

Significant Partnerships 2010/2011 April - September 2010			
	Quarter One	Quarter Two	Comment
Oxfordshire-wide Partnerships			
Oxfordshire Partnership Board	G	G	Oxfordshire Partnership has begun a further review of some thematic partnerships reporting to it to ensure that they provide optimum value for money with their partnership working.
Public Services Board	G	G	The impact of reduced LAA reward grant funding continues to be assessed by the Public Services Board.
Spatial Planning & Infrastructure Partnership	G	A	CMT Emerging Issue Changes in Government policy framework particularly creation of Local Enterprise Partnerships will result in new arrangements. OEP likely to continue as business only organisation.
Children's Trust	G	G	Area Trusts now established and CDC elected member on area trust (Cllr Sames) and also on main trust board (Cllr Reynolds).
Health and Well Being Partnership Board	G	G	Wide ranging progress on obesity, ageing successfully and mental health strategies. Some uncertainty around implications of Health White Paper. New commissioning requirements re carers support
Environment and Waste Partnership	G	G	Financial arrangements are currently being reviewed
Oxfordshire Safer Community Partnership	G	G	Attendance at Quarterly meetings.
Stronger Communities Alliance	G	G	Over the last quarter, three separate Connecting the Community Events were held at the Sunshine Centre, Samuelson Court, and Grimsbury Community Centre.
Oxfordshire Economic Partnership	A	A	CMT Emerging Issue Changes in Government policy framework particularly creation of Local Enterprise Partnerships will result in new arrangements. OEP likely to continue as business only organisation.

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Cherwell-specific Partnerships			
Cherwell Local Strategic Partnership	G	G	The Board continues to lead the development of the new Economic Development Strategy and is actively engaged with the Local Transport Plan and the Brighter Futures in Banbury Project. The Management Group has finalised the Partnership's Annual report and is developing a performance framework. The wider Cherwell Community has continued to contribute through the various forums, including a launch meeting of the Cherwell Faith Forum in late September.
Brighter Futures in Banbury Steering Group	G	G	Good progress on multi agency basis. Clear geographic and specific resident need focus. Several new joint activities already underway. Effective partner coordination measures in place. Clarity on what, where and why. Community involvement plans being prepared.
Cherwell Safer Community Partnership	G	G	Reported at last CUSP meeting progress on Action plan from the 4 Performance groups. Also outlined review of NAG's. Reviewed budget and undertook prioritisation exercise.
Cherwell M40 Investment Partnership	G	G	New website 'live' at www.cherwell-m40.co.uk Employment Land Review special meeting held 11 Aug. Quarterly meeting held 23 Sept. Business Moves published & distributed in Sep to promote further business investment. Enquiry numbers maintained. CHIP membership increasing.
Banbury Town Centre Partnership	G	G	Attendance at Quarterly meetings.
Bicester Vision	G	G	CMT Success The partnership now has more than 50% of its funding provided by the private sector. The funding enables the partnership manager to work with a number of local organisations on community initiatives. The role includes elements of town centre management as well as community liaison and communications. The regular partner meetings keep the town's major stakeholders informed about the plans for future growth and give the council the opportunity for much closer working relationships with many of the town's largest employers.
Kidlington Village Centre Management Board	G	G	Attendance and reporting to the Quarterly meetings.
Homelessness Strategy Partnership	G	G	This partnership is delivering the homelessness strategy 2007-11 - From Crisis to Prevention. The partnership is being reviewed and is likely to undergo change in membership from April 2011. This is to include greater representation from Education, DWP and Adult Services.
Cherwell RSL Partnership & Sanctuary Housing Group	G	G	The RSL Development Group met on September 21st. The Group includes CDC housing officers, planning officers, RSL development partners, and representatives of the Homes and Communities Agency.
NW Bicester Strategic Delivery Board	G	G	The first meeting of the Strategic Delivery Board took place on 21 July 2010 and is set to meet quarterly with the next meeting on 8 November 2010.