

## Our commitment to you

Community engagement is extremely important to us here at Coastline Housing. We aim to empower our customers, and want to give you every opportunity available to respond and be involved in the decision making process regarding your own neighbourhood and local services.

Any queries, or if you wish to view more detailed plans, please contact Jackie Thomson, Neighbourhood Involvement

Team on:

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Or alternatively email:

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**08082 027728**

If you tell us which language you speak, we will be able to get a translator on the phone.

## Keeping you up to date on what's happening in your community

### Neighbourhood Cohesion Action Plan:

## Porthleven

(Gibson Way / Bickford Crescent / Tor Close)

Tel: 08082 027728

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Working together to make your community a better place.

## Bringing cohesion to your community

Coastline Housing Ltd is committed to offering you a first class service making you, our customers, our top priority.

By continuously improving what we do, we aim to give you real value for money for your rent.

Not only are we committed to providing you with an excellent housing service, we are also dedicated to supporting you, to improve your neighbourhood.

To do this we are currently working and consulting with our customers to aid us in designing a Cohesion Plan which aims to:

- Create a neighbourhood where you want to live
- Identify problems within your neighbourhood
- Tackle barriers that exist between different groups
- Avoid conflict and tension
- Promote greater knowledge, respect and contact between various cultures
- Promote a greater sense of community spirit

This means we would appreciate your support and your input during the whole process of producing our Cohesion Plan, which we hope to update on a regular basis.

Coastline Housing will be working in partnership with:

- You, the residents
- Cornwall Council
- The Police
- Local businesses
- The Police
- Porthleven Town Council
- Cornwall Neighbourhoods 4 Change
- Resident Groups

### (1) Identified Issues So Far

From our Housing Management System, Neighbourhood Inspections, Respect Walkabout (December 2009) and Cohesion Survey / Walkabout (February 2010) and Maintenance Programme, we have identified the following issues to be effecting your community to date:

- Lack of facilities for young people
- No recycling facilities
- Poor public transport
- Road and Pavement in need of repairs
- Lack of jobs / job prospects
- Lack of parking
- Grass verges used for parking
- Gibson Way – thoroughfare to school and rest of village
- Gardens untidy
- Grass cutting is poor

### (2) Existing Works / Services / Facilities

Our research told us the following points about your Neighbourhood

- Location – within walking distance of post office /local shops/school/church/ bus stop/doctor's surgery/pub/bakery/chemist
- Meeting facilities at the Public Hall, Women's Institute Hall, Scout Hut and Rugby Club
- Digital TV upgrade
- Ongoing maintenance programme
- Local beach at Porthleven
- Beautiful views of the Coast
- Age Concern
- Cricket Club / Football Club @ Methleigh Bottoms
- Judo / Bowling / Tag Rugby / Gig Rowing
- Girl Guides / Morris Dancing
- St. Elvens Children's Centre @ Torleven Road
- Brass Band
- Youth Club @ Apolostic Church
- Play Area in Bickford Crescent
- Royal National lifeboat Institution
- Harbour Lifeboat Committee
- Porthleven Food Festival

### (3) Neighbourhood Management in Action

Here is what we plan to do to help your neighbourhood a better place to live

- Ongoing consultation with residents
- Encourage pride and ownership
- Regular Garden Inspections as shown on 2010 Calendar
- Continue Partnership working with Police and other agencies
- Ensure residents know their Coastline Team i.e. Tenancy Management
- 'Get Involved' with Sounding Boards / Resident Association
- Signposting of Residents for their individual needs

### (4) What do we expect from you

- Community consultation
- Supporting your Community
- Effective Communication – reporting of incidents / defects promptly
- Active involvement in your community

At Coastline, we value what our customers think and greatly encourage your involvement. If you have any comments or further suggestions about neighbourhood cohesion action plans, please don't hesitate to contact us on **08082 027728 / 01209 722422.**