



Vision Galway will be a sustainable, inclusive, safe, innovative and creative city region

High Level Goals and Objectives for Galway City

High Level Goal	Framework Objectives
a world-class creative city region	Continue to support the development of the cultural sector to further enhance its role as an innovative, inclusive and collaborative world-class city of renown
	Embed and support our status as a bi-lingual city and continue to recognise the importance of the Irish language as a cultural, community and economic resource
	Strengthen and harness the cultural, creative and educational sectors to attract new investment, commercialisation and collaboration opportunities
an innovative city	Develop, encourage and create an ecosystem for innovation, enterprise and entrepreneurship, including community/social enterprise that is environmentally sustainable
	Foster a spirit of creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship in our city
	Advance the digital and green transformation by promoting environmentally sustainable and inclusive enterprise and investment in our Smart City
an equal and inclusive city	Reduce poverty and alleviate disadvantage through appropriate and targeted social inclusion and community development programmes and initiatives
	Address educational disadvantage and prioritise the needs of communities experiencing exclusion
	Promote partnership approaches to accessibility and services and recognise and enhance the value that diversity brings to the city
	Demonstrate a commitment to human rights, equality, integration and anti-discrimination, aligned to our responsibilities under the Public Sector Equality and Human Rights Duty

a sustainable and resilient city	Ensure our city and infrastructure is resilient and adaptive to a changing climate
	Increase investment in the circular and green economy and support new and existing business and enterprise in the transition to a net zero economy and to take advantage of emerging green business opportunities
	Provide, maintain and enhance our green spaces, biodiversity and public realm
	Enable sustainable development that improves the natural environment, encourages modal shift to sustainable travel and provides for all housing needs
a city that promotes health and well-being	Reduce health inequality and improve health outcomes through implementation of programmes targeting physical, mental health and wellbeing
	Develop and support the structures and partnerships which underpin safety and wellbeing in our city to enhance the safety of all people in Galway city
	Enhance healthy lifestyles through the development of local sport and physical activity programmes and facilities

Guiding principles and values of the LECP

The Local Economic and Community Plan is informed and underpinned by a set of guiding principles and values, including:

- Equality, human rights and respect
- Sustainable development and a resource efficient and inclusive society and economy
- Maximising outcomes through collaboration
- Active participation and meaningful community engagement
- Empowering communities to achieve social inclusion
- Accessibility and ownership to ensure the plan is easy to read and understand

Monitoring and Evaluation

We will identify the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) addressed by each High-Level Goal

Key Indicators to be monitored to determine if we are making progress will be listed

Potential funding sources will be outlined for each High-Level Goal