

Name of meeting	Place governance group																		
Type of meeting	Informal multi-agency group																		
Reports to																			
Reports from	The Communities Partnership Culture Board Business Group																		
Strategic Context	<p>Recognising that Cheltenham is entering a period of significant change and growth, Cheltenham partners have come together to help define what Cheltenham should feel and look like in the future. This is for Cheltenham to be a place:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where all our people and the communities they live in thrive. • Where culture and creativity thrives, celebrated and enjoyed throughout the year. • Where businesses and their workforces thrive. • Where everyone thrives. <p>The vision is supported by three ambitions and nine aspirations:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Vision</th> <th>Ambitions</th> <th>Supporting aspiration</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="9">Cheltenham is a place where everyone thrives</td> <td rowspan="3">Businesses and their workforce thrive</td> <td>Education and skills pathways connect our primary, secondary, further education and higher education to our growing jobs market.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We have improved connectivity including our cycling, walking, public transport and digital infrastructure.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We have facilitated more flexible business space to help grow our economy and connect local residents to growth</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="3">People and communities thrive</td> <td rowspan="3">Champions physical and mental wellbeing</td> <td>We ensure that all our residents, businesses and visitors feel safe.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We increase numbers of affordable, accessible, safe and secure housing</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We build strong, healthy and inclusive communities</td> </tr> <tr> <td rowspan="3">Culture and creativity thrive</td> <td rowspan="3">Internationally renowned for its culture, heritage, food and sport.</td> <td>We have a sustainable future for our cultural organisations and buildings.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We have invested in marketing the town, nationally and internationally.</td> </tr> <tr> <td>We have invested in our public spaces and our heritage.</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Vision	Ambitions	Supporting aspiration	Cheltenham is a place where everyone thrives	Businesses and their workforce thrive	Education and skills pathways connect our primary, secondary, further education and higher education to our growing jobs market.	We have improved connectivity including our cycling, walking, public transport and digital infrastructure.	We have facilitated more flexible business space to help grow our economy and connect local residents to growth	People and communities thrive	Champions physical and mental wellbeing	We ensure that all our residents, businesses and visitors feel safe.	We increase numbers of affordable, accessible, safe and secure housing	We build strong, healthy and inclusive communities	Culture and creativity thrive	Internationally renowned for its culture, heritage, food and sport.	We have a sustainable future for our cultural organisations and buildings.	We have invested in marketing the town, nationally and internationally.	We have invested in our public spaces and our heritage.
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Purpose	To use the Cheltenham place vision document as the basis for driving forward our strategic thinking about how best we can further develop Cheltenham as an amazing place where everyone thrives.
Objective	<p>What will the Place Governance Group do?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It will be responsible for the delivery of the Cheltenham's Place vision, and the ambitions and aspirations set out in the document. • It will develop a place vision action plan, together with arrangements to measure the impact of the place vision. • It will ensure that there are effective working relationships between all elements of the public sector, business sector and VCS and that partnership structures are focused on delivering the place vision, ambitions and aspirations and that blockages are removed. • It will ensure that the public sector, business sector and VCS is moving to a better understanding of the collective resources available to deliver the place vision, ambitions and aspirations <p>The Place Governance Group will also hold the statutory duties to develop and implement the strategy for reducing crime and disorder in Cheltenham. As part of this duty, the PGG will have the representation from the relevant statutory partners.</p> <p>The group recognises that the importance work working with county-wide partners and partnerships and will work to ensure that Cheltenham thrives within a thriving county.</p>
How it will work	<p>The Place Governance Group will provide strategic co-ordination across Cheltenham's agencies, partnerships, networks and fora, ensuring linkages with their strategies, plans and priorities</p> <p>It will develop and drive the delivery of the place vision, ambitions and aspirations through effective performance management and holding delivery partners to account.</p> <p>It will own the needs analysis, community risk assessments and any associated strategic assessments relating to the Cheltenham place vision document.</p> <p>It will be responsible for monitoring/evaluating partnership work in Cheltenham.</p>
Organisation of meetings	<p>Meetings to be arranged by Partnerships Team at CBC</p> <p>Meetings will be planned for 1.5 hours in duration</p> <p>The chair is responsible for the conduct of the meetings and reporting</p>
Frequency of meetings	Proposed to be every 4 months for the first year but then 6 monthly thereafter.

Proposed membership	Cheltenham Borough Council	Cllr. Steve Jordan Pat Pratley Tim Atkins
	Cheltenham Borough Homes	Paul Stephenson
	Gloucestershire County Council	Cllr. Colin Hay Phil Williams
	Gloucestershire Police	Insp John Turner
	Gloucestershire CCG – Integrated Locality Board	Stephen Meadows ILB rep TBA
	Glos Fire and Rescue	Martyn Keen
	VCS representation	Angela Gilbert Andy Hayes
	Cheltenham MP	Alex Chalk
	The Communities Partnership	Charles Welsh
	Cheltenham Culture Board	Julie Finch
	Cheltenham Business Group	Kevan Blackadder
Accountability	The Place Governance Group will be held accountable through the democratic processes of the partner organisations, particularly through Cheltenham Borough Council and Cheltenham’s voluntary and community sector forum	