# Lever Area 1 – Housing and Homelessness:

**Overarching Objective:** Improve the supply, quality and coordination of services to meet housing needs and demands

| Task   | Planned Outcome  | Activity  | Working with Partners   |
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| Address the underlying causes of homelessness so that it becomes rare, brief and non-recurring                               | Making homelessness rare, brief and nonrecurring   | <ul> <li>A clear homelessness and rough sleeping strategy</li> <li>Increase in the availability and supply of accommodation both temporary and for rough sleepers</li> </ul>        | Using the strategy as the basis for joined up, prevention focused support, including:  - the ability to intervene in the right way at the right time  - person centered  - understanding the underlying issues  - understanding the causes and symptoms |
| 2. Improving the supply of housing to meet needs and demands   | <ul> <li>Supply of properties to meet local plan targets whilst recognising net zero targets</li> <li>Development of affordable housing which meets needs</li> <li>Supply of supported accommodation which meets the identified long term needs of the county</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Programme to identify needs for supported housing to inform delivery programmes</li> <li>Ongoing activity – local partnership working with RPs around delivery</li> </ul>  | Develop a long-term approach, including understanding:  - Future needs and adaptability of housing to provide homes for the future  - Tenancy sustainment, including wrap around support and skills to manage a household                               |
| 3. Improving the quality of existing accommodation to secure an overall improvement in the health and wellbeing of residents | Homes which:         meet decent homes standards         have affordable energy costs         meet mobility needs  | <ul> <li>Development of an energy advice service</li> <li>Introduction of a Good Homes Alliance</li> <li>Review of DFG services</li> <li>Retrofit/insulation initiatives</li> </ul> | Develop mechanisms to enable private investment in housing to adapt for future needs, and strive for net zero, including:  - Reducing carbon emissions - Tackling fuel poverty - Developing sustainable behaviours                                      |

# Lever Area 2 – Activity and Wellbeing:

Overarching Objective: To address inactivity across the county – improving access and opportunity for all residents to be active and participate by leveraging District knowledge and connection with people and places

| Task   | Planned Outcome  | Activity  | Working with Partners   |
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| Develop opportunities and programmes across communities for all residents to engage - designed to increase physical activity and specifically address loneliness, social isolation and childhood obesity | <ul> <li>Health and wellbeing actions developed and delivered using combined partnership resources.</li> <li>Increase in Lincolnshire residents taking part in physical activity</li> <li>Aligned outcomes with system partners</li> </ul>   | <ul> <li>Research innovative approaches to enable whole family participation (intergenerational)</li> <li>Targeted engagement with school aged children focussed on prevention</li> <li>Contribute to delivery of Let's Move Lincolnshire Strategy</li> </ul> | Strong engagement with Let's Move Lincolnshire Strategy  - Recognising whole system approach - Daily lives - Enhancing public realm - Better use of heritage, blue and green assets - Understanding and tackling social, cultural and economic barriers to activity                                       |
| 2. Develop a plan to be able to positively influence the planning system and external decision making in creating active environments  | <ul> <li>Partners working through a coordinated plan to create environments for people of all ages to have equitable access to safe spaces and places</li> <li>Improved collaboration in planning between system partners</li> <li>Deliver healthy and sustainable places and communities</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Influence planning policy/Local Plans linked to environment and regeneration – walking, cycling, green space</li> <li>Develop relationships with NHS planning leads</li> <li>Embed health through the planning process</li> </ul>                    | Create a cross-organisation planning sub-group, with strong:  - Evidence base and learning from best practice  - Political engagement  - Metrics to evidence the difference effective development of planning policy achieves   |
| 3. Make better use of green spaces across Lincolnshire and maximise opportunities for residents and visitors to be active across the county  | More green and public open space<br>available and accessible to residents of and<br>visitors to Lincolnshire   | <ul> <li>Celebrate and raise awareness across         <ul> <li>Lincolnshire to maximise use of green space</li> </ul> </li> <li>Green social prescribing</li> <li>Equal focus - green asset based activity and physical asset based activity</li> </ul>       | Map provision and usage across the County and understand gaps of facilities or active usage, create a cross-organisation approach to play parks that addresses:  - Accessibility, especially in areas of high deprivation - Cultural barriers to use - Ensuring play areas are safe and attractive to use |

# Lever Area 3 – Environment and Sustainability

Overarching Objective: Improve understanding of the links between environment and health and maximise opportunities to deliver on both simultaneously

| Task   | Planned Outcome  | Activity   | Working with Partners   |
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| Review and develop approach to joint work on a Lincolnshire approach to climate change         | <ul> <li>Focus around collaborative opportunities and accountability for delivery and ability to be joined up in skills and investment</li> <li>Opportunity to secure increased external investment in carbon reduction initiatives</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Create a formal Climate Change officers working group across Greater Lincolnshire,</li> <li>Develop proposals to secure investment in Lincolnshire</li> <li>Identify project based opportunities to collaborate with partners to drive improvement</li> </ul> | Develop a high-level cross-county climate change plan that drives investment in key infrastructure and enablers, including:  - Existing and new housing (Private owned, private rented and social housing)  - Electric vehicle infrastructure |
| Consider integration of climate change at all levels in Local Plan Reviews and planning policy | Develop and utilise planning policy where possible to drive sustainable development across the County  | Ensure aspirations around climate<br>emergency declarations are well reflected<br>in Local Plan policy and implementation  | Utilise national best practice in informing and shaping planning policy across the County   |

## Lever Area 4 – Economic Inclusion

Overarching Objective: Reducing economic inequality and alleviating poverty as a fundamental driver for improving mental and physical health and wellbeing

| Task   | Planned Outcome   | Activity   | Working with Partners  |
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| Develop economic inclusion strategies for each of our places (as part of our UKSPF investment plans)                           | Effective articulation and delivery of economic interventions that deliver improved health outcomes with improved economic performance for our places   | <ul> <li>Establish an effective strategic group of district economic inclusion leads</li> <li>Create a strong narrative on the benefits of increasing economic equality on health</li> <li>Analyse place-based evidence on the correlation between economic, deprivation and health indicators</li> <li>Review existing initiatives/projects in this context</li> <li>Develop economic inclusion strategies for our areas with action plans that include linkages with other levers/drivers</li> </ul> | Create a strategic approach to enabling all people in Lincolnshire to have the opportunity fulfil their economic potential, including:  Creating accessible high skilled, high wage jobs  Access to employment for low education attainment  Expanding coverage of living wage  Understanding the impact of the seasonal economy                 |
| Develop and launch a Good Employment Charter for Businesses that promotes social value/employee wellbeing/ business resilience | Good Employment Charter for each place     Increased number of flexible job roles     Increased workforce diversity     Increased business workforce resilience     Reduction in workforce mental health issues | <ul> <li>Co-create a first version "Good Employment<br/>Charter" with the key business<br/>organisations</li> <li>Launch and promote the Charter</li> <li>Maintain and further develop the Charter to<br/>incorporate further themes</li> </ul>  | Utilise reach and engagement with businesses to create long term, impactful best practice, including:  Ongoing investment in skills and training Identifying and targeting resource around skills gaps Disability confident employment Engaging effectively with broad base of employers (including SME's)                                       |
| 3. Support those most susceptible to economic change and transition  | Minimise the impact of economic change on residents of Lincolnshire   | <ul> <li>Create both an immediate response to the existing crisis and plans for future resilience</li> <li>Supporting employers, the voluntary sector and residents to adapt and respond to economic changes</li> <li>Employee upskilling and retraining programmes for those in industries exposed to long term decline</li> </ul>  | Develop interventions to address economic vulnerability within the cost of living crisis and beyond, including:  • Mapping and understanding who is vulnerable to change (i.e. different cohorts and demographics impacted)  • Provision of financial first aid (e.g. money advice network)  • Support via employers to those who are vulnerable |

# Lever Area 5 – Community Engagement

Overarching Objective: Leverage unique links at place level to engage with and enable communities

| Task   | Planned Outcome  | Activity   | Working with Partners   |
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| Develop a mechanism to move towards a strategic commissioning approach across the health and wellbeing system (community services) | A gap analysis of local provision as a baseline.   | <ul> <li>Map current delivery of social prescribing and commissioned services with their funding sources</li> <li>Review provision against need at a PCN level and against transport and accessibility</li> </ul>  | <ul> <li>Approach to focus on:         <ul> <li>Harnessing community involvement (including traditionally under represented groups)</li> </ul> </li> <li>Social prescribing and communicating the community offer (e.g. via Connect2Support)</li> <li>Mapping community provision against population and health outcomes</li> <li>Links to other activity (e.g. Let's Move Lincolnshire)</li> </ul> |
| 2. Actively support and shape the rebuilding of social capital and community-led development of local places (levelling up)        | An initial timetable and programme to target opportunities   | Review and map the pipeline of opportunities for local communities under the Levelling Up agenda and the accompanying potential funding opportunities  | Joined up approach to:  • Focus investment on areas of highest deprivation  • Building local activity and at a local level, engaging local people   |
| 3. Create a district community empowerment approach to include a district 'community of practice' toolkit                          | An initial baseline of what has worked well<br>and lessons learned so far to provide a<br>foundation for continuous development<br>and improvement   | Work with health colleagues to review the<br>lessons learned so far on the work<br>undertaken to address health inequalities<br>and vaccine take up to capture engagement<br>channels  | Use the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment as a baseline to focus development of tools across partners, including:  • Development of and signposting to tools that already exist  • Identifying and filling gaps in toolkits  |
| 4. Strengthen sector oversight, assurance, contribution and support  | <ul> <li>An assessment framework that gives confidence that community and voluntary sector activity is supported to deliver safely</li> <li>Assurances that activity is accessible in communities at a local level</li> <li>A toolkit that new and emerging groups can use consistently across the county to support their activity</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>Actively contribute to the development of, and ongoing updates to, the Joint Strategic Asset Assessment</li> <li>Review the support available to new and existing community groups</li> <li>Work with partners to develop an agreed approach to sector oversight and assurance</li> </ul> | A cross Lincolnshire approach to enable and support groups, including:  • Support for new community groups, consistency and clarity of offer  • Securing maximum impact of resource through health funding  • Equipping and supporting smaller and unconstituted groups   |