

## Involving Communities more effectively in joint planning and delivery - How do we get there?

### Yellow Table Group #2:-

- Building on Existing to open doors & collect and collate need - Developing consortia where non exists
- Sharing resources & mechanisms to communicate - one stop shop. Use of Face book?
- Making better use of existing relationships to influence communities
- Development of Key contacts

### Green table Group #2:-

- Relationship Building
- Representative Partnerships
- Local needs survey
- “what can we do for you?” local event
- Link /communicate with all community groups
- Local “ward walks”
- Neighbourhood groups
- Learning Champions
- Reach community leaning groups
- Use Skills Third Sector
- Home Grown learners/teachers
- Collect CVS data
- Use technology to implement something along the lines of “Fix my street”

### Red Table Group #2:-

- “A sub regional and local public sector infrastructure is required to achieve long-term social and economic impact and to engage the private sector “ (colleges in their communities report)
- Identify who/what the community is
- Identify what is currently being delivered
- Identify what gaps – ‘learner voice’
- What does/does not work
- Individual/shared skills
- Capacity building
- Sustainability
- Involving the right partners
- Inter-generational approach - inclusive

### Blue Table Group #2:-

- Vision!
- Thorough use of secondments
- Peer review
- Long Term involvement
- Planning & practical frameworks
- Work out a plan together – then work out how to fund the plan!
- Learning from the past – not reinventing the wheel
- Invest in peoples time
- Internal structure – both ground up and management down to all buy in to this
- “Champions”
- Coordination + on the ground community organisers involvement to feed back what the community wants
- Communication – who to contact / one point of contact
- Informal honest relationships
- Hold organisations to mandate – commitment to provide what is promised
- Contact Seminar – How do we make a list of contacts? Big Event??
- Building on this to go forward