

Kirkby Stephen Town Council

	Lead	The council is not directly responsible for the management maintenance or operation of the Highway. This is the responsibility of the County Council. Enquiries will be made with CRASH as to the installation of an SID adjacent to or in the Highway and if permission is obtainable a scheme progressed for consultation with residents where on street parking, needs to be reconciled with 'A Road' traffic flow at South Road Clerk.
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No	Priority	Initiative / Project
5	1	<p>Jubilee Park Charity Management Plan</p> <p>The Council is sole trustee of the Jubilee Park Charity (Charity number: 504940). It will maintain its implementation the adopted Management Plan to 2026.</p> <p>The Council will:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Establish Jubilee Park Volunteers Mailing List. 2. Increase funds available to Park Charity & seek capital funds for identified capital works. 3. Register 'First Title' to Jubilee Park at the Land Registry in the name of the Jubilee Park Charity (sole trustee Kirkby Stephen Town Council) 4. Work with the adjacent landowner to improve access and amenity at the entrance to the park 5. Develop a bid to Inspire Eden Rounds #1 & #2. 6. Monitor implementation of the management plan through the existing and dedicated working group/council. 7. Discharge its responsibilities as a charity.
	Lead	Cllr Wren & Working Group.
6	1	<p>Evergreen Community Trust Kirkby Stephen Youth Centre</p> <p>The Council will maintain its support for the development of a dedicated youth facility in Kirkby Stephen by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Supporting the newly established independent 'Evergreen Community Trust' (Charity number: 1198647) in its fundraising to refurbish the building. (£41.6 of an estimated requirement of £97k achieved to date.) The Clerk will continue to assist the Evergreen Community Trust with remaining fundraising for the Capital Project and implementation. 2. Maintaining a restricted reserve to hold funds for the project while the trustees apply for Charitable Status and open a bank account as a charity. 3. Maintaining small scale grant funding to the Evergreen Community Trust through an allocation of its free resource (Section 137, Local Government Act 1972) 4. An Inspire Eden Round #1 application has been made and will be developed to the benefit of the Evergreen Community Trust and Kirkby Stephen Youth Centre.
	Lead	Cllr Dew as Chairman of the Evergreen Community Trust
7	1	Transport Audit

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		<p>The council will complete the delivery of a Transport Audit examining existing provision and gaps in provision and anticipating future trends using a Bus Services Operators Grant (BSOG) and working with consultant Alistair McBride.</p> <p>The Council will publish and disseminate the results and findings of the audit to provide an evidence and advocacy base to support further calls for investment, action and delivery anticipating significant change in the transport sector.</p> <p>Lead Cllr Walker</p>
8	1	<p>Kirkby Stephen Market</p> <p>The Council will maintain its progress with research and development of the Market seeking investment in the Market working with colleagues in the Economic Development Department at Eden District Council. An Inspire Eden Round 2 application will be prepared.</p> <p>Lead Cllr Lancaster.</p>
9	2	<p>Upper Eden Business Network</p> <p>The Council act to assist the development of an <u>Upper Eden Business Network</u>. An Inspire Eden Round 2 application will be prepared.</p> <p>Lead Cllr Lancaster.</p>
10	1	<p>Support for Local Events</p> <p>The Council will maintain its support for beneficial local events:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Westmorland Dales Day 2. Easter Vehicle Rally 3. 200th Anniversary of the Stockton to Darlington Railway. 4. Townwide 1940's event in 2023 5. Christmas Lights <p>Facilitating and supporting with small grants using the free resource in line with the Small Grants Policy adopted in 2022.</p> <p>Lead Clerk</p>
11	1	<p>Good Neighbours</p> <p>The Council will maintain its administrative and practical support for the 'Good Neighbours' support programme through Local Links.</p> <p>Lead Council and Community Centre Officer</p>
12	2	<p>Town Signage</p> <p>The Council will work with the Highways Department of the County Council to improve and renew signage in the Town working with the County Council's Community Development Team (Eden).</p> <p>The Town Council will seek to include a review of the town's 'Gateway Signage'.</p> <p>Lead Clerk</p>
13	1	<p>Kirkby Stephen/Brough Cycleway</p> <p>The Council will support any initiative or opportunity that allows this scheme to be delivered.</p> <p>Lead Chairman</p>