WELLBEING AND INCLUSION

Summary: To review the progress of the Wellbeing and Inclusion Working Group, and associated activity

Recommendation: That the Executive Committee notes the report

Report by:

Becky Jones, Access and Volunteer Lead

James Webb, Partnerships Lead

BOARD MEMBERS REPRESENTED ON THE GROUP

- o Katherine Chesson (KC) Chair
- Nigel Adcock (NA)
- o Amanda Davis (AD)
- Martin Mitchell (MM)
- Ben Stokes (BS)
- Margaret Reid (MR)

RECORD OF MEETINGS

- Working Group meetings this FY:
 - o No meetings held since April
 - Next meeting planned for 22 May 2024
- Relevant meetings this FY:
 - Ongoing Cotswold Community Network; fortnightly update meetings on what's happening locally.

OTHER ACTIVITY

March 8 WG meeting

- The group met in person and took a 2 mile walk on the new accessible route at Greystones following the meeting.
- James and Becky will be stepping back from attending the meetings and Nicole Daw, Trails and Access Officer, will be attending future meetings of the group.
- o The production of a series of accessible walks that target new audiences is being taken forward.
- Work is being completed on website accessibility and will be incorporated into the newly designed site.
- A report from Surrey was reviewed <u>Surrey Uncovered report</u> and members of the group will be exploring public health data available in the Cotswolds at parish / CNL level on which to base future work.
- Projects had been agreed for the 2024/25 Removing Barriers allocation of £254,391 but final funding sign off was being awaited before projects can commence.
- The group would like to encourage new Board Member applications from a broad audience and will share any recruitment adverts across their networks.

DECISIONS REQUIRED

• None