

**SSN Summer Quarterly Meeting
25th June 2009**



**Single Outcomes Agreements Phase 2:
Turning Outcomes into Actions**

Host Council: North Ayrshire Council

Venue: Council Chambers, Cunninghame House, Friars Croft, Irvine, KA12 8EE

Date: Thursday 25th June 2009

Aims:

- To review and assess Phase 2 Single Outcome Agreements
- To increase SSN members' understanding of what has been included in the Phase 2 SOAs and to share knowledge of their content and value
- To discuss how sustainable development, and especially climate change issues, can be progressed most effectively within the context of SOAs
- To identify priority support and capacity-building needs to support work on sustainable development and climate change within the context of SOAs.

Objectives:

- To develop a national overview of progress on SOAs and the integration of sustainable development, Greener Scotland and climate change issues therein.
- To provide a forum wherein the experience and knowledge of SSN members on SOAs can be shared.
- To provide an opportunity to identify how the outcomes in SOAs can be most effectively supported.
- To allow priority support and capacity-building issues to be identified for SSN to take forward with members and with other key decision-makers.

Programme

10:00-10.30	Arrival and refreshments
10.30-10.45	Welcome & Agenda Overview <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ken Gibb, Chair of SSN • Ian Snodgrass – Chief Executive, North Ayrshire Council
10.45-11.00	SSN Update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • National Perspective on SOAs • Update on SCCD Reporting • SSN Conference Update • September Quarterly Plan Outline of morning agenda – process and outcomes
11.00-12.00	SOA Phase 2 – What’s Been Agreed & What Difference Will It Make? <i>SSN Members & ‘Critical Friends’ - Sharing and Learning From Local SOA Experience</i>
12.00 – 12.20	Coffee
12.20-13.00	Sharing SOA experience and identifying common development issues for 2009-10
13.00-13.45	Lunch
13.45-15.00	Moving Forward – Improving Outcomes, Indicators and Assessment Presentations and panel discussion: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bob Stead, West Lothian Council – Improving Local Outcome Indicators Project • Clive Mitchell, SNH – A Perspective on Sustainable Development Outcomes and Indicators • Elizabeth Leighton, WWF Scotland – Taking Forward Ecological and Carbon Footprint Outcomes and Indicators • Sasha Trifkovic, Sustainable Development Commission – SOAs within the context of the SDC’s Third Annual Assessment
15.00-15.20	Next Steps for SSN