Annex B: DRAFT Community Engagement Consultation Outline

Questions we might want to ask?	Some of our achievements	Some areas of focus for the Strategy
We will Listen and Understand If we were planning to change something in your community how would you like to engage with us? Would you be willing to sign up to access something online?	One Doncaster report commissioned by the strategic partnership consulted with 1,000 individuals, and took evidence from a wide range of people and organisations living and working in the borough. During 2016, we have revisited BME health needs across the borough which culminated in a report outlining a series of key recommendations which will be taken forward by the Health and well Being board. Extensive consultation on the South Yorkshire Waste Strategy (SYWS). Methods included questionnaire data and thematic analysis of qualitative data which informed the end strategy for waste across South Yorkshire. Through our democratic structures questions from members of the public take place at a number of meetings including Full Council and Cabinet.	 Online space to view and take part in consultations How can we utilise frontline staff & elected member experiences Community Pulse – how can we measure people's perception of their community and their quality of life over time?
Doncaster People will inform our Policy and we will keep people informed What ideas have you had about your local community?	The 'Well Denaby' programme is delivering a social model of health. The programme is delivered with the community (doing things with people rather than to people) and seeking to address the fundamental things that underpin good health and wellbeing (housing, employment and social connections) by building on the strengths of an area. The Children and young People's Plan 2017-2020 used information from the Joint Strategic Needs Assessment and engagement with children and young people to define the priorities over the next four years. The Doncaster Cultural Leisure Trust (DCLT) is a registered charity that was formed to run leisure facilities across the borough.	 Learn from engagement and unleash community ideas into models of delivery We can change the way services are delivered that result in new models of delivery that involve local communities more and the council less.

Eventually this will be with no subsidy from the Council but continues to improve the quality of leisure provision across the centres that it manages.

The **Doncaster Children's Services Trust** is an independent organisation set up to deliver social care and support services to children, young people and families in Doncaster. It is an innovative way to deliver services following an agreement with national government and the local authority and was the first of our kind in the country

with Purpose

What are the barriers to engaging with us now?

What can we do to remove these barriers?

We will be Inclusive and act The Healthy Living for BME Women in Doncaster service, delivered by Changing Lives, provides an opportunity for women to access health and other advice and guidance relating to the wider determinants of health which they may not otherwise be able to get. Over the year 2016/17, the service has supported 471 women, of which 123 were new to the service.

> An Inclusion and Fairness Forum was set up to help make Doncaster a fairer place to live and work. The Forum considered evidence of how inequalities have affected the lives of local people in relation to employment, mental health, obesity and social isolation. It then considered what changes and actions could be taken to tackle inequality by hosting meetings across the borough

 We need to understand how we can engage people who normally don't engage either because there is a barrier, they don't know how or they simply don't feel motivated to get involved.

We will make the most of what already exists in communities and where possible increase **Community Capacity**

What are vou aware happening in your community?

What topics would motivate you to get involved?

There are now 21 **Community Run Libraries** and 4 staffed ones, as a result, libraries are becoming community hubs and are able to respond flexibly to local need by offering different services. For example, Stainforth Community Library contains a charity shop inside, and staff have used the money raised to take disadvantaged members of the community on trips to the seaside.

Following the withdrawal of investment at Sandall Park the Local Authority assisted in developing a Friends of Sandall Park group (FoSP) consisting of people from the local community. The Friends group evolved into a positive and vibrant group which set about curing crime, drawing investment into the park and gradually turning

- Social Investment Fund targeted at tackling poverty, improving social mobility and achieving social growth.
- What Supporting arrangements for the Voluntary, Community and Faith Sector are needed
- Learning from what works in Communities

around its fortunes.

Doncaster Youth Alliance consists of Doncaster based youthfocused organisations. The Alliance received some pump priming money to support the Council in becoming commissioner and convenor of youth activity rather than a delivery partner.

Doncaster Council invested £500,000 into a **Voluntary and Community Support Large Grant Fund** to offer grants to eligible Voluntary Community and Faith sector (VCS) organisations within the borough. The fund is now fully committed and has supported 17 organisations wishing to undertake activities that deliver shared aims, supports the delivery of the priorities outlined in the corporate plan and ultimately help to ensure Doncaster and its people thrive.

 More comprehensive Community Mapping exercise of assets and activities