



LAA – Forward Look

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Timetable 2007/08

- May/June: Dry Run 17 LAA areas (NW – Oldham and Cumbria)
- May – September: All LAA areas working on major priorities
- October: CSR 07
- October/November: Development of technical guidance
- November: New round of CLG Roadshows
- November onwards: Transitional negotiations with LAA areas
- March 08: Agreed priorities and indicators
- May 08: Agreed targets
- June 08: Ministerial sign off for new generation LAAs

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LAA Guidance

- A Core Narrative – to explain how the new performance framework will fit together - **mid/late Sept**
- An Implementation Plan detailing when you can expect to see various publications in relation to the new performance framework - **mid/late Sept**
- Phase 2 of the Operational Guidance - **mid/late Oct**
- A list of National Indicator Set 'headline definitions', as part of CSR07 announcements - **mid/late Oct**
- A consultation draft of the statutory guidance on Place Shaping - **mid/late Oct**

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LAA Guidance

- The National Improvement & Efficiency Strategy Framework - **mid/late Oct**
- A package of departmental narratives that clarify what the new performance framework means to government departments and those in their relevant sectors - **mid/late Oct**
- A consultation document on the new CAA framework – **Nov 08**
- Final Guidance on national indicator definitions - **Jan/Feb 08**

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LAA Key Meetings & Events

- Transitional negotiations with LAA areas – Oct/Nov 07
- CLG National Roadshow – Nov 7th 2007
- GONW LAA Networking Events

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GO – Working Differently

- Sharing our data with Places
- Places and Partnerships Team created
- Qualitative aspects of LAAs e.g. Narrowing the Gap, Building Capacity, Utilising the LAA as a Vehicle for Change etc
- Appreciative Inquiry – understanding what works and how things could be
- Working more closely with the Audit Commission

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The New Stuff

- Single Pot
- Less ring-fencing
- 35 chosen +17 performance improvement indicators
- National indicator set of 198 replaces all existing indicators
- Statutory requirement for named partners to cooperate in the LAA's development
- Sustainable Community Strategy as area's single vision

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The New Stuff

- LAAs as the area's single delivery plan
- Local authorities as the democratically elected leaders of local partners
- LA leaders to play a key role on LSPs, with the opportunity to agree the Chair
- Named LSP partners to co-operate in agreeing and delivering LAA targets

Stronger role for local authorities as place-shapers and local leaders

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