

MABLETHORPE & SUTTON TOWN COUNCIL

LEADERSHIP IN PLANNING FOR THE FUTURE OF THE COMMUNITY STATEMENT

Mablethorpe & Sutton Town Council will:

Continue to work proactively wherever possible to strengthen and improve working relationships with: Community Groups, Local Businesses, Local Organisations, Local Charities; Statutory Bodies, Self Help Groups, Voluntary Groups, District, County and neighbouring Parish / Town Councils and

a) Strengthen Partnerships by:

- i) Encouraging partnership groups to approach the Town Council with clear, well thought out constructive ideas which will benefit all sections of the community and encourage collaborative and effective partnership and joint working.
- ii) Publicising the work of the Town Council through its website, newsletters and at Town Council meetings and give the public the opportunity to ask questions at all of its public meetings.

b) Effectively Communicate at all Levels by:

- i) Having clear methods in which the public can give feedback to the Council both positive, negative and be open for ideas for development.
- ii) Promoting communication via: Town Council website, Public Participation at meetings, compilation and submission of questionnaires, production of an Annual Report, Newsletters, Twitter feeds and Facebook updates.
- iii) Managing the all Town Council resources ensuring they meet the needs and demands of the community.
- iv) Focusing resources on services that matter to the community and encourage visitors to the area.

c) Managing the Council 's Resources Wisely by:

- i) Attaining maximum benefit through effective management of all Town Council assets.
- ii) Acknowledging the diversity of what heritage means to the Mablethorpe & Sutton Parish and seek to maintain this through active involvement in local projects along with the formulation of the Parish Plan and Neighbourhood Development Order.
- iii) Encouraging ways in which the community can improve the environment and promote resilience building for the future.
- iv) Working to encourage the balancing of the needs of residents, the economy and the environment without compromising the future.
- v) Being sensitive to our environment and contributing to the quality of life.
- vi) Ensuring a fair and equitable Parish precept is set annually

d) Promote a Sustainable Community by:

- i) Working wherever possible with the business community to sustain economic vibrancy.
- ii) Actively supporting local business by employing local tradesmen whenever possible.