

MANSFIELD PLACE BOARD

FORWARD PLANNING: FEEDBACK

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FEEDBACK — OVERALL IMPRESSIONS

1. Enthusiasm and energy
2. Positivity and “can do” attitude
3. Seeing opportunities
4. Mix of partner organisations and representation
5. Potential for influence and impact

CONSENSUS MESSAGES

1. Smaller core strategic board
2. To be pro-active not reactive – set out our stall
3. Start with the end in mind
4. Need short/medium/long term plan
5. Stronger voice of business community
6. Clarify brand and purpose / focus
7. Communication to “our customers” – people, communities, businesses, employers, visitors, prospective inward investors, Government
8. Clear links to other thematic groups and open dialogue
9. “Task and Finish” groups

FEEDBACK — PURPOSE OF THE BOARD

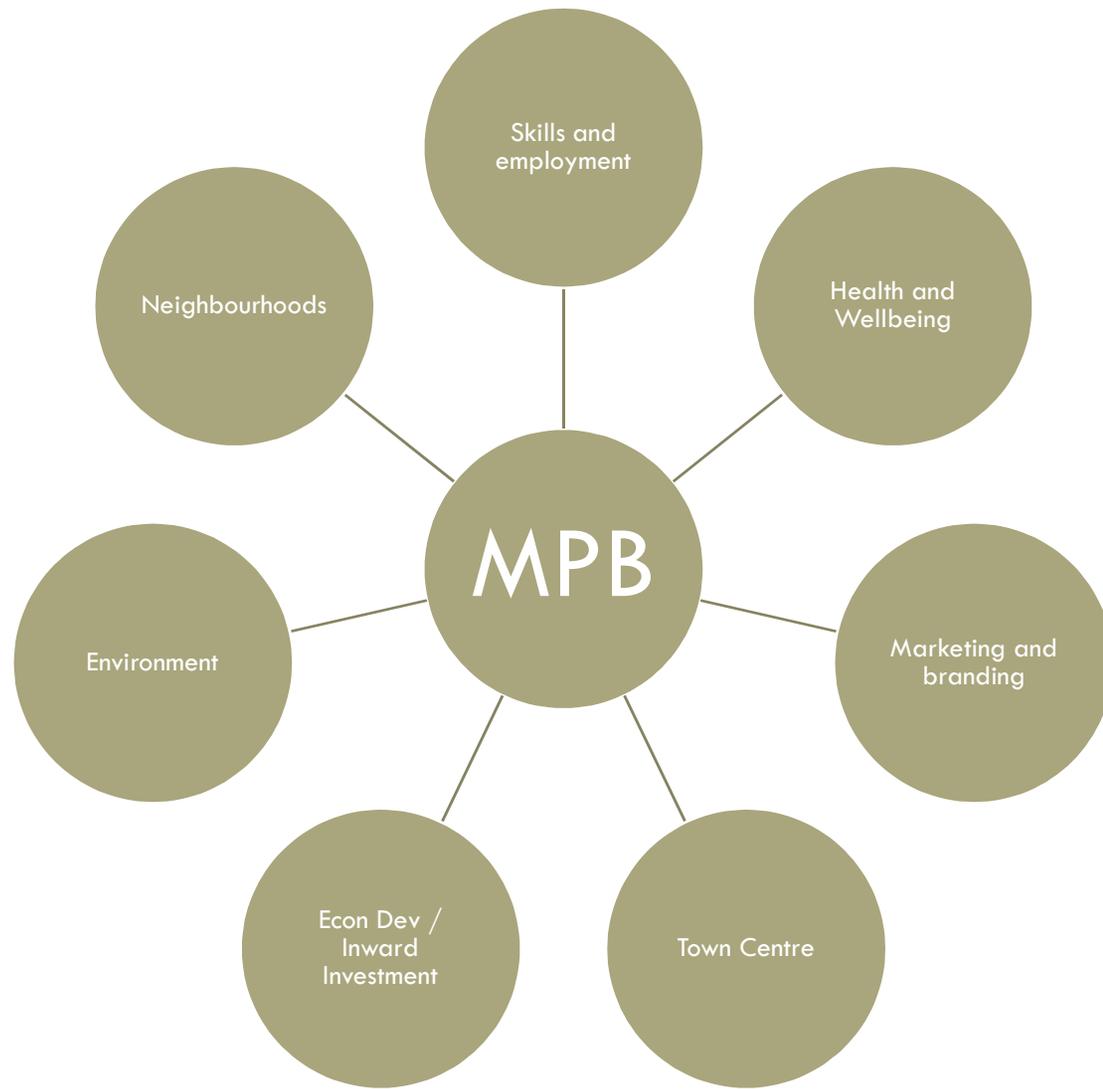
1. Need to clarify Mansfield's "brand" and our vision
2. Maximise existing relationships and resources (irrespective of external funding opportunities)
3. Benefit of collective voice, across sectors – sum greater than its parts
4. Advocates for Mansfield including a strong voice within Combined Authority
5. Common ground of wanting to improve the wellbeing of Mansfield (its people, communities, employers, visitors etc.)
6. Influence and ability to challenge
7. Strategic alignment - not to duplicate but add value and positioned strategically

FEEDBACK — PRIORITIES AND OPPORTUNITIES

1. Overall: agree brand and vision
2. Communication and “shine a light on the positives”
3. Green agenda inc. household retrofitting
4. Holistic neighbourhood (place based) regeneration
5. Tourism and the visitor economy
6. “Growing our own” – nurturing business start ups and growth
7. Retaining young people
8. Heritage buildings – needing investment / repurposing
9. Health and wealth and addressing economic inactivity

FEEDBACK - STRUCTURE

1. Smaller core strategic group
2. Wider partners engaged via thematic groups, task and finish groups (as appropriate) and ongoing communications
3. Annual “open forum event” - transparency
4. Consolidate / clarify links to existing thematic groups (e.g. health and wellbeing / employment and skills etc.)
5. Review and refresh (update) Terms of Reference



NEXT STEPS

1. Write up
2. Agreement on “brand” – small group session
3. Exploration of good practice elsewhere
4. Terms of Reference review
5. Framework of Forward Plan
6. Others?

DISCUSSION