

Using Ecological Footprint

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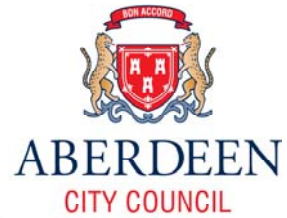
North East of Scotland Project



- Today's actions enables tomorrow
- Act Local- Think Global
- Joint working
- Informed Choice
- Ecological Footprint measure resources consumed
- A carbon footprint measures carbon
- Statutory Requirement of Local Government Act (Scotland) 2003



North East of Scotland Project and beyond

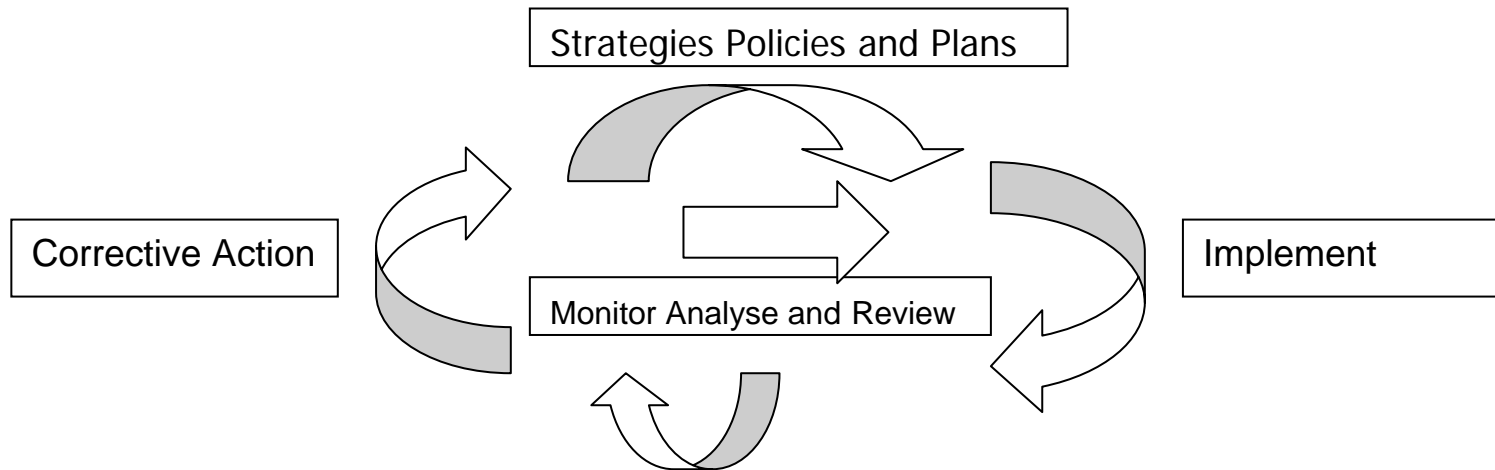


- A Strategic Compass
- Community foot-printing
 - Ellon & Huntly
- Different tacks
 - Aberdeenshire:- Special dedicated resource
 - Aberdeen City:- Mainstream process with advisory expertise
- Use in :-
 - Joint Structure Plan,
 - Revised Community
 - Housing Strategy
 - Possible Community Engagement Tool

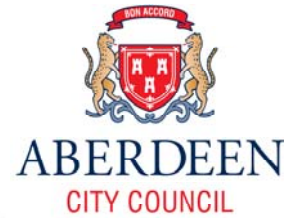


The Benefits from strategy to the Community

- Empowerment
- Critical to understanding Impacts
- Informed choice
- Corrective Action
- Evidence Based Decision Making



The Sustainable Future



- Ecological Footprint gives us a baseline
- Link strategies like 'regeneration' with sustainable values
- Build on existing strengths- ecological footprint
- Develop social & economic measures
- Informed choice- Empowerment
- A collaborative process from our people for the world

