

Forum Action Plan						
<b>Chair:</b>	Cllr Anna King and Matthew Toresen		<b>Responsible Forum:</b>	LGBTQ Forum		
<b>Outcomes identified within the Corporate Plan:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Empowered local communities with a greater capacity to become involved in community life</li> <li>Promote integration and cohesion</li> <li>Appropriate support provided to those in most need</li> <li>Services are fair, accessible and responsive to individual needs residents and customers feel informed and engaged in service quality and design</li> <li>Future developments informed by the views of local people</li> <li>Delivery of events to celebrate and enjoy the Town’s heritage and culture</li> </ul>					
<b>Objectives:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bringing together statutory and voluntary organisations, LGBTQ groups and residents</li> <li>Promoting and encouraging equality for LGBTQ residents</li> <li>Promoting partnership working by statutory and voluntary sector organisations and LGBTQ groups and communities</li> <li>Identifying gaps in provision for LGBTQ residents and communities</li> </ul>					
<b>Actions:</b>						
Action	Owner	Activity (intelligence led)	Timescale	Cost	Measure	Last Updated
Straight Allies Project	Matthew Toresen/ Alice Morgan	Develop the Straight Allies project further.	Ongoing	TBC	Project established - number of community members and organisations signed up across the borough.	October 2015
Hate Crime awareness and survey	Alice Morgan	Work with Disabled Peoples and Diverse Communities Forum on a Hate Crime Survey, finding out about the communities experience of Hate Crime.  Hate crime survey results collected. For circulation at Hate Crime Awareness week event.	September 16	Nil	Online surveys completed, results collated, report created.	October 2016

Hate Crime actions	TBC	To be discussed,  Possibility for the forum to be set up as a Third Party Reporting Arena, where information can be captured to take to the Police or use part of the data collection to inform national bodies.  Can also take 3 <sup>rd</sup> hand information. Idea is to get people to talk. TO BE DISCUSSED	Ongoing	Nil		November 2016
Umbrella Fair Straight Allies Tent	Matthew Toresen / FAN	Q performance tent delivered.	August 16	£500.00	Event delivered – number of attendees.	September 2016
International Coming Out Day –	Cllr Anna King/Alice Morgan	Falls during Hate Crime Awareness Week. Coordinated week of activity between partners organised.	11 <sup>th</sup> October 2016	TBC	Event delivered – number of attendees, number of organisations committed	September 2016
Winter Pride	TBC	Idea to be discussed	TBC	TBC	Event delivered - number of attendees	July 2016
World Aids Day – to include a civic event at midday in the Guildhall Courtyard	Alice Morgan	Ceremony held in partnership with other NBC Community Forums.	1 <sup>st</sup> December 2016	Refreshments - covered by forum.	Event delivered – number of attendees, number of organisations committed	January 2016