

Allerdale Area Plan 2014-17

Summary



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Serving the people of Allerdale

This area plan summary provides a quick insight into Cumbria County Council's plans for the Allerdale area. These plans support the council's priorities which were agreed earlier this year. For a copy of the full and detailed Area Plan for Allerdale, as well as a copy of Cumbria County Council's new Council Plan go to **cumbria.gov.uk/community**



Achievements: what we have done in Allerdale in 2013/14

- Provided local community groups with grants of nearly £400,000 and officer support to achieve their goals.
- Continued to develop the Port of Workington, including further investment to buy new equipment.
- Continued to deliver new and innovative library services including the launch of a new book drop in Thursby making the library service more accessible and inclusive.

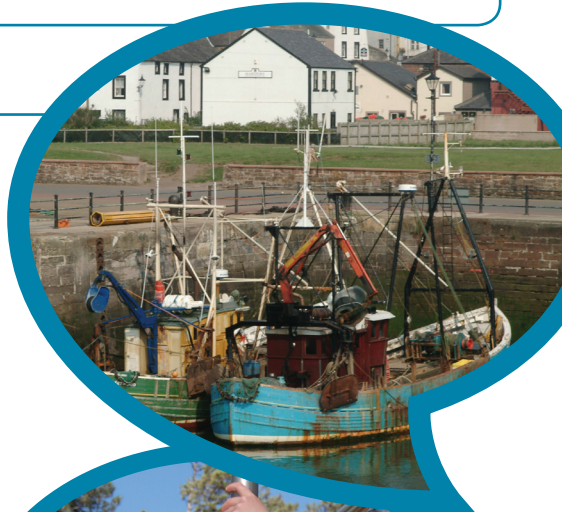


Top: Port of Workington
Bottom: Library services

In Allerdale we will focus on:

- Promoting sustainable economic growth, and creating jobs.
- Improving health and wellbeing and tackling poverty.
- Providing safe and well maintained roads and an effective transport network.
- Safeguarding children, to ensure that Cumbria is a great place to be a child and grow up (with particular emphasis on improving educational achievement).
- Supporting older and vulnerable people to live independent and healthy lives.

- Supported projects across Allerdale to provide direct financial support from the council to the area, and attracting over £1 million of external investment. These projects have supported jobs, skills and training places as well as wider community development and support.
- Continued to improve transport connections in the area including the opening of a new section of the Hadrian's Cycleway between Allonby and Maryport supporting tourism in the area and encouraging people to live healthier lives.
- Through the Junior Citizens' Scheme we have worked with many young people in Allerdale to educate them on important safety issues including road safety, first aid, stranger danger, internet safety and drugs and alcohol abuse.



Top: Maryport Harbour

Middle: Council sponsored improvements at Silloth Green

Bottom: Supporting jobs in Allerdale

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