Action Action Anti-Poverty Board: Note of meeting on 24.02.2014 Log Present: Cllr Platts, W Lowder, M Wood, I Guest, P Francis, C Roby, N Middlehurst, A Hoyland In attendance: AM Holdsworth, A Toy Apologies: M Kaye, S Rayner, E Pitt, P Heath, S Hare, R Stevens, J Waiters, P Singh, F Foster, S Skalycz, I Hanks, R Westley-Morris **Business:** Note of last meeting agreed **Presentations:** 1. Ann Toy - Food Project Report 2. Anne Marie Holdsworth - Community Learning Trust presentation raised issue re co-ordination of activities to promote **Updates:** 1. Anti-Poverty Strategy - to Cabinet 12th March 2. Poverty Needs Assessment (PNA) data collection work ongoing, analysis planned for March Aim to publish draft for consultation by end of March (poss end April delay due to capacity issues (EP accident)) Final publication scheduled for July allows for any amends required by delayed publication of National Child Poverty Strategy & measures -also expected April. 3. Information Exchange Group Financial Capabiliv -minutes of this group to be received and ciruclate to Board for information. This group replaces the discontinued FIG sub groups for Affordable Credit and Financial Capability. 4. Barnsley Advice Network - Peter Francis gave an update, minutes to follow April. Also advised of request to incorporate Child Poverty/Poverty measures in Children & Young People's Plan. This work will be supported by PNA when completed. 6. Welfare Reform: Mark Wood provided the following updates Local Support Services Framework -MK to convene working group Foodbank Partnership - report provided Any other Business: lan Guest raised the issue of an apparent lack of co-ordination in the support for residents facing eviction due to financial hardship who present at Credit Union for support 'too late' and queried how we can better co-ordinate earlier intervention/support to prevent/divert from eviction

Action points raised from this Board meeting are noted on the Action log for 24.02.2014

Anti-Poverty Board Meeting Action Log			
Board Date	Issue and action point	Accountable Officer/ Group	Progress/ Date closed
24.02.2014	Circulate Food Project Report to Board	Andrea Hoyland	14.03.2014 updated papers requested from AT to circulate
24.02.2014	AT requested that any comments/additional information to add to Food Report be made to her by email at Anntoy@barnsley.gov.uk	ALL	Review at APB 01.04.2014
24.02.2014	Circulate CLT info to Board	Andrea Hoyland	Sent out 24.03,2014
24.02.2014	Board to consider how activities to combat and tackle poverty by promoting skills development and access to employment for resdients is co-ordinated/linked to CLT/Providers	ALL	Review at APB 01.04.2014
24.02.2014	Circulate Information Exchange Group Financial Capabiliy meeting minutes	Andrea Hoyland	14.03.2014 sent out
24.02.2014	New National Child Poverty Strategy & measures information to be circulated once published -expected April 2014	Andrea Hoyland	Review 01.04.2014
<u></u> -	Local Support Services Framework - any colleagues wishing to join the Task & Finish group to contact MK	ALL	Review at APB 01.04.2014
24.02.2014	Circulate Foodbank Partnership Report to Board	Andrea Hoyland	14.03.2014 sent out
24.02.2014	Cirulate BAN minutes	Andrea Hoyland	Sent out 23.03.2014
24.02.2014	Consider issue of co-ordination of earlier support/intervention for residents facing financial hardship	Wendy Lowder/ Early Intervention Group? /HWB	Review at APB 01.04.2014