

Proposed actions for removal

Local Outcome LO 14: South Ayrshire has sustainable and accessible amenities and services to meet the needs of all communities

Strategic Objective SO 14a: Engage people, businesses and communities more effectively in the sustainability agenda

Currently 11 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Number of landlord engagement events with partner business agencies	2	2 per annum	Maintain	Energy Agency/ESSac	500%
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Encourage formation of Community Gardens (a garden designed and maintained by the residents may be floral, allotment type or mix of both)	No. of Ayrshire Housing developments which include a community garden	0	1	2012	Ayrshire Housing	
	Number of Community-led project groups	0	3		SAC	

4) Identify actions to enhance biodiversity and enhance local biodiversity knowledge	Presence of office biodiversity action plan	0	1	2010	SNH	
Undertake community appraisal of areas within South Ayrshire	Number of areas appraised	1	7	Aug 2010	Ailsa Horizons	

Promote sustainable community ownership and management of assets (eg windfarm projects)	Number of community ownership projects focusing	3	4	By 2011	Energy Agency/ESSac	100%
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Encourage and support community organisations to develop energy efficiency or sustainable energy projects	Number of community organisations developing energy efficiency or sustainable energy projects	3	3 per annum	Maintain	Energy Agency	This has been largely superceded by the HIS projects.
Set up Biobus in South Ayrshire routes	Number of South Ayrshire routes in which the Biobus runs	0	3 routes	2012	SAC, Stagecoach, Energy Agency	Unknown at present

Embed disability equality into all relevant clean, attractive & sustainable actions	% of actions appraised for disability equality	To be determined	100%	2012	SAC and partners	
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Implement Climate Champions' Project for Barrhill and neighbouring communities	(a)Proportion of residents in Barrhill and neighbouring communities engaged in the process	To be determined through survey	Increase	2010/11	Barrhill Community Interest Company	
	(b)Number of projects initiated by Barrhill and neighbouring communities	To be determined through survey	5	2010/11	Barrhill Community Interest Company	

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Strategic Objective SO 14b: Increase the availability of affordable homes in South Ayrshire

Currently 4 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Complete Housing Needs Demand Assessment	HNDA is completed and signed off by SG	0	1	October 2009	SAC	
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Develop and implement a new Local Housing Strategy for South Ayrshire	Development process completed and strategy produced	0	1	May 2010	SAC	
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Strategic Objective SO 14c: Increase the resistance of assets and services to the impacts of climate change

Currently 4 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Prepare Roads Asset Management Plan	% complete	Draft	Final	2010	SAC	
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Local Outcome LO 15: South Ayrshire has attractive built and natural environments, appreciated by its citizens & visitors

Strategic Objective SO 15a: Improve the local environment of urban and rural areas

Currently 8 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Undertake Waste management awareness raising events eg school briefings on dog fouling	No of events	0	12	End 2009	Waste Management/Community Police	
Further development of Girvan Harbour	Installation of pontoons	14 pontoons	39	June 2010	Ailsa Horizons Ltd	
Encourage consideration of biodiversity in Council processes	% actions achieved	0	11	2012	SAC, SNH, Forestry Commission, Strathclyde Police, Ayrshire Rivers Trust, RSPB	
Implement a biodiversity action plan for SEPA offices at Miller Road, Ayr(create raised beds & borders, populated with species which will encourage LBAP priority species)	% actions implemented	0	Directional	2011	SEPA	
Promote local historic built heritage	Number of guide publications produced	0	3	2012	Kyle & Carrick Civic Society	

Local Outcome LO 16: South Ayrshire's carbon emissions are substantially reduced

Strategic Objective SO 16a: Encourage households, public sector agencies and businesses to reduce their carbon emissions

Currently 9 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Reduce office carbon emissions	% reduction in office energy consumption per annum	34,000 kWh per annum	10% reduction in annual consumption	2010	SNH	
	% reduction of total carbon emissions due to use of renewables	0%	5% reduction	2010	SNH	
	% reduction in transport-related carbon emissions	666 tonnes per annum	6 tonnes carbon per annum	Annual	SNH	
Develop and support sustainable procurement practices	Reduction in the Carbon footprint of Energy, travel, waste)	54,000 (2005/06)	43,000	2013/14	SAC	No interim update available – reporting annually
	Reduction in CO ₂ emissions arising from business activities	2006/07 base tonnage	25%	March 2012	SEPA	
	Reduction in current water consumption in offices	9.3 M ³ per person per year	6.4 M3 per person per year	2012	SEPA/SAC	No interim update available – reporting annually

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Strategic Objective SO 16b: Encourage the reduction and reuse of waste products

Currently 9 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Introduce more on-street recycling facilities	1	20	2010	By 31 March 2010	
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Number of affordable homes provided with recycling containers	71	100%		By 31 March 2010	Householders, Ayrshire Housing
Number of Schools provided with recycling containers	36	41		By 31 March 2010	Educational Services
Number of churches & businesses provided with recycling containers	480	510		By 31 March 2010	Businesses, churches, commercial and industrial sector

Promotion of waste reduction scheme to Stagecoach employees	Tons of total waste to landfill, from Ayr depot	50% reduction in waste to landfill	100% reduction	2012	Stagecoach	
Promotion of waste reduction scheme to SEPA employees	(a) % reduction in general waste on site		Directional	2011	SEPA	Local target attainment plan
Promotion of waste reduction scheme to employees	(b) % reduction of paper consumption on site	2006/07	Directional	2011	SEPA	Local target attainment plan
Increase office waste minimisation	Litres office waste per month	500 litres per month	450 litres per month	2010	SNH	
	% recycling of all office waste	73% in 08/09	90%	2012	SNH	

Conduct a waste prevention audit for South Ayrshire Council to reduce the quantity (3%) of municipal waste which goes to landfill, from SAC	% reduction (tonnes) in SAC waste going to landfill	Audit to be arranged	Yet to be set	2012	SAC Waste Management	
Reduce office paper use	Reduction in number of reams of paper used each month	4.8 reams	4 (20%)	2010	SNH	

NHS Ayrshire & Arran Increase recycling rate	% Increase in waste diverted from Landfill	20%	33%	2012	SAC as Mixed Municipal Waste contractor (with North and East)	
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Strategic Objective SO 16c: Persuade people to adopt less environmentally polluting forms of transport, including walking and cycling

Currently 12 actions for this objective. Suggest remove the following actions:

Encourage businesses in South Ayrshire to take up tax free bus travel scheme	Number of businesses participating	1	2	2012	Sarah Longair, SPT	Scheme on hold
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Encourage take up of ecodriving for residents in South Ayrshire	Number of contacts receiving individual eco-driving and sustainable transport advice	0	5599 for 2009/10	2011	ESSac	33%
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Encourage take up of ecodriving for employees in South Ayrshire	Number of employees receiving individual eco driving and sustainable transport advice	0	250 for 2009/10	2011	ESSac	40%
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Implement relevant priority actions of the South Ayrshire Local Transport Strategy	% of actions achieved	7	100%	2014	Neil Rose, SAC Transportation	No interim update available – reporting annually
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Implement Travel Plans for schools	% Increase in Active Travel	61%	65%	September 2010	SAC Transportation	No information available at present
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