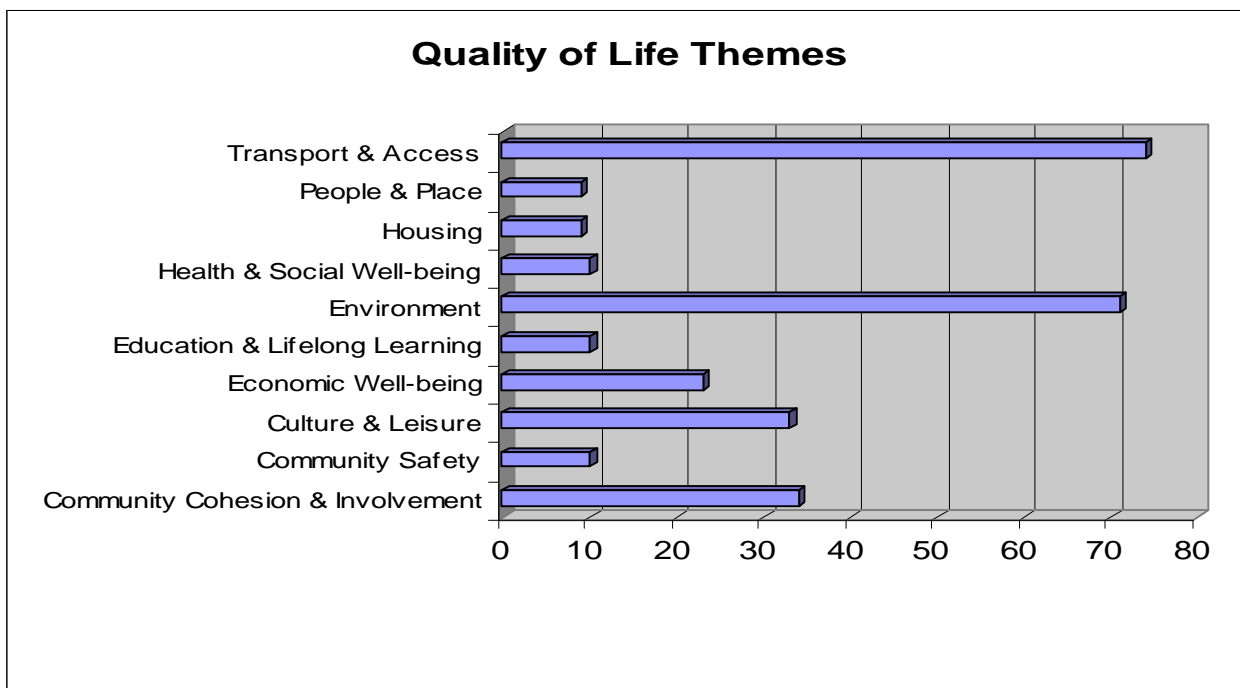


There are 12 parishes in Copeland that are covered by 10 community plans adopted since 2005. The chart below shows how the 283 actions described in these plans map against a standard range of Quality of Life themes.



The following bullet points illustrate the main types of action included under each theme, in order of frequency mentioned:

- **Transport & Access – 74 actions**

- public and community transport improvements (16)
- road safety (15)
- road, footpath and bridleway maintenance (13)
- speeding and traffic calming (9)
- parking provision (5)
- increase/improve rail usage/services (4)
- traffic management (4)
- signing (3)
- cycleways (2)
- traffic reduction (2)
- access improvements (1)

- **Environment – 71 actions**

- built environment (26)
- natural environment and biodiversity projects (17)
- local “tidy-up” (15)
- refuse/recycling (7)
- investigate mains sewerage (2)
- access (1)

- climate change, CO₂ reduction (1)
- environmental education (1)
- community energy (1)
- **Community Cohesion & Involvement – 34 actions**
 - improvement of community facilities (16)
 - local communication (9)
 - supporting and promoting facilities (6)
 - community involvement & volunteering (2)
 - emergency planning (1)
- **Culture & Leisure – 33 actions**
 - provision of more activities and social opportunities (16)
 - play, sports and recreation provision (12)
 - improved library services (3)
 - cultural provision (1)
 - improve information about opportunities (1)
- **Economic Well-being – 23 actions**
 - business development and support (11)
 - tourism initiatives (5)
 - support for existing local services (3)
 - improve services (4)
- **Community Safety – 10 actions**
 - sustaining or increased police activity/presence (4)
 - local community safety actions (3)
 - improving communication with the police (2)
 - neighbourhood watch support (1)
- **Education & Lifelong Learning – 10 actions**
 - adult education/course provision (7)
 - nursery school facility (2)
 - support for existing local provision (1)
- **Health & Social Well-being – 10 actions**
 - service improvement e.g. local dispensing, new facilities, easier access (9)
 - support for existing local health facilities (1)
- **Housing – 9 actions**
 - work with local authority and housing providers (4)
 - increase provision of local affordable housing (3)
 - develop local planning policies (1)
 - identify development sites (1)
- **People & Place – 9 actions**
 - increase democratic participation (4)
 - improved communication between parish council and local people (3)
 - establish local youth council (1)
 - improving dialogue between communities and the local authority (1)

Note: This report is a brief summary of the information held by Action with Communities in Cumbria on its Community Plans Database. If you would like a more detailed report, for which a fee may be payable, please contact info@cumbriaaction.org.uk

© Voluntary Action Cumbria 2010
Action with Communities in Cumbria
The Old Stables, Redhills, Penrith CA11 0DT
Charity 1080875 Company 3957858