



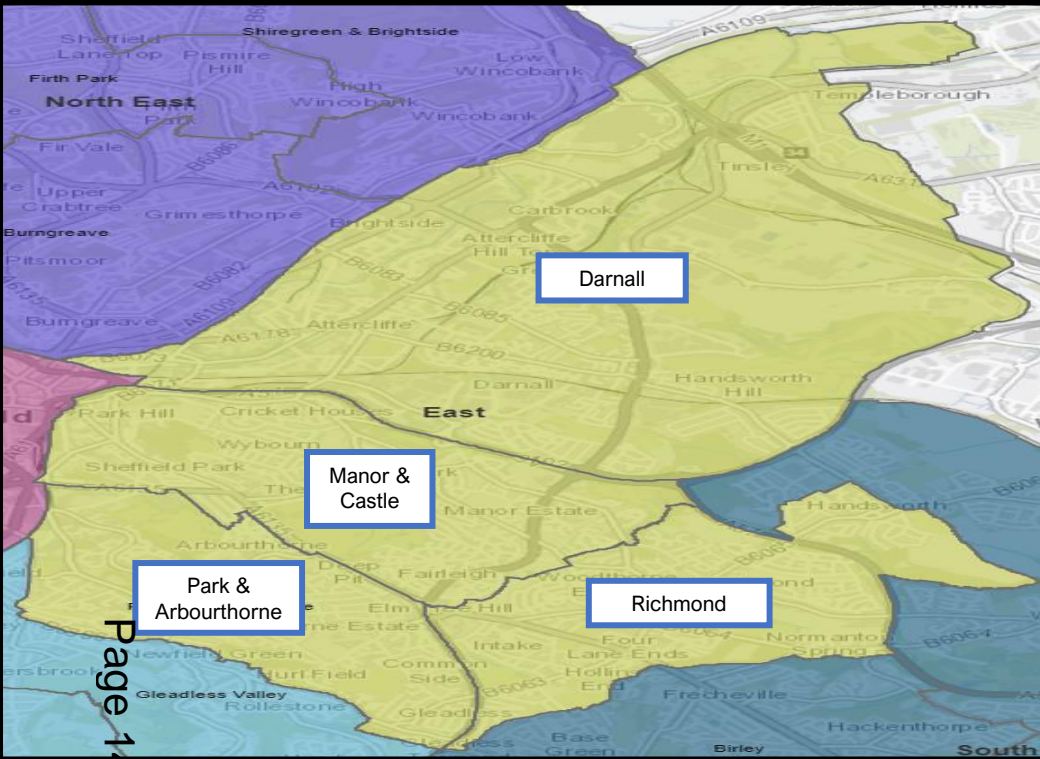
East Local Area Committee

Park & Arbourthorne • Darnall • Manor & Castle • Richmond

The East area consists of four wards:

- Park & Arbourthorne
- Darnall
- Manor & Castle
- Richmond

East LAC members are the 12 local Councillors



What was said in the survey (community and residents)

Likes



- 'Friendly Community & Neighbours'
- 'Access to Parks, Green & Open Spaces'
- 'Close to Local Amenities, Shops, Businesses and Town Centre'
- 'Access to Transport Links & Public Transport'
- 'Proud of our Schools & Youth Clubs'
- 'Access to Football Pitches'



Improvements

- 'Invest, improve Businesses, Housing, Community Buildings, Local Shops & Shopping Centres'
- 'Improve Activities and Facilities for both Adults & Children and Young People'
- 'Improve the appearance of the Estate'
- 'Reduce Crime and Anti-Social Behaviour'
- 'Reduce Fly-Tipping & Litter'
- 'Enforce Parking regulations'
- 'More Health & Wellbeing Events'
- 'Improvements on Maintenance & Cleaning of the Estate'
- 'Improvements with Public Transport & Speed Limits'



Priorities

The six priority themes:



Environment



Community Safety & Crime



Community & Neighbourhoods



Children & Young People



Transport & Highways



Health & Wellbeing





Priority : Environment –further details



Litter – Residential and Commercial Bins

Fly-Tipping – waste, disposal of rubbish and general cleanliness

Parks – more use of parks, improved facilities and feeling safe

Street Scene –
Footpath's and Lighting

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Priority: Crime & Community Safety



Anti-Social Behaviour –
excessive noise
nuisance, off road bikes,
the use of CCTV

Police – need more
Police presence and
patrol, hate crime

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Crime – shootings, knife
crime, drug dealing

Road Safety – not
enough done to stop
speeding



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Priority : Transport & Highways



Road Safety – speeding,
pedestrian and school
parking

Speeding – traffic
calming measures

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Cycling routes – do we
need any cycling lanes



Public Transport – better
buses and trams

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Priority : Community & Neighbourhoods



Create opportunities for local residents and businesses and access to employment and training e.g. digital inclusion

Community & Neighbourhood – housing stock, local amenities, local shops, invest in businesses and neighbourhoods, derelict land

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Celebrate positives and focus activities that bring people together

Positive use of community assets for the benefit of the community

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Priority : Health & Wellbeing

Data shows persistent health inequalities



22% declared a long term disability

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Not easy to access services

Impact of COVID-19 and Mental Health

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Priority : Children & Young People



Service – access to relevant services that support Children & Young People and Families

Youth Provision – investment in Youth Services to divert Young People away from Crime and ASB

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Opportunities for Young People to access Training and Employment

Activities – more Facilities (indoor and outdoor), spaces for Children and Young People and focused activities for vulnerable Young People



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Work from last year

- **ASB /Crime, Neighbourhoods and Communities working group**
- **Children, Young People , Health and Wellbeing working group**
- **Environment , Transport and Highways working group**
- **East LAC informal meetings/Chair and Vice Chair Fortnightly meetings**

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- **Public Meetings covered themes :**

Community Safety

Harassment of women and young girls

Young People

Economic Recovery and the Holiday Activity and Food programme (HAF)

Formal Consultation on the Local Plan and Libraries

- **Days of Action** in each ward, which have brought together Councillors, LAC Officers, Community Safety Wardens, Police, Environment Officers, Amey, Housing Officers - tackle flytipping
- **Road Shows** LAC bringing together Council Services and the Voluntary Sector to promote their services, answer questions and offer support to local people
- **Residents / local public meetings/ NAGs (Neighbourhood Action Groups**
- **Communication , Gov/Dev, Facebook, blog , stakeholder meetings, local community meetings , our East LAC networks**

Work last year from the £100K fund

Funded 20 organisations

- Children and Young people - £50K , plus £10K from Youth Services
- Environment - £20K
- Communities and Neighbourhoods - £20K
- Contingency - £10k

Last year Ward Pots and CIL funds

74 projects funded from ward pots:

- Darnall - £11, 909
- Richmond - £8,956
- Manor Castle - £13, 264
- Park & Arbourthorne - £11, 825

9 Projects funded from Community infrastructure Levy (CIL)

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Impact of East LAC so far

- Beginning to deal with the Key Priorities
- Localised working, developed positive relationship with VCF sector
- Public meeting – opportunity for residents to ask members questions
- Fund local projects that empower communities e.g. Saturday clubs
- Built good relationship with members , steer them to focus on ward priorities
- Ability to bring services together, focus on a particular issues e.g. Park Academy , Errington
- Ability to unpick strategic plans and bring to a local level e.g. ERF
- Support Services to facilitate Local engagement events e.g. housing
- Help build trust amongst communities and other services e.g. Police

Work continue

- Refresh the East LAC priorities
- £100k divided between the four wards - £25K each focus on the priorities , in addition ward pots and Community infrastructure Money (CIL)
- Support work on the ERF (if successful)
- Implement Community Action Groups (CAGs) at ward level – that bring key services together such as housing, youth, highways
- Support localised working – working with our VCF partners and Health