

Preparing the Sustainable Community Strategy 2011/2014 Comparisons between Vision Statements

South Cambridgeshire	Cambridge	Cambridgeshire
<p>Our aim is that South Cambridgeshire will continue to be a place where people want to live, now and in the future. A place where the needs of existing and future generations are met and where communities are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Active, inclusive and safe; • Well-run; • Environmentally sensitive; • Well-designed and built; • Well connected; • Thriving; • Well-served; and • Fair for everyone. 	<p>The LSP wants Cambridge to be a sustainable and accessible city that has:</p> <p>A positive approach to tackling climate change - so that local people and organisations can make an active contribution to reducing its causes and mitigating its impacts</p> <p>Sustainable communities that are thriving, environmentally sensitive and affordable places in which to live - where the growth of the City does not jeopardise the interests of current or future generations</p> <p>Communities that are strong, healthy, active, safe and inclusive - where the well-being of people is improved and inequalities reduced, so that people feel a sense of belonging and can fully participate in community life and share in the City's success.</p>	<p>Our vision is for Cambridgeshire to be a county of strong, growing, prosperous and inclusive communities supported by excellent services where people can fulfil their potential; live longer, healthier lifestyles; and influence decision-making.</p> <p>Growth – accommodating growth, creating flagship communities and ensuring the benefits of growth and infrastructure are enjoyed by all communities</p> <p>Economic Prosperity – supporting the special role of Cambridgeshire as a centre of knowledge and innovation, especially in low carbon technologies</p> <p>Environmental Sustainability – meeting the challenges of climate change while maintaining a high quality environment</p> <p>Equality and Inclusion – supporting vulnerable groups and enabling them to participate fully in community life, and encouraging healthier and more sustainable lifestyles</p> <p>Safer & Stronger Communities – engaging citizens in service planning and improvement and ensuring our communities enjoy good quality of life and health, with low crime, low unemployment, and free from discrimination and inequalities.</p>