PARISH ACTIO	N PLAN TEMPLATE							
Name of Parish	GREENHAM					Date Plan Adopted		
		Priority H/M/L						
		10,000						Sustainable Communities
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			Planned	Project	Other	(refer to community	Osmanlata d	Healthy,
Ohioativo	Actions	Stort Data	Finish Date	Manager/Lead Partner	Other Partners	support from consultation)	Completed (Give Date)	Greener or Accessible)
Objective	Actions	Start Date	Date	Partner	Partners	from consultation)	(Give Date)	Accessible)

	of 1. To develop an improved method of	H	Sep-10	on going	Steering Group	GPC	All the information
o build a serise community	communicating with the wider community of Greenham to inform them of local activities and amenities by a) enhancing the PC web site Parish Plan page with relevant information and links to other services; b) consider erection of additional notice boards in strategic places; c) displaying information in Schools, Church, Children's Centre, Businesses, Shops etc. d) produce a welcome to Greenham booklet with the information and put in relevant places, as above Update this on a regular basis asking all those involved in the Community to provide data for dissemination. e)produce a news letter on a regular basis	"	Sep-10	Oil going	Steering Group	GGP WBC	gathered from meetings and questionnaires shows that people in the Community are not aware of activities taking place. 71% of people felt that we could improve communication.
	To develop community activities . Organise a Fun day/Fete/BBQ to bring everyone together in order to create a sense of community. Develop an effective publicity and promotion strategy. Develop a group of Volunteers to take forward other community activities. This would be planned in conjunction with various groups in the area. Organise a regular annual event	Н	Jan-10	01/06/201 0 First Event	Steering Group	Extended Schools WBC	A fun Day/Fete/Barbecue were the three top choices for community activities
	To organise regular events for the Community such as family disco, social event, quiz night.	М			Steering group/ Volunteers	As above	

1	4. To work with others in the Community to develop activities for young people and to develop ways to involve young people in local decision making.	Н	Apr-10	on going	Community Worker	GGP PC Extended Schools WBC Community Worker Church Volunteers NW Youth Forum	Initial discussions with young people need development plus activities for them	
level of housing developments and the infrastructure needed	With proposals for over 4000 additional homes in Greenham parish, it will be essential to create a monitoring group to ensure that there are: a) improved roads, in and near the parish, which are already a significant cause of concern b) well planned activity areas for all age groups c) community centre, incorporating sports facility and meeting space d) dental and doctors surgeries e) primary and secondary schools, to reduce car journeys f) realistic and well planned parking provision g) good public transport and green alternatives to reduce car usage h) improved lighting and footpath surface from New Road to the Racecourse station i) low energy /energy efficient housing Establish a method for ensuring these recommendations are implemented.	Н			Parish Council	WBC Planning Steering Group	421 out of 882 respondents (47%) felt that no additional housing is required in Greenham. 148 (16%) felt that some affordable housing is required and 135 (15%) starter homes. Many adverse comments were received about the Racecourse proposals, about which no specific questions were asked. 591 people (67%) want our open spaces to be protected. 42% feel that we should try to reduce traffic 33% feel that we should encourage energy saving schemes	

Greener (e.g reducin	g carbon footprint in the community,						
reducing waste and ir increasing diversity or	ncreasing recycling, encourage consumption of local flocal wildlife).	al produce					
Maintain adequate bus service	Monitor and liaise with bus operators to see how well new service is being used and is regarded. Pursue possible improvements eg stop closer to Lamtarra Way, hourly rather than 2 hourly, evening service.	L		Steering group	Newbury buses	17% of those who use the bus were unhappy about timetables and 16% about routes. However the vast majority commented that they do not use the service because it is so poor	
Encourage greater awareness of green issues	Initiate fact finding meeting to establish the scope of setting up a green interest group to drive forward a range of green initiatives. Work with the Living Landscape Project and BBOWT Investigate possibility of providing communal composting facilities. Explore the possibilities of allotment space or alternative gardening opportunities. Encourage freecycling through use of website.	L		Parish Council	WBC Sustainability Officer, BALC, Living Landscape Project, BBOWT	Business Questionnaire response Questionnaire demostrates support for further protection of the Common	
Improved cycle routes: new/better paths improved signage	Discuss with SPOKES.	M		Steering group	SPOKES WBC	51% of adult respondents own a bicycle. 21% of respondents requested improved cycle routes. 13% requested better signage. 15% requested a cycling club	
Improve recycling by businesses of glass, paper and cans	Set up meeting with Greenham Common Trust, GPP and Veolia to discuss how to promote concept of recycling champions to all businesses on New Greenham Park. Discuss with Veolia the provision of communal facilities at NGP, Hambridge Road, Hambridge Lane. (Triangle could already use Tesco facilities)	M		Steering group	WBC Recycling, Veolia and GCT		
Safer (e.g. Reducing	anti-social behaviour, reducing speed on roads, en	nergency i	olanning)				
Development of Neighbourhhod Watch schemes	Investigate the development of further Neighbourhood Watch Schemes.	M	Jan-11	Thames Valley Police Neighbourhood Watch coordinator	Residents groups	Graphs show lack of awareness but concern for property safety	

safety.	Request for improved access especially for pushchairs, wheelchairs and cycles near main entrance to Common already in progress. Site visit made with Greenham Common Warden, who has met with WBC Highways to discuss possibilities. Liaise with Spokes Follow up improvement to crossing in Bowdown Farm/Lower Farm area Request warning signs on road surface for other crossings on Bury's Bank Road Requires investigation with WBC Highways & Transport Services to ensure possible within budget and existing regulations	Н	Sep-09	Parish Council	Countryside WBC Highways	This was an issue raised at a number of public meetings and in comments attached to the questionnaires. 42% requested improved road crossings, including this one specifically 13% requested better disabled access	
Pedestrian Safety	Meet and discuss with WBC Highways a safe pedestrian crossing at Greenham Road/Racecourse Road. Requires investigation with WBC Highways & Transport Services to ensure possible within budget and existing regulations	M	Jan-10	Parish Council	WBC Highways Victoria ward councillors	42% of respondents requested improved road crossings Also requested by Victoira ward residents	
	Discuss with WBC Highways and Spokes and explore bridge pedestrian/cycle crossing of A339 to college/ surgery/ Park House and traffic light sequences to improve traffic flow Initial exploration was negative. Continue to explore demand and possibilities.	M	Oct-09	Parish Council	WBC Highways SPOKES	Graphs and consultations show concern about safety. Also impact of pedestrian movements on traffic flow	
speeding	Explore the 'Community Speed Watch Scheme' Request police checks A339, Bury's Bank Road, New Road, Racecourse Road	M	Oct-09	Parish Council	WBC Community Safety Team Neighbourhood Wardens GGP Police	64% of people were concerned about speeding in Greenham	
	Identify main problem areas Discuss with WBC planners and review parking policy in new developments.	М		Steering Group	WBC Planning Neighbourhood Wardens Housing Associations	Parking problems on newer developments	
Improved street lighting	Investigate which areas have a problem and discuss with West Berkshire Council Highways Team Requires investigation with WBC Highways & Transport Services to ensure possible within budget and existing regulations	L		Steering Group	Neighbourhood Wardens, WBC Highways Youth Councils	Graphs show that poor lighting is a particular concern for youth	

Reduce litter and dog fouling; loose dogs	Review placement of bins. Improve signage Education through schools and youth clubs. Discuss possibility of more protected areas on the Common	Н	Parish Council	Schools and youth clubs, Living Landscape Project	77% were concerned about litter in Greenham 63% of adult respondents felt that dog fouling was in issue 34% requested more protected areas on the Common	
Reduce trolley dumping	Meet Tesco and Neighbourhood Wardens and develop strategy to reduce the problem.	Н	Parish Council	Tesco Neighbourhood Wardens WBC	Ongoing problem, commented on by many residents	
Ensure footpaths and bridleways kept accessible	Develop a means of reporting overgrown footpaths and other footpaths problems to West Berks Council.	М	WBC	West Berks Ramblers Neighbourhood Wardens Volunteers	Comments show this is a cause for concern, particularly on the New Rd bridleway	
Prosperous (e.g. Supemployment in rural a	oporting economy of villages, Tourism, Supporting reas)					
Encourage ongoing learning and skills development	Investigate needs through survey/focus groups Facilitate relevant delivery within the community		WBC Adult and Community Learning Team	Steering Group Community Worker Newbury College Greater Greenham Project	Government statistics show this is the most deprived ward in West Berks 59% of Business Survey respondents said recruitment difficult or quite difficult	
improving health and	g a sense of place and belonging, well-being of local people and young people, nce of vulnerable people)	,				

To encourage adult and community learning activities. Increase volunteering.	Set up a steering group of local residents with support from WBC ACL Team. Develop a programme of learning commencing with those activities requested e.g. Gardening, Photography and Art. Develop a list of potential volunteers working alongside Wes tBerkshire Volunteer Centre. Develop a series of regular community walks and ensure that maps and other useful literature is provided.	M	WBC Adult and community learning Team	Steering group GGP BBOWT West Berkshire Volunteer Centre	50% of adult respondents would like maps of local footpaths. 37% would like clear signage of footpaths and especially of circular routes around Greenham 23% requested guided walks Within the youth questionnaire Photography and Art were popular and so this could be all age.
Improve play facilities	Review existing facilities and determine need for improvements eg for disabled Investigate new facilites eg adventure play for teens, green gym Involve youth councils	н	Steering group	WBC GPC GGP Sovereign Housing Youth Councils Community Worker	
Engage youth in community activities	Assess needs and views working alongside existing youth forum. Enable youth forum to meet agencies that can offer support to development of projects. Support the development of a youth forum for Pigeons Farm. Promote links with others working in the community, to reduce anti-social behaviour by disaffected and bored youth	Н	Community Worker	Youth and community worker BACYP Neighbourhood Wardens Steering group Youth councils	59% of people thought the community worker should focus on youth
To consider a possible community building so that a sense of community can develop with opportunities for clubs, sports, etc	Assess needs and carry out a feasibility study Liaise with Racecourse developers re proposed resources Develop an action plan	L	Steering group	PC Greater Greenham Project CBAS	From graphs and discussions there is a clear need for appropriate facilities for requested activities. Also need somewherre to act as a focus for building a sense of community