

Intervention	Green and Safe Spaces		Green	Current progress on target		
			Amber	Progress behind target but still achievable		
Lead	Steve Morgan & Huw Jakeway	Reporting Period	Qtr.1 2022-23 (Apr to Jun)	Red	Progress well behind target	
Key Achievements & Successes			Key Performance Measures			
Green and Safe Spaces Network continues to work well, with strong levels of engagement and collaboration. Network workshop (June 2022) created further partnership work, opportunities to collaborate, enthusiasm for this vision across shared goals. Network membership is expanding and diversifying.			% / hectares of accessible green blue space <a href="#">*Green Space Index   Fields in Trust</a>	TBD	TBD	
Ongoing partnership meetings and work by Friends of Road to Nature group continue to enhance the area and deter fly tipping, with community activities taking place.			% Tree canopy cover <a href="#">*UK Canopy Cover i-Tree</a>	Under Development		
A Community Street Audit in Pillgwenlly has been carried out by Living Streets early 2022 in conversation with local residents. A list of recommendations published in July 2022 to be taken forward with relevant partners.			NCC no. of Pollinator Sites	20	TBD	
Green and blue spaces have been included into Aneurin Bevan University Health Board (ABUHB) <a href="#">Your Newport Your Wellbeing</a> portal, launched May 2022.			Green & Safe spaces Network members	100	132	Green
Comms: 6 <sup>th</sup> e-newsletter published May 2022 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.			Attendees at the last Network workshop	30	35	Green
City Centre Green Infrastructure (GI) feasibility study completed March 2022, document hopefully shared with stakeholders who attended engagement sessions held Feb 2022 and to other interested parties by July 2022. Identifies opportunities for GI and the intention is that GI is part of future placemaking plans. Work is underway to source funding to install some of the GI ideas.			Green & Safe spaces Newsletter opens	130	135	Green
Safer Streets, Safer Newport survey / consultation is live, inviting views on how to improve safety in Belle Vue, Chapel and Stow Hill parks. Led by Newport Council and Gwent Police.			Socials (Twitter) followers	150	142	Green
Green Infrastructure Assessment (GIA) is complete. Next steps to link with Gwent Green Grid Partnership (GGGP) on a Gwent GI Strategy.			<a href="#">Tweet impressions &amp; profile visits</a>	6,000	7,899	Green
Pobl and NCC Central Hub did a plant giveaway in Pill in April 2022 to encourage communities to try food growing.			Active collaborative projects delivering Green & Safe Vision and <a href="#">Green Infrastructure</a> (GI)	15	23	Green
<a href="#">The (Future) Wales Coast Path</a> project has been delivering activities in 2022, partners are supporting by promoting the events.			Green Flags by 2023:	8	3	Amber
Greening Maindee Together project is underway to encourage access to green spaces for health & wellbeing, engage different cultural groups in the local area, teach new skills,			Community			
			Full Award	5	3	Amber
			No. of plans & strategies G&S Vision / GI is embedded into	3	5	Green
			(Q4 2020 vs Q4 2021)			
			Reduction of (in green blue space):			
			Fly tipping incidents	35	101	Amber
			Deliberate fire incidents	6	20	Amber
			Other ASB incidents	12	82	Amber
			<a href="#">Wellbeing of Wales: National Indicators</a> (25, 26, 28, 29, 38, 40, 43, 44)			
			<a href="#">Thriving Places Index - Newport 2021</a> Place & Environment, Sustainability			
			<a href="#">WIMD - Home Page (gov.wales)</a> Physical Environment			

encourage communication, inclusivity, and diversity, promote sustainability, green infrastructure, and climate change action.

Actions are underway as part of Newport City Council Organisational Climate Change plan 2022-2027.

There are now monthly Woodland wellbeing sessions in Bettws for 2022 to 2023, in NRW woodland, delivered by Coed Lleol, in partnership with NCC North Hub.

Buglife's Pollinator Project is underway to bring communities together to explore nature and celebrate local pollinators through engaging and inclusive activities. Key sites include St. Julian's Local Nature Reserve, Pill Millennium Centre, Y Twmps at Barrackswood and The Road to Nature.

Main Risks / Barriers to progress	Status (H/M/L)	Mitigating Actions / Support Req'd
City Centre Green Infrastructure (GI) feasibility study and green roof retrofitting opportunities not acted upon through to implementation.	Medium	Explore barriers and solutions e.g., funding streams, maintenance, keep promoting the value and multiple benefits (social, economic, environmental & cultural).
Limited capacity and interest in applying for new Green Flag standard sites.	Medium	Discuss ways to support partners, identify further sites that could apply for Green Flag.
Belle Vue old derelict allotment site not being developed into a community space or enhanced for nature.	High	Query with Newport City Council on initial clearing of the land of debris etc. Explored with Green & Safe spaces Network - it will require a multi-agency approach and leadership to take forward.
Projects/Green & Safe spaces 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

Work with NCC on the relevant actions in the NCC Organisational Climate Change plan.

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

Continue to develop and implement the communication plans.

Explore funding for City Centre Green Infrastructure ideas on Council owned land. Share the document with stakeholders and interested parties. Explore ways to encourage and engage with city centre stakeholders to implement GI inc. green roofs.

Continue to strengthen links with Safer Newport and sub groups.

Publish the rapid review paper recommendations.

Promote the woodland wellbeing sessions in Bettws, food growing initiatives, volunteering opportunities, and any other projects across the Network.

Continue to support Pillgwenlly Master Plan project. Pill Green & Safe spaces group could focus on Living Streets Community Street Audit recommendations.