

TVNP Business Plan Delivery:

Latest update: 26-09-19

Please note each group will be supported by either TVNP Manager or TVNP Officer. Feedback will be given by each Chair at each Steering Group meeting

THEME 1: NATURAL ASSETS. Protecting & Improving the Natural Environment			
Activity	Group Responsible	Action	Timetable
Activity 1.1: Deliver our Local Sites process ensuring it is robust, clear and fully supported by the planning authorities.	 Natural Assets Working Grp: CHAIR: Graham Megson; Hartlepool Borough Council Jeremy Garside, Tees Valley Wildlife Trust Mike Leakey, INCA Martin Allen, Freelance Ecologist Simon Blenkinsop, Middlesbrough Borough Council Dave Askey, Stockton Borough Council Fiona Hurworth, Redcar & Cleveland Borough Council 	Within quarterly minutes	Quarterly meetings: 1 ^s Wednesday of March, June, September & December – a week before each Steering Group
Activity 1.2: Plan a series of CPD workshops for local planners on environmental policy changes.	 Environmental Policy CPD Working Group: CHAIR: Paul Clarke, Middlesbrough Borough Council Rebecca Wren, Redcar & Cleveland Borough Council Andy Whitehead, Natural England Eddie Halstead, Environment Agency Paul Taylor, Stockton Borough Council Timothy Crawshaw, Regional Chair of RTPI 	Post publication of new Environment Bill	expected September 2019
Activity 1.3: Establish a 'Large projects subgroup' for cross sector support on key strategic projects.	 Large Projects Working Group: CHAIR: Graeme Hull, Environment Agency Jeremy Garside, Tees Valley Wildlife Trust 	Phone conference	scoping report due 31/10/19



TVNP to be facilitators/administrators.	 David Hand to propose Officer from Darlington Clare Deasy, Northumbrian Water Tim Crawshaw tbc Linda Tuttiett, TVCA tbc 		
Activity 2.1: Set out future aspirations for the Tees Valley's natural environment through a series of Biodiversity Opportunity Area maps.	 BOA Mapping Working Group (link to Natural Capital grp): CHAIR (interim) Clare Deasy, Northumbrian Water Graham Megson, Hartlepool Borough Council Ian Bond, INCA Teesside University tbc 	CD to pull together initial meeting/discussion & feedback to RM	Before 18/12/19
Activity 2.2: Develop and adopt a system of local biodiversity metrics to assess the value of current assets, set targets and measure future progress	Natural Assets Working Grp: Link to Natural Capital work	Paper to be prepared for Steering group meeting	18/12/19
THEME 2: NATURAL GROWTH Nature	and Economy Working Together		
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Activity 3.1: Design and drive a Natural Capital approach for the Tees Valley. & Activity 3.2: Commission a natural capital account with the Tees Valley Combined Authority (TVCA) to	 Natural Capital Working Group: CHAIR: Will Haywood/Geraldine Brown, TVCA tbc Andy Whitehead, Natural England Eddie Halstead, Environment Agency Timothy Crawshaw, TVNP Chair Robert Woods, INCA Input from Natural Assets Group 	Scope and design timeframe	Meeting 27-09-19 at TVCA



Activity 4.2: Work with STDC to ensure an integrated approach to biodiversity and the environment is adopted across the whole site.	Tees Estuary Partnership: Phil Roxby, INCA; Andy Whitehead, Natural England & Eddie Halstead, Environment Agency responsible for feeding into the steering group.	Up-date at each steering group.	
THEME 3: NATURAL HEALTH AND WE	LLBEING Reconnecting People and Nature		
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Activity 5.1: Develop a Health and Wellbeing Manifesto for partners to sign and commit to.	 Public Health Group: CHAIR: Michelle Mancini, Public Health England tbc Timothy Crawshaw, TVNP Chair 	 Work with PHE and Public Health South Tees to draft a manifesto. consult with wider partnership. publish signed manifesto 	 By 18/12/19 By 11/03/20 By 10/06/20
Activity 5.2: Build the capacity of our local groups so they are better able to work for nature with a more effective local voice. Activity 5.3: Design a programme to engage and involve greater numbers of people in the work of the partnership. THIS IS A CRITICAL GROUP THAT WILL GUIDE THE NLCF ENGAGEMENT PROGRAMME	 Engagement Working Group: CHAIR (interim) Paul Clarke, Middlesbrough Borough Council Graham Clingan, Stockton Borough Council Garry Weeks, Teesside University tbc Ben Lamb, Tees Rivers Trust tbc Clare Deasy, Northumbrian Water Invite RSPB 	Initial meeting following appointment of new TVNP Officer.	25-10-19
Activity 6.2: Develop a model that encourages more appreciation and engagement of nature in our open	Task & Finish Group:CHAIR: Rachel Murtagh, TVNP	Confirm group membership & scope	18/12/19



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spaces as part of the Sport England sponsored 'You've Got This' (South Tees Local Delivery Pilot). Activity 6.1: Work with health partners to develop practical solutions to increase use of outdoor natural spaces particularly among communities with limited opportunity and greatest levels of health need.	 Michelle Mancini, PHE Michael Graham, NYMNPA tbc Paul Clarke, Middlesbrough BC tbc Jeremy Garside, TVWT tbc Lauren Perkin YGT tbc 		
THEME 4: STRATEGIC LEADERSHIP & I	MANAGEMENT Ensuring the Partnerships Future Success		
Activity	Group Responsible		
Action 7.1: Explore alternative income streams for the partnership such as new approaches to fundraising, trading or other income generating activities	 Partnership Financing Group: CHAIR: Timothy Crawshaw, TVNP Chair Linda Tuttiett, TVCA tbc Sarah Scarr, Hartlepool Borough Council tbc 	твс	
Activity 8.3: Deliver the annual 'Tees Nature Conference' with Your Tees Catchment Partnership.	 Tees Nature Conference Group: CHAIR: Rachel Murtagh, TVNP Timothy Crawshaw, TVNP Chair Graham Clingan, Stockton Borough Council Graeme Hull, Environment Agency Ben Lamb, Tees Rivers Trust 	first planning meeting to agree timetable 19 th June 2020	January 2020