

## Improving Outcomes Locally – Next Steps for Community Planning

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### 09.15 Registration and Refreshments

### 10:00 Session 1: Policy Update and Overview

- Next steps for community planning
- Support available to build capacity and enhance impact
- Delivering strategic outcomes

**Mike McLean**, Knowledge and Collaboration Manager, Improvement Service

**Allan Johnstone**, Acting Chief Executive, Voluntary Action Scotland

### 11.20 Refreshments and Networking

### 11.40 Session 2: Improving Outcomes & Evaluating Performance

This session will draw on some of the latest thinking, and the experience in the room to discuss:

- What kinds of outcomes are relevant to people and communities?
- How can we develop meaningful measures of outcomes?
- What kind of evidence can help us understand outcomes?
- How do we track progress for ourselves, our funders and the communities we serve?

**Dr Sarah Morton**, from the University of Edinburgh and Outcome Focus

### 13.00 Lunch and Networking

### 13.40 Session 3: Involving Communities, Developing Effective Partnerships & Plans

A series of good practice case studies will share insights and learning from effective and innovative community planning. Themes include:

- Effective and integrated preventative approaches
- Developing capacity and utilising resources to deliver planned improvements
- Supporting active participation by communities and community organisations at all stages
- Using data meaningfully

**Dr Audrey Sutton**, Head of Service, Connected Communities, North Ayrshire Council

**Donnie Nicolson**, Manager, Bellsmyre Development Trust

### 15.00 Event Close

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