



SURF
Scotland's Regeneration Forum

SURF : sharing experience : shaping practice

Chat Notes

Derek Harper, The Food Life: Hello all from thundery rural Brechin a 20 min town

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: hi from sunny Edinburgh

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: the density of the 20 min population is also key

David Somervell, Transition Edinburgh: Greetings, friends from Transition Edinburgh - seeking a Zero Carbon capital by 2030. Check out the Draft CEC Climate Strategy and join our open review of it 7.30pm - 9.00pm Thurs 12 Aug <https://cs12aug.eventbrite.co.uk> All welcome. This strategy name checks 20-

Elisa de Waal, Arts and Business Scotland: It would be interesting to be able to zoom in on this map to explore - let us know if that is possible perhaps after the event.

Anne-Marte Bergseng, ClimateXChange: Hi all, you can read the report with detail on methodology and findings here <https://www.climatexchange.org.uk/research/projects/20-minute-neighbourhoods-in-a-scottish-context/>

Anne-Marte Bergseng, ClimateXChange: @elisa - on the link just posted you can access the map and zoom in on areas of interest

Elisa de Waal, Arts and Business Scotland: Thanks!

Euan Leitch, SURF: We will provide links to lots referred to and the interactive map afterwards Elisa

Alex Stobart, Mydex: A person centred approach would help with this, as different individuals may have different qualitative ideas and levels of engagement.

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: in rural communities, a 20 min bus ride to a centre is key

David Henderson, COSS: Anticipating a lot of resistance from powerful lobbies to integrating this into planning systems?

Gavin Thomson, FoES: Thanks Rebecca

Ian McCall, Paths for All: <https://www.pathsforall.org.uk/resources/resource/scotlands-view-on-walking> some work we did on attitudes to walking - may be of interest.

Euan Leitch, SURF: CEC Strategy
<https://democracy.edinburgh.gov.uk/mgConvert2PDF.aspx?ID=34667>

David Henderson, COSS: Wonder Daisy if you are working with SCOREscotland and their CCF project in Wester Hailes?

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: Join the Niddrie litterpickers on Sunday!
<https://www.facebook.com/events/192525762900019/>

John Maslen, greenspace scotland: How do we square off the asset consolidation and efficiency saving agenda with the need to retain localised services?

Alex Stobart, Mydex: It would be a great outcome for communities in Scotland if the citizen could, over time, become the point of integration in this 20 minutes neighbourhood work.

Margaret Daly, Sustrans Scotland: Kinning Park is an interesting case in point – one of the first local place plans - look forward to seeing how this is developed

Karlene Doherty, DTAS: Interesting point Nicky: Protecting that space for local people to actually lead and develop their own proposals is important for professionals to remember - especially for LPP's!

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: What name would appeal to the local communities?

Euan Leitch, SURF: Health and Social Care Alliance have an upcoming evening on 20 Minute Neighbourhoods <https://www.alliance-scotland.org.uk/blog/events/exploring-scotlands-20-minute-neighbourhoods/>

Elisa de Waal, Arts and Business Scotland: I'm needing to go but I will catch up on the recording - thank all

Sarah Tolley, Edinburgh Green Spaces Forum: resting places is a brilliant solution... inside supermarkets, too.

Davina Lavery, West Dunbartonshire Council: Something that confuses me over about the concept is 20min versus 10mins. As Nicky mentioned for some people it's a struggle to walk for 20mins so for clarification should we be considering that for the return journey?

David Henderson, COSS: be interested to hear about your digital consultation techniques in KPC - loved the presentation

Margaret Daly, Sustrans Scotland: Enjoying your approach, and all the events you have in involving locals to make 'their' plan!

Barbara Kerr, Sustrans Scotland: Great to see how you are using 20minute neighbourhoods being used as a focus in local contexts to bring community together and address other issues.

David Henderson, COSS: Place Standard is a good tool for conversation within communities (and professionals) - conversation it inspires as important as the graphics it produces

Paul Davies, Dundee City Council: Recent 'Engage Dundee' process has made use of Place Standard as its basis, but focussed a little differently to have more in it on People alongside Place.

Alistair Scott, Smith Scott Mullan: In identifying a neighbourhood the Anchor Point is key / should be facility rather than the home?

Gavin Thomson, FoES: Justifying long-term cost savings might work with public sector delivered services (fingers crossed). Private sector services - like the massive closures in bank branches - might need another approach?

John Maslen, greenspace scotland: Would you consider that some services or facilities are higher priority than others - for example should we start by ensuring that everyone can reach a local GP easily by walking? Perhaps also a supermarket of some kind? If so what are 'core services'?

Francesca Lynch, Community Links South Lanarkshire: Great question Nicky.....for me it goes right back to what Rebecca was discussing around the importance of public participation.....questions around capacity of communities to participate and partners to have capacity and knowledge of how to engage meaningfully!

Robert Livingston, Regional Screen Scotland: Surprised no one has mentioned mobile services as a way of ensuring priority facilities can be delivered locally, especially as they've proven so important during the pandemic

Euan Leitch, SURF: A map that allows you to explore what's within a certain distance of your home <https://scotgov.maps.arcgis.com/apps/instant/nearby/index.html>

David Somervell, Transition Edinburgh: I'm aware that 20-Minute Neighbourhood is name checked in Edinburgh's draft 2030 Climate Strategy. Transition Edinburgh holding an online review to contribute in to the Consultation Response - <https://cs12aug.eventbrite.co.uk> All welcome

Barbara Kerr, Sustrans Scotland: This is useful when talking about distance/travel time from home using different transport modes - <https://app.traveltime.com/>

Poppea Daniel, Sustrans Scotland: Robert - I agree mobile services feel like they could be in the mix for possible ways to enable 'local living' - in various different contexts, urban and rural

Nikita Shah, East Dunbartonshire Council: As Davina and Nicky indicated lot of people would prefer to use shops and services in their neighbourhood rather than heading to the town or city centre. This is especially true where new regeneration along the edges are just miles of housing. does developing new neighbourhood focal not contradict with TOWN CENTRE FIRST principle

Barbara Kerr, Sustrans Scotland: Mobile services are tricky - if only one day/time available it can still be inaccessible to people depending on their schedule. Then it doesn't get used and gets taken away when it's not that the need doesn't exist, it's that the service didn't meet the need.

David Henderson, COSS: excellent content today. and really appreciate the links and tools in chat. have to leave for another meeting. but thank you

Francesca Lynch, Community Links South Lanarkshire: Apologies I have another meeting so need to pop off! thanks for a great session - great information and speakers!

Shirley Paterson, Forth Environment Link: Nikita Shah - my experience of semi-rural is that people would prefer to drive 20-30 minutes for their food shopping; there is a perception of lower cost and greater variety of food on shelves over the local shop

Poppea Daniel, Sustrans Scotland: Yep that's an interesting point Barbara

Nicky Patterson @ Because We Say So!/ Kinning Park Complex: Links to our project can be found here: <https://linktr.ee/becausewesayso>

NB: we are not trying to run before we can walk which is really important for building a sustainable programme

Ann Campbell, SURF: Delighted to hear from Kinning Park colleagues that professional CLD workers are embedded in this action. This type of resourcing is crucial to sustainable community regeneration.

David Somervell, Transition Edinburgh: Excellent session, Euan! Thanks to you and the SURF team for hosting this session! Resources available to enable all this thinking and doing time is crucial! All very best, David

Peter Noad, Scottish Enterprise: Great stuff. Thanks. Bye.

John Howie, Public Health Scotland: Thanks Euan - excellent meeting. Looking forward to future discussions and collaborations. Take care everyone.

Janice Connelly: Thank you to all

Paul Davies, Dundee City Council: Thanks everyone - very interesting & useful. :)

Selina Ross, West Dunbartonshire CVS: Thanks everyone - look forward to next session

Barbara Kerr, Sustrans Scotland: Thanks everyone - especially to the speakers, great presentations.

Shona Thomson, Regional Screen Scotland: Thanks all!

Grant Baxter, Clackmannanshire Council: Many thanks Euan and speakers

Tiki Muir, WHALE Arts: Thank you!

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