

## POWYS PUBLIC SERVICES BOARD

Step 8	Develop a sustainable environment strategy
PSB lead	Martin Cox
Partners/stakeholders involved Interested parties identified during the engagement or who could help deliver?	NRW BBNP PCC Powys Health Board Police Service (Wildlife Crime Officer) NGO's Landowners Business Young People form Growing Mid Wales Partnership
Scope of the step What needs to be done to deliver the step?	<ol> <li>Scope out what the joint environmental priorities for PSB partners and stakeholders</li> <li>Establish what the current PSB organisational priorities are and where they align and what the overlaps and gaps are. We also need to understand how our strategies are aligned with national priorities such as the Nature Recovery Plan, Natural Resources Policy and SONARR.</li> <li>We need to make sure that there is integration with other PSB groups (particularly climate change/ renewables and outdoor tourism/ recreation) also the Mid Wales Area Statement which is being managed by NRW and the 'Growing Mid Wales' Partnership</li> <li>There appears to be four key areas where we should focus. These have been derived from the initial Wellbeing Assessment work and current WG policies:</li> <li>Connecting people with nature (recreation, enjoyment, volunteering, education)</li> <li>Reducing society's impact on the environment (reducing unsustainable use, pollution, waste etc)</li> <li>Ecological &amp; climate change resilience (biodiversity, key species, connectivity, pollinators etc)</li> <li>Sustainable Use – (ensuring society and business use</li> </ol>



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	<ol> <li>Need to scope out perhaps 6 flagship projects in Powys that are demonstrating good practice and use these as case studies.</li> <li>Need to draft some initial (perhaps 12) environmental priorities for Powys under the four bullet headings above</li> <li>Need to convene a working group to steer the work. This could include:         PSB Members: NRW, BBNP, PCC, Health Board, Fire Service, Dyfed Powys Police Wildlife Crime Officer, Stakeholders: Conservation Sector, Landowning Sector, Recreation/Access/Education Sector, Business     </li> </ol>
	Sector
Where are we now? Current position, knowledge, information	First meeting held 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2018 – Actions & next steps decided.
Activity to date What has been done already?	First meeting held 6 <sup>th</sup> Sept 2018 – Actions & next steps decided.
Activity for coming 3 months What do you plan to do?	<ol> <li>Invite to go out to all relevant PSB members for the 2<sup>nd</sup> meeting</li> <li>Group to map eider stakeholders &amp; agree invitees for future meetings</li> <li>All to consider case examples of best practice &amp; send examples to PG to collate</li> <li>PG to draft 12 or so draft environmental priorities to start discussion by end Sept &amp; circulate to group</li> <li>AP: Group to invite all PSB reps from above.</li> </ol>
Barriers Is something/someone getting in the way?	Not at present. Resources may be an issue in future

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