

Pre-Partnership Survey

Questions

Have any formal arrangements been put in place to establish an adaptation partnership – for example, agreement to establish a partnership and commitment from stakeholders to be involved?

Yes

No

Who has been involved in initial discussions about developing joint work to adapt to climate change?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- There are one or two individuals who strongly advocate for action to adapt to climate change
- The topic has been discussed by my organisation during internal meetings
- Informal conversations have been held between a group of individuals/ organisations
 - How many organisations/ interest groups were represented?
 - Did the discussion(s) involve diverse groups – for example representatives of disadvantaged communities and individuals?

- No discussions have taken place

Further Comments

How much is known about the climate risks and opportunities that are likely to affect your place?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- Nothing
- Basic information is available about our changing climate and possible risks and opportunities
- The area has been badly affected by severe weather events e.g. flooding, overheating or storms and there is a lot of concern about current and future climate risks
- Detailed information about climate risks and opportunities is available – e.g. a climate risk assessment or more detailed information about different climate hazards – e.g. flood risk maps

Further Comments

Is there support in the community for partnership action to adapt to climate change?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- One or two individuals are supportive
- One or two organisations are supportive
- There is support from a group of individuals/ organisations/ interest groups
 - Number of individuals?
 - Number of organisations?
 - Number of interest groups (for example un-constituted community groups)?

Unknown – the topic has not yet been discussed widely

No – climate adaptation has been discussed and is not a priority

Further Comments

Are resources currently available to support partnership action to adapt to climate change?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- Unknown – the topic has not yet been discussed
- Volunteer/ activist time
 - Amount of time? (e.g. up to 5 hours per week ,up to 10 hours per week, up to 20 hours per week, more than 20 hours per week)

- Funded staff time
 - Amount of time? (e.g. up to 5 hours per week ,up to 10 hours per week, up to 20 hours per week, more than 20 hours per week)

- Communications expertise
 - Type of expertise? (e.g. graphic designers, web developers, etc.)

- Climate adaptation expertise
 - Type of expertise? (e.g. academics, practitioners, etc.)

Administration expertise

- Type of expertise?

Financial management expertise

- Type of expertise?

Contributions from academic partners e.g. researcher time

- Amount of time/ Types of resource provided?

Project funding

- Amount/source of funding?

Other

Further Comments

What does success look like?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- Unknown – this hasn't been considered yet
- Adaptation solutions in place to protect central infrastructure
- Community resilience to climate impacts
- Support and buy-in from local authorities and community members
- The most vulnerable are considered the main priority for partnership action
- A total change in the way people are working, with adaptation actions considered in all decision-making

Further Comments

What might make working together difficult in the future?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- Unknown – this hasn't been considered yet
- Partners with conflicting priorities and lack of a shared vision
 - Will there be different business interests?
 - How prominently will climate justice and equity feature as priorities for partners?

- Co-development
 - How will decisions be made?

- How will new partners be integrated into the partnership?

Resource and ownership

- How much will different partners contribute in terms of funding, staff and expertise?
- How will different partners have ownership of partnership actions?

Further Comments

How could working together in a partnership help you?

Tick all the responses that apply:

- Unknown – this hasn't been considered yet
- Learning from others
- Increasing the resources available for action
- Increased central government support for projects
- More and larger adaptation initiatives
- Connecting people and networks

Further Comments

Using the likert scale please indicate the level of agreement with the statement below as it applies to your local area

Statement	Strongly Disagree – (1)	Disagree – (2)	Neutral/ Unknown – (3)	Agree – (4)	Strongly Agree – (5)
There are leaders advocating for climate action partnerships	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There is robust knowledge on climate risks and opportunities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There is strong support for partnership action to adapt to climate change	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
There are sufficient resources currently available to support partnership action to adapt to climate change	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
A climate action partnership in my area would be successful	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
I do not foresee any challenges working within a climate action partnership	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
The benefits of a climate action partnership are obvious for me	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

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