

The Consultation Annual Plan lists planned consultation and engagement activities to be carried out by the Council and its partners.

**Want more information?** - click the ID number and it will link to the Be Heard consultation database which will provide you with further details of the consultation.

Want to see if you can participate in the consultation? Contact details of the lead organisation can be found in the plan next to the consultation.

Further information on all consultations can be found on the Be Heard Database <a href="http://www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/">www.birminghambeheard.org.uk/</a>. You will also find information about past consultations and what has happened as a result.

If you have any queries about any of the consultations please contact the lead person. Contact details of the lead person can be found in the plan and on the Be Heard Database.

GRAND TOTAL OF CONSULTATIONS:	22
Date:	01/04/2011 - 31/03/2012
Report Produced By:	System Administrator - 000000



Total No. of Consultations:

Method

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#### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Children Young People and Families

**Inviting Comments: event** 

Total No. of Concutations.				
Con ID	1,236			
Title	Junior Voice Is Power Consultation - Changes In Birmingham			
Overview	Junior VIP consist of 10 elected members all up to the age of 11 who successfully participated in elections in July 2010.			
	The aim of Junior VIP is to ensure children under 11 have the opportunity to have their voices heard as well as participate			
	in the decision making process. Junior VIP participated and supported Workshops with children to explore the 'Changes			

	In Birmingham' under the new Future Operating Model, specifically looking at the wording of the 3 new priorities.			
Contact name	Kathleen Shaw - 0121 675 7552 Date 26/04/2011 - 30/09/2011			
Target Group	Age - Children 5 - 11 Years			
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**Total No. of Consultations:** 

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#### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Constituencies (Central Team)

Con ID	1.213				
Title	Total Advice Network - your views needed				
Overview	Birmingham City Council will issue contracts for a Total Advice Network to commission organisations who will then provide advice to Birmingham residents on managing debts; welfare benefit entitlements, immigration and welfare benefit related tribunal services. Following detailed consultation carried out to find out what these services should provide, the				
	council sought view on the final proposals. Participants were asked to complete a short online questionnaire during April				

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Contact name	Aftab Inayat - 0121 675 4476	Date	08/04/2011 - 17/04/2011
Target Group	Residents - Local		
Area	Birmingham - Citywide		
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Electronic/Online /IDTV		

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Total No. of Consultations

Area

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#### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Constituencies (Edgbaston)

Inviting Comments: leaflet/poster, Meeting - Series

Bartley Green

Total No. of Consultations.			
Con ID	1.250		
Title	Woodgate Valley Country Park Big Lottery inclusive play equipment refurbishment		
	There is some funding available to provide inclusive play equipment at Woodgate Valley Country Park. Views from children and young people, including those with disabilities, will be sought to help identify appropriate pieces of play equipment for the refurbishment of this scheme.		
Contact name	Theresa Kennedy - 0121 446-4673		
Target Group	Age - Children 5 - 11 Years, Disabilities - Children with Physical Or Sensory		

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Constituencies (Sutton Coldfield)**

Total No. of Consultations: 1
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Con ID	1,246			
Title	Berryfields Park - Development			
Overview	To introduce carved wooden sculptures of british wildlife to create a nature trail. The consultation is about what sculptures the residents and local school children would like to see. The idea is to enhance what is already on offer in this local play park.			
Contact name	Stephanie Georgiou - 0121 675 5792 <b>Date</b> 15/06/2011 - 28/06/2011			
Target Group	Age - All, Age - Children 5 - 11 Years, Age - Young People 12 - 17 Years, Education - Schools, Housing - Social Landlords, Parents, Pupils/Students, Residents - Local			
Area	Sutton New Hall			
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form, Specific Techniques - Other			

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Total No. of Consultation	ons: 6
Con ID	1,222
Title	Be Involved User Survey 2011
Overview	The Be Involved website was launched in March 2011 and contains over 300 involvement opportunities. This consultation was to find out what users views are of the website, what they think about the look and feel and how easy they think it is to use. The results formed part of the evaluation of Be Involved.
Contact name	Gurdeap Kaur - 0121 675 4476 Date 09/05/2011 - 17/06/2011
Target Group	Public Sector Organisations, Residents - Local, Service Users
Area	Birmingham - Citywide
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Electronic/Online /IDTV

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Con ID	1,224			
Title	Towards Healthwatch and beyond			
Overview	The Government has proposed the development of HealthWatch to provide a voice for local people in the development of health and care services. We want to ensure that the way we engage with local people is more effective and satisfying and has links to the new HealthWatch arrangements. There will be a sounding out period to identify key issues for a range of local people followed by formal consultation (12 weeks) on proposals.			
Contact name	Elizabeth Rattlidge - 0121 303 8827			
Target Group	Age - All, Asian, Black, Carers, Community Groups, Consultative Forums, Elected Members/Board Members, Faith Groups, Gender - Men, Gender - Transgender, Gender - Women, Hospitals/Clinics/Other Health Providers, Lesbian, Gay Or Bisexual, Local Involvement Networks (LINks) - Health, Mental Health Issues - People with, Minority Ethnic Groups, Mixed Race/Heritage, Non Service Users, Other, Patients - Adults, Patients - Children, Residents - Local, Service Users, Voluntary Organisations/Third Sector, Volunteers, Vulnerable Adults, White			
Area	Birmingham - Citywide			
Method	Inviting Comments: event, Inviting Comments: presentation, Inviting Comments: webpage, Meeting - Series, Questionnaire/Survey - Electronic/Online /IDTV, Questionnaire/Survey - Face to Face, Specific Techniques - Focus Groups, Specific Techniques - Other			

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Con ID	1,227		
Title	Birmingham Air Quality Action Plan 2011		
Overview	This consultation seeks the views of Birmingham's residents on the updated Air Quality Action Plan 2011 that details the actions that the city intends to take to work towards meeting its objectives within its Air Quality Management Area. This is required under the Environment Act 1985.  This consultation is in addition to detailed consultation already undertaken of identified interested parties.		
Contact name	Peter Fallon - 0121 303 9971		
Target Group	Residents - Local		
Area	Birmingham - Citywide		
Method	Inviting Comments: report		

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Con ID	1,247			
Title	Third Sector Support			
Overview	Birmingham City Council provides third sector support to the voluntary and community sector across Birmingham. This consultation is concerned with:  1) how third sector organisations can support each other,  2) how the third sector can support and advise the council about how and what it does, and  3) how the council can help to develop the growth of the third sector.			
Contact name	Maria Bailey - 0121 303 4192 <b>Date</b> 27/06/2011 - 18/09/2011			
Target Group	Residents - Local, Voluntary Organisations/Third Sector, Volunteers			
Area	Birmingham - Citywide			
Method	Meeting - One Off - Open , Meeting - One Off - Selected Participants, Questionnaire/Survey - Electronic/Online /IDTV			

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Con ID	1.253		
Title	Birmingham's Framework for Integration		
Overview	The Department for Communities and Local Government is due to launch a Strategy for Integration. Birmingham City Council are keen to design a framework for Integration that is in line with local priorities and needs and are therefore conducting a consultation exercise on the four themes being proposed nationally and how what they might look like for Birmingham.		
Contact name	Waqar Ahmed - 303 7682 <b>Date</b> 02/05/2011 - 30/09/2011		
Target Group	Community Groups, Faith Groups, Minority Ethnic Groups, Residents - Local		
Area	Birmingham - Citywide		
Method	Meeting - One Off - Open , Meeting - One Off - Selected Participants, Specific Techniques - Focus Groups, Specific Techniques - Other		

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Corporate Resources

Con ID	1.254		
Title	Third Sector support - market consultation event		
Overview	This is an invitation to potential bidders for Third Sector support services to attend a one-off consultation event.		
	The council is considering how to develop a future service in the city and if necessary, provide a procurement opportunity that is attractive to potential bidders from any sector. As part of this process the council would like to know which organisations would be interested in bidding to deliver a Third Sector support service either as a single contractor or as part of a consortia bid.		
Contact name	Maria Bailey - 0121 303 4192		
Target Group	Business/Private Sector, Public Sector Organisations, Voluntary Organisations/Third Sector		
Area	Beyond West Midlands		
Method	Meeting - One Off - Open		

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Total No. of Consultations:

Method

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Development**

Total No. of Consultations.				
Con ID	1,223			
Title	Chester Road Improvements			
	Consultation on improvement works along A452 in the vicinity of M6 Junction 5, Heartlands Parkway (Spitfire Island), Kingsbury Road (Tyburn House) and Tyburn Road junctions.  Consultation includes exhibitions in the area, a letterdrop, and information posted on the City Council website.			

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Contact name	Brett Dennett - 0121 303 7430	Date	01/06/2011 - 30/06/2011
Target Group	Transport - Motor Vehicle Drivers		
Area	Tyburn		

Inviting Comments: event, Inviting Comments: leaflet/poster, Inviting Comments: webpage

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Development**

Con ID	1.249		
Title	Hagley Road Improvements - Five Ways to Portland Road		
Overview	Hagley Road is a key route into and out of the city centre and as such has been identified for route improvements to improve vehicle journey times, including buses, reduce congestion and upgrade bus stop infrastructure. Views and concerns from members of the public on issues associated with Hagley Road are required in order to help inform the Scheme development. The deadline for receiving comments, views and advice is 22/07/11.		
Contact name	Philip Santos - 01216754414		
Target Group	Community Groups, Elected Members/Board Members, Public Sector Organisations, Residents - Local		
Area	Edgbaston		
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form		

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Development**

Con ID	1,255	
Title	Birmingham Digital Districts Programme - Public Consultation On State Aid Notification	
Overview	The aim of this programme is to transform Birmingham into one of the most dynamic and innovative regions in the world in a bid to establish vibrant and flexible business and residential communities. The first of these digital districts will be in Digbeth and will transform the area into a high-quality environment supported by an exceptionally high-speed broadband network.  This consultations for the programme and invites commercial operators and citizens to notify Birmingham City Council of any formal plan for similar investment in the Digbeth area over the next three years.	
Contact name	Richard Williams - 0121 464 0472	
Target Group	Business/Private Sector	
Area	Birmingham - City Centre	
Method	Inviting Comments: letter card, Inviting Comments: webpage	

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Development**

Con ID	1,317		
Title	Bike North Birmingham - Cycling and Walking route, Sutton Coldfield		
Overview	The council is improving and creating a network of cycling and walking routes in the north of the city. The next stage in this project is to join the existing route through the Newhall Valley to Sutton Park, via Sutton Coldfield Town Centre with a link to Sutton Coldfield Rail Station. Residents views are sought on the detailed route plan.		
Contact name	Rebecca Hawthorne - 0121 675 6936	Date	01/09/2011 - 26/09/2011
Target Group	Residents - Local		
Area	Sutton Trinity		
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form		

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#### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Development**

Con ID	1.343		
Title	Stratford Road / Highgate Road Proposed Junction Improvements		
Overview	In response to local aspirations the Council has developed proposals to improve the junction of Highgate Road and Stratford Road. The aim of these proposals is to improve the junction and to provide increased vehicle capacity which will allow the provision of controlled pedestrian facilities across the signals. As a part of the consultation local residents have been sent a questionnaire, so that we can find out their views on the proposals. The consultation will take place in September 2011 and responses are sought by 10th October 2011.		
Contact name	Rachael Kingsley - 0121 303 7097 Date 26/09/2011 - 10/10/2011		
Target Group	Business/Private Sector, Community Groups, Residents - Local, Transport - Cyclists, Transport - Motor Vehicle Drivers, Transport - Pedestrians, Transport - Public Transport Users		
Area	Sparkbrook		
Method	Inviting Comments: leaflet/poster, Inviting Comments: letter card, Inviting Comments: webpage		

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Environment and Culture

<b>Total No. of Consultat</b>	ions: 4		
Con ID	1,235		
Title	Burbury Brickworks and Blackberry Way Improvements		
Overview	The Landscape Practice Group have been commissioned to design and implement improvement works to the Burbury Brickworks site between Formans Rd & Westwood Avenue and to the Blackberry Way section of footpath south of Formans Road.  Full details of the proposed improvements can be found on the Be Heard database.		
Contact name	Jonathan Webster - 0121 303 3937 <b>Date</b> 27/05/2011 - 20/08/2011		
Target Group	Community Groups, Residents - Local, Service Users		
Area	Springfield		
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Electronic/Online /IDTV, Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form		

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Environment and Culture

Con ID	1,244		
Title	On Street Parking – Proposed Extension of Operational Hours and a Charge for Parking on Sundays		
Overview	The City Council wishes to consult on changes to the on-street parking arrangements in Birmingham city centre, which will extend the operational hours of the city centre Controlled Parking Zone (CPZ) to 8:00pm daily and to introduce a charge for parking in the Inner Parking Zone evenings and on Sundays as follows:  Evenings – Monday to Saturday - 6:00pm to 8:00pm – flat rate charge £3.00 (daytime charge will be £5.40 for 2 hours).  Sundays 8:00am to 8:00pm - £2:00 for up to 2 hours (maximum stay will be 2 hours).		
Contact name	Bob Wilde - 0121 303 6421	Date	22/06/2011 - 01/07/2011
Target Group	Business/Private Sector, Community Groups, Residents - Local		
Area	Ladywood		
Method	Inviting Comments: letter card		

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Environment and Culture

Con ID	1,289	
Title	National Playday at Cannon Hill Park 2011	
Overview	National PlayDay is a celebration of children's right to play and the importance of play in children's lives. This event was organised at Cannon Hill Park by the Birmingham PlayDay Planning Group, as part of Birmingham Play Portfolio.  Children, parents and carers were asked their views on the event and what they would like to do and the improvements they would like to see at future events.	
Contact name	Robina Nadeem - 01216758566 Date 03/08/2011 - 03/08/2011	
Target Group	Age - Children 5 - 11 Years, Asian, Black, Disabilities - Children with Physical Or Sensory, Disabilities - Learning Disabilities, Minority Ethnic Groups, Mixed Race/Heritage, Newly Arrived Groups, Other, Parents, White	
Area	Birmingham - Citywide	
Method	Inviting Comments: event, Inviting Comments: leaflet/poster, Questionnaire/Survey - Face to Face, Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form, Specific Techniques - Other	

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### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Environment and Culture

Con ID	1,347	
Title	Hawthorne House Play Area	
Overview	Following the sale of Hawthorne House, the existing play area in the grounds of the property will no longer be available for public use. Birmingham City Council has been working on proposals to replace existing facilities with a new play area on the council owned car park adjacent to Hampstead Hall Road. The proposals include the construction of a new fenced play area and associated footpath works with play equipment for children within the age 2 to 12 years old. In order to develop the proposals further, we are seeking local residents view to help us to design the children's play area.	
Contact name	Cigdem Jain - 0121 303 4240 Date 01/08/2011 - 11/11/2011	
Target Group	Residents - Local	
Area	Handsworth Wood	
Method	Inviting Comments: leaflet/poster, Questionnaire/Survey - Face to Face, Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form	

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### **Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Housing**

Con ID	1,240	
Title	Annual Report to Tenants 2010/11	
Overview	Birmingham City Council will publish its Annual Report to Tenants in October 2011. The report will include details of how we have performed against the Tenant Services Authority (TSA) standards and our Tenants' Quality Promise for 2010/11. The report will include what we have done well and where we need to do better. We will also show how our performance compares to other housing providers and include our priorities for the following year. We will be consulting with tenant groups in July and August 2011.	

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	compares to other housing providers and include our priorities for the following year.
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Contact name	Lindsey Jones - 0121 303 9468 Date 01/07/2011 - 31/08/2011
Target Group	Housing - Council Tenants/LeaseHolders
Area	Birmingham - Citywide
Method	Inviting Comments: webpage, Meeting - Series

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#### Lead Organisation:Birmingham City Council - Housing

Con ID	1,341
Title	Tenant Satisfaction Survey 2011/12 (Star Survey)
Overview	Between January and March 2012 Birmingham City Council will survey a representative sample of around 7000 council tenants by post. The survey, known as the 'Star' Survey will be sent by BMG research on behalf of the council and aims to find out tenants' views and experiences of the service provided by Birmingham City Council as a landlord. The results of the survey will show where we are doing well and where we need to improve so that we can focus our resources to make improvements in the areas that matter most to tenants.
Contact name	Lindsey Jones - 0121 303 9468 Date 16/01/2012 - 05/03/2012
Target Group	Housing - Council Tenants/LeaseHolders
Area	Birmingham - Citywide
Method	Questionnaire/Survey - Postal/Self Completion (Feedback) Form

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### Lead Organisation:NHS Heart of Birmingham

Total No. of Consultations: 1			
Con ID	1,339		
Title	Multiple Sclerosis Pilot consultation		
Overview	The focus group was held to inform service development - to recommend to the pilot what services people with multiple sclerosis could access. The consultation took the form of a focus group session held at a local health centre, attended by 6 patients and 5 carers.		
Contact name	Preetpal Channa - 01212550743		
Target Group	Carers, Service Users		
Area	Birmingham - City Centre		
Method	Meeting - One Off - Selected Participants		

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