Intervention	Green and Safe Spaces			Green	Current progress on target	
mervennon				Amber	Progress behind target but still achievable	
Lead	Steve Morgan & Huw Jakeway	Reporting Period	Qtr.2 2021-22	Red	Progress well behind target	

Key Achievements & Successes

Network workshop (September 2021) created further partnership work, opportunities to collaborate, enthusiasm for this vision across shared goals. Network membership is expanding and diversifying.

Rapid review of research of *Diverse Communities Access to and Usage of Local Green Spaces* carried out, with recommendations for Board and Network to take forward.

Comms: 5th e-newsletter due Nov 2021 sharing best practice across Newport, promote work of Green & Safe Network, opportunities to collaborate, latest reports, resources & funding. Ad hoc info sent to Network in between newsletters. Plans to create an easy to understand 1 page version and/or video of G&S aims. Many G&S case studies in Wellbeing Plan annual report 2020-2021.

1 new Community Green flag award achieved for The Laundry at Tredegar House, 5 other Green Flags retained for another year.

Funding secured for a City Centre Green Infrastructure (GI) feasibility study by March 2022, to identify opportunities for GI, engage with partners and businesses, with the intention that GI is part of future placemaking plans.

NRW is funding mapping for green roof retrofitting opportunities in urban centre of Newport, to encourage the implementation of green roofs. Dovetails with the GI feasibility study.

Green Infrastructure Assessment (GIA) - a brief has been created to recruit a suitable consultant to work on the GIA / strategy.

NCC Climate Change plan draft incorporates aspects of this intervention, land use considerations and tree planting target. Draft will go out for comment.

Renewal of the Performance measures for this intervention is almost complete.

Woodland wellbeing sessions planned for Bettws, in NRW woodland, delivered by Coed Lleol, in partnership with NCC North Hub.

NRW provided a letter of support for Buglife's bid for a Pollinator Project.

Key Performance Measures	Target	Actual	RAG	
% / hectares of accessible green blue space *Green Space Index Fields in Trust	TBD	TBD		
% Tree canopy cover *UK Ward Canopy Cover WebMap i-Tree	TBD	TBD		
NCC no. of Pollinator Sites	20	48	Green	
Green & Safe spaces Network members	100	135	Green	
Attendees at the last Network workshop	30	31	Green	
Green & Safe spaces Newsletter opens	130	210	Green	
Socials (Twitter) followers	150	1 91	Green	
Tweet impressions & profile visits	6,000	7,583	Green	
Active collaborative projects delivering Green & Safe Vision and Green Infrastructure (GI)	15	18	Green	
Green Flags by 2023: Community	8	1 3	Green	
Full Award	5	3	Green	
No. of plans & strategies Green & Safe Vision / Green Infrastructure (GI) is embedded into	3	3	Green	
Reduction of (in green blue space):	(Q1 2020 vs Q1 2021)			
Fly tipping incidents	86	1 54	Green	
Deliberate fire incidents	22	1 26	Amber	
Other ASB incidents	115	43	Green	

<u>Wellbeing of Wales: National Indicators</u> (25, 26, 28, 29, 38, 40, 43, 44)

<u>Thriving Places Index - Newport 2021</u> Place & Environment, Sustainability

<u>WIMD - Home Page (gov.wales)</u> Physical Environment

Main Risks / Barriers Status to progress (H/M/L)		Mitigating Actions / Support Reqd		
Green space not sufficiently protected in the planning process.	Medium	Green Infrastructure (GI) map/database has been used in Local Development Plan. GI Assessment is underway, creating an evidence base for GI Strategy.		
Capacity of partners to deliver against ambitions of Green & Safe intervention.	High	Partner organisation reps to raise the importance of Wellbeing Plan/Intervention action delivery at internal business planning meetings.		
Covid-19 restrictions. Medium		Continue online communications to support Green & Safe Network. As restrictions ease build on the strong working relationships created.		
Projects being paused during the transition to Gwent PSB. Medium		Continue working with partner organisations, community groups and Network to deliver Green & Safe whilst supporting Gwent PSB.		

Plans for next quarter

Encourage and support Green Flag applications for January 2022.

Continue to Strengthen links with Safer Newport and sub groups

Plan next Network workshop for Feb 2022 to further partnership work and deliver shared goals, continue to expand and diversify network.

Get access to the GI map/database early 2022.

Continue to develop and implement the communication plans.

Continue to strengthen links and opportunities with Housing Associations.

Promote volunteering opportunities via Newsletter.

Explore the rapid review paper recommendations with board and Network.

Share learning with Gwent Green Grid Partnership (GGGP).

Support the woodland wellbeing sessions in Bettws.