



Devon Strategic Partnership Conference

Thursday 8th February 2007
At the Loop Centre in Exeter

Outcomes

- To introduce and work as the Devon Conference.
- To review the headline trends and messages for Devon.
- To consider the development of the vision and objectives required for the Sustainable Community Strategy for Devon.
- To explore what needs to happen to deliver this vision and these objectives.
- To note the proposed consultation timetable for the SCS.

You will see as part of the day we will be looking at the evidence we have, to set the context from our thinking. **So before you attend would you consider the following question -**

“From your perspective what data or information is essential for all to be aware of in our collective deliberations of the future of Devon?”

Please bring a summary of said data with you on the 8th

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Programme

- **9.30** **Arrival, Registration, Refreshments and view maps and information displayed.**
- **10.00** **Welcome, Introductions and scene setting for the day and what next.**
Participants return to view the data in light of this introduction and add anything prompted by the pre-event question above.
- **10.15** **What is Devon like? (now and the next 10 years)**
Participants will consider the current and emerging trends suggested by the latest data for Devon, across a number of different themes and areas of interest.
- **10.45** **The outcomes for Devon (including coffee break)**
The data sets the context for the challenges and opportunities for Devon. Participants will be sat in mixed tables. Each table will be asked to consider the vision for Devon, theme objectives and cross cutting issues.
- **12.00** **Plenary feedback**
OPM will summarise. This output will inform the afternoon sessions.
- **12.45** **Lunch**
- **13.30** **Successful delivery**
This session will focus upon the realisation of some of the opportunities/outcomes. Participants will now come together by theme interest. Each theme group will be asked to consider the successful delivery of the objectives identified before lunch.
In light of the objectives what actions do the group consider
 - *Need to continue?*
 - *Need to start?*
 - *Need to stop?*
Each participant will be asked to note “What they can offer to help achieve any of these objectives?”
- **14.20** **Refreshments**
- **14.35** **Plenary feedback**
A “theme” champion will be asked to summarise the actions identified from the theme table(s)
- **15.15** **Partnership next steps and summary**
This session will cover the consultation process and the next steps for the Conference and DSP.
- **15.30** **Close**

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