

## Appendix R: Scoping Report Contextual Review

Key Topic Areas SEA Directive	Objectives derived from the Integrated Appraisal Toolkit for the North West 2003	"The Guidance" Recommended Headline Objectives	Common "themes" from neighbouring Authorities' objectives*	Draft objectives derived from Wigan Draft Sustainability Strategy (LSP) (based on Community Plan)	Draft SEA / SA objective for Wigan based on existing / recommended objectives
Biodiversity	Protect and Enhance Biodiversity	To maintain and enhance biodiversity, flora and fauna	To protect, enhance and restore biodiversity, flora and fauna, endangered species, habitats, geological and geomorphological features	To protect and enhance the borough's biodiversity, green and open spaces, rural and urban landscapes, and natural and built assets.	To protect and enhance the borough's biodiversity and wildlife habitats, woodlands, tree cover and green and open spaces.
Fauna Flora					
Population Human Health	Improve Health and Reduce Health Inequalities	To improve health of the population overall	To improve physical and mental health and reduce health inequalities	To improve the physical and mental health of people in the borough	To improve the physical and mental health of people in the Borough and reduce health inequalities.
				To ensure easy access for all to good quality health care services and the means to achieve a healthier, more active lifestyle	
	Secure Economic Inclusion	To reduce poverty and social exclusion and health inequalities	To reduce poverty / worklessness and social exclusion		To improve access to and use of basic goods, services and amenities for all and to close the deprivation gap between priority neighbourhoods and the rest of the Borough.
	Improve access to and use of basic goods, services and amenities.		To improve accessibility for those most in need.		
	Alleviate Poverty	To improve accessibility to essential services and facilities	To improve access to and use of basic goods, services and amenities for all		
	Improve access to good quality, affordable and resource efficient housing	To provide everybody with the opportunity to live in a decent home	To improve access to good quality, affordable and resource-efficient housing	To ensure access for all to good quality, affordable and resource efficient housing	To ensure access for all to good quality, affordable and resource efficient housing.
	Reduce crime, disorder and the fear of crime	To reduce anti-social activity	To reduce crime, disorder and fear of crime	To reduce crime, disorder and the fear of crime	To reduce crime, disorder and the fear of crime.
	To develop and maintain a healthy labour market	To improve the education and skills of the population overall	To improve educational achievement, skills, training and opportunities for lifelong learning and employability	To improve educational achievement and ensure access for all to opportunities for lifelong learning which is relevant to a global society	To improve educational and vocational achievement and ensure access for all to opportunities for lifelong learning which is relevant to a global society
To offer everybody the opportunity for rewarding and satisfying employment		To offer everybody the opportunity for rewarding and satisfying employment.			

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Population Human Health	Develop strong and positive relationships between people from different backgrounds and communities.	To encourage a sense of community identity and welfare	To value diversity and improve equity and equality of opportunity	To ensure extensive and effective involvement in decision-making by all sectors of the local community	To effectively involve local communities in decision making, build community capacity and ensure a sense of community identity and welfare that embraces diversity.
	Involve all stakeholders in decision making.		To develop strong and positive relationships between people from different backgrounds and communities		
	Value Diversity; improve equity and equality of opportunity.		To encourage a sense of community identity, pride and welfare		
	Protect and improve local environmental quality	To improve the quality of where people live	To protect and improve local neighbourhood quality / create cleaner, safer, greener neighbourhoods	To protect and Improve the environmental quality of neighbourhoods, "particularly those with high levels of multiple deprivation".	
Soil	Protect and improve the quality of coastal and inland waters	To provide for sustainable sources of water supply	To protect and improve the quality of air and water		To protect and improve the quality of local air, land and water resources.
Water	Protect and improve air quality	To improve air quality	To minimise noise pollution		
Air	Protect and improve land quality	To conserve soil resources and quality	To minimise light pollution		
		To improve water quality	To reduce land contamination and restore and protect land and soil		
Climatic Factors	Address the need to limit and adapt to climate change	To reduce contributions to climatic change	To reduce greenhouse gas emissions and mitigate and adapt to climate change	To reduce the borough's contribution to climate change and to limit the local impacts of climate change	To reduce the borough's contribution to climate change and mitigate and adapt to the local impacts of climate change.
	Minimise the requirement for energy use, promote efficient energy use and increase the use of energy from sustainable sources	To reduce vulnerability to climate change	To minimise the requirement for energy use, promote efficient use of energy and increase the production and use of energy from renewable resources	To ensure that production and consumption within the borough minimises negative impacts and maximises positive impacts on human health and the environment	
		To avoid and manage flood risk			
Cultural Heritage	Protect places, landscapes and buildings of historic, cultural and archaeological value	To conserve and where appropriate enhance the historic environment	To ensure plentiful opportunities for cultural, leisure, community, sport and other recreational activities for all age groups	To protect and enhance the borough's cultural assets and increase engagement in cultural activity.	To protect and enhance the Borough's historic, cultural and archaeological assets and ensure plentiful opportunities for engagement in cultural activities.

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Landscape	Deliver Urban and Rural Renaissance	To maintain and enhance the quality of landscapes and townscapes.	To protect and enhance the diversity of cultural and built environmental assets and archaeological assets	To protect and enhance the borough's biodiversity, green and open spaces, rural and urban landscapes, and natural and built assets	To maintain and enhance the quality of all the Borough's landscapes and townscapes, ensuring sustainable design and construction and the efficient use and re-use of land and buildings	
			To protect and enhance the diversity and distinctiveness of landscape and townscape character			
			To protect and enhance access to high quality public open space and natural greenspace / landscape			
Material Assets	Exploit the growth potential of business sectors	Encourage sustained economic Growth	To exploit the growth potential of business sectors and encourage sustainable economic growth.	To harness the borough's educational, scientific and entrepreneurial resources to achieve more sustainable ways of working and to capitalise on market growth in environmental technologies and services	To exploit the growth of potential business sectors with particular emphasis on environmental technologies and services.	
	Improve the competitiveness and productivity of business	To enhance the image of the area as a business location	To develop and market the borough's image as a business location, tourism destination and attractive place to live, work and play			
	Develop and exploit the regions knowledge base	To encourage and accommodate both indigenous and inward investment	To improve the competitiveness and productivity of business	To nurture and celebrate local character and diversity, promoting a vibrant and positive image of individual communities and the borough as a whole.	To promote a vibrant and positive image of the borough so that it is viewed as an attractive place to live, work, play and visit.	
	Develop and market the regions image	To offer everybody the opportunity for rewarding and satisfying employment	To improve the social and environmental performance of the economy	To economise in the use of land and buildings and promote sustainable design and construction	To ensure a thriving, prosperous and attractive borough of high employment, which uses land efficiently and has the necessary infrastructure to support it.	To improve the social and environmental performance of the economy.
				To increase the use of locally produced goods, foods and services	To increase awareness of sustainability issues and engagement with sustainability solutions amongst : children and young people / householders / the business sector / health agencies / other public sector agencies / the public	
				To improve the social and environmental performance of the local economy		

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Material assets	Reduce the need to travel and develop strategic transport, communication and economic infrastructure.	To encourage efficient patterns of movement in support of economic growth.	To reduce the effect of road traffic and air travel on the environment	To develop a more sustainable transport network within the borough	To develop a more sustainable transport network within the borough and encourage sustainable patterns of movement in support of equitable economic growth.
		To reduce disparities in economic performance	To reduce the need to travel, improve choice and use of sustainable transport modes and make best use of existing transport and telecommunications infrastructure		
To reduce the effect of traffic on the environment		To develop transport, communications and economic infrastructure to encourage efficient patterns of movement in support of economic growth			
	To Ensure the sustainable management of waste, minimise its production and increase re-use, recycling and recovery rates.	To minimise the production of waste.	To manage waste sustainably, minimise its production and increase re-use, recycling, composting and recovery rates	To ensure that production and consumption within the borough minimises negative impacts and maximises positive impacts on human health and the environment	To Reduce the amount of waste requiring disposal, and to increase in order of priority, the proportion of waste reused, recycled and recovered.
Ensure the prudent use of natural resources and the sustainable management of existing resources.	To improve the social and environmental performance of the economy	To improve the social and environmental performance of the local economy			
		To reduce the environmental impacts of consumption and production			
		To ensure the prudent use of natural resources and the sustainable management of existing resources			