

CHAPTER 6 THE ACTION PLAN

2014 Objectives	Actions to achieve objective 2014-2018	Lead Partners and CCS Teams	Progress against objectives/actions (March 2019)	Actions to achieve objective 2019-2022
Theme 1: Awareness Raising and Understanding				
Objective 1: Raise the public profile of the AONB special qualities and its environmental, social and economic value	Update and implement the AONB Communications Plan	AONB Team	NOT PROGRESSED Communications Plan not progressed. However actions/activities include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • AONB team web pages on Council website updated • GLP website and social media channels to be integral to AONB comms now HLF-funded programme ended • Gower AONB Newsletter • Welsh Protected landscapes calendar 	Update AONB communications plan in the context of GLP legacy etc
Objective 2: Increase public access to, appreciation of and involvement with all the special qualities of the AONB, but particularly: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biodiversity • Geology • Landscape • Cultural Heritage 	Develop and implement a programme of training and volunteering opportunities and tasks	AONB Team, Gower Landscape Partnership (GLP), Nature Conservation Team, GGAT, National Trust	ONGOING Range of training and volunteering events delivered through GLP and partners Swansea Wildlife Volunteers project – NRW funded SEWBREC app training Volunteer tasks undertaken on LNRs and SINCs on Gower Friends of Bishops Wood LNR Good evidence of demand for further training and volunteering opportunities	Ongoing Volunteer coordinator post provides further opportunities
	Develop and implement a programme of intellectual access, walks, talks and events projects	AONB Team, Gower Landscape Partnership, Nature Conservation Team, GGAT, National Trust, Wildlife Trust for SW Wales	ONGOING Wide-range of activities events delivered principally through GLP and partners Sculpture by the Sea and Seashore Safari events supporting the BLUE FLAG beach awards Interpretation panels installed at several sites on Gower Environmental Event programme ongoing for 2019 Good evidence of demand for further programme of activities.	Ongoing, supported principally through NRW and other grant-aid programmes
Objective 3: Maintain public debate and involvement in AONB issues and management	Enable the Gower AONB Partnership to operate under its Terms of Reference (ToR)	AONB Team, Democratic Services	ONGOING Partnership, Steering Group and sub-groups continue to operate under the ToR	Ongoing.

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Theme 2: Biodiversity				
Objective 4: Ensure that the Local Development Plan policies and Development Control decisions conserve and enhance the biodiversity features of the AONB	Refresh the LDP biodiversity evidence base; review and adopt LDP policy protecting the biodiversity features and designations of the AONB	Nature Conservation Team, LDP Team, Planning Control	ACHIEVED Swansea Council adopted the LDP on 28 February 2019. LDP includes Ecosystem and Resilience policies for the protection of the AONB, biodiversity and designated sites. Swansea Council priorities now include maintaining and enhancing Swansea's natural resources and biodiversity	Finalise and adopt Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG) for the LDP for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Biodiversity • Green Infrastructure Monitor LDP policy effects
	Complete the re-evaluation of SINCS within the AONB	Nature Conservation Team	ONGOING Management Statements prepared for all AONB SINCS in Council ownership and those SINCS that have had works funded through GLP. Aderyn reports prepared for all Council-owned SINCS –full habitats and species records.	Ongoing
	Complete review of Local Biodiversity Action Plans for key habitats and species of the AONB	Nature Conservation Team	ONGOING Being taken forward through the Local Nature Recovery Action Plan.	Local Nature Recovery Action Plan
Objective 5: Identify and address management issues and priorities for biodiversity features of the AONB, to achieve Favourable Conservation Status (for sites, habitats and species) and improve ecological connectivity	Report on condition of SSSI biological features and identify management issues and priorities across the AONB	Natural Resources Wales, Nature Conservation Team and AONB Team, National Trust	ONGOING Management statements prepared for all Council-owned SSSIs	Carry forward
	Report on condition of SINCS and LNRs in the AONB and identify management issues and priorities across the AONB	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team	ONGOING	Carry forward
	Complete a climate change vulnerability assessment for key habitats and species of the AONB	AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, National Trust	NOT PROGRESSED Have mapped ecological connectivity	Carry forward
	Undertake an Invasive Non-Native Species (INNS) risk assessment for the AONB -to identify risks and prioritise control actions on INNS that threaten the special qualities of the AONB	AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, National Trust	ONGOING Some survey and monitoring of species undertaken, along with some control measures e.g. buckthorn at Llangennith Dunes, Knotweed at Parkmill	Carry forward
	Implementation of the Carmarthen Bay and Estuaries European Marine Site (CBEEMS) Management Scheme	Nature Conservation Team, CBEEMS relevant authorities	ONGOING Swansea Council hosting the Relevant Authority Group (RAG) and meetings. Implementation through RAG authorities	Ongoing
	Undertake practical biodiversity management, working with landowners, managers, groups, volunteers and others	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team, National Trust, Natural Resources Wales, Wildlife Trust for SW Wales, Gower Landscape Partnership	ONGOING Range of management projects include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hay meadow project (GLP/National Trust) • LNR Management and SINCS project with private landowners • Commons project • Nitten Field 	Ongoing

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Theme 3: Geology				
Objective 6: Ensure that Local Development Plan policies and Development Control decisions conserve and enhance the geological features of the AONB	Develop and review RIGS evidence base - including selection criteria, candidate sites - and identify RIGS across the AONB	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team, LDP Team	UPDATE Swansea Council adopted the LDP on 28 February 2019. LDP policy ER10 protects the features of geological/ geomorphological SSSI and Regionally Important Geological Sites (RIGS) Site visit/condition reports completed for 15x RIGS within the AONB (7 by SE Wales RIGs Group, 8 by British Geological Survey)	Monitor LDP policy effects
	Review and adoption of LDP policy to conserve and enhance geological features of the AONB	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team, LDP team, Planning Control		
Objective 7: Identify and address management issues and priorities for geological features across the AONB, ensuring that features are visible and available for study	Report on condition of SSSI geological features and identify management issues and priorities across the AONB	Natural Resources Wales, AONB Team, National Trust	NO UPDATE –	Carried forward
	Complete a climate change vulnerability assessment for key geological features	NRW, AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team	ONGOING Outline risks to key geological features (Karst landscape features/SSSI&RIGS/rock strata/exposures/coastal geology & landscape features) identified	Review and complete
	Undertake practical management of geological features with landowners, managers, groups, volunteers and others	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team, National Trust, Natural Resources Wales, Wildlife Trust for SW Wales, Gower Landscape Partnership	No priority practical action identified by assessments during the current period	Review management requirements in light of other actions (above)

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Theme 4: Landscape and Seascape				
Objective 8: Ensure that spatial planning policies and Development Control decisions conserve and enhance the landscape, seascape and key views in and out of the AONB	Provide a robust evidence base that supports emerging LDP policies protecting the landscape and seascape of the AONB	AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control	ACHIEVED Gower AONB Landscape Character Assessment report published 2013. Subsequent detailed assessment of landscape capacity in relation to caravan and camping sites published 2014 Both reports used in evidence base for the LDP	No further actions
	Review and update of LANDMAP data for the AONB	LDP Team, Natural Resources Wales, AONB Team	ACHIEVED Historic landscape aspect updated by NRW and archaeological trusts in 2016 Updated LANDMAP data informed the NRW State of Natural Resources Report (SoNaRR) in 2016	No further actions
	Review and adoption of LDP policy to conserve and enhance the landscape and seascape of the AONB	AONB Team, LDP Team	UPDATE Swansea Council adopted the LDP on 28 February 2019. Policy ER4 sets the specific LDP policy to safeguard the AONB, with policy ER7 (Undeveloped Coast) also of direct relevance	Monitor LDP policy effect Refresh of Gower AONB Design Guide and adoption as SPG Development of Caravan and Camping site design guide
	Engage in the development of Marine Plan for Wales	LDP Team, AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team	ONGOING Adoption of Marine Plan for Wales expected Summer 2019	Review priorities/actions in the light of published Marine Plan and Marine Area Statement
	Undertake a detailed assessment of the AONB seascape	Natural Resources Wales, AONB Team	ACHIEVED Completed and awaiting Welsh translation before full publication	Utilise and adopt as planning policy evidence and Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG)
Objective 9: Review and address landscape management issues and priorities for key landscape features and views across the AONB	Review, prioritise and implement management guidelines proposed for each Landscape Character Area through a Landscape Action Plan.	AONB Team	UPDATE Review of LCAs management guidelines undertaken	Share, prioritise and implement management guidelines
	Complete a climate change vulnerability assessment for key landscape/seascape features and views	AONB Team, National Trust	NOT PROGRESSED	Carried forward
	Undertake practical management of landscape features and key views with landowners, managers, groups, volunteers and others	Nature Conservation Team, AONB Team, National Trust, Natural Resources Wales, Wildlife Trust for SW Wales, Gower Landscape Partnership	ONGOING Range of practical projects include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> National Trust reinstatement of hedge banks at Rhossili GLP Mewslade Wall restoration NRW/AONB funded Hedgerow Hub project 	Support and implement ongoing projects, including Gower Hedgerow Hub, Volunteers project
Objective 10: Extend the recording and monitoring of the AONB landscape, seascape and key views	Develop and implement a landscape character and photographic monitoring programme to record and assess landscape change	AONB Team, Natural Resources Wales	NOT PROGRESSED	Carried forward

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Theme 5: Cultural Heritage				
Objective 11: Ensure that Local Development Plan policies and Development Control decisions conserve and enhance the archaeological and built heritage features of the AONB	Provide a robust evidence base that supports emerging LDP policies protecting the cultural heritage of the AONB	AONB Team, LDP Team, Design and Conservation Team, Glamorgan Gwent Archaeological Trust (GGAT)	ACHIEVED Swansea Council adopted the LDP on 28 February 2019.	Monitor LDP policy effects
	Review and adoption of LDP policy to conserve and enhance the cultural heritage features of the AONB	AONB Team, LDP Team, Design and Conservation Team, Planning Control	LDP policies HC1 and HC2 cover the preservation and enhancement of the historic & cultural environment, buildings & features	
Objective 12: Review and address the key management issues and priorities for the archaeological and built heritage of the AONB	Review, prioritise and implement management guidelines proposed for Cultural Heritage - Listed Buildings at Risk Register, Conservation Areas appraisals and plans, Historic landscape appraisals, Scheduled Ancient Monument management plans, historic landscapes, parks and gardens	AONB Team, Design and Conservation Team, National Trust, GGAT, Cadw, Gower Landscape Partnership	NOT PROGRESSED	Carried forward
	Complete a climate change vulnerability assessment for archaeology and built heritage	AONB Team, LDP Team, Design and Conservation Team, Historic Environment Group, GGAT	UPDATE – Outline risks to features of predicted climate change effects identified	Review and complete
	Undertake practical management of archaeological and built heritage with landowners, managers, groups, volunteers and others	AONB Team, National Trust, GGAT, Cadw, Gower Landscape Partnership	Range of practical projects include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pill House Pigsty • Redley Cliff hill fort clearance • NT reinstatement of hedge banks Rhossili • Drystone wall restoration at the Vile 	Ongoing

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Theme 6: Natural Resources				
Objective 13: Continue to screen and monitor air and water quality across the AONB	Complete LAQM annual screening/monitoring requirements	Environmental Protection Team, Natural Resources Wales	No air quality issues identified for AONB from screening/monitoring: https://www.swansea.gov.uk/article/2831/Air-quality	Ongoing - complete LAQM annual screening/monitoring requirements
	Complete Bathing Water Directive monitoring requirements		Information, monitoring and actions reported on waterwatchwales website: http://waterwatchwales.naturalresourceswales.gov.uk/en/	Ongoing, subject to changes in environmental reporting policy/legislation
	Complete Water Framework Directive monitoring and assessment requirements			
Objective 14: Progress toward Good Ecological Status for waterbodies in the AONB	Implement measures identified in the Western Wales River Basin Management Plan relevant to the AONB	Natural Resources Wales, AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, Swansea Environment Forum		Implement priority actions in the current RBMP: Carmarthen Bay and Estuaries Burry Pill River Clyne
Objective 15: Develop a better understanding of soil conservation issues in the AONB	Review of soil and land quality data across the AONB; identification of priority issues for AONB management	AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, Natural Resources Wales	NOT PROGRESSED	Carried forward
Objective 16: Develop an understanding of the ecosystem services provided by the AONB	Undertake an ecosystems services mapping exercise in the AONB	AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, Natural Resources Wales, Swansea Environment Forum	NOT PROGRESSED	Carried forward

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Theme 7: Tranquillity				
Objective 17: Assess current levels of tranquillity, noise and light pollution	Develop and undertake baseline/monitoring approaches for tranquillity/dark sky	AONB Team, Natural Resources Wales	ONGOING First Gower AONB Sky Quality assessment complete Swansea Council, Gower Society and Dark Sky Wales preparing an application to International DarkSky (IDA) for Dark Sky Community Award	Complete IDA application Implement Lighting Management Plan and other measures required to comply with Award Annual monitoring/reporting to IDA
Objective 18: Ensure that Local Development Plan policy and development control decisions protect tranquillity and the night sky of the AONB	Review/monitor implementation of lighting/design guide SPG in project design and Development Control	AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control	UPDATE Lighting design guide being reviewed as part of IDA application above	Complete review/update Adopt as SPG to the LDP
	Provide a robust evidence base to inform emerging LDP policies protecting the tranquillity and night skies of the AONB		ACHIEVED See below	No further actions
	Review and adoption of LDP policy to conserve and enhance tranquillity and night sky of the AONB		ACHIEVED Swansea Council adopted the LDP on 28 February 2019. LDP policies RP1 & RP2 control light pollution from proposed development. Development within the AONB will be considered against the Gower AONB Lighting SPG	Adopt revised lighting guide as SPG

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Theme 8: Recreation Resources				
Objective 19: To improve the current standard and level of maintenance of public rights of way so that 95% are open, usable and clearly signposted.	Continued implementation of the Rights of Way Improvement Plan (ROWIP)	Countryside Access Team, NRW	UPDATE	Refresh ROWIP
	Undertake practical maintenance and improvements to the AONB RoW network with landowners/managers, groups, volunteers and others	Countryside Access Team, NRW	ROWIP plan period now expired. Range of improvements projects include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> the Gower Way (Gower Society) New boardwalk at Horton/Port Eynon bridleway bridge and other improvements at Parkmill Works on Swansea Council estate at Pwll du and Bishop's Wood 	Implement ROWIP priority improvements in the AONB Restore public access along Coast Path at Cwm Ivy
Objective 20: To improve access opportunities around the Wales Coast Path and the Gower Way	Identify, prioritise and promote circular routes around the Wales Coast Path and the Gower Way	Countryside Access Team, NRW, Gower Society	ONGOING Range of leaflets produced e.g. Mumbles Way leaflet GLP - walking app and trails 17 trails - ThisisGower	Ongoing
Objective 21: Ensure that Access Land is available and publicised for use by communities and visitors	Complete review and publication of access land maps under the CRow Act 2000	Natural Resources Wales, Countryside Access Team, AONB Team, National Trust	ACHIEVED All Access Land data available for viewing/download at: http://lle.gov.wales/home	No further action
	Report on the revised extent and distribution of access land in the AONB		NOT PROGRESSED To be updated in next State of the AONB report	To be updated in next State of the AONB report
Objective 22: Develop a clear understanding of the recreation activities in the AONB and around the coast	Analyse and report on recreation activities and identify priority issues for planning and management	AONB Team, Countryside Access Team, Tourism Team, Business Partnership Unit, National Trust	NOT PROGRESSED Swansea Council engaging in update to the 'Wales Activity Mapping' project: http://www.walesactivitymapping.org.uk/	Swansea Council engaging in update to the 'Wales Activity Mapping' project in 2019: http://www.walesactivitymapping.org.uk/
Objective 23: Maintain high quality status and profile of Gower beaches and associated facilities	Annual applications for appropriate beach awards	Business Partnership Unit	OBJECTIVE MAINTAINED Four Blue Flag beach awards maintained 2014-2018	Ongoing
	Preparation and implementation of coordinated beach management plans	Business Partnership Unit, AONB Team, Tourism Team, National Trust, Beach owners and managers	ACTION ACHIEVED Preparation of management plans in 2015 Setting up of Swansea Council Beach management group Feasibility study on Port Eynon & Horton beach/area	Follow up/actions recommended in plans/reports

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Theme 9: Primary Industries				
Objective 24: Increase the area of the AONB under sustainable land management	Engage in the consultation/development of Wales Rural Development Plan 2014-2020 Axis 2 - Glastir	Welsh Government, AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, Natural Resources Wales	ACTION ACHIEVED RDP Plan in place – Glastir land data now available for viewing/download at: http://lle.gov.wales/home	Engage and participate in development activities to support sustainable land management in the AONB post-Brexit
	Identify and take opportunities to conserve and enhance the special qualities of the AONB through Glastir with applicants, agreement holders and project officers		NOT PROGRESSED	
	Collaborative work on sustainable land management practices, including strategic wildfire protection and prevention initiatives	Swansea Land Management Group Welsh Government, AONB Team, Nature Conservation Team, National Trust Natural Resources Wales	AONB and GLP have supported several ongoing initiatives including fire and grazing management on commons	
Objective 25: Support appropriate and sustainable farm and rural diversification and enterprise through the LDP and RDP.	Engage in the consultation/development of Wales Rural Development Plan 2014-20 Axes 3 and 4	AONB Team, Economic Development Team, Rural Development Partnership	ONGOING	Continued implementation through to 2020 Engage and participate in development activities to support rural enterprise post-Brexit
	Develop and implement project plan for the Swansea RDP 2014-20		ONGOING	Continued implementation through to 2020 Engage and participate in development activities to support rural enterprise post-Brexit
Objective 26: Develop coordinated support for the balanced and sustainable growth of the local fishing industry	Implementation of the Swansea Bay Fisheries Local Development Strategy	Swansea Bay Fisheries Local Action Group (FLAG), Economic Development Team, SACRAG	PROJECT ACHIEVED Swansea Bay FLAG 2014-2020 being administered through Swansea Council: https://www.swansea.gov.uk/sbflag	Continued implementation through to 2020

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Theme 10: Tourism				
Objective 27: Support the development of a sustainable tourism industry on Gower	Implementation of the Swansea Bay Destination Management Plan	Destination Management Plan Delivery Groups	UPDATE Number of projects delivered through the DMP 2013-16 Current DMP 2017-20 is about enabling better approaches to development and marketing of the area, involving as many stakeholders (public and private sector) as possible	Implementation through DMP delivery groups and Swansea RDP and implement priority projects through the Delivery Groups
	Finalise the Sustainable Tourism Strategy and implement relevant recommendations and actions	AONB Team and other partners identified by the Action Plan	UPDATE Draft Sustainable Tourism Strategy published by Swansea RDP in 2014. The current RDP Local Action Group is referring to the Sustainable Tourism Strategy as the evidence base for supporting strategic priorities and projects for tourism in the rural wards of Swansea.	Continue delivery implementation through the RDP through to 2020

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Theme 11: Transport				
Objective 28: Ensure that the public have the information they need to use sustainable and active travel networks and services	Promote the use and awareness of sustainable and active travel networks and services e.g. walking by bus leaflets, digital media	Baytrans, Swansea Rural Development Partnership, AONB Team	UPDATE Tourism Swansea Bay leading on 'Digital Marketing for Sustainable Transport in Rural Swansea' supported through the Swansea RDP	Implement Swansea RDP project through to 2020
Objective 29: Improve the provision of sustainable and active travel networks and services across the AONB	Identify and implement priority schemes for safe walking and cycling in the AONB	Countryside Access Team, AONB Team, Highways Team, Community Councils, Swansea RDP	UPDATE Sustainable Rural Transport Strategy has been developed through the Swansea RDP	Implement priority schemes identified by the Swansea RDP
	Sustain and improve the Gower Explorer bus service	Baytrans, Countryside Access Team, CCS Transport	ACTION SUSTAINED Gower Sunday Explorer funding through the Swansea RDP. However, no long term future for Sunday service identified	Implement Gower Sunday Explorer project through to 2020
	Optimise access points to popular walks –especially the Coast Path – for bus users	Baytrans, Rural Development Partnership, service operator	NO UPDATE	Carry Forward
Objective 30: Develop a better understanding of car parking provision, issues and improvement priorities across the AONB	Undertake a review of car parking provision, issues and improvement priorities	Highways Team, AONB Team, Tourism Team, National Trust, car park owners and operators	NOT PROGRESSED	Carry Forward
Objective 31: Maintain good practice highway improvements across the AONB	Continued implementation of the Highway Design Guide	Highways Team, AONB Team	ONGOING	Ongoing

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Theme 12: Utilities and Communications				
Objective 32: Improve mobile and broadband coverage in the AONB without adversely affecting the special qualities	Work with Mobile Infrastructure Project (MIP) - Arqiva and the Department for Culture, Media and Sport	Arqiva, AONB Team, Planning Control	<p>UPDATE</p> <p>MIP project ended 2016. Welsh Government published a Mobile Action Plan for Wales (MAP) in October 2017: http://gov.wales/docs/det/publications/171003-mobile-action-plan-for-wales-en.pdf</p> <p>Assembly Mobile Action Plan update report in Jan 2019 here: http://www.assembly.wales/laid%20documents/cr-ld12069/cr-ld12069-e.pdf</p> <p>OFCOM coverage maps available on their mobile coverage app: https://www.ofcom.org.uk/about-ofcom/latest/media/media-releases/2015/mobile-coverage-checker-launch</p>	Engage with actions in MAP around revisions to Planning Policy Wales and TAN19 on mobile network infrastructure development
	Work with broadband improvement projects in the AONB - e.g. Superfast Cymru	AONB Team and project delivery teams	<p>UPDATE</p> <p>Superfast Cymru ended Dec 2017.</p> <p>Welsh Govt/ Openreach providing access to fast broadband to almost 16,000 premises by March 2021, utilising just over £13m of Welsh Government and EU funding. These premises are in North Wales and the South West and the Valleys.</p> <p>OFCOM broadband coverage maps available on their app: https://www.ofcom.org.uk/about-ofcom/latest/media/media-releases/2015/mobile-coverage-checker-launch</p>	Ongoing
Objective 33: Reduce the landscape and visual effects of the power supply network on Gower	Develop and implement landscape improvement schemes through the Western Power Undergrounding Initiative	Western Power Distribution, AONB Team	<p>UPDATE</p> <p>Regular scheduled meetings with WPD under this initiative. Last undergrounding project on Gower was Cefn Bryn (2013).</p>	Identify, develop and implement schemes
Objective 34: Have a clear understanding of utility/communications investment and infrastructure priorities that may affect the AONB	Research and report on utility company investment plans - sewerage, water supply, gas, electric, telecomms	AONB Team	<p>AONB team reviewed (Dec 2017) business plans/ priorities for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dwr Cymru - Welsh Water • Wales and West Utilities • Western Power Distribution • Ofcom • Welsh Government 	Ongoing

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Theme 13: Development and Offshore Activities				
Objective 35: Ensure that spatial planning policies and development control conserve and enhance the natural beauty of the AONB	Engage with policy development and planning control in and around the AONB, including: CCS and Carmarthenshire LDPs, Marine planning, major infrastructure developments	AONB Partnership, AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control, Welsh Government, Carmarthenshire County Council, Nature Conservation Team	Ongoing	Ongoing
Objective 36: Improve the quality of the built environment in the AONB	Continue with implementation of the AONB Design Guide and Supplementary Planning Guidance (SPG)	AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control	Implementation continued.	Review and Update of AONB Design Guide; adoption as SPG
	Develop additional guidance for other development issues affecting the landscape character of the AONB, e.g. renewable energy, caravan/camping, car parking	AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control	NOT PROGRESSED	Development and preparation of a specific design guide for camping and caravan sites.
Objective 37: Ensure developments outside the AONB consider potential adverse effects on the AONB special qualities	Monitor and respond to development planning processes and projects outside of the AONB	AONB Team, LDP Team, Planning Control, Nature Conservation Team	Ongoing	Ongoing

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Theme 14: Housing, Community Facilities and Services				
Objective 38: Ensure that LDP policy addresses the affordable housing needs of local communities	Provide a robust evidence base on affordable housing to inform the emerging LDP policies	LDP Team	OBJECTIVE ACHIEVED	Monitor as per LDP Monitoring Framework
	Development and adoption of LDP policy that considers the need for affordable housing in local communities			
Objective 39: Identify and respond to trends in the range and extent of community facilities in the AONB	Updates and analysis of ward profiles for AONB wards	LDP Team, AONB Team, Research and Information Team	Ward profiles regularly updated for all Swansea wards. Last update in January 2019: https://www.swansea.gov.uk/wardprofiles	Ongoing