

**Taking forward the Sustainable Community Strategy Commitments:
FEEDBACK FROM WORKSHOPS 27 APRIL 2010**

6. Developing and promoting appropriate and accessible ways to increase people's ability to influence decision-making

i. What particular aspects of this commitment should we be focusing on initially?

- Better information/support

ii. Are there any particular communities/areas/issues in need of improvement activity that we should focus on?

- The homeless – barriers to engagement
- Older people (isolation)
- Excluded communities

iii. Are there any areas of good practice that we can build on?

- Parish plans
- SPRINGBOARD
- Community Forums – 'You said-we did'
- Councillor devolved budgets
- Neighbourhood Management/Total Place

iv. Any opportunities for innovative activity?

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