless.	64.5%	49%	70%	Red	Ŷ	Prevention success percentage continues to improve, despite the pressures on the service and the number of household still presenting as homelessness with S21 notices. Although the private rented sector continues to be explored for solutions the spiralling rental cost are often for beyond the affordable reach of many households. The Council and RSL new build programmes are having a very positive impact with households receiving prompt permanent offers of social accommodation. This is also having a positive impact in reducing numbers of households in bed & breakfast/hotel type accommodation particularly.	Homes & Safe Communities
CPM/096: Percentage of all households where a positive prevention action succeeded in preventing/relieving homelessness.	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Homes & Safe Communities

## Additional National Performance Indicator Measures

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
PAM/041: Percentage of NERS clients who completed the exercise programme.	N/A	23.23	No Target	N/A	N/A	We are still operating safely as many of our clients would be classed as Vulnerable. We are restricting our class sizes to ensure safety and have been operating for the majority of this quarter with a staff vacancy. We hope to see improvements within the numbers in quarter 2. This is also 'live' data and as the team catch up with more clients over the coming quarter this data may change	Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/040: Percentage of Welsh Public Library Standards Quality Indicators (with targets) achieved by the library service.						This Performance Indicator is monitored annually.	Learning & Culture
PAM/025: Rate of people kept in hospital while waiting for social care per 1,000 population aged 75+	N/A	No update provided	N/A	N/A	N/A	No update provided	Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/028: Percentage of child assessments completed in time.	56.7%	No update provided	N/A	N/A	N/A	No update provided	Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/029: Percentage of children in care who have had to move 3 or more times.	1.7	1.4	9	Green	1	No commentary provided	Healthy Living & Social Care
PAM/038: Landlord Services: Percentage of homes that meet the Welsh Housing Quality Standard (WHQS).	No update provided	100%	100%	Green	N/A	At present the stock is 100% compliant with WHQS. Currently Keystone is reporting 860 properties with acceptable fails (AFs) and 3029 fully compliant properties. This means that 22.11% of the Council's stock is classed as AFs. During the last quarter 19 properties were changed from AF's to compliant (property with no component	Homes & Safe Communities

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						failures). A number of properties have had works completed to change their status to compliant, however, due to the progress with the stock condition surveys a number of properties status' were changed from compliant to non compliant. These properties will be programmed for improvement works. The Capital Projects and Voids Teams continue to pick up the upgrade of WHQS elements whereby a scheme is packaged, procured and completed, or a property becomes void or a tenant changes their mind and requests for the WHQS works to be completed.	
						The Development & Investment Team were working with the Procurement Unit to start the internal kitchen and bathroom replacements from March 2022. But due to further delays due to staff turnover we are now working towards Sept 2022. 860 acceptable fails, made up of: Cost of Remedy - 5 Physical Constraint - 252 Residents Choice - 270 Timing of Remedy - 333	

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
PAM/039: Landlord Services: Percentage of rent lost due to properties being empty.	0.002	0.015	2%	Green	1	Rent loss within target for quarter. This reflects a lower number of long term voids which are 'on hold' pending major repairs. It also reflects the lower turnover of standard properties during the period.	Homes & Safe Communities

**Note**: In addition to the above listed Public Accountability Measures, the Welsh Government also require that Social Services reports metrics annually as part of its Performance and Improvement Framework for Social Services aligned to the *Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014* and the associated Code of Practice. This Framework contains metrics categorised by Adults, Children and Carers that have been split across the 9 thematics of the *Social Services and Well-being (Wales) Act 2014*.

## **APPENDIX 1: Service Plan Actions contributing to this Well-being Objective**

Well-being Objective 4: To respect, enhance and enjoy our environment

		•	carbon emissions to net zero before 2030 and en our activities on the environment	courage others	to follow our le	ad as part of
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	-	-	, focusing work on our buildings, energy use, tran	sport, land and	food and work	with the Public
Services Board to reduce our carbo CS/A017: Maintain the benefits of	31/03/2023	25%	First Meeting of the new work stream has	Green	Green	Corporate
hybrid working by reducing unnecessary journeys, maximising our use of technologies and ensurin	a		taken place. TOR's agreed.			Performance and Resources
more effective use of our assets.	5					Environment and Regeneration
						Healthy Living & Social Care
RMS/A034: Agree and implement the future operating model for RMS in the context of the Council's Transformation agenda and 'Eich	31/03/2023	25%	First Meeting of the new work stream has taken place. TOR's agreed. Original staff survey to be reviewed and updated.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
Lle'- 'Your Space' project.						Environment and Regeneration
						Healthy Living & Social Care
ALN/A026: Maintain the benefits of the hybrid model of working by reducing unnecessary journeys, maximising our use of technologies	31/03/2023	25%	The Directorate is following the Council approach to developing a hybrid model of service delivery. There is a need to provide a service to schools which requires specialist staff to visit schools on a regular basis.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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and ensuring more effective use of our assets.			However, such journeys are only undertaken where necessary and meetings take place on- line where appropriate. The use of office space is under review and consultation with staff is ongoing to ensure that only those who require			Environment and Regeneration Learning and Culture
			office space in order to carry out their duties effectively are office based.			
ALN/A027: Ensure specialist provision continues using online technology for assessments and reviews where possible ensuring that	31/03/2023	25%	Training for online systems has been rolled out to most specialist provisions. Further computers have been purchased to ensure that all specialist provisions have access to online	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
ALN needs are addressed.			systems. Training is planned for the Autumn term on these systems. Further development of tracking and reporting will be developed			Environment and Regeneration
			over the year. New assessment methods are being considered and investigated in relation to the new curriculum. Online systems for monitoring ALP across schools are being investigated, alongside the development of the IDP portal.			Learning and Culture
SP/A020: Maintain the benefits of the hybrid model of working by reducing unnecessary journeys, maximising our use of technologies	31/03/2023	25%	Within the team, we are committed to working in an agile manner, and as such, continue to work remotely, fully embracing the benefits of the hybrid model.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
and ensuring more effective use of our assets.						Environment and Regeneration
						Learning and Culture
SL/A022: Utilise new technologies and digital practices to reduce electricity usage and carbon	31/03/2023	25%	SIOB Decarbonisation Board has continued to deliver behaviour change, asset renewal strategy and infrastructure required to respond	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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emissions across the Council, including the education estate.			effectively to the Council's climate emergency. Information packs have been produced and provided to schools to aid in behavioural change. This will continue to be reviewed to ensure they provide the most up to date advice. Condition surveys have been undertaken and completed in March 2022. Identified schemes in May for priority works. Salix schemes have continued to progress installing LED lighting in all schools and proceeding with procurement for solar PV schemes to existing schools. In addition, the fuel stretcher add-on to gas boiler system is under review to see if a wider rollout is appropriate. Currently reviewing scope to expand on site electricity generation by expanding PV within School grounds and looking at alternative energy generation options to help address rising energy costs.			Environment and Regeneration Learning and Culture
SL/A024: Further invest in carbon reduction measures across the education estate.	31/03/2023	25%	Salix schemes are ongoing. We need to increase rollout of scheme to 6 projects a year to ensure targets are met. Currently reviewing expanding the scope of carbon reduction measures implemented in existing education estate in response to rising energy costs.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration Learning and Culture

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NS/A032: Establish a network of locally accessible electric vehicle charging points and undertake work to ensure a more sustainable Council vehicle fleet including the use of electric, hybrid and alternatively fuelled vehicles in line with current EU Environmental Standards.	31/03/2023	25%	Tender and plans in place to install EV chargers for current pool cars and potential new EV's. Install in Q2. ULEV's are being considered as part of the vehicle replacement fund. However it should be noted costs coming back on larger vehicles are still extremely high.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A037: Complete the conversion of the remaining bespoke / ornamental street lanterns to LED.	31/03/2023	25%	The design and conversion of bespoke and ornamental lighting to LED is currently ongoing and will be progressed in phases which will be location specific to assist with managing the process from a resource and cost perspective. The first areas to be progressed will include Penarth Esplanade / Cliff Hill and Penarth Marina for which design work is currently ongoing with anticipated implementation in Q2 subject to lead-in periods for specialist lanterns. Other areas will be identified as the project progresses and the extent of the conversion programme is subject budget and resource available during the current financial year.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A038: Continue undertaking route optimisation of school transport services to ensure pupil safety, increase service efficiency and reduce carbon emissions.	31/03/2023	25%	On-going with a number of issues - COVID cases and lack of relief drivers, lack of passenger transport operators available to undertake work, a growing number of pupils requiring school transport and spiralling costs of the provision.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
HS/A032: Deliver a sustainable alternative sewage arrangement for	31/03/2023	25%	Project design has been completed and tendered. The Private sector charges are being	Green		Environment and Regeneration

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residents at Channel View, Marcross and Croft John, Penmark.			discussed with those affected to ensure they are aware of the costs and affordability.			
FS/A021: Manage our use of land, buildings and other assets to support work to tackle climate change, rationalising what we need and improving sustainability and energy efficiency.	31/03/2023	25%	The team has recently installed photovoltaic solar panels as part of a roof replacement scheme at Cowbridge Leisure Centre and is planning a future programme of works targeting high energy consuming assets initially. A number of projects are being explored including opportunities for low carbon heat and renewable energy generation and further information will be included later this year. A CRF funded project to understand the wider County Carbon Footprint (external to the Councils own carbon footprint which we already have data on) is in progress with Wardell Armstrong appointed. This work is proposed to help the Council to understand the scale of the County's Carbon footprint as a whole and will assist officers to understand key areas for community leadership and engagement activity. The delivery date for this project is later on this year, so further updates will be provided in due course.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
FS/A022: Gather, review and submit data information required for annual net zero carbon footprint submission to Welsh Government	31/03/2023	25%	The Welsh Government Carbon Footprint calculation methodology has been released and initial data has been scoped for submission by the reporting deadline in September 2022. Further updates to follow in the summer.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and
FS/A023: Reduce the amount of energy we all use and lead by example, sourcing our energy from	31/03/2023	25%	Corporate Energy procurement remains 100% renewable energy. Large scale renewable energy projects are being scoped on the estate.	Green		Regeneration Environment and Regeneration

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clean and renewable sources and working across all sectors to bring new technology, innovation and investment to the Vale.			Smaller building scale schemes are also being developed for implementation as part of a programme. Eight schemes have been submitted to the Welsh Government for funding via the public sector decarbonisation fund.			
FS/A025: Revise our Contract Management and Procurement policies and practices to ensure they support our ambition to reduce waste and carbon emissions.	31/03/2023	25%	Work has commenced in this area. The Procurement Policy & Strategy is under review and the approach has been shared and discussed at Project Zero and Insight Boards.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
HR/A016: Review and rationalise our corporate policies to invest in supporting infrastructure to encourage more freedom, trust and empowerment.	31/03/2023	25%	We continue to review our policy including sustainability, this includes our pay and benefits which will see a number of changes to schemes such as the cycle to work scheme etc.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
HR/A017: Provide training for staff and Members on climate change as part of raising awareness, changing behaviours and transforming services.	31/03/2023	25%	A Climate Change training programme was developed in Q1 and has been approved by parties of the Project Zero board in Q2, we are awaiting the content to be reviewed by our biodiversity team. Anticipated roll out end of Q2 / Q3.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
HR/A018: Implement a H&S and Fire Strategy with a focus on the development of a workforce safety and well-being culture and ensuring the establishment of a robust H&S review process.	31/03/2023	50%	Fire Strategy is currently under consultation and will finalised during Q2/Q3. Policies will continue to be reviewed to March 2023. We are building a review process for HSW with quarterly stats to all Directors and a quarterly review report to the CEO. The environmental impact has been built into COSHH.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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LD/A017: Support the Council's work to take collective action to tackle climate and nature emergencies and implement our Climate Change	31/03/2023	25%	In line with Council policy.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
Challenge Plan.						Environment and Regeneration
						Learning & Culture
PB/A040: Develop and co-ordinate the delivery of the Project Zero Challenge Plan including regular progress reports.	31/03/2023	25%	Progress report drafted for CPR scrutiny in July and Cabinet. Project Zero Board continues to meet bi-monthly.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
						Environment and Regeneration
PB/A041: Work with our PSB partners to take action in response to the climate emergency and encourage behaviour change within	31/03/2023	25%	Updates against charter commitments gathered for the PSB Annual Report. A range of activities being undertaken across all aspects from transport to waste and biodiversity.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
our organisations and the local community.			Climate change will also be a priority in the new Well-being Plan.			Environment and Regeneration
PB/A042: Lead on the engagement, communications, evidence and food systems challenges in the Climate Challenge Plan.	31/03/2023	25%	Work is progressing on food with regards to activities with Food Vale who have bronze status with sustainable cities and funding has been awarded by the Heritage Lottery Fund for	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources
			the Llantwit Major food poverty work. In addition, discussions are taking place around food waste in schools. A programme for engagement and communications has been			Environment and Regeneration
			developed around the Project Zero brand, with increased engagement with local communities and press releases highlighting work on climate change and use of the branding on signage.			

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			Further work is being undertaken to improve data collection including a project to understand carbon emissions within the community and also work associated with procurement.			
RP/A026: Implement and lead upon the relevant commitments (focussing on planning, regeneration, community economic growth, green infrastructure and transport) of the Project Zero Action Plan to mitigate the effects of climate change and reduce the negative impact on the environment.	31/03/2023	25%	Increased importance placed upon landscaping, tree planting and bio-diversity enhancements when determining planning applications. Developing plans for a transport interchange at the Dock Office to enable more sustainable access to the office and surrounding areas. Climate and nature emergencies placed at heart of planning decision making. LDP review commenced work on objectives an vision with climate / nature focus. Work continuing of the Green Infrastructure Plan in collaboration with other service areas. Work with Active travel officer regarding new route between St Athan and Rhoose.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
AS/A024: Agree and implement the future operating model for Adult Services in the context of the Council's Transformation agenda and 'Eich Lle'- 'Your Space' project.	31/03/2023	25%	First meeting of the new work stream has taken place. TOR's agreed. Initial review of accommodation needs previously submitted has been undertaken and in the process of revisiting and amending accordingly.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration Healthy Living & Social Care
SRS/A015: Support the implementation of the Project Zero Climate Change Challenge Plan through the delivery of regulatory	31/03/2023	25%	Preparation work has been carried out to ensure that the necessary infrastructure is in place to deliver on the Minimum Energy Efficiency Standards legislation in the private	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources

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activities that contribute to the			rented sector. Compliance and enforcement			Environment and
reduction of carbon emissions.			work in this regard will commence later in the			Regeneration
			year when the enforcement tool kit is			
			available.			Homes & Safe
						Communities
ADP47-Improve existing school buildi	ngs and deliver	new buildings	for St Nicholas, St Baruc, the Centre of Learning a	nd Wellbeing, ۱	(sgol y Deri, and	d primary school
provision in Cowbridge, where possib	le making them	n low carbon an	d ideally zero carbon buildings to operate.			
SL/A023: Improve existing school	31/03/2023	25%	Ysgol Sant Baruc is under construction and will	Green	Green	Corporate
buildings and deliver new buildings			be delivered as low carbon. St Nicholas is			Performance and
for St Nicholas, St Baruc, the Centre			planned for construction in September 2022			Resources
of Learning and Well-being, Ysgol y			and will be net zero carbon in operation.			
Deri, and primary school provision in			Centre for Learning and Wellbeing is under			Environment and
Cowbridge, where possible making			construction and will be net zero carbon in			Regeneration
them low carbon and ideally zero			operation. Ysgol Y Deri is planned for			
carbon buildings to operate.			construction in October / November 2022 and			Learning and
			will be net zero carbon in operation. The team			Culture
			are aiming to improve existing construction			
			model to include net zero carbon during			
			construction to make new project net zero			
			over whole life.			
ADP48-Deliver near zero carbon, or	at a minimum	A rated new C	ouncil homes utilising Modern Methods of Cons	struction and o	ff-site manufa	turing and develop
<b>Optimised Retrofit Programmes to m</b>	eet carbon redu	uction targets fo	or the existing Council housing stock and to help t	ackle fuel pove	rty.	
HS/A030: Deliver near zero carbon, or	31/03/2023	25%	New schemes currently under construction at	Green	Green	Corporate
at a minimum A rated new Council			St Cyres Road, Penarth and Hayeswood Road,			Performance and
homes and utilise Optimised Retrofit			Barry will achieve a minimum EPC A rating (SAP			Resources
Programmes that include Modern			92+). New starts on site at Coldrook Road East,			
Methods of Construction and off-site			Barry; Colcot Clinic, Barry will also achieve a			Environment and
manufacturing to meet carbon			minimum EPC A rating (SAP 92+). Schemes			Regeneration
reduction targets.			currently in Planning at Holm View Phase 2,			
			Barry and Maes y Ffynnon, Bovilston will			Homes and Safe
			achieve the same energy performance. All			Communities
			schemes listed above will be built using MMC			

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HS/A031: Continue to invest in our housing stock and improve thermal efficiency by maximising the performance of the existing components and materials of our homes and looking at alternative fuel supplies to support carbon reduction and reduce fuel poverty.	31/03/2023	25%	The delivery of ORP1 is now providing results on the benefits provided by carbon neutral heating systems. This is being reviewed to enable a longer-term strategy to be developed. In addition, work has commenced on developing a carbon reduction team within the service which will focus on completing Building passports to all Council homes by 2026 as	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration Homes and Safe
FS/A024: Prepare an updated Carbon Management Plan with appropriate recommendations and actions for 2023-2030	31/03/2023	25%	proposed within WHQS2. Resources are currently focussed on our Carbon footprint reporting to Welsh Government. The Carbon Management Plan will be developed following submission of the carbon reporting data. The new plan is scheduled for completing by Dec 2022. ging points and undertake work to ensure a more	Green	uncil vehicle fle	Communities Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
of electric, hybrid and alternatively fu			sing points and undertake work to ensure a more	sustainable co		ice meruding the use
NS/A031: Implement the relevant Neighbourhood Services & Transport actions of Project Zero, our Climate Change Challenge Plan, focusing on using more sustainable forms of transport, reducing waste and flooding, increasing the use of electric/ carbon vehicles by staff thereby reducing our carbon emissions.	31/03/2023	25%	EV pool cars in operation. Roll out of EV Ovobikes in Sully, Dinas Powys and additional dock in Penarth undertaken.	Green	Green	Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
NS/A033: Review the way journeys are undertaken by staff including the use of electric pool cars and implement the Public Service Board's Staff Healthy Travel Charter,	31/03/2023	25%	Electric Vehicles have been purchased and awaiting infrastructure of chargers. Just for implementation end of July 2022. Cars journeys are being monitored. Longer journeys are being encouraged to use pool vehicles. The	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

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encouraging staff to use their cars			demand has increased due to the cost of fuel			
less and to be more active.			and staff requesting pool vehicles.			
ADP50-Encourage and support sustain	nable changes t	o how people t	ravel by increasing opportunities for active travel	l (walking and c	ycling) through	the
implementation of the new Integrate	d Network Map	and effective	maintenance and repair programmes for our road	ls and pavemen	its and highway	/ infrastructure.
SL/A025: Encourage and support sustainable changes via the wider school reorganisation programme with a focus on increasing	31/03/2023	25%	Following the relaxation of COVID restrictions, staff within Strategy & Resources are continuing to be given the opportunity to work from home should they wish to do so, thereby reducing the impact of uppersonal travel	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and
opportunities for active and green travel and participation.			reducing the impact of unnecessary travel.			Resources Learning & Culture
NS/A034: Develop the business case and secure funding for extending the OVO electric bike programme in Barry.	31/03/2023	25%	Business Case completed and bid submitted for Levelling Up proposal. Funding will continue to be sought.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate
						Performance and Resources
NS/A035: Continue to implement cycle and pedestrian facilities in accordance with the Approved	31/03/2023	25%	On-going with use of core active travel funding provided by WG.	Green		Environment and Regeneration
Active Travel Network Maps for the Vale of Glamorgan (2022) and ensure all transport improvement						Healthy Living and Social Care
schemes include active travel measures.						Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A036: Improve the condition of the Council's local highway by	31/03/2023	25%	Resurfacing sites are continuing to be assed and works completed out on site. Three Year	Green		Environment and Regeneration

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
delivering the Highway Resurfacing programme, including a programme of footway improvements for 2022/2023.			Plan Cabinet Report has been finalised and sits with Cabinet. Following from approval works will continue as per the scoring matric. Additionally, Preservation works of Surface Dressing have been completed in Quarter 1 and Micro Asphalt are due to commence in Quarter 2.			Healthy Living and Social Care Corporate Performance and Resources

CP Commitment: 4.2	Work with and empower community groups and other partners to sustain local facilities including public toilets, libraries, parks, play
	areas and community centres

Service Plan Actions	In Year	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan	ADP Action	Relevant
	Completion			Action RAG	RAG	Scrutiny
	Date			status	Status	Committee
ADP54-Review and implement option	s for communit	y organisations	to operate facilities such as sports grounds, parks, op	pen spaces, allo	tments and pu	ıblic
conveniences as part of the Council's	<b>Transformation</b>	Programme.				
NS/A039: Review and implement	31/03/2023	25%	Allotments have been regularly inspected and a	Green	Green	Corporate
options for community organisations			large number of plots have been split in order to			Performance
to operate facilities such as sports			offer out. Inspection letters have been sent to			and Resources
grounds, parks, open spaces,			tenants, this is in relation to the general up keep.			
allotments and public conveniences			Also carried out a data cleanse on the allotment			Environment
including the preparation of			waiting list. Feed back has been positive in some			and
necessary reports to Cabinet which			cases. Sites have been cleared for fly tipping.			Regeneration
(if approved) will be implemented to			Inspection scheduled on a monthly basis.			
assist with reshaping savings						
HS/A033: Continue to operate and	31/03/2023	25%	The Food Pod continues to grow in popularity and	Green		Environment
develop the Food Pod and Clean			the team of volunteers is growing.			and
Slate scheme in Penarth and further						Regeneration
develop the Education Centre and						
Plastic Bottle Green House at the						Corporate
Margaret Avenue Garden project.						Performance
						and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						Homes and Safe Communities
RP/A027: Offer grants through the Strong Communities Fund to support sustainable community led projects.	31/03/2023	25%	The Strong Communities Grant Scheme will be launching again in July 2022. Reports have been taken to Cabinet in May during Q1 and update reports on projects are now available for the public to view on the Council's website.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration

CP Commitment: 4.3 Prot	ect, preserve an	d where possib	le enhance our natural and built environment and cult	ural heritage.		
Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP52-Gather the evidence base for	r the review of t	he Local Develo	opment Plan including a public call for candidate sites f	or developmen	t and consulta	tion on the
Integrated Sustainability Appraisal	and prepare the	vision and obje	ectives/growth options and the preferred strategy.			
RP/A028: Gather the evidence base	31/03/2023	30%	Full Council considered and approved the Review	Green	Green	Corporate
for the review of the Local			Report and Delivery Agreement in April 2022 which			Performance
Development Plan including a			had both been amended following a 6 week public			and Resources
public call for candidate sites for			consultation. The Welsh Government subsequently			
development and consultation on			approved the Delivery Agreement in May 2022			Environment
the Integrated Sustainability			which marked the formal commencement of the			and
Appraisal and prepare the vision			Replacement LDP process. Evidence base work for			Regeneration
and objectives/growth options and			the emerging Replacement LDP is currently ongoing.			-
the preferred strategy.			The call for candidate sites commenced in June 2022			
			and the Integrated Sustainability Appraisal is due to			
			be reported to Cabinet in July and consulted on in			

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
			August 2022 in accordance with the Delivery			
			Agreement timetable. Work on identifying the			
			issues, vision and objectives is also currently			
			underway.			
ADP53-Invest in education, sustaina	ble transport, a	nd community	facilities as a result of negotiating Section 106 paymen	ts from develop	ers in areas w	here
development has occurred as detail	ed in the annua	l Section 106 re	port.			
NS/A040: Invest in sustainable	31/03/2023	25%	Active Travel improvements in Rhoose have been	Green	Green	Environment
transport, community facilities and			finalised and will be consulted on early Q2 with plans			and
parks as a result of negotiating			to start construction late Q2.			Regeneration
Section 106 payments from						
developers.						Corporate
						Performance
						and Resources
						Healthy Living
						& Social Care
RP/A029: Invest in education,	31/03/2023	25%	S106 investment continues. Work has commenced	Green	-	Environment
sustainable transport, community			and subsequently been completed to install a new			and
facilities, affordable housing and			footway at Caerleon Road using S106 sustainable			Regeneration
green infrastructure as a result of			transport monies, to complement the new play area			-
negotiating Section 106 payments			which is being paid for using S106 Community			Corporate
from developers in areas where			Facilities monies and being delivered by Dinas Powys			Performance
development has occurred (as			Community Council. Feasibility and design work has			and Resources
detailed in the annual Section 106			also been undertaken in areas for S106 sustainable			
report).			transport in areas including Rhoose and Cowbridge,			Healthy Living
			with consultation ongoing. A new play area at			& Social Care
			Windmill Lane Play Area, Llantwit Major is due to			
			commence on site in July 2022. Tenders for St. Cyres			
			Park / St. David's Crescent play area, Penarth have			
			been assessed and due to commence on site in			
			September 2022. Construction has commenced on			
			the scheme at Belle Vue Pavilion in mid-June.			

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CP Commitment: 4.4 Work with the community and partners to ensure the local environment is clean, attractive and well managed
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Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP56-Work with community groups	to develop a lit	ter and enforce	ment strategy recognising the role of the community	in improving o	ur local enviror	nment.
NS/A041: Work with partners and community groups including Keep Wales Tidy to develop a litter and enforcement strategy and deliver a variety of activities to improve Local Environmental Quality (LEQ) including litter prevention and awareness raising.	31/03/2023	25%	The service area has continued to work with Keep Wales tidy and a coordinated approach to working to improve Local Environmental Quality. During the first quarter officers are working with KWT / Caru Cymru to deliver community litter picking projects, educational / preventative methods for 2022 through the use of street art, and social media. Successful litter hubs also continue to be run throughout the Vale.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A043: Maintain environmental standards by retaining our awards for Green and Blue flags.	31/03/2023	25%	The coastal awards have been received for 2022 and all awards have been retained with the exception of the blue flag at Whitmore bay which we could not apply for, as it did not meet the required level of water quality from 2021 testing. The Parks awards will be known in quarter 2. The park awards have been re-assessed and we await the results. In the meantime we are progressing with modifying our cutting regimes to increase biodiversity within our environment. We will be reducing our "annual bedding" and replacing with more biodiverse perennial displays. Our Green Flag parks continue to be pesticide free.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
HS/A034: Deliver a range of environmental projects through the Community Investment scheme to include communal space improvements at; Penarth, Trebeferad, Llantwit Major and Buttrills, Barry to enhance the local area and improve neighbourhoods.	31/03/2023	25%	Projects are being developed in response to the work undertaken by Neighbourhood Managers in consultation with the local residents.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

CP Commitment: 4.5	Work with the community, developers and others to ensure that new developments are sustainable and that developers mitigate their
	impacts, integrate with local communities and provide necessary infrastructure

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
		-	artners including the Local Nature Partnership to resp		ire emergency,	implement an
		-	d Plan and raise awareness about the importance of I			
SL/A026: Improve school grounds biodiversity as a means of decarbonisation and map natural carbon sinks.	31/03/2023	25%	The service is engaging with Local Nature Partnership to identify funding to improve school grounds. Meeting held with Council Ecology Department to review measures to improve	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration
			ecology value on school sites. The team are working with Planning Dept. to produce Green Infrastructure Plan and have identified all GI assets in Education ownership and shared with Planning.			Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A044: Work with colleagues in Regeneration Services to develop a Green Infrastructure Strategy to promote and develop green space, sustainable drainage, green travel routes, ecology and tree coverage, including reference to a tree strategy for our towns and villages which will also provide a response to Ash Dieback.	31/03/2023	25%	Meetings held with Regeneration colleagues and AT schemes would not fall into this. More so the wider environment around them.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A045: Contribute to enhancing biodiversity and addressing climate change sustainability by implementing the relevant actions contained within the Biodiversity Forward Plan, including the drafting of an Interim Tree Management Plan and an action plan to manage Ash Dieback.	31/03/2023	N/A	No update provided	N/A		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee	
FS/A026: Contribute to the Council's response to maintain and enhance biodiversity in the Vale of Glamorgan by incorporating biodiversity gains in new farm business tenancy agreements and renewals as appropriate and maximising the biodiversity value of untenanted land by reducing cutting regime of hedgerows.	31/03/2023	25%	No new tenancies granted.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources	
RP/A030: Publish a Green Infrastructure Strategy and work with our partners including the Local Nature Partnership to respond to the nature emergency and implement an ambitious tree planting programme.	31/03/2023	50%	In the time since the Q4 2021-22, a consultation has been held with all internal stakeholders on the GI Plan. The data that that has been provided has been incorporated into the Green Infrastructure Assessment. Next, the Strategy and Action Plan need to be prepared.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources	
RP/A031: Deliver the Biodiversity Forward Plan with an emphasis on increasing staff awareness about the importance of embedding biodiversity across the work of the Council.	31/03/2023	25%	The Council continues to deliver the plan at a corporate level, but it would be beneficial to bring together all departments in Q2 to discuss reporting and progress to date.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources	

CP Commitment: 4.6	Provide effective waste management services and work with our residents, partners and businesses to minimise waste and its impact
	on the environment.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG	ADP Action RAG	Relevant Scrutiny
	Date			status	Status	Committee
	-	-	nt Strategy 2021/31, deliver a range of improvement tion of a Re-Use Facility, completion of the Resource		-	-
NS/A046: Ensure there are sufficient and appropriate end designations for the resale and reuse of recyclate material and minimise the export of recycling and waste wherever possible.	31/03/2023	25%	The service continues to work with wrap on a national level to establish long term sustainable local market for recyclate. Once the roll out to Penarth is complete this will reduce the amount of comingled recycling material and minimise any potential to export recycling.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A047: Complete the Vale of Glamorgan Waste Management Strategy 2022-2032 and supporting action plan in line with Welsh Government statutory guidance and the Well-Being of Future Generations (Wales) Act 2015.	31/03/2023	25%	The Waste and Recycling Strategy is scheduled to go out to public consultation during Q2. Any responses will be collated and reviewed, and findings will be reported back to Cabinet.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A048: In accordance with the Vale of Glamorgan Waste Management Strategy 2022-2032, deliver a range of improvements to waste management including the final roll out of the new recycling arrangements in Penarth and for Vale wide flats and apartments , creation of a Re-Use Facility in Barry, completion of the Resource Recovery Centre and a new Household Waste Recycling Centre in the Western Vale near Llandow, and monitor and	31/03/2023	25%	The service continue to work towards implementing improvements with the re-use shop set to be operational later this year. The Resource Recovery Facility is currently under construction with works scheduled to be completed towards the end of the year, resulting in the site being operational from Spring 2023. Once operational service change improvement to Penarth, and Vale wide flats and apartments will be introduced	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
review existing waste collection rounds.						
NS/A049: Promote recycling and waste elimination via social media campaigns.	31/03/2023	25%	Officers continue to work with our internal communications team on the continued development of social media campaigns to raise residents and visitors understanding and knowledge of what and how the Vale recycles. Additional use of regional campaigns will also be used to assist in waste elimination and reduction.	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
NS/A050: Monitor budgets to ensure we are able to deliver the National Waste agenda through effective use of grants and resources to exceed the National Domestic Waste Recycling Target for 2024 / 2025.	31/03/2023	25%	Regular monitoring meetings are held with the Council's capital accountant to ensure that WG grants are effectively being spent and remain on within budget, assisting the authority to achieve WGs recycling target of 70% by 2024/25	Green		Corporate Performance and Resources Environment and Regeneration
NS/A051: Undertake waste investigations and prosecutions.	31/03/2023	25%	The roll out of the collections blueprint is minimising the export of recycling material. Once the changes to flats and apartments are made, this will also reduce any risk as the material will be collected separately. Additionally, on completion of the proposed new Resource Recovery Facility this will replace any residual comingled collections to complete a more sustainable collection and treatment process.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

CP Commitment: 4.7 Minimise pollution recognising the detrimental impact it may have on the environment and people's wellbeing.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP57-Undertake local air quality ass	essments and r	eview the data	to ensure that national air quality objectives continue	e to be achieved	d.	
NS/A042: Review parking regulation orders, resident parking arrangements and revised parking management in Llandough to address road safety and environmental concerns.	31/03/2023	25%	The review of resident parking zones is continuing from last financial year when a comprehensive parking survey was completed on the Dochdwy estate and after discussing the subsequent results with Ward Member and Community Council it was agreed that there was no significant displacement of parking from Llandough hospital site and no justification to impose resident parking controls on this estate at this time. It was further agreed to carry out similar parking surveys on Lewis Road and Spencer Drive and these are currently being organised for Autumn this year following which further discussions will take place with Ward member and Community Council. It is not considered that a general review of parking regulation orders is required or warranted in Llandough to address either road safety or environmental concerns.	ew of resident parking zones is continuing t financial year when a comprehensive survey was completed on the Dochdwy nd after discussing the subsequent results and Member and Community Council it was that there was no significant displacement of from Llandough hospital site and no tion to impose resident parking controls on the at this time. It was further agreed to t similar parking surveys on Lewis Road ncer Drive and these are currently being ed for Autumn this year following which discussions will take place with Ward r and Community Council. It is not red that a general review of parking on orders is required or warranted in gh to address either road safety or		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
SRS/A016: Undertake local air quality assessments and review the data to ensure that national air quality objectives continue to be achieved	31/03/2023	25%	Local air quality monitoring continues to be undertaken across the Vale of Glamorgan, and the 2022 Annual Progress report is being compiled during Qtrs 1 and 2 with final report being taken to Cabinet early in Qtr 3.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

CP Commitment: 4.8	Work to reduce the impact of erosion, flooding and pollution on our coastal areas and watercourses.

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion Date	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG status	ADP Action RAG Status	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
ADP51-Implement the revised Local F	ood Risk Mana	gement Strateg	y including specific schemes alongside the Shoreline	Management Pl	an and coastal	monitoring.
NS/A052: Implement the revised Local Flood Risk Management Strategy including specific schemes alongside the Shoreline Management Plan and coastal monitoring.	31/03/2023	25%	A draft template has now been received from WLGA in June 2022 for updating the LFRMS, including incorporation of the FRMP as an appendix but we are still awaiting Welsh Government and Ministerial approval. Whist there is no statutory obligation for the council to produce FRMP the intention is to incorporate it as an appendix to LFRMS. Consideration of the implications of merging both LRMS and FRMP is progressing before procuring deliverer on new LFRMS in Q2 subject to WG and Ministerila approval referred above.	Green	Green	Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources
NS/A053: Complete the Llanmaes Flood Risk Management Scheme.	31/03/2023	25%	Based on uncertainty with original tender being outside the validity period and cost increases due to increase in material prices, all tenderers were invited to resubmit revised costs which will then remain valid for a further 90 days. Revised tender costs fewer subsequently received on 11th June 2022 and assessed to identify the most advantageous tenderer. Confirmation is currently awaited from Welsh Government to confirm grant funding approval for the project in order to appoint the most advantageous contractor and agree a suitable start date on site. Works have already commenced on a Welsh Water diversion required as part of the works along Signingston Lane. Subject to funding approval it is anticipated that works can commence on site in late Q2 or early Q3.	Green		Environment and Regeneration Corporate Performance and Resources

Service Plan Actions	In Year Completion	% Complete	Progress & Outcomes Description	Service Plan Action RAG	ADP Action RAG	Relevant Scrutiny
	Date			status	Status	Committee
NS/A054: Monitor and assess	31/03/2023	25%	The collection of wave, water level and	Green		Environment
changes in coastal morphology,			meteorological data is continuing at Penarth Pier.			and
including the beach and cliffs, in			Regular monitoring of beach profile data being			Regeneration
accordance with the appropriate			coordinated by the WCMC. A multi beam			
Shoreline Management Plans.			bathymetric survey and UAV Lidar survey of			Corporate
			Whitmore, Jackson Bay undertaken in June 2022 to			Performance
			improve understanding of local sediment budget.			and Resources
			Planning underway to extend survey works west to			
			Porthkerry frontage to help inform			
			implementation of SMPpolicy. Further UAV surveys			
			carried out at Dunraven Bay.			

## **APPENDIX 2: Performance Indicators**

Well-being Objective 4: To respect, enhance and enjoy our environment

Performance Indicator	Q1	Q1	Q1 Target	RAG	Direction	Commentary	Relevant
	2020/21	2021/22	2021/22	Status	of Travel		Scrutiny
							Committee
CPM/097: Percentage of change in the average						This performance indicator is monitored	Corporate
Display Energy Certificate (DEC) score within local						annually.	Performance
authority public buildings over 1000 square							and Resources
metres.							
							Environment
							&
							Regeneration
CPM/098: Percentage change (reduction) in						This performance indicator is monitored	Corporate
carbon dioxide emissions in the non-domestic						annually.	Performance
public building stock.							and Resources

Performance Indicator	Q1 2020/21	Q1 2021/22	Q1 Target 2021/22	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
							Environment & Regeneration
CPM/100: Percentage of Council streetlights that are LED.	70%	90%	95%	Amber	ſ	Works will commence in Quarter 2	Corporate Performance and Resources
							Environment & Regeneration
CPM/101: Number of assets transferred to the community.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Corporate Performance and Resources
							Environment & Regeneration
CPM/102: Number of visits to public libraries during the year per 1,000 population.	117.7	534.0	1560	Red	↑	Library visitor figures are up 77% compared to the same period in 2021/22 but are not reaching the target. Library customers still have some way to go before they regain the confidence they once had to visit libraries in large numbers. Individual libraries vary, but there was a jump in visitors during May and a fallback in June, as perhaps the last variant increased concerns of some users. Activities for children are as popular as ever though numbers are kept purposely smaller in most cases. We expect a boost in children's activities during the summer months as we	Learning & Culture

Performance Indicator	Q1 2020/21	Q1 2021/22	Q1 Target 2021/22	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
						provide a range of interesting activities to attend. The low level of regular room bookings and attendances by outside bodies has had a marked effect on visitor numbers at Barry so we will promote room use there, especially from September onwards. We will also promote library use to schools, as class visits by schools have been slow to return to former levels.	
CPM/103: Number of facilitated visits to country parks and heritage coast.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/105: Percentage of Dangerous Structures inspected within 1 working day of receipt.	100%	100%	100%	Green	$\leftrightarrow$	No commentary provided	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/107: Number of Green Flag Parks.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/108: Number of m2 of Parks, Open Spaces & Highways land that has been sown with wildflowers or being maintained as a naturalised area						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration Corporate Performance & Resources

Performance Indicator	Q1 2020/21	Q1 2021/22	Q1 Target 2021/22	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/109: The Cleanliness Index						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
							Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/110: The percentage of highways and relevant land inspected of a high or acceptable standard of cleanliness						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
							Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/111: The percentage of reported fly tipping incidents which lead to enforcement activity.	4%	No figures available	10%	N/A	N/A	Due to the type of materials fly-tipped it is difficult to investigate as the majority would not produce any evidence	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/112: Percentage of people satisfied with cleanliness standards.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
							Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/116: Kilograms of local authority municipal waste that is not reused, recycled or composted during the year per person.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
							Corporate Performance & Resources

Performance Indicator	Q1 2020/21	Q1 2021/22	Q1 Target 2021/22	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
CPM/117: Number of beach awards achieved.						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration Corporate Performance & Resources
CPM/140: Number of visitors to Porthkerry	New for 2021/22					This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/141: Number of visitors to Cosmeston	New for 2021/22					This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/142: Number of events facilitated or financially supported	New for 2021/22					This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration
CPM/139: Average SAP rating for the Council's housing stock						This performance indicator is monitored annually.	Environment & Regeneration Homes and Safe Communities

## Additional National Performance Indicator Measures

Performance Indicator	Q1 2021/22	Q1 2022/23	Q1 Target 2022/23	RAG Status	Direction of Travel	Commentary	Relevant Scrutiny Committee
PAM/035: Average number of working days taken to clear fly-tipping incidents.	1.06 days	1.54 days	2 days	Green	$\checkmark$	Average number of days of days to collect is below target of 2 days, 66 incidents cleared in 102 days.	Environment & Regeneration Corporate Performance & Resources
PAM/030: The percentage of municipal waste collected by local authorities and prepared for reuse and/or recycled, including source segregated bio- wastes that are composted or treated biologically in another way.	72.1%	70.2%	71%	Amber	$\checkmark$	Approximately 2% lower than the same quarter last year, main cause for this was a decrease in green tonnage and an increase in black bag waste.	Environment & Regeneration Corporate Performance & Resources