

HAMBLETON DISTRICT COUNCIL

Report To: Cabinet
3 September 2013

Subject: PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLANS

**Swainby, Bedale and Topcliffe Wards
Portfolio Holder for Leisure and Health: Councillor Mrs S Shepherd**

1.0 PURPOSE AND BACKGROUND:

- 1.1 The Council's policy is to endorse Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Sub Area Action Plans to provide a more strategic and efficient process for allocating future Section 106 monies (see Annex A) either from Local Development Framework allocations or windfall sites.
- 1.2 The purpose of this report is to endorse the Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plan for Ingleby Arncliffe and Sessay, and refreshed plan for Bedale.
- 1.3 The Council's policy states that each Action Plan must comply with the following:
- Ascertain what is already provided
 - Consider public open space, sport and recreation projects that are included in the local Community or Parish Plan to identify existing need
 - Includes consultation with community groups that manage public open space, sport or recreation facilities to identify future need
 - Includes consultation with the District Council Elected Member(s) and the local Area Partnership
 - Meet the obligations of Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Supplementary Planning Document
 - Is signed off by a Council Executive Director

The Action Plan detailed in 1.2 meet this criterion.

- 1.4 Copies of the Action Plans detailed in 1.2 are available at Annex B.

2.0 LINK TO COUNCIL PRIORITIES:

- 2.1 This links primarily to the Health priority of the Council.

3.0 RISK ASSESSMENT:

- 3.1 Risk has been considered as part of this report and there are no risks identified as a result.

4.0 FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

- 4.1 The main method of delivery of S106 allocations is to passport external funding from developers to community groups. Funds will not be committed or released to organisations until the Council has received the monies from the developer.

4.2 Action Plans will be subject to 12 monthly reviews to determine progress to ensure that the projects are still relevant and viable.

5.0 LEGAL IMPLICATIONS:

5.1 There is a legal responsibility upon the Council to ensure this funding is used in a way consistent with the individual Section 106 Agreements.

6.0 SECTION 17 CRIME AND DISORDER ACT 1998:

6.1 Some of these projects have the potential to reduce crime and disorder through providing diversionary activity for young people.

7.0 EQUALITY/DIVERSITY ISSUES:

7.1 All projects in receipt of this funding should have equal access and be available for the general public to use.

8.0 RECOMMENDATIONS:

8.1 It is recommended that the Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation Action Plans in Annex B be endorsed.

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Background papers: Hambleton Local Development Framework – Open Space, Sport and Recreation Supplementary Planning Document

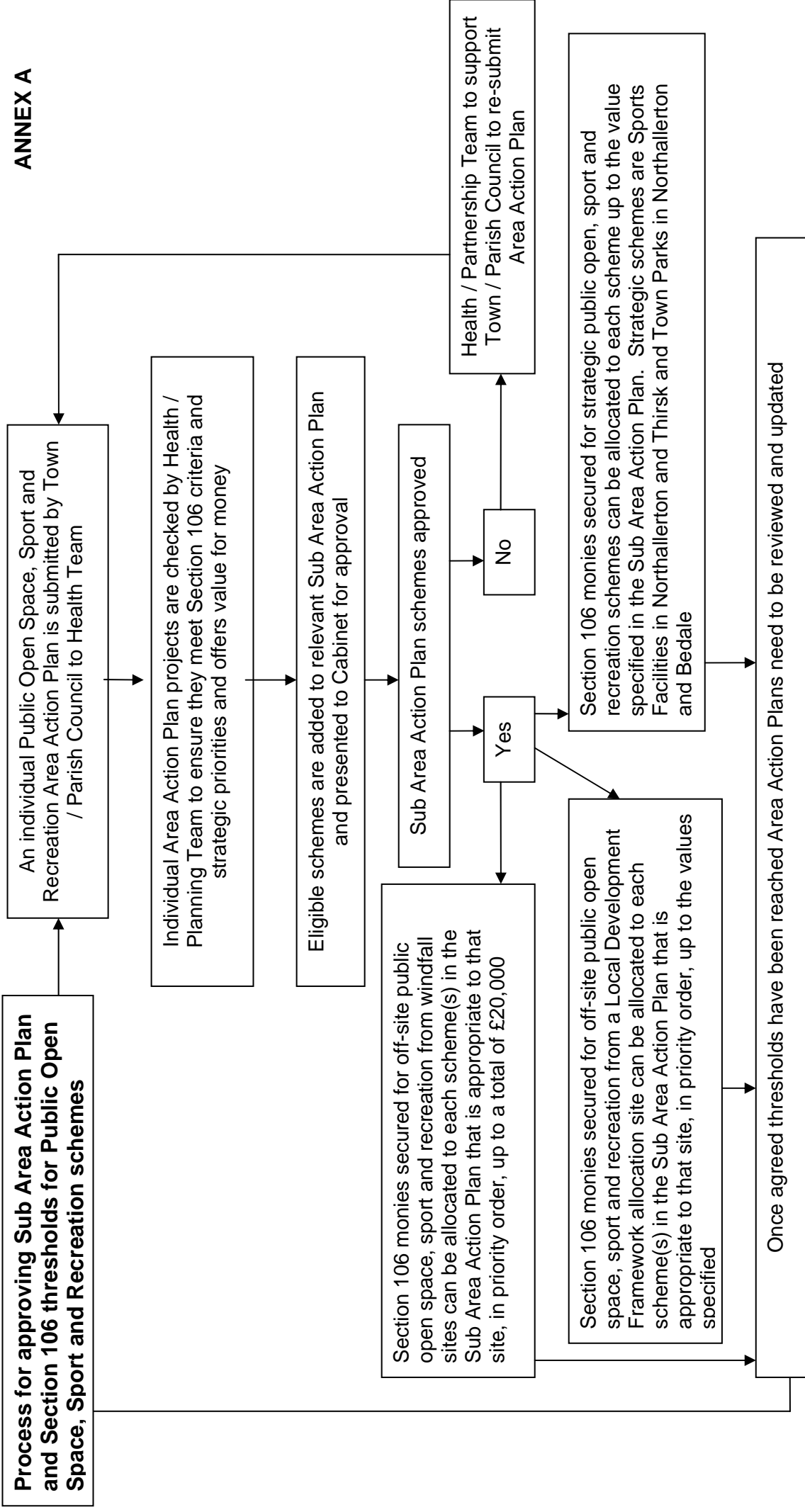
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Process for approving Sub Area Action Plan and Section 106 thresholds for Public Open Space, Sport and Recreation schemes

ANNEX A





PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLAN – INGLEBY ARNCLIFFE

What POS / Sport / Recreation facilities do you have already?	Managing organisation and contact details	Future actions	How do you know there is a need for this project?	Estimated cost (£)	Community Priority (1 = highest priority)
Ingleby Cross Cricket Club – cricket pitch and clubhouse	Ingleby Cross Cricket Club	Upgrading the clubhouse facility to improve health and safety standards	Feedback from users	£10,000.00	1

PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLAN – SESSAY

What POS / Sport / Recreation facilities do you have already?	Managing organisation and contact details	Future actions	How do you know there is a need for this project?	Estimated cost (£)	Community Priority (1 = highest priority)
All weather multi-use sports area	Village Hall Committee	Provide new multi-purpose facility.	Local consultations including the school	£60,000	1
Additional cricket field	Sessay Cricket Club	Provide new, additional facility to accommodate increase in teams	Local consultation with Crick Club	£45,000	2
Allotments	Sessay Parish Council	Provide new amenity to meet the needs of the local community	Local consultation with residents	£40,000	3
Upgrade play equipment	Village Hall Committee	Provide new / enhanced facility	Change in local demographics	£30,000	4
Village Hall	Village Hall Committee	Replacement of hall within the next 10 years	Local consultation	£150,000	5
Church extension for toilets and kitchen	Sessay Parochial Church Council	Provide a new facility to increase use of the building	Local consultation with the church	£30,000	6
Village Hall equipment	Village Hall Committee	Provision of additional storage, tables, chairs, kitchen equip	Local consultation with the village hall committee	£5,000	7

PUBLIC OPEN SPACE, SPORT AND RECREATION ACTION PLAN – BEDALE

What POS / Sport / Recreation facilities do you have already?	Managing organisation and contact details	Future actions	How do you know there is a need for this project?	Estimated cost (£)	Community Priority (1 = highest priority)
Scouting/Guiding etc.	Bedale Scouts & Guides.	To contribute to the provision of scout & guide premises that may also be used for general recreational etc. activities both internally and externally.	Identified by the B&VCF as one of the key targets for the continuing development of the town and has been supported by the Town Council.	£56,000 (S106 already allocated)	1
Southfields Public Open Space	Bedale Town Council	Drainage of public open space to negate excessive flooding including children's play park	Recent experience and feedback from users	£5,000	2
Floodlit pitch development	Hambleton District Council	Redevelopment of floodlit pitch	Playing pitch audit with North Yorkshire County Football Association	£20,000	3
Other public space	North Yorkshire County Council	To provide a town centre feature area to the front of the post office, Market Place	Identified by the Bedale and Villages Community Forum as one of the key targets for the continuing development of the town and has been supported by the Town Council.	£150,000	4
Other public space	Sustrans	To contribute to the provision of a cycle route between Leeming Bar and Bedale.	Identified by the Bedale and Villages Community Forum as one of the key targets for the continuing development of the town and has been supported by the Town Council.	£166,000	5

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Bedale Park incorporating play area and skateboard park	Bedale Town Council	Installation of new play equipment in the play area to benefit 8-13 year olds	Equipment subject to replacement due to general wear and tear.	£25,000	6
Replacement trees	Bedale Town Council	Maintaining and improving tree stock in public areas	Advice from arborist in annual inspection	£2,000	7
Adult outdoor fitness equipment	Bedale Town Council	Provision of a selection of equipment to benefit adults using Bedale Park	Feedback from the community	£10,000	8