

## Community Works Representative Feedback and Communication Form

<b>Your Name</b>	Sally Polanski
<b>Your Organisation</b>	Community Works
<b>Name of Partnership Meeting</b>	<b>Brighton and Hove Connected</b> (the Local Strategic Partnership / LSP)
<b>Name(s) of other reps that attended</b>	Caroline Ridley, Geraldine Des Moulins, Jess Sumner, Toby Buckle
<b>Date &amp; time of meeting</b>	Tuesday 17 <sup>th</sup> March 2015
<b>1</b>	The meeting heard from Penny Thompson (CEO of Brighton and Hove City Council) and Nev Kemp (Sussex Police Commander for Brighton and Hove) about the budget pressures they face and the importance of all partners working together to find new ways of doing things.
<b>2</b>	<p>Tom Scanlon, Director for Public Health, updated on the progress in developing the city's new Health and Wellbeing Strategy. The Health and Wellbeing Partnership Meeting in November identified the following key themes for the Strategy:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reduce inequalities</li> <li>• Give every child the best start in life,</li> <li>• Develop healthy, sustainable and resilient communities</li> <li>• Give every person the best chance of aging well, and</li> <li>• Deliver the best health and social care.</li> </ul> <p>There will be more opportunities for engagement throughout the process and Tom hopes the strategy will be co-produced.</p>
<b>3</b>	<p>Public health and a GP from the CCG (Clinical Commissioning Group) presented on some ongoing research in the city around preventing premature mortality, available here: <a href="http://bit.ly/1Cuysmg">http://bit.ly/1Cuysmg</a></p>
<b>4</b>	The meeting confirmed the merger of the Learning Partnership and City Employment and Skills Group (CESSG), with the new group focusing on learning, skills and employment. Priorities will include people who are NEET (not in employment education or training) or long-term unemployed, and information, advice & guidance (IAG).
<b>5</b>	The future of B&H Connected (the LSP) is unclear. With the development of the Health and Wellbeing Board and the City Management Board, the remit of the LSP has become unclear and it has lost focus. The meeting briefly discussed this but agreed to defer the matter for further discussion/decision after the outcome of the election in May is known.