

Key Projects				
G	On schedule/target			
A	Minor issues			
œ	Major issues/Not Started			

2026

Key Measures			
G	Improving or in line with expectations		
A	No significant change or comparable data unavailable		
B	Worsening		

### **Growth and Prosperity**

### **People and Communities**

### **Environment and Climate**

Pro	<u>ojects</u>		<u>Projects</u>
acc	ntinue to support business growth and job creation as ountable body for the Hillhouse Technology erprise Zone	G	Work with pincrease rat
Cor	ntinue to support town centre recovery and explore		Complete a
inve	estment and sustainable development opportunities for our town centres and the visitor economy	G	Deliver efformation
gro	port our business community to establish new start-ups, w and create jobs through our Wyred Up business support gramme	G	Continue to Safety Part Reduction
key	lore external funding and investment opportunities for our council assets including theatres, markets and leisure illities	A	Measure
	iver the UK Shared Prosperity Fund and Rural England sperity Fund 2023-2025	G	Increased n
Me	easures		Reduced pe
			Number of a
Tot	al visits to town centres	A	Number of v
Tov	vn centre vacancy rates	8	Number of
Inci	rease number of businesses supported in Wyre	G	Outcomes f
80%	6 of fledgling businesses surviving - 18 months	8	Proactive ac
Bus	iness rate collection target	G	Social Behav

Council tax collection target

Successful delivery of our UKSPF projects

	Work with partners to deliver Wyre's Moving More Strategy to increase rates of physical activity across Wyre	G
	Complete a review of our indoor leisure provision by Summer 2023	G
	Deliver effective support to our most vulnerable residents including the Household Support fund	G
	Continue to take a proactive role in delivering the Community Safety Partnership, co-ordinating an action plan for Violence Reduction	G
)	Measures	
	Increased number of people engaged with our health programmes	G
1	Reduced percentage of adults in Wyre that are physically inactive	G
	Number of annual visits to our leisure centres (target 600,000)	G
	Number of volunteer hours (target of 20,000 hours)	G
	Number of children engaged with holiday activities (target 900)	G
	Outcomes from delivering the Household Support Fund	G
	Proactive actions to reduce violence against the person and Anti- Social Behaviour (target 5% reduction each quarter)	G

**Projects** Deliver our Climate Change Strategy including carbon budget Deliver our action plan to reduce the effect of climate change on our borough including the carbon footprint of all council activities and assets Collaborate with partners to reduce community energy consumption through retrofitting houses and the delivery of Cosy Homes in Lancashire (CHIL) Deliver the Wyre Beach Management Scheme to protect 6 11,000 homes from coastal flooding by October 2023 Lead on Our Future Coast project and support the Wyre Natural Flood Management project to help prepare communities for G coastal change resulting from climate change Complete a full review of the Wyre Local Plan by 2024 Measures Number of domestic energy measures installed under the Cosy Homes in Lancashire, via Government grant schemes

11,00 more homes protected from coastal flooding by October

Please note there are a number of projects for which data is collated annually / bi-annually and have therefore not been included within this report but which should be available to report in quarter four.

# Comments and issues regarding measures with a RED status

#### Town centre vacancy rates -

The most recent monitoring took place in January 2023 (due to resourcing this monitoring only takes place twice yearly). Ambitious target set & although reporting behind target this is still an improvement on previous years. A significant amount of work is being undertaken to reduce vacancy rates e.g. HAZ improvements to shop fronts, provision of business support etc.)

## 80% of fledgling business surviving 18 months -

Forecasts are based on the annualised level of failure so far this year. As we progress through the year & the actual level of failure becomes known, the updated projections will become closer to the actual 2023 survival level. The current projection of companies incorporated during 2022 is that 95% will survive to the end of 2023. This is better than the 77% 1 year survival achieved by 2021 companies and the 73% 1 year survival achieved by 2020 companies. 2021 Wyre companies 2 year survival forecast is 43%, compared with 51% for businesses set up in 2020 and 61% for 2019 incorporations. which shows that Wyre companies tend to dissolve somewhere between 1 & 2 years trading (no reasons for this are specified in the Registered Companies Forecast Survival reports). We hope to support businesses in the borough navigate their start-up & growth phases by allocating £200k of UKSPF monies to Boost Lancashire who will deliver business support programmes over the next 2 years.