

# **Local Area Agreement Performance Management Workshop**

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# Local government's role is changing

- Partnership working is part of the drive for change and efficiency.
- Leadership and Vision are important = Listening and involving our diverse communities.
- Council has a duty to agree priorities with partners and Government. LAA and LOCAL TARGETS
- There are less restrictions on our use of resources provided we are improving outcomes / performance.
- Delivering successfully through partnership key to how we are judged by Government. CAA



# Our Partnership Framework

- The Oxfordshire Partnership.
- The Oxfordshire Partnership Board – **VISION.**
- Oxfordshire Partnership Public Service Board – **PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT.**
- Thematic Partnerships – **DELIVERY.**



# Our Strategic Vision

## Themes



### Community life

Information on community life and community and voluntary organisations.



### Community safety

Information on crime and public safety in Oxfordshire.

### Economy

## **Oxfordshire 2030**

- o **A World Class Economy**
- o **Healthy and thriving communities**
- o **Environment and climate change**
- o And a cross-cutting theme of **tackling inequalities and breaking the cycle of deprivation.**



### Population

Information on historical and projected population growth, ethnicity and migration.



### Poverty and deprivation

Information on families living in poverty. Mapping deprivation in Oxfordshire.



### Rural

Information on rural Oxfordshire.



### Travel

Information on commuting patterns, access to local services, road traffic and public transport.

## Delivering on *Oxfordshire 2030*

- LAA targets and Local targets delivered by partnerships.
- Partnerships have Target Delivery Groups.
- All targets in one DELIVERY PLAN which is monitored by ...
- Public Service Board managing performance.
- Public sector partners have a “Duty to Co-operate” and can be called to account.

# Partnership governance

- Governance project underway.
- Improve communication, accountability, involvement of elected members, reporting CLARITY.
- Members involved – on partnerships and through scrutiny.

# Comprehensive Area Assessment

A quick guide ...

# What is CAA?

- The new joint assessment framework for local services from 2009
- Catalyst for better local outcomes, better partnership working, more responsive services and better value for money
- Source of information and independent assurance for citizens, service users and taxpayers
- Independent evidence base for central government on progress against national priorities
- Means of rationalising and coordinating inspection

# CAA - what is it intended to do?

A catalyst for more effective improvement of local services for citizens, especially those in need:

- **Area** based and **outcome** focused
- Relevant to **local people**
- Constructive and **forward looking**
- **Jointly developed** and implemented

# CAA – a summary

**CAA** is about places and people.

**CAA** aims to give people a snapshot of life in their local area each year.

**CAA** aims to help local services improve quality of life in their area.

**CAA** aims to provide an independent view of whether people are getting value for money from their local services.