Place-Based Inclusive Growth

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Which of the following sectors best describes the organisation you are representing today?

1. Community Group 13%
2. Central Government / National Public body 19%
3. Local Government / NHS board 16%
4. Private sector 5%
5. Third sector 37%
6. Academic institution 5%
7. Other 5%
In broad terms, which geographical area is your organisation concerned with?

1. Scotland-wide
   - 43%
2. A region, district or city
   - 32%
3. Small town or neighbourhood (pop. under 10k)
   - 25%
Growing Consensus?
Voting Session
What should be the priority aim of place-based inclusive growth?

1. Addressing poverty and inequality nationally  27%
2. Increasing local employment and enterprise  31%
3. Ensuring sustainability of all different kinds of places  35%
4. Securing wider environmental sustainability  7%
What is the most important element for success in place-based inclusive growth?

1. Good wages, education and training - 49%
2. Good housing and infrastructure - 18%
3. High quality local environment and culture - 16%
4. High quality, well targeted public services - 9%
5. Attracting private enterprise and investment - 7%
What is more important:

1. Reducing the inequality gap between people in different income groups wherever they live
2. Reducing the inequality gap between longstanding rich and poor places
Should the main focus be on:

1. Universal, population wide economic and social policies  
   - 33%

2. Targeted policies, aimed at benefiting people in the poorest places  
   - 67%
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