

## Partner Statement

<b>Organisation</b>	North Solihull Partnership
<b>Statutory responsibilities</b>	No statutory responsibilities
<b>Priorities</b>	<p>Ongoing delivery of the North Solihull Regeneration Strategy including the completion of Kingfisher school and the access road.  a start on the building of the third school at St Anne's and St Patrick's,  a start on the first Village Centre at North Arran Way  detailed planning and seeking permission for Craig Croft Village Centre including the new Bishop Wilson School,  the continued rehousing of SCH tenants and purchase of privately owned dwellings to assemble sites for new residential development  the establishment of a comprehensive socio economic programme to help local people and businesses actively participate in the regeneration of the area  establish effective and inclusive consultation that involves local people and stakeholders in the future of their area  maximise the external funding coming into the partnership  establish the reputation of the project as a national exemplar</p> <p>The building of the new Extended Primary Schools and the development of the Village Centres is linked with the locality based multi agency teams that are at the heart of the 'Shaping Solihull' agenda. The priorities of the North Solihull Partnership are closely linked to the priorities of the Solihull Partnership, and address closing the gap of inequality and making the Borough a better place for all.</p>
<b>Constraints</b>	<p>Financial  The capacity in the housing stock for SCH to rehouse tenants  The time it takes for the Partnership to purchase privately owned property.  Programming and logistics of delivering schemes on site.</p>
<b>Key performance measures</b>	<p>School performance measures at all Key Stages?  Early Years targets including SureStart 0 – 3 indicators?  Number of homes improved?  Number of houses built and sold?  Improved health facilities?  Decrease in worklessness and reliance on benefit?</p>
<b>Decision-making process</b>	<p>Decisions are made by the North Solihull Partnership Board and the Strategic Working group.  Decisions around the schools programme are taken to the DCS and senior team in Children's Services  Members of the partnership board and executive team will participate in different parts of the Solihull Partnership.</p>
<b>Quality assurance process</b>	<p>The Partnership has developed a Design Code and has appointed a Design Champion to ensure quality schemes. Individual schemes are assessed in line with best practice and Quality Audits.  Members of the Partnership attend and give evidence to SMBC</p>

	Scrutiny Panels as required.
<b>Risk Management process</b>	The Partnership is refining its Risk Register in conjunction with officers from SMBC.  Janet Bradbury is the Lead Officer
<b>Communications process</b>	What mechanisms will your organisation use to communicate with your stakeholders about the work of the Solihull Partnership?  We can use the Partnership's newsletters, other consultation material, and the Resident Implementation Groups to help communicate the work of the Solihull Partnership. Monthly meetings of local headteachers are used to keep a major group of the community – parents, governors, staff – informed The similarity of the name may cause some confusion !  Janet Bradbury, Becke Ayres Paul Hanbury
<b>Key agency plans linked to Solihull Partnership</b>	Strategic Framework, Neighbourhood Plans, Village Centres, Business Plan and Financial Plan  Business Plan and Financial Plan annual with longer, 15 year Business Plan. Influence through sharing of objectives and alignment of actions  A school Action Plan is being drawn up with the Locality Management team and will form an integral part of the regeneration strategic framework
<b>Nominated staff involved in Solihull Partnership</b>	Janet Bradbury CE NSP, Prosperous Communities Becke Ayres, Regeneration manager, Whitefriars and NSP, Safer Communities Mary Higginson, Stronger Communities, Regeneration Officer Whitefriars and NSP
<b>Support required from Partnership Commissioning Team</b>	I don't think so at this stage.

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Signed off by: