### South Yorkshire Climate Change Network

### Partnership Projects

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## **Engaging the Third Sector**





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#### Extension of Every Action Counts

# Maintain awareness of climate change within the sector

#### Reduce emissions from the Third Sector

### Engaging the Third Sector Why?



Huge reach into the community

#### Contributes to NI's 188 and 186

Development of community networks

Vulnerable communities hardest hit

### Engaging the Third Sector How?



#### Simplified & accessible series of guides

#### Engaging all audiences

#### Supported by results



## **Engagement principles**



Advice is more widely accepted...

- With evidence of its success
- When it isn't delivered by preaching
- When it avoids facts and figures that mean nothing to the individual
- When assessments of its impact are honest
- When it benefits the target audience/individual



### 4 Guides



#### **Energy Management**

Transport

#### Procurement

#### Waste & Recycling

#### Second Chance Waste

"How Bad For The Environment Can Throwing Away One Plastic Bottle Be?" 17,000 South Yorkshire Third Sector Workers Wonder



## 3 Trials



Third Sector organisations use the advice for 1 month and record their progress

- Energy Management
- Waste and Recycling
- Transport

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### Climate Change Leadership Program



3 workshops across South Yorkshire NI's 185, 186 and 188 Participation from LA's and LSP's Wide variety of speakers – local and national



**Raising awareness** and understanding of climate change amongst Councillors and senior officers

**Explore the potential for further collaboration** between LSP's and LA's in South Yorkshire in response to climate change

Identify the key opportunities and challenges associated with climate change

Promote confident and **knowledgeable action** and gain greater commitment to improving performance





### Event 3: NI 186 Reducing per capita CO2 emissions

Promoting Sustainable Travel – *David Hall* 

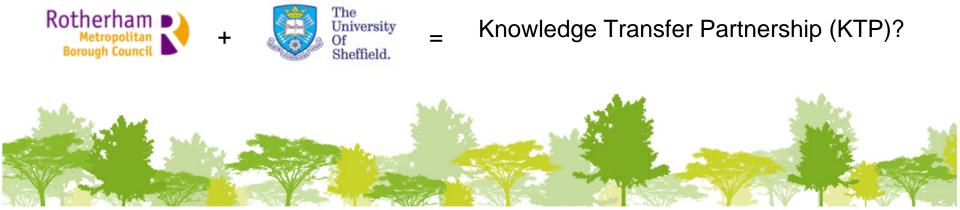
Transition Town Totnes – Jacqi Hodgson

Engaging Large Organisations – Futerra Sustainability Communications

Energy in Communities – Dr. Stephen Connolly



- Action plan ideas from across the regions authorities and LSPs
- Offer for joint venture research program with the University of Sheffield



#### Short Term

Education Officers, Engage Planners, Free Public Transport day

#### **Medium Term**

Work closely with local businesses to grow green economies

#### Long Term

Ring Fence funding for renewables, Engage LSPs in decision making, Invest in non car transport infrastructure



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### Website

- Leadership Program
- •Eco Schools Program
- •Engaging the Third Sector
- •South Yorkshire LCLIP

### Thank you



