Department for Communities

Summary Business Plan 2017-2020

Progress update on Actions





Public Protection

The percentage of high risk businesses that were liable to a programmed inspection that were inspected, for: i) Trading Standards

We are on target to achieve 100% inspections on high risk premises by March 2017.

The percentage of high risk businesses that were liable to a programmed inspection that were inspected, for: ii) Food Hygiene

We are on target to achieve 100% inspections on high risk premises by March 2017.

The percentage of food establishments which are 'broadly compliant' with food hygiene standards

We are on target to achieve 93% inspections on broadly compliant premises by March 2017.

Maintaining good air and water (drinking & recreational) quality for the residents of and visitors to the County implementing a sampling programme with risk assessments to monitor radon in private water and remediation as necessary (March 2018)

Still awaiting guidance

Evaluate the best means of raising awareness of Healthy Options through stakeholder engagement (September 2017)

Continuing to engage

Work to ensure that companies do not fall below level 3 of the Food Hygiene Rating (Wales) Act (March 2018)

Businesses with scores of 2 or below have been written to advising that we are looking to possibly publicise the scores giving a period of time for improvements and re-score revisits to be arranged if the businesses so require.

Implement the monitoring of shellfish in accordance with Welsh Government and FSA to ensure that they satisfy standards for commercial gathering (March 2018)

Sampling is continuing on a routine basis and contact is there is liaison with Welsh Government and NRW with regards to additional sampling requests to maintain commercial beds.

Developing the action plans for air quality monitoring in Llanelli and Carmarthen

Groups are to meet early January to prepare the action Plans for Llanelli and Carmarthen. This will also include a review of the current situation in Llandeilo. An update report to be discussed at Scrutiny (Environment and Public Protection) in January 2017.