

# **Annual Performance 2016/17 Progress Report Modern and Efficient Council**

Flintshire County Council



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# **8 Modern and Efficient Council**

# **Actions**

ACTION	LEAD OFFICER	STATUS	START DATE	END DATE	COMPLETE %	PROGRESS RAG	OUTCOME RAG
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	lan Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	In Progress	01-Apr-2016	31-Mar-2017	67.00%	GREEN	GREEN

### **ACTION PROGRESS COMMENTS:**

An activity plan for 2017 has been developed with a key group of social enterprises that aims to provide leadership and further support to the sector. • The plan includes two specific contracts that will be targeted to the sector. • Business support and dragons den sessions for the sector. • A new business award in business week specific to the social enterprise sector. • The development of a community benefits policy for Flintshire. This is a three year plan which aims to be complete by 31st March 2018 and is currently 2/3rds of the way through and on target.

Last Updated: 26-Apr-2017

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5	lan Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	In Progress	01-Apr-2016	31-Mar-2017	90.00%	GREEN	AMBER

### **ACTION PROGRESS COMMENTS:**

Encouraging volunteers and active citizens is a longer-term programme. Initially there is the volunteering policy which has been shared with the Public Services Board (PSB). Work on volunteering is being developed jointly by public sector partners under the "community resilience" priority of the Board. Evaluation will take place at the end of the year on take up of the policy and use of volunteers by services. This will then complete work on this initial element of encouraging volunteers. The amber rating reflects the longer-term nature of achieving this outcome.

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,	lan Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	In Progress	01-Apr-2016	31-Mar-2017	90.00%	GREEN	GREEN

### **ACTION PROGRESS COMMENTS:**

Leisure and Libraries, Facility Management and Social Care Work Opportunities had the final implementation plans agreed at Cabinet during December 2016 and March 2017. Set up of each of the new delivery models is planned as follows: • Facilities Management on the 1st May 2017 • Libraries and Leisure on the 1st July 2017 • Social Care Learning Disability Service on the 3rd July

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,	lan Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	In Progress	01-Apr-2016	31-Mar-2017	70.00%	GREEN	GREEN

### **ACTION PROGRESS COMMENTS:**

For 2016/17 we have ten Community Asset Transfers that are either complete or nearing legal completion (plus an additional 3 that are not quite at this stage but will be soon and an additional 2 that have been completed with schools and communities as Transfer of Control Agreements rather than Asset Transfers, if these are included it makes a total of 15 in 2016/17). To support existing transfers four monitoring visits have been completed with the remainder planned early in 2017/18. This is a three year plan which aims to be complete by 31st March 2018 and is currently two thirds of the way through and on target.

Last Updated: 04-May-2017

# **Performance Indicators**

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.1M01 The number of new social enterprises developed	5	11	<b>1</b>	3	GREEN

Lead Officer: Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1

Reporting Officer: Mike Dodd - Social Enterprise Development Lead Officer

**Aspirational Target: 3.00** 

Progress Comment: Holywell Leisure Centre, Toe to Toe, Connah's Quay Nomads have formed a new social enterprise to take on Connah's Quay Youth Centre and Buckley Boxing Club has formed a new social enterprise to take on Bistre Youth and Community Centre. Flintshire Counselling established to provide affordable counselling services to citizens who cannot access mainstream provision. Beyond the Boundaries, a beauty salon developed specifically to create work and training opportunities for young people with disabilities. Emotional Learning Foundation, aims to fundamentally change the way in which education is delivered with primary schools in order to educate young people to accept and deal with their emotions, both positive and negative. Art and Soul Tribe have developed to address the issue of bullying and use an alternative Fashion show to convey their messages. Cambria Band provide the opportunity for local people to learn to play instruments and become involved with social activities relating to the celebration of local events and activities. Pepperpot Childcare, this will be an inclusive wrap around childcare venture operating in Deeside. It will create 19 jobs, as well as training and work placement opportunities. Trelogan Community Centre, manage a community building in the centre of the community for the benefit of local residents

Last Updated: 16-May-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.1M02 The number of social enterprises supported to thrive and prosper (support meetings held with Social Enterprises)	12	24	•	7	GREEN

**Lead Officer:** Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1

Reporting Officer: Mike Dodd - Social Enterprise Development Lead Officer

Aspirational Target:

**Progress Comment:** A wide range of business support, advice and guidance has been provided to 24 social enterprises operating within Flintshire over the last year, the beneficiaries of this support are:

- Holywell Leisure Centre
- Toe to Toe
- Connah's Quay Nomads
- Buckley Boxing Club
- RainbowBiz
- West Flintshire Community Enterprises
- Groundwork North Wales
- Flintshire Counselling CIC
- Mold Rugby Club
- The Clocktower
- Beyond the Boundaries CIC
- Emotional Learning Foundation CIC
- Amser Babi Cymraeg
- BREW
- Parkfields community Centre
- Neighbourhood Economics
- Art and Soul Tribe CIC
- Cambria Band CIC

Last Updated: 16-May-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.2M01 Number of volunteers directly placed into volunteering placements	541	548	•	N/A	N/A

**Lead Officer:** Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1 **Reporting Officer:** Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1

Aspirational Target:

Progress Comment: Flintshire Local Voluntary Council directly placed at least 548 individuals into new placements in 2016/17

Last Updated: 25-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.4M01 The level of efficiencies alternative delivery models (ADMs) have supported	0	0	<b>*</b>	0	GREEN

Lead Officer: Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1

Reporting Officer: Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager

Aspirational Target:

**Progress Comment:** The alternative delivery models in leisure and libraries, facilities management, and adult social care are due to be established in the year 2017-18, hence no target or actual will be shown this year.

Last Updated: 25-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.4M02 The number of services sustained through delivery via alternative models	0	0	<b>*</b>	0	GREEN

Lead Officer: Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1

**Reporting Officer:** Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager

**Aspirational Target:** 

**Progress Comment:** The alternative delivery models in leisure and libraries, facilities management, and adult social care are due to be established in the year 2017-18, hence no target or actual will be shown this year.

Last Updated: 25-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.1.1.5M01 The number of public assets transferred to the community	No Data	10	N/A	15	AMBER

Lead Officer: Neal Cockerton - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 2

Reporting Officer: Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager

**Aspirational Target:** 

**Progress Comment:** For 2016/17 we have ten Community Asset Transfers that are either complete or nearing legal completion (plus an additional 3 that are not quite at this stage but will be soon and an additional 2 that have been completed with schools and communities as Transfer of Control Agreements rather than Asset Transfers, if these are included it makes a total of 15 in 2016/17).

Last Updated: 25-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.2.1.3M01 The percentage reduction in the floor space (m2) of office accommodation occupied	22	34	1	25	GREEN

Lead Officer: Neal Cockerton - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 2

Reporting Officer: Lisa McLellan - Asset Manager

**Aspirational Target:** 

**Progress Comment:** The relocation of services from phase 4 to phases 1 and 2 has freed up an additional 3571 sqm within County Hall. The cumulative total vacated space is 5579sqm which equates to 34% of the baseline figure.

Last Updated: 05-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.2.1.3M02 Reduction in the running costs of corporate accommodation.	19.9	31	<b>1</b>	25	GREEN

**Lead Officer:** Neal Cockerton - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 2

Reporting Officer: Lisa McLellan - Asset Manager

**Aspirational Target:** 

**Progress Comment:** During this year the running costs of the remaining corporate accommodation was £1,324,861. This equates to a 31% reduction from the baseline figure. So

the equivalent figure for 2016/17 is a reduction of £604,139.00.

Last Updated: 10-Apr-2017

KPI Title	Previous Year Actual	Actual	Performance Indicator Trend	Target	Performance RAG
IP8.2.1.3M03 Agile working - desk provision as a percentage of staff (County Hall)	98	87	<b>1</b>	89	GREEN

Lead Officer: Neal Cockerton - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 2

**Reporting Officer:** Lisa McLellan - Asset Manager

**Aspirational Target:** 

Progress Comment: Relates to County Hall. The 87% figure denotes a higher achievement than the target figure of 89% and is a result of a desk ratio of 819 desks to 944 staff.

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# **RISKS**

# **Strategic Risk**

RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
The capacity and appetite of the community and social sectors.	Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager	Amber	Green	•	Open

**Potential Effect:** No increase in the number and strength in community and social sectors which in turn will limit the capacity for communities to assist in community asset transfer and other programmes.

Management Controls: Careful business planning and capacity development with community partners.

**Progress Comment:** For 2016/17 we have ten Community Asset Transfers that are either complete or nearing legal completion (plus an additional 3 that are not quite at this stage but will be soon and an additional 2 that have been completed with schools and communities as Transfer of Control Agreements rather than Asset Transfers, if these are included it makes a total of 15 in 2016/17). In addition 5 services have now been agreed by Cabinet to progress into 3 Alternative Delivery Models. This demonstrates the capacity and appetite of the community and social sectors to work with the council to sustain important services for local communities.

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RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
The willingness of the workforce and Trade Unions to embrace change.	Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager	Red	Green	•	Open

**Potential Effect:** Organisational change objectives cannot be met.

Management Controls: Careful service and business planning with inclusivity of Trade Union and workforce input.

**Progress Comment:** Detailed work has taken place with staff and trade unions on the asset transfers and the five services that are establishing Alternative Delivery Models. In each case an agreed position has been reached with staff and trade unions which demonstrates their appetite to work co-operatively on this agenda.

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RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
Market conditions which the new alternative delivery models face.	Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager	Amber	Green	•	Open

Potential Effect: New Alternative Delivery Models will see a decrease in income and could be un-sustainable.

Management Controls: Realistic business plans and an increased commercialism of new organisations (e.g leisure and libraries), underpinned by sufficient financial acumen.

Progress Comment: Final diligence on all 5 services establishing ADM's is nearing completion. This has included final market assessments which demonstrate each of the three new ADM's can compete and co-operate in the markets they are entering.

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RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
Limitations on public funding to subsidise alternative models.	Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager	Red	Green	•	Open

**Potential Effect:** Alternative Delivery Models become unsustainable as it cannot meet costs with reduced funding from the Council.

Management Controls: Properly plan for reduced levels of council funding for each Alternative Delivery Model and contingency plans.

An agreed funding model where the Council subsidises the ADM's over a limited period is built into the MTFS.

**Progress Comment:** Final diligence work for each of the three new Alternative Delivery Models shows that the level of public funding available in the foreseeable future is adequate to support the new companies.

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RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
Newly established Social Enterprises fail in their early stages of development	Ian Bancroft - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 1	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager, Mike Dodd - Social Enterprise Development Lead Officer	Amber	Amber	<b>*</b>	Open

**Potential Effect:** New social enterprises are not sustainable and go into liquidation

Management Controls: i) Business development to the sector supported by the Council.

- ii) Monitoring of performance of new Social Enterprise delivery.
- iii) New network of social enterprise taking responsibility for increasing strength of the sector.

**Progress Comment:** Work on Alternative Delivery Models and Community Asset Transfers will result by early 2017 in four new large social enterprises operating in Flintshire. These include: Cambrian Aquatics, Holywell Leisure Centre, Flintshire Leisure and Libraries, HF Trust. These organisations strengthen the social enterprise sector in Flintshire and will enable through their learning and sharing of co-operative practice the sector to deal with issues in early stages of social enterprise start up. This will add to the work of the social enterprise sector working group which has a plan to support the sector during 2017.

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RISK	LEAD OFFICER	SUPPORTING	INITIAL RISK	CURRENT RISK	TREND	RISK
TITLE		OFFICERS	RATING	RATING	ARROW	STATUS
Newly established Community Asset Transfers fail in their early stages of development	Neal Cockerton - Chief Officer - Organisational Change 2	Dawn Holt - Alternative Delivery Models and Transforming Social Services Programme Manager	Amber	Green	•	Open

**Potential Effect:** New social enterprises are not sustainable and go into liquidation

**Management Controls:** Business development support for the sector; monitoring and management of performance of new Social Enterprise delivery; new network of social enterprises taking responsibility for self-help.

**Progress Comment:** Monitoring of Community Asset Transfer (CAT) achievements in their first year has started. This includes meeting with each organisation discussing their financial situation and achievement of community benefits. At this stage no significant risks of failure has been identified.

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