

Agenda

- Key issues
- Success =
- Working together priorities

Context

What

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Why

Build on Covid experiences
and support community
ambitions

How

- Shared principles; way of working
- Alignment
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Vulnerabilities

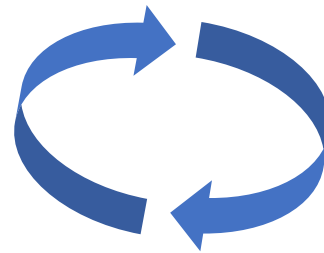
- *social inequalities*
- *hidden harm*
- *shielding*
- *stop people getting ill*

Common Purpose

- *the order of doing*
- *what matters - a common purpose*
- *quick decisions - oversight by trust*
- *affects every aspect of life*
- *leadership at all levels*

Localism

- *social partnerships - impact*
- *gaps before statutory responses*
- *distributed services*
- *real world learning*



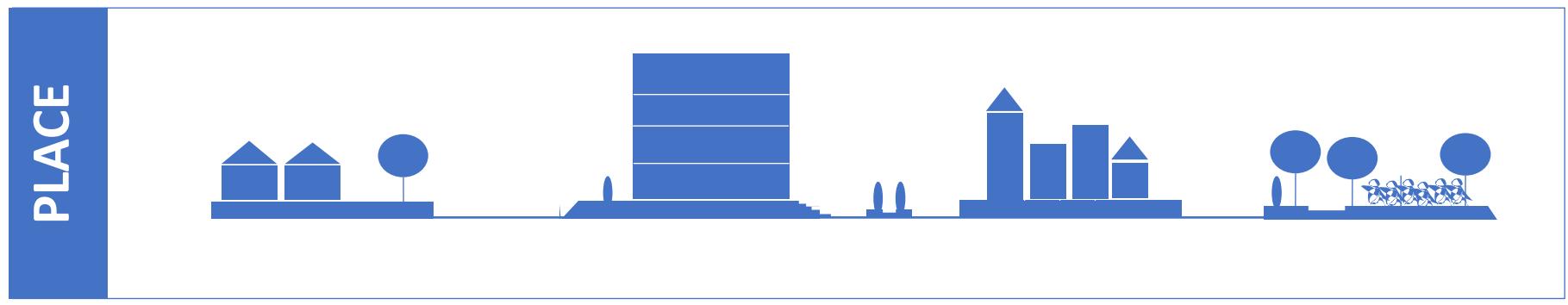
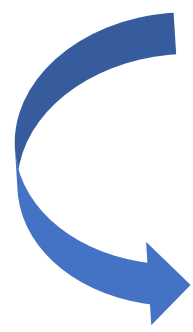
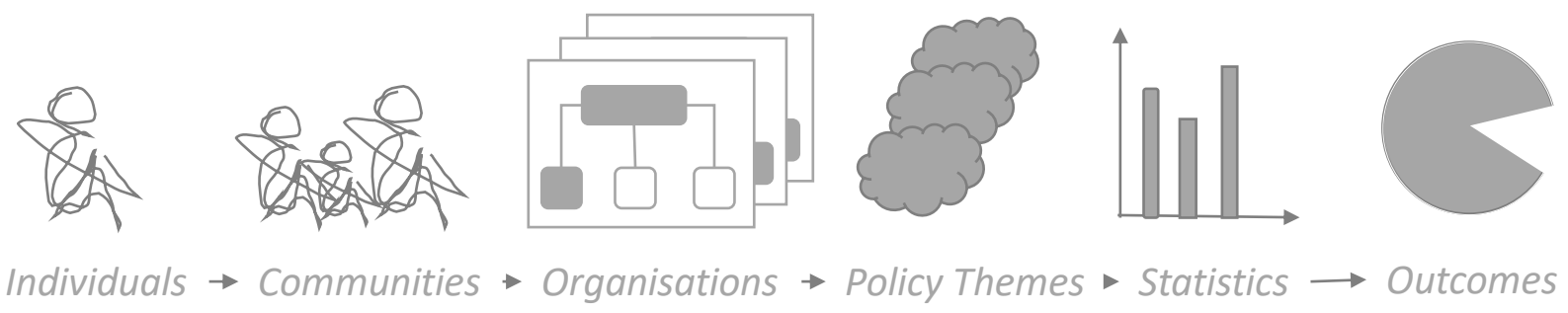
Capabilities

- *trusted people*
- *rediscovered interests*
- *national tensions*
- *new ways of working*

Infrastructures

- *ownership of space*
- *resourcing*
- *digital equity*
- *new settings*

Place as a Mechanism for Change



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- Stw community council
- Two communities within us
- One tiny, one larger
- Making sure the small place comes through as a place
- Community Council
- Fountainhall and Stow
- Is this a job for the Council or should it be the community that leads it
- The way of working
- Communities got stronger through Covid
- There was a disconnect in the community
- Groups overlapping each other
- Post first pandemic, met, tried to sort it, everybody more in line
- An umbrella, everybody working in line better
- Coming together as a more focused unit
- Very refreshing
- All the stuff going on
- What was happening before covid hasn't change
- Always lots of stuff going on
- Most of it goes over people's heads
- People generally unaware of what's going on
- Not everybody is digitally savvy
- Appear to have lost local newspaper showing what's going to happen
- Difficult to get news out to people
- Would love to have gone to an event, but didn't know
- No medium to get information out to everyone
- Communication is vital
- Young people have always said there is an issue with communication

Key Issues

- Community of people
- Community of place
- Newsletter distributed
- One in covid showing peoples experiences
- One showing what is proposed to happen
- Groups starting up again
- People helping each other
- Some people are isolated
- People weren't more isolated in covid
- Shop in Stow, people were helping each other with shopping
- Huge difference between town and country
- Towns get resources, country gets less
- Need to do more ourselves
- Collaboration in covid, communities and public sector ,,maintaining and harnessing
- Coming out, the connections maybe aren't as strong as they were last march
- Fatigue
- Lots of consultation
- Not over burden with more ask
- Maintaining working relationship, not just a covid relationship
- People can get over consulted
- People need action
- The consultation has brought something
- See an end result
- How we go forward
- Whats the end product of the consultation
- Can say what we are working towards

Key Issues

- During darkest times of pandemic, less traffic on the roads
- More time to go for a walk
- Hearing bird song, more time
- Less time driving, manically, going to Edinburgh
- Were all talking about building back better and building back greener
- Need to reduce carbon footprint
- Future needs to be resilient
- Less stuff, less throw away,
- Future to be better than it was in the past
- How it was in the past wasn't all that good, wasn't sustainable in the long term
- Mental health and wellbeing, big impact on young people
- What's needed within and beyond the school environment
- Safe spaces needed
- Now working more in the outdoors
- New opportunities for outdoor learning
- Introducing young people to the beauty of the hills and the place
- Young people, ambassadors of sustainability
- Young people and transport
- Services that are available now are not fit for purpose, no paths, towns and villages not connected
- Don't feel safe on the roads
- Cycle routes on B roads
- More dangerous on the main road
- Issue with buses....none going where you need to go, or not frequent enough, or can't understand the timetable
- Young people don't feel they are recognised
- Do people think young people do anything
- Not always causing trouble

Key Issues

- Helping people
- Not causing trouble
- The bus, no one is interested, no action

Time together

Voices heard

Different places,
different scales

Umbrella

Connected safe
spaces

Awareness

Beauty and
sustainable

Action as feedback

Success

- Some green mapping for the region
- Green activities groups, spaces
- If you bite off more than you can chew, you do nothing
- Hone in on an issue, fix it
- Then do the next thing
- If we try and do it all at once, go nowhere
- People who are not normally heard get a chance to hear a voice
- Wide involvement with as many of the community as possible
- Area partnership is a good place to start the discussion]
- Involve others, young people, others
- Things can be successful by engaging those we don't normally engage with

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- Can be difficult to achieve the things you want to do
- Young people being able to stay in the area they were born in
- People leave
- More equality
- People have the same chances
- People not held back
- New ways of doing things
- More engagement with local community organisations, doesn't matter which one
- Set up new organisations
- Have done great things in last 18 months in zoom, café conversations
- Ideas in an hour over coffee

Success

- Getting started
- More connections
- Vehicles to make a difference in the local community

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Engage and be part

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Equity and more chances

