



ENERGY MANAGEMENT GROUP

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Leicester Environment Partnership

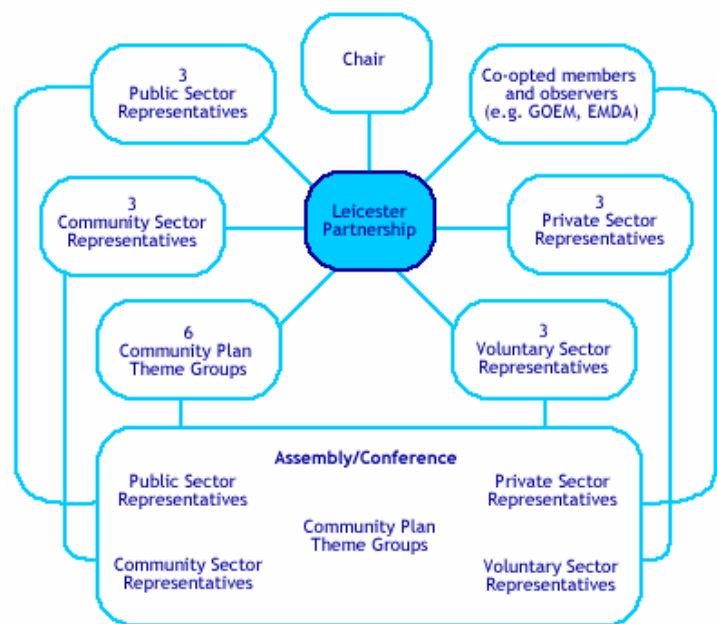


Leicester City Council's Energy Group sits on the Leicester Environment Partnership which is part of the Leicester Strategic Partnership.

The Leicester Partnership is about:

- Bringing people together
- Improving public services
- Making Leicester a better place to live and work

Leicester Partnership brings together community and business representatives and people from organisations such as the City Council, Health and Police. They are working together to deliver the real improvements in public services which people have said they want to improve their quality of life.



Environment – our goals are:

- To reduce car travel to the city centre.
- To continue to reduce the number of road accident casualties.
- To ensure that national air quality standards are met, and increase awareness of air quality issues.
- To promote and deliver sustainable use of energy and resources.
- To increase recycling of waste and reduce waste going to landfill disposal.
- To protect and enhance the role of Leicester's parks, trees and open spaces as an amenity for people and a home for wildlife.
- To protect, promote, enhance and interpret Leicester's historic environment in ways that respect its qualities.
- To ensure wherever possible that the planning system protects and enhances our environment.

Indicators

- Percentage of new housing provision on brownfield sites.
- The number of days on which our pollution exceeds national standards.
- The average amount of energy used and carbon dioxide produced by each resident of Leicester in one year (excluding energy used by transport).
- Increase in the proportion of trips to the city centre by public transport, cycling and walking.

