

Medway: A place to be proud of

Appendix 1

Achievements

7 green flags awarded; the national standard that recognises well managed green spaces.

Command of the Heights £2.2million Heritage Lottery Funded project commenced. The project aims to revitalise open space at Chatham Waterfront.

Medway Place Story launched bringing together Medway's business communities to promote the area and further boost the economy.

Lowest Council Tax in Kent.

Over 30 days of free festivals.

Queen Elizabeth Playing Fields BMX pump track launched.

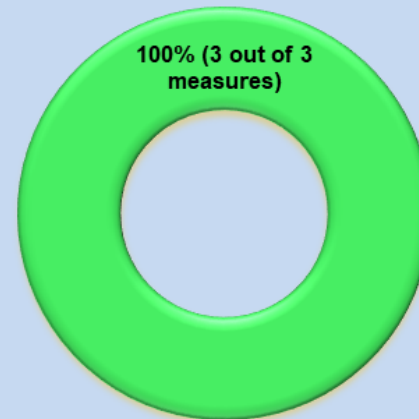
2,097 greenspaces volunteering days.

100% reported fly tips removed within 1 working day.

388,159 visits to Medway sports centres (target 342,000).

Performance

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- Met or exceeded target
- Slightly below target (<5%)
- Significantly below target (5%>)

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Maximising regeneration and economic growth

Achievements

Innovation Park Medway (IPM) masterplan finalised and adopted by Cabinet. IPM will promote innovation and business growth across Medway, complementing the existing Innovation Centre and Innovation Studios.

Local economy = £5.2billion, up 2.9% from 2015. Higher than South East average.

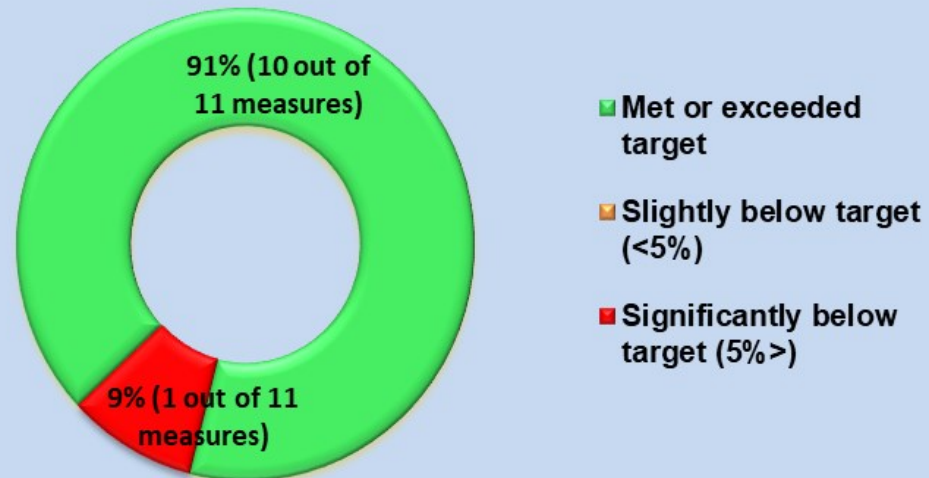
Planning permission granted to develop a high quality, mixed use development at Chatham Waterfront— a driver for further

Construction has begun at Rochester Riverside; Medway's flagship regeneration programme which will bring new homes, a new school and a new hotel as well as leisure facilities.

Medway's economic growth rate 3% higher than national average.

£1.4million Chatham station regeneration is breathing new life into the area around Chatham railway station. Improved links between station, town centre and bus station.

Performance



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Supporting Medway's people to realise their potential

Achievements

Medway has improved 31 places in the Local Authority ranking for overall pupil absence rates. Medway is now better than national average.

100% secondary schools are working with Public Health on the Personal Social Health and Economic (PSHE) health agenda. Task group set up to look at the issue of self-harming.

Biggest improvement in health visiting coverage in South East.

New single point of access, new child development team and routine smoking screening for all new mothers.

99% of long term community services delivered via a personal budget; higher than the 89.7% national figure.

More than 85% of our schools have an Ofsted rating of good or better.

Delayed transfers of care remain low. Medway has been identified as an authority others can learn from.

Performance

