

# **SERVICE AWARDS 2012**

**Internal Service Team of the Year** 

**Construction and Building Service** 

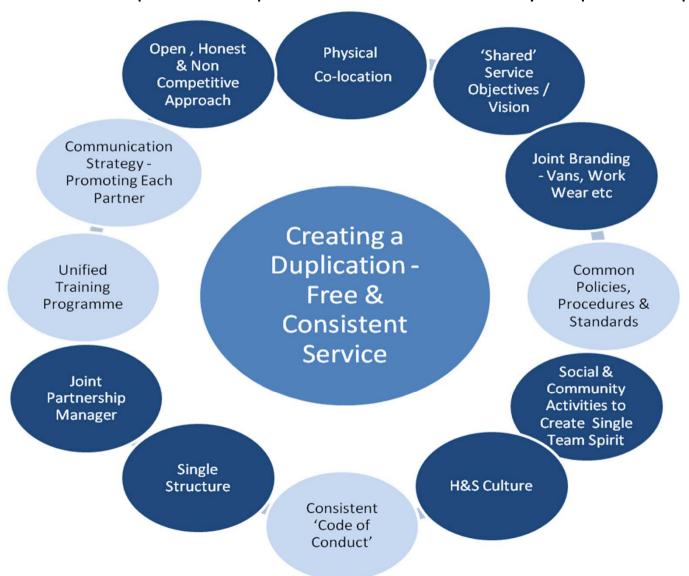
The APSE event was attended by over 300 councils from the UK.

Stockport Homes were shortlisted with 6 other councils /public sector organisations for the Construction & Building Service category.



## Looking for the right approach

Repair 1<sup>st</sup> was set up with Stockport Homes and Jackson Lloyd in partnership



## Benefits of partnership working

- The vision for Repair 1<sup>st</sup> was aspirational and anything that does not achieve the very best possible outcome is only temporarily agreed as a 'workaround'. The specific aims are:
- Single team approach
- Up to date, common and interfaced systems
- Collaborative partnership approach to new repairs and voids contract
- Elimination of duplication and anything that doesn't add value
- New working culture with 'one job at a time'
- Reduction in costs
- Increase in productivity
- Real time performance visibility, control and flexibility

## Looking for the right outcomes for customers

Showing continuous and sustainable improvements in performance

Description	2005-06	2006-07	2007-08	2008-09	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12
Percentage of appointments made and kept	72.5%	85.4%	91.0%	93.9%	94.8%	96.6%	97.1%
% Customer Satisfaction with the repairs service			95.0%	95.6%	96.0%	96.3%	96.6%
Turnaround time on all repairs (calendar days)						7.4	5.6
Right First Time							98.2%
Void Turnaround (calendar days)	40	35	27	24	21	13	11

### Some specifics

#### Cost

- Reduction in rates of -3.75% in November 2009
- Further reduction of -3.75% in April 2010
- No price increases since then
- No price increases forecast for next two years
- Batching works and doing for 80% of cost
  - £613k released to preventive works in 11/12
  - Reducing the repairs budget by 22% for 12/13
    - £400k released to preventive works in 12/13 (half year)

#### Service

- Insourced the Contact Centre
- Doing a job now (4 hours) or at a time to suit the customer
- Removed the premium costs for emergencies
- Increased void standard
- Insourced CCTV/door entry (too expensive to outsource)
- TUPE transfer of managing agent (post Decent Homes)

Some extra stuff

#### **Environmental**

- 1,931 photovoltaic installations
- A 1MW biomass boiler installation (with four more on the way
- £10m overcladding scheme

## Partnership services

- NHS PCT safety gate and fireguard installations
- Stay Put scheme
- Social Lettings
- Schools
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party works
- Priority and Prolific Offenders employment
- Major adaptations

## Sole supplier

- Kitchens & Bathrooms
- Canopies
- Roofing

Bits that customers appreciate

Following customer feedback during a sheltered scheme meeting, Repair 1<sup>st</sup> erected a greenhouse for the residents. This has allowed them to grow their own vegetables all-year round and at the same time be eco-friendly and reduce the amount of pollution caused by the transport of mass produced vegetables



Bits that customers appreciate

Repair 1<sup>st</sup> has developed an area at Brereton Court Sheltered scheme to provide a communal recycling area for customers.



Bits that customers appreciate

York Street Community Fun Day - York Street Community Centre held several events which helped raise funds to support its street party.



Bits that customers appreciate

Sheltered Scheme Xmas lunch – The customers vote which scheme and the repairs team does the rest.









Repair 1st Annual
Christmas Lunch
Friday 14th December 2012
Wimbourne Close 13.00













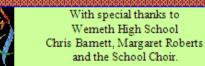
### MENU

Devlin's Winter Vegetable Soup Accompanied with Hoods Freshly Baked Bread



Maloney's Bashed Neaps & Sprouts Hannon's Roast & Mash Potato

















With Many thanks to all the staff who help make this event possible and for the continued support of our Contractors.









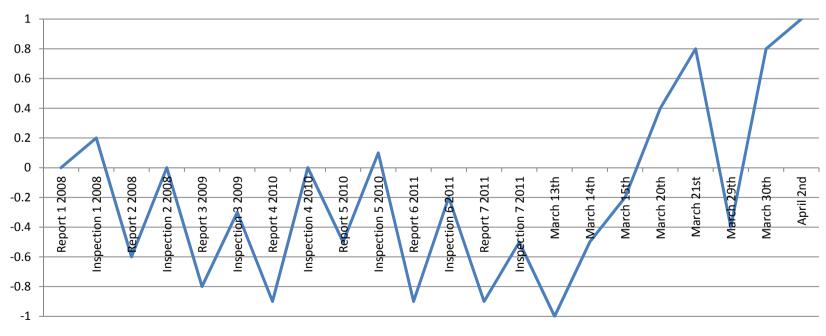




#### **Customer Involvement**

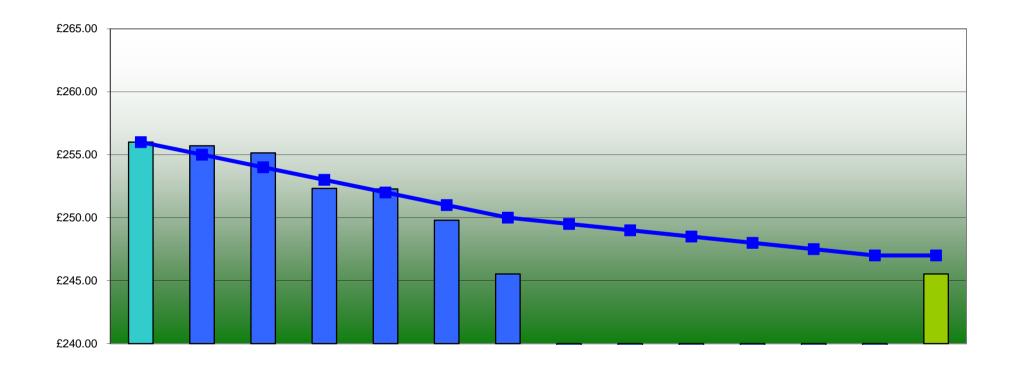
- Customer Action Groups
- Customer Focus Groups
- Customer 'virtual' appeals panel
- Customer Scrutiny Panel
- Customer Quality Panel
- Customer journey mapping

### **Customer Satisfaction**



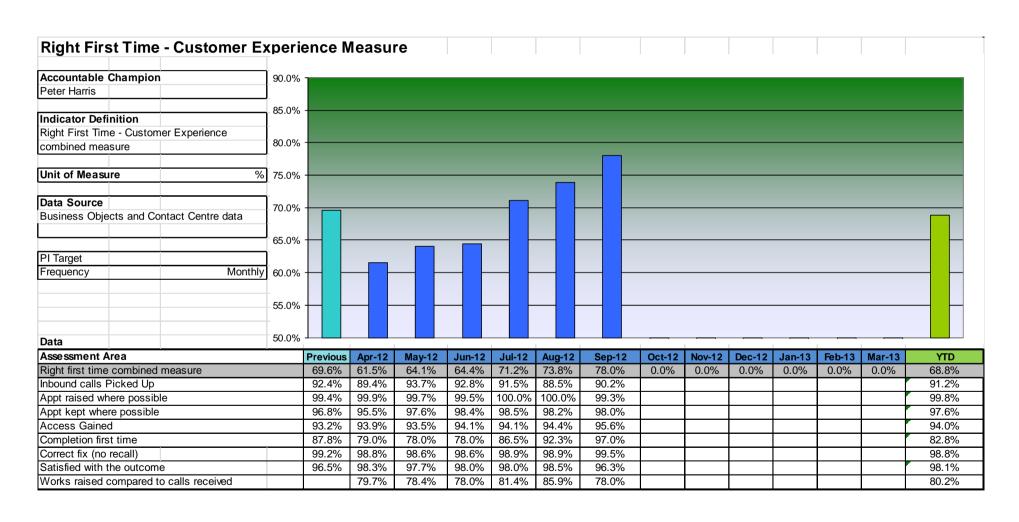
## **Business Transformations**

Moving from 'surplus' to minimum responsive spend per property per year



#### **Business Transformations**

Measuring Right First Time from the customer's perspective



## **Looking forwards**

## Further growth

- Insourcing of more works
- Expansion of scope
- Taking over contracts from others
- Council portal for 'difficult' projects
- Training Academy
- More planned works
- Legionella, asbestos responsibilities etc
- Not-for-profit repairs

And so on.....

## And the outlook for partnership working?

Actually, it's quite mixed

- What's in and outside the partnership
- Who takes the risk?
- How does the initiative fit with the partner organisation?
- Teckal rules
- Appetite for growth?
- Change in strategy
  - Minimising repairs and void spend
  - Pre-emptive (discounted) works
  - Doing works not-for-profit
  - Long term planning and decision making

SHL is insourcing teams and works at this moment.



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