

Government Office for London feedback against the list of priorities

HSP HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME - PROSPERITY		
Indicator	R/A/G status	Comments
GoL noted that Awaiting Department for Business, Enterprise & Regulatory Reform feedback - so business enterprise and VAT registrations might be pursued.		
1. NI 117 - 16 to 18 year olds who are not in education, training or employment (NEET)		
2. NI 164 - Working age population qualified to at least Level 3 or higher		<p>Better to go for 163 as Level 2 qualifications are likely to have the greatest impact on employability locally and are recognised as a springboard to higher level qualifications anyway, so an increase here would be likely to produce more people qualified to Level 3+ (164) and Level 4+ (165) over the longer term.</p> <p>If it were a case of having a maximum of 2 skills indicators in the LAA, we might argue for 163 and 164 rather than 164 and 165, on the basis that they are more realistic and achievable but do we want this indicator as well as NI 79 and 80?</p>
3. NI 165 - Working age population qualified to at least Level 4 or higher		<p>Better to go for 163 as Level 2 qualifications are likely to have the greatest impact on employability locally and are recognised as a springboard to higher level qualifications anyway, so an increase here would be likely to produce more people qualified to Level 3+ (164) and Level 4+ (165) over the longer term.</p> <p>If it were a case of having a maximum of 2 skills indicators in the LAA, we might argue for 163 and 164 rather than 164 and 165, on the basis that they are more realistic and achievable.</p>
4. NI 155 - Number of affordable homes delivered (gross)		<p>Although affordable homes is covered – NI 155 the department would also pursue NI 154 – Havering are one of three other priority boroughs in London that CLG have identified where they would want to see housing supply as a priority in the LAA. Havering is part of the Thames gateway, emerging RSS proposes a 60% increase on the previous Structure Plan figure, and although recent delivery against the Structure Plan is good, it will require a substantial uplift in delivery to meet the new target.</p>
5. NI 166 - Average earnings of employees in the area		
6. NI 153 - Working age people claiming out of work benefits in the worst performing neighbourhoods		
7. NI 173 - People falling out of work and on to incapacity benefits		
8. NI 82 - Inequality gap in the achievement of a Level 2 qualification by the age of 19		GoL suggested we drop this indicator as we have referred to inequalities at Level 2 and Level 3 by age 19 (NI 79 and NI 80). As NI 79 and 80 are included it would not be necessary to include NI 81 and 82 as well

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9. NI 81 - Inequality gap in the achievement of a Level 3 qualification by the age of 19		GoL suggested we drop this indicator as we have referred to inequalities at Level 2 and Level 3 by age 19 (NI 79 and NI 80). As NI 79 and 80 are included it would not be necessary to include NI 81 and 82 as well
10. NI 79 Achievement of a Level 2 qualification by age of 19		
11. NI 80 Achievement of a Level 3 qualification by age of 19		
HSP HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME: BETTER CITIZEN ENGAGEMENT AND COMMUNITY COHESION		
12. NI 1 - % of people who believe people from different backgrounds get on well together in their local area		
13. NI 23 - Perceptions that people in the area treat one another with respect and dignity		
14. NI 138 - Satisfaction of people over 65 with both home and neighbourhood		
HSP HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME: ENHANCED CIVIC PRIDE		
15. NI 110 - Young people's participation in positive activities		
16. NI 3 - Civic participation in the local area		
17. NI 7 -Environment for a thriving third sector		
HSP HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME: WELLBEING		
18. NI 120 - All-age all cause mortality rate		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
19. NI 136 - People supported to live independently through social services (all ages)		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
20. NI 39 - Alcohol-harm related hospital admission rates		Having are significantly better than the England average, however, we are above the regional average for:- - Female alcohol-attributable (16th worst). For alcohol-specific hospital admissions of under-18's they are above regional average and are 10th worst in London. Therefore given Romford Town Centre and the thriving Night-Time so they are happy to see it stay in.
21. NI 124 - People with a long-term condition supported to be independent and in control of their condition		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
22. NI 139 - People over 65 who say that they receive the information, assistance and support needed to exercise choice and control to live independently		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
23. NI 149 - Adults in contact with secondary mental health services in settled accommodation		Awaiting Department of Health feedback

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24. NI 50 - Emotional health of children		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
25. NI 119 - Self-reported measure of people's overall health and wellbeing		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
26. NI 135 - Carers receiving needs assessment or review and a specific carer's service, or advice and information		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
27. NI 141 Number of vulnerable people achieving independent living		Awaiting Department of Health feedback
HSP HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME: A HIGH QUALITY LOCAL ENVIRONMENT		
28. NI 186 - Per capita CO2 emissions in the LA area		<p>DEFRA are happy with waste and climate change indicators. The Culture and Environment theme group have discussed this and suggest that we instead put forward NI 185 – CO2 emissions from LA services. NI 186 is not as strong as NI 185 in terms of being able to, set a meaningful target and monitoring the reductions stemming from any action taken.</p> <p>Reasoning: Achieving reduced carbon emissions in Council buildings, public sector dwellings and transport services is seen as an issue which will not achieve a significant cut in carbon emissions released by the Council but will also help towards relieving the pressures of rising energy prices and ensure that tenants of Council owned dwellings have access to 'affordable warmth'. Though this target is not directly associated with a reduction in fuel poverty, reducing CO2 emissions from the Council's housing stock will provide a means of helping some of the the most vulnerable residents of the borough ,whilst reducing greenhouse gases.</p>
29. NI 192 - Household waste recycled and composted		DEFRA are happy with waste and climate change indicators.
30. NI 195 - Improved street and environmental cleanliness (levels of graffiti, litter, detritus and fly posting)		
31. NI 196 - Improved street and environmental cleanliness – fly tipping		This is not a priority for Defra and can be dropped if Havering need to reduce performance indicators.
32. NI 191 - Residual household waste per head		<p>DEFRA are happy with waste and climate change indicators. The Culture and Environment theme group have discussed this indicator and suggest that we put forward NI 193 – municipal waste land filled.</p> <p>Reasoning: a target around diversion from landfill better links to the climate change agenda and would be a further driver for us to focus on waste minimisation and increased recycling and composting. There are also already plans in place through the ELWA contract to help deliver this aim.</p>
HIGH LEVEL OUTCOME: A SAFER COMMUNITY		
Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.		

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33. NI 17 - Perceptions of anti-social behaviour		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
34. NI 16 - Serious acquisitive crime rate		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
35. NI 111 - First time entrants to the Youth Justice System aged 10 – 17		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
36. NI 41 - Perceptions of drunk or rowdy behaviour as a problem		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
37. NI 18 - Adult re-offending rates for those under probation supervision		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
38. NI 30 - Re-offending rate of prolific and priority offenders		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.
39. NI 22 - Perceptions of parents taking responsibility for the behaviour of their children in the area		Awaiting Home Office feedback although noted that clear links to ASB agenda to be found here and reduction in fear of crime.

Indicators GoL suggested we add:		
40. NI 8 – Adult participation in sport		This is a priority nationally and DCMS / Sport England would like to see this reflected in Havering's LAA2. Again if it is not in due to an existing stretch target then it is worth making that clear (we need to make it clear that it is an LAA1 target)
41. NI 57 – Children and Young People's participation in quality PE /Sport.		Would like to see this included based on Havering's standing relative to London and England averages and links across to importance of childhood obesity.
42. NI 102 – Achievement gap between pupils eligible for free school meals and their peers achieving the expected level at Key Stages 2 and 4		This should be included as it responds to their need to reduce inequalities and is a key area for Havering to achieve the skills agenda by Narrowing the Gap earlier at KS 2/4 of FSM pupils.
43. NI 154 - Net additional homes provided		To replace 155 as Havering are one of three other priority boroughs in London that CLG have identified where they would want to see housing supply as a priority in the LAA. Havering is part of the Thames gateway, emerging RSS proposes a 60% increase on the previous Structure Plan figure, and although recent delivery against the Structure Plan is good, it will require a substantial uplift in delivery to meet the new target.
44. NI 163 - Working age population qualified to at least Level 2 or higher		Ambiguity over this as we have other skills targets – also need to clarify if this is covered by LAA1. Better to go for 163 than 164 or 165 as Level 2 qualifications are likely to have the greatest impact on employability locally and are recognised as a springboard to higher level qualifications anyway, so an increase here would be likely to produce more people qualified to Level 3+ (164) and Level 4+ (165) over the longer term.
45. NI 197 – Improved local biodiversity – active management of local sites		GoL see this as a priority as less than half of Havering's sites are actively managed (we need to make it clear that it is an LAA1 target)

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46. NI 198 - Modal travel to school		This could be considered as it would feed into climate aims, transport and congestion, childhood obesity and active lifestyles. Given the high use of cars and the boroughs need to reduce CO2, they believe there is a case for this.
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