

Stronger Together Autumn Conference

Thursday 21st November 2024. Timing: 9:30 – 15:00pm

The Barn, Ye Old Plough, Bulphan, RM14 3SR.

Aims:

The aims of the Stronger Together Autumn Workshop are to:

- Launch of the Stronger Together Charter
- Celebration of the Strengths of the Sector
- Update on progress in several key areas since the Spring workshop:
 - Progress on the Thurrock Operating Model
 - Progress on Integrated Locality Working
- Working groups on implementation of the Charter

Agenda:

9:30 – 10:00 **Registration**

10:00 – 10:10 **Welcome, Housekeeping and Aims for the Day** – Tania Stitch (CVS Trustee)

10:10 – 10:20 **Opening Address** – Cllr Val Morris-Cook – A Call-to-Action

10:20 – 10:40 **Resilience Charter Launch** – Stronger Together 9 months on – Mark Tebbs (CVS CEO)

10:40 – 11:30 **Workshop 1:**

The Stronger Together Resilience Charter – more than a bit of paper?

11:30 – 11:50 **Break and Networking**

11:50 – 12:10 **Thurrock Council Corporate Plan and Operating Model** – Progress and Next Steps - Patrick McDermott (Assistant Director Strategy, Policy, Performance & Partnerships Thurrock Council)

12:10 – 12:30 **Integrated Neighbourhood/Locality Working** - Sarah McCarry (Health & Care Improvement Transformation, Thurrock Council) and Carmel Micheals (NELFT, Place Based Implementation Assistant Director)

12:30 – 13:00 **Panel Questions & Answers** – NHS, Council and Portfolio Holder

13:00 – 13:45 Lunch

13:45 – 14:45 **Workshops 2: Four corners:**

Corner 1: Neighbourhood pilot – Jenni Lloyd from Collaborate

Corner 2: ABCD approach to Place Expansion – Active Essex

Corner 3: The corporate plan – a fresh Start for Thurrock – Council

Corner 4: Stronger Together Network – developing sector leadership

14:45 – 15:00 Closing Remarks and Next Steps - Cllr Val Morris-Cook