DRAFT LSP ACTION PLAN 2008/09

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Positive joint communications	Enhance well-being of communities by enabling better understanding of local issues and confidence in statutory and other agencies.	1. The more joined up the communication the more effective it is. 2. To be seen by communities and customers to be providing joined up policy positions.	2007/08 LSP action to jointly work on perceptions and fear of crime – to reduce fear in line with actual low crime. Another example might be to address the false rumours around housing allocations.	
Access to services – joint working and service delivery arrangements particularly in rural areas	Better services.	 To deliver more accessible services. To address the issues of rural accessibility. To provide better value for money through shared overheads etc. 	Projects might include sharing premises and delivery with the voluntary sector. Post Office closures. Joint mobile rural outreach.	
Things for young people to do	Enabling more children and young people to remain safe, stay healthy, enjoy, achieve, make a positive contribution and	Two key characteristics of East Herts are that: 1. Young people say there is not enough to do, and 2. there is a	Summer diversionary and other activities run in partnership with the voluntary sector, the police and registered social landlords.	

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	prosper.	diverse wealth of local voluntary cultural activity.		
Health inequalities	Better health for those suffering or likely to suffer ill health through factors relating to deprivation.	Despite relatively good health in East Herts there are pockets of deprivation in relation to obesity and smoking.	Promotional campaigns. – perhaps in targeted areas.	
Social cohesion	More confidence and well-being in the community.	Need to monitor and respond to pressures arising from growing inequalities and inmigration of new populations.	Eastern European migrant workers study. Having Your Say BME initiative (HCC, CVS and EHC). Develop initiatives with Hertford Regional College. Worklessness – initiatives to address worklessness in identified deprived areas.	

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New sustainable community strategy for East Herts	New LSP owned strategy integrating spatial planning in place by April 2009	To provide strategic framework for promoting well being. To comply with government guidance.	Complete spatial planning (Local Development Framework) consultation. Develop an evidence base of demographics, need and aspiration that characterises East Herts.	