

Air Quality Strategy & **Action Plan**

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Foreword

The impact of poor air quality on human health is significant and beyond doubt. Local air quality is a public health priority for Southwark and we have performance indicators regarding improving air quality listed in the current council plan. We are fully committed to doing all we can to encourage our services, local businesses and residents to consider air quality in the choices they make and everything they do.

I am very pleased to endorse to you Southwark's revised and improved Air Quality Strategy and Action Plan 2017 – 2022. Our last Air Quality Action Plan, which covered the period 2012 - 2017, and the many successful air quality improvement projects Southwark have initiated over and above that, have really helped to improve local air quality, but there is much more for us to do. Major previous successes have included:

- Southwark's cycling strategy was adopted by Cabinet in June 2015, which sets out a clear vision for cycling in the borough. We want cycling to be for the many, not the few, with people from all over Southwark of all ages, abilities and backgrounds feeling able to cycle safely. We are now well into a 5 year, £30m investment programme of cycling and walking improvements
- We have run integrated cycling and air quality campaigns in the summer and campaigns to discourage the burning of wood and coal in the winter. We have also been into many schools delivering free citizen science educational programmes on air quality and provided bike-ability classes
- We have improved the information on air quality on our website. It now includes lots of information on local air quality and ideas that residents can take up to help us all to a future with better, cleaner air
- As new council fleet vehicles are procured emission considerations are at the forefront in the selection process ensuring we select the least polluting fuel type available for new council vehicles
- We use the 'Right Place Right Tree' approach to increase the number of trees in existing open space and on new developments and to create more green links. We have a £6m investment programme to improve existing parks and green spaces
- We oversaw the installation of one of the largest solar power photovoltaic arrays in the capital on the roof of the Old Kent Road Integrated Waste Management Facility (IWMF). The cells cover the roof, a space equivalent to four football pitches, generating enough power for 220 homes giving a Carbon saving equivalent to taking Southwark's entire waste collection fleet off the road for six months

But we can always do more. This revised Air Quality Action Plan lists 113 actions that Southwark will undertake under the new London Local Air Quality Management Framework that was







announced by the GLA in 2016. It gives clear actions and anticipated targets for delivery that we know will be deliverable. These actions will be the minimum that Southwark will deliver. We anticipate that in the fast moving arena of air quality, new research, new technology, new ideas, new partnerships and new funding opportunities will present themselves and we will consider how these can be applied for the benefit of Southwark residents as they come to light.

Southwark fully supports the Mayor of London's aims for the improvement of air quality in London and we will be reporting annually to the Mayor on our progress with regard to the actions listed in this action plan and on the extra actions we take.



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1 - Introduction

As part of the UK National Air Quality Strategy, the Environment Act 1995 requires Local Authorities to declare Air Quality Management Areas at locations where air quality does not meet the objective limits for certain pollutants. Where an Air Quality Management Area has been declared local authorities must have a consulted and approved Air Quality Action Plan to reduce the relevant atmospheric pollutant/s within that area so, that at some point in the future, the area will meet the national air quality objective limits. For details of the current national air quality objective limits see Appendix 1.

Since the publication of the 2002 Southwark Air Quality Strategy and Air Quality Action Plan there have been a number of changes in both national and regional air quality policy. This document outlines the revised Air Quality Strategy and Action Plan for Southwark, detailing a range of aims and objectives that we will seek to achieve in the period 2017 – 2022.

Sources of atmospheric pollution in Southwark Council

The main atmospheric pollutants of concern in Southwark are Nitrogen Dioxide (NO2) and Particulate Matter (PM) with fractions PM₁₀ (breathable) & PM_{2.5} (able to pass into blood stream). The main source of both pollutants locally is traffic emissions. Large scale combustion plant, construction sites and domestic heating also contribute.

The Southwark area is not currently meeting legal limits for all pollutants regulated by EU legislation. NO₂ is a serious challenge as it often exceeds the objective limits, especially in the area inside the inner ring road and along main road corridors. In 2013 45% of the population of Southwark was exposed to levels of NO₂ above the annual average objective limit (LAEI, 2013). It is known that there is no 'safe' limit for PM, so even where the objective limits for PM fractions are not exceeded, a reduction in particulates would further protect human health. For information on the health impacts of atmospheric pollutants see Appendix 2.

Due to the NO₂ objective limit being exceeded in a large portion of the borough and the PM objective limit being exceeded in a small number of locations, Southwark declared an Air Quality Management Area.

The following information can be found in Appendices 3 & 4 attached to this document:

- Map of the current Southwark Air Quality Management Area.
- Map of the modelled emissions of NO₂
- Map of the modelled emissions of Particulates (PM₁₀ & PM_{2.5}), and
- Data on the pollutant source apportionment (i.e. what are the sources of the emissions to air)





The health impact of atmospheric pollution

Recent analysis by the Institute for Health Metrics & Evaluation estimates that air pollution is ranked as the 10th largest risk factor for mortality and ill-health in England. Recent studies have calculated that poor air quality affects the health of approximately 9,500 Londoners every year.

There is a strong body of evidence which shows that short term exposure to high levels of air pollution has a range of adverse health effects. These can range from exacerbation of respiratory conditions such as asthma and chronic respiratory disease, through to an increase in emergency admissions to hospital. Poor air quality disproportionately affects the health outcomes of the very voung, the elderly, the ill and the poor.

While short term exposure to air pollution is known to adversely affect health, the relative risk associated with long term exposure is much greater, contributing to the initiation, progression and exacerbation of disease. It is estimated that the average reduction in UK life expectancy associated with air pollution is 6 months and is illustrated by an increasing number of deaths from cardiovascular and respiratory conditions and lung cancer. Public Health England suggest that 7% of adult deaths in Southwark may be attributable to particulate air pollution (measured as fine particulate matter PM_{2.5}). This equates to around 90 deaths per year in the borough.

The equalities impact of atmospheric pollution

All members of the community within Southwark's Air Quality Management Area are affected by poor air quality. A report by the Environment Agency found that areas of the worst exposure to poor air quality generally correlated with areas of deprivation.

There are a number of localities within Southwark that fall within the Government's definition of being an area of deprivation, (Source - Official National Statistics) but, in London there is a complex link between air quality and inequality. In general, more deprived areas are likely to experience higher levels of pollution but there is considerable local variation. The link between deprivation and poor air quality is stronger in outer London. In inner London there are high levels of atmospheric pollution across the board affecting affluent and deprived communities alike.

Fine particles (PM_{2.5}) have the greatest impact on health as they reach the bloodstream, and thus the rest of the body, via the lungs. Young children, those with compromised health and the elderly are the most susceptible to the negative health impacts of poor air quality.

The environmental impact of atmospheric pollution

Poor air quality impacts both biodiversity (plants & animals) and buildings.

Sensitive plants, including commercial food plant species are unable to thrive in polluted environments. Fish and insect populations, and the species that rely on them, cease to thrive in turn. The external surfaces of buildings can become soiled by particulate matter and soot and may







also be unduly weathered as atmospheric pollutants dissolve in rainwater as it falls making it acidic.

Studies have shown that local air quality can be impacted by climate change and conversely climate change can impact local air quality. Average temperatures are predicted to continue to increase in future. Hotter, drier summers will increase pollution as some of the chemical reactions that lead to NO₂ formation require sunlight. Additionally, less rain will mean that less particulate fractions will be naturally washed out of the atmosphere. Higher environmental temperatures also make people more sensitive to the effects of pollution. The relationship between climate change, air quality and human health is likely to become more pronounced in future.

2 – Air Quality Strategy

The Air Quality Strategy

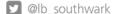
The Southwark Air Quality Strategy aims to:

- 1) Comply with the following legislation by:
 - EU Directives 1996/62/EC, 1999/30/EC, 2000/69/EC, 2002/3/EC, 2004/107/EC and 2008/50/EC
 - The Environment Act 1995
 - The Environmental Protection Act 1990
 - The Clean Air Act 1993
 - The Air Quality Standards Regulations 2010 & 2011
- Comply with the GLA London Local Air Quality Management Framework by: 2)
 - Having an up to date valid Air Quality Strategy
 - Regularly reviewing the area covered by Southwark's Air Quality Management Area
 - Having an Air Quality Action Plan listing actions to:-
 - ✓ Manage local air quality Southwark
 - ✓ Reduce emissions from buildings
 - ✓ Increase public awareness of local air quality & related public health issues
 - ✓ Reduce emissions from road traffic
 - ✓ Reduce carbon emissions
 - ✓ Regulate effectively to protect local air quality
 - Delivering the Air Quality Action Plan
 - · Monitoring local air quality by maintaining our monitoring and improving it when resources are available
 - · Providing an Annual Status Report and Annual Status Summary Report giving the detail of the results of local air quality monitoring and our progress against the Air Quality Action Plan
 - Working in partnership with the UK Government, GLA, other London Boroughs and locally based third party organisations such as Business Improvement Districts to deliver the improvements listed in the Air Quality Action Plan



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- 3) Support the GLA's air quality objectives by:
 - Retaining Southwark's Cleaner Air Borough Status
 - · Supporting, where possible and appropriate, the Mayor of London's air quality policies, objectives and actions
 - Working with the Mayor of London's office to promote good environmental awareness and practice to business, commerce, road users and the general public
 - Being mindful of the content of the London Plan and relevant Planning Guidance
 - Lobbying for equality of access to clean air for all Londoners
- 4) Support the local public health framework objectives by:.
 - Maintaining local air quality as a local public health priority
 - Bidding for funds from any organisation offering relevant bidding opportunities to resource air quality improvement actions and projects within Southwark
 - Ensuring a cohesive suite of council policies by co-ordinating local air quality policy with other relevant local policy documents, such as:-
 - ✓ Local Development Framework The Southwark Plan & Core Strategy
 - ✓ Local & regional planning policy & special planning guidance
 - ✓ Transport Plan
 - ✓ Kerbside Strategy
 - ✓ Sustainability Strategy
 - ✓ Carbon Reduction Action Plan
 - ✓ Housing & Modernisation Programme
 - ✓ Tree Planting, Parks & Green Space Strategies



3 – Strategic Air Quality Action Plan

| Strategic Aims | Objectives | Action number |
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| Manage local air | Monitor local air quality | 1.1 to 1.4 |
| quality | Comply with the requirements of the London Local Air Quality Management Framework | 1.5 to 1.11 |
| quality | Devise a communication plan for air quality | 1.8 |
| | Provide technical guidance on air quality assessment & mitigation | 2.1 to 2.2 |
| Reduce emissions from | Use planning process to reduce emissions from new and refurbished developments and to implement the highest environmental standards for emissions to air | 2.3 |
| buildings | Raise awareness regarding heating fuel economy | 2.4 |
| | Low emission neighbourhoods | 2.5 |
| | Encourage active travel including walking & cycling | 3.1 to 3.7 |
| | Publicise air-Text air quality forecasts and cleaner routes for active travel | 3.9 |
| | Ensure web-based information and guidance on air quality is available and up to date | 3.10 |
| Increase public | Run communication campaigns on personal and business behaviour change to improve air quality | 3.11 |
| awareness | Provide guidance on how to improve air quality to public | 3.12 to 3.13 |
| | Work with clinicians to ensure information on the health impact of environmental air quality is passed to relevant patients | 3.14 |
| | Provide advice to schools on air quality issues | 3.15 |
| | Promote freight consolidation | 4.1 to 4.6 |
| Deller | Encourage logistics fleets operation in the borough to get FORS scheme Silver accreditation | 4.5 |
| Reduce | Reduce emissions from Southwark Council's vehicle fleets | 4.7 to 4.11 |
| emissions from | Ensure Southwark Council's travel plan is up to date | 4.12 to 4.13 |
| road traffic | Reduce road traffic emissions | 4.14 to 4.25 |
| | Reduce vehicle emissions from the school run | 4.26 to 4.27 |







| Strategic Aims | Objectives | Action number |
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| | Support the extension of ULEZ to cover the whole of Southwark and support any future | 4.17 |
| | extension to the M25 | |
| | Reduce vehicle idling | 4.19 to 4.22 |
| | Variable parking charges based on fuel type | 4.23 to 4.24 |
| | Air quality around schools | 4.26 to 4.29 |
| | Promote reduction of private vehicles | 4.30 |
| | Promote reduced fuel/energy consumption from buildings | 5.1 to 5.6 |
| Reduce Carbon | Improve the energy efficiency of buildings managed by Southwark Council | 5.7 to 5.11 |
| emissions | Install renewable energy technologies to Southwark Council buildings | 5.12 to 5.16 |
| 611112210112 | Use planning policy to reduce local atmospheric emissions | 5.17 to 5.18 |
| | Increase the no. of council homes using renewable energy from SELCHP | 5.19 |
| | Discourage & prevent the burning of unauthorised fuels in Southwark's Smoke Control | 6.1 to 6.2 |
| | Zone | |
| | Ensure all Part B EPA'90 processes in the borough maintain compliance with their | 6.3 |
| Regulation | permits | |
| regulation | Green infrastructure | 6.4 |
| | Healthy Streets | 6.5 |
| | Construction sites | 6.6 to 6.8 |
| | Discourage and prevent bonfires and open burning | 6.10 to 6.11 |
| | Take air quality improvement action within GLA Air Quality Focus Areas | 7.1 to 7.12 |
| | Retain Southwark's Cleaner Air Borough status | 7.13 |
| Support the GLA | Support the extension of the ULEZ to cover the whole of Southwark and support any | 7.14 |
| Support the GLA | future extension to the M25 | |
| | Support the GLA's planning policy | 7.15 |
| | Support and lobby for cleaner air for all Londoners | 7.16 to 7.17 |
| Support the | Include local air quality in Southwark Council's Joint Strategic Needs Assessment | 8.1 to 8.2 |
| Public Health | Retain local air quality as a public health priority | 8.3 |
| Framework | Ensure local air quality is considered in all relevant policy documents | 8.4 |
| Objectives | Devise a local cascade for poor air quality alerts | 8.5 |



Appendix 1 – Air Quality Action Plan Work Streams

| | | | Section 1 – | Manage Local Air Quality | / | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescale |
| 1.1 | | Maintain the two continuous air quality monitoring stations | Ensure that the air quality monitoring stations at the Elephant & Castle and the Old Kent Road are maintained, serviced and calibrated to current guidance | 90% data capture | To inform air quality policy | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.2 | | Maintain the NO2 diffusion tube | Ensure that the NO ₂ diffusion tube monitoring is maintained | The collection and deployment of diffusion tubes is carried out on 100% of the dates set by Defra | To inform air quality policy | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.3 | ایدان مینم | survey. | in accordance with current guidance | 100% of tubes collected analysed & results to be displayed on the Southwark website | To inform air quality policy | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.4 | | Review the use of low-cos sensor technology to support air quality modelling | Support the University consortium 'Managing air for green inner cities' (MAGIC) project (London Road) | Receive a copy of the project report & conclusions on the use of low-cost sensor technology | To inform air quality & planning policy | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.5 | | Prepare and produce all London Local Air Quality Management Framework reports as required | All reports required by the London Local Air Quality Management Framework produced and submitted | Reports submitted to Defra and GLA by deadline | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.6 | London Local Air Quality Management Framework | Respond to all appropriate air quality consultations | Review all air quality consultation requests and respond where appropriate | 100% of appropriate air quality consultation responses submitted by deadline | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 1.7 | | Ensure the air quality action plan is current | Review the local air quality action plan to ensure it is up to date | Review air quality action plan annually | NO ₂ & PM | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | By May each year |
| 1.8 | | Have a communication plan for relevant air quality improvement actions | Devise a communication plan | Review air quality communication plan annually | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & External Affairs | By June each year |





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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescale | | | | | |
| 1.9 | | Support the Mayor of London's call for a government scrappage scheme for private diesel vehicle | Public statement/s of support from Cabinet Member | 3 published statements of support | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Policy & Public Affairs | December 2018 | | | | | |
| 1.10 | | Support the Mayor of London's call that the Government should modify the Vehicle Excise Duty regime to disincentive the purchase of diesel vehicles | Public statement/s of support from Cabinet Member | 3 published statements of support | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Policy & Public Affairs | December 2018 | | | | | |
| 1.11 | | Support the introduction of a new or revised Clean Air Act that improves public protection from atmospheric pollution | Explore whether there is support for new or revised Clean Air Act or a new London Act with the GLA and London Councils | Write to GLA & London Councils and attend any relevant meetings or seminars and respond to all written consultations within deadline | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2018 | | | | | |



Section 2 – Reduce Emissions from Buildings **Expected** emissions/ Action **Delivered by Lead** Theme / Aim Objective **Action Target Directorate Timescale** Number concentrations Service Area / Team benefit **Environment &** Devise air quality technical Produce technical guidance & Environmental December 2017 Southwark Ensure that 2.1 NO₂ & PM Social guidance review it annually. Protection ongoing Council's air quality technical Regeneration Local Air Quality guidance provides the latest Assessments Explore and timetable including advice on air quality Include the air quality technical Chief NO2 & PM 2.2 air quality technical guidance Planning Policy 2019 assessment and mitigation guidance standards in an SPD Executive standards in an SPD Planning applications Assessment of all relevant assessed to ensure that all **Environment &** planning Environmental Environmental planning applications with 100% of relevant 2.3 developments will meet the NO₂, PM & CO₂ Social December 2017 Standards reference to the air quality applications assessed. Protection requirements of the local air Regeneration technical guidance quality technical guidance Increase the awareness of Environmental residents, Public information campaign **Environment &** Protection, External December 2017 businesses Promote the reduction of total on domestic or commercial 2.4 1 campaign each year NO₂, PM & CO₂ Affairs (& BIDS and Social visitors of the emissions to atmosphere heating fuel type and fuel ongoing Regeneration Business Forum if need to reduce commercial campaign) emissions atmosphere Review the effectiveness of Review any reports produced Review the evaluation reports **Environment &** Emission the pilot GLA funded Low within 12 months and report on Environmental Low NO₂, PM & CO₂ July 2019 ongoing 2.5 from the MAQF Low Emission Social Neighbourhood Neighbourhoods lessons learned and their **Protection Team** Emissions Neighbourhoods schemes Regeneration projects potential application in Southwark



Section 3 – Public Health Education & Awareness **Expected** emissions/ **Delivered by Lead** Action Theme / Aim Objective **Directorate Timescale Action Target** Service Area / Team Number concentrations benefit Increase the number of schools **Environment &** TfL STARs Sustainable Travel & NO₂, PM & CO₂ July 2018 ongoing 3.1 Social accreditation by 7 schools or Road Safety Promote School Travel Plans & Regeneration Encourage children and parents nurseries each year increase the number of schools to walk or cycle to school or attaining TfL STARs Silver or Increase the number of schools nursery **Environment &** Gold accreditation each year TfL STARs Gold Sustainable Travel & NO₂, PM & CO₂ July 2018 ongoing 3.2 Social accreditation by 5 schools or Road Safety Regeneration nurseries each year Annual promotion of the Travel Promote the Authority's Travel May 2018 Housing & NO₂, PM & CO₂ 3.3 **Facilities Management** Plan. Plan Modernisation ongoing Promote the use of pool cycles Housing & May 2018 Encourage Southwark staff to Encourage &/or provide cycling offer NO₂, PM & CO₂ 3.4 **Facilities Management** Modernisation ongoing residents and commute by walking or cycling annually Provide greater access to cycles those working in for staff the borough to If pool cycle demand exceeds walk and cycle Housing & May 2018 3.5 capacity. Introduce additional NO₂, PM & CO₂ **Facilities Management** Modernisation ongoing pool cycles to meet demand Encourage employees An increase in the number of employees **Environment &** Encourage of businesses in Southwark walk or people walking or cycling for Sustainable Travel & June 2018 NO₂, PM & CO₂ 3.6 businesses in Southwark to Social cycle through the promotion of their commute in the Authority's Road Safety ongoing commute by foot or cycle Regeneration business specific travel plans Travel Plan Bi-annual survey Promote active travel through Include measures to increase relevant public health work active travel in all relevant new **Environment &** Encourage residents to walk or 3.7 streams and services including & revised public health NO₂, PM & CO₂ Social Public Health Jan 2018 ongoing cycle in the Borough physical activity and healthy strategies, action plans and Regeneration weight events Increase public awareness of quality Include information on apps in air Public Health & **Environment &** forecasting and Public aware of how to access Promotion of availability of all air quality query responses **Protect** Environmental September 2017 3.8 Social information AirText, CityAir and Walkit apps AirText, CityAir and Walkit apps and on all relevant air quality individual health Regeneration Protection avoidance related promotional information high levels pollutants Ensure action to tackle the Provide public health advice and Review all relevant advice and **Environment &** Evidence based health impact where air quality guidance on the health impacts To inform air September 2017 3.9 guidance as part of the JNSA Public Health Social of air quality and any mitigating quality policy policy information is intelligence led ongoing Regeneration process and evidence based actions



Section 3 – Public Health Education & Awareness **Expected** emissions/ **Delivered by Lead** Action Theme / Aim Objective **Action Directorate Timescale Target** Service Area / Team Number concentrations benefit Southwark website content has Web **Environment &** Environmental September 2017 comprehensive information and Ensure web-based information Review & update content of air Protection & Public 3.10 information on NO₂, PM & CO₂ Social appropriate guidance on air quality web pages annually is accurate and up to date ongoing air quality Regeneration Health quality Environmental Protection with **Environment &** Public and businesses aware of Communication campaign on Transport Planning May 2018 3.11 the impact of their actions on air personal or business behaviour Annual campaign NO₂, PM & CO₂ Social &/or Highways, Public ongoing change to improve air quality Health, BIDs, the quality Regeneration Business Forum & **External Affairs** Environmental Increase Protection, Public Provide general public with Prepare guidance for general Put guidance on air quality web **Environment &** awareness of 3.12 advice on what they can do to public on what they can do to page and present at community NO2, PM & CO2 Social Health, Transport September 2017 air quality improve air quality improve air quality councils Regeneration Planning & External issues Affairs Notify all Community Councils of Present Air Quality Strategy Present Air Quality Strategy **Environment &** Environmental revised Air Quality Strategy 2017 - 2022 at all Community 2017 - 2022 at all Community NO2, PM & CO2 3.13 March 2018 Social Protection Councils each time it is revised Regeneration 2017 - 2022Councils Work with clinicians via Ensure those advising in poor Breathlessness Group of CCG GPs able to access appropriate **Environment &** Environmental respiratory health with advice on to ensure GPs have access to prompts, advice and information Protect 3.14 Social Protection & Public October 2017 reducing personal exposure to for use in GP surgery appropriate prompts, advice and individual health Protect health Regeneration Health atmospheric pollutants information for use in GP consultations vulnerable surgery consultations groups including children the ill and the elderly Provide advice to schools and Schools have information on a from poor air nurseries with regard to Environmental range of actions that they can **Environment &** quality Protection, Public improving air quality in and Devise advice to schools on air Protect 3.15 take to improve air quality in and Social June 2017 around their premises and on individual health Health & Sustainable quality around their premises and on Regeneration how to avoid high pollution Travel & Road Safety how to avoid pollution environments







| | | | Section 4 – Reduce | Emissions from Road T | raffic | | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescale | |
| 4.1 | | | Carry out a joint feasibility study with Lambeth, Wandsworth and Croydon | Feasibility study completed | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | March 2017 | |
| 4.2 | Reducing Emissions from Delivery and Servicing | Develop a freight consolidation solution for Southwark | If the feasibility study is positive, | Monitor the development of any preferred solution | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & Procurement | March 2019 | |
| 4.3 | | | implement the preferred solution | Evaluate the impact of the preferred freight consolidation | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | March 2019 ongoing | |
| 4.4 | | If consolidation centre opens – All Southwark Council suppliers to use the proposed freight consolidation solution where possible | Ensure in-contract documentation that all Southwark Council suppliers are required to use any implemented consolidation solution | 100% of suppliers, that can use the approved freight consolidation solution, using it | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Finance & Governance | Procurement | March 2019 | |
| 4.5 | | All non-consolidation solution suppliers to the authority with a large fleet to join the Fleet Operator Recognition Scheme (FORS) and obtain Silver accreditation as a minimum | Within the contract documentation that all suppliers of large fleet are required to hold Silver accreditation of the Fleet Operator Recognition Scheme (FORS) or it be achieved within six months of the contract being signed, along with an ongoing commitment to use ULEV's | 100% of all suppliers to the authority | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Finance & Governance | Procurement | March 2019 | |
| 4.6 | | | To support sustainable logistical measures in the north of the Borough | Work with stakeholders to promote the combination and rationalisation of deliveries using low & zero emission vehicles and local distribution hubs for final stage delivery Explore-the feasibility of new technologies for smart deliveries | Increased % of commercial deliveries using low & zero emission vehicles | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy | March 2019 |
| 4.7 | | Reduce Southwark commercial fleet emissions | Switch to use of low or no emission vehicles | Every commercial vehicle procured to undergo full sustainability evaluation to determine suitability of low to determine suitability of low or no emission alternatives | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Fleet Services | March 2018 for current fleet renewal and ongoing for all relevant procurements thereafter | |
| 4.8 | | HOUL GITHOSIONS | Produce mileage and efficiency guidance for services | Efficiency guidance produced and passed to all service drivers Mileage and fuel use reports provided to Business Unit Managers | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Fleet Services | December 2017 | |



| | | | Section 4 – Reduce I | Emissions from Road T | raffic | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales |
| 4.9 | | Introduction of telematics on commercial fleet | Install telematics on commercial fleet | Telematics installed on 100% of fleet | NO2, PM & CO2 | Environment & Social Regeneration | Fleet Services | March 2018 |
| 4.10 | Reducing Emissions from Delivery and | Smarter Driver Training for | Introduce Smarter Driver training | All current staff to undertake Smarter Driver training. | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Fleet Services | December 2018 |
| 4.11 | Servicing | drivers of all Southwark fleets | requirement for all fleet drivers | All new staff to receive the training within six months of commencement of their employment | PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Fleet Services | December 2018 ongoing |
| 4.12 | Troval Planning | Maintain an up to date Council Travel Plan consistent with the | Undertake survey of staff travel arrangements | Survey bi-annually | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Sustainable Travel & Road Safety | 2017 & 2019 & 2021 |
| 4.13 | Travel Planning | aims of the air quality action plan | Review the Authority's Travel Plan | Review bi-annually | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Sustainable Travel & Road Safety | 2018 & 2020 & 2022 |
| 4.14 | Reducing emissions from | Smarter Driver Training for drivers of all taxis and private hire vehicles | Ask the GLA & TfL introduce a requirement that all PCO licences include a Smarter Driver training element | Annual request submitted to GLA until all PCO licences include a Smarter Driver training element | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | April 2018 ongoing |
| 4.15 | Taxies & Private Hire Vehicles | Support the London Mayor's requirement that all newly licenced taxis be zero emission capable from 2018 | Support TfL in the identification and installation of EV charging points | Appropriate EV charging infrastructure in place | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy | December 2017 |
| 4.16 | | Reduced emissions from buses in the borough | Work with TfL & GLA to deliver the low emission bus zones in Southwark | Increase percentage of bus routes using low emission vehicles year on year | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy | June 2017 ongoing |
| 4.17 | Reducing vehicle emissions | Work with TfL and other London Boroughs to extend the Ultra-Low Emission Zone (ULEZ) to the South Circular initially with a long term option to extend to the M25 | | All consultations submitted by deadline | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy & Environmental Protection | December 2022 |
| 4.18 | | Reduce fine particle emissions from tyre, brake and clutch components | Engage with appropriate researchers and industries to increase research to reduce fine particle emissions from tyre, brake and clutch components | 2 approaches made per annum | РМ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2017 ongoing |
| 4.19 | Emissions from vehicles | Vehicle idling awareness | Run public awareness campaign | Campaign in run-up to enforcement going live | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection, Street Wardens & External Affairs | April 2017 |





| | | | Section 4 - Reduce | Emissions from Road T | raffic | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales |
| 4.20 | Emissions from | Enforcement of the provisions of the Road Traffic Act | Authorise street based enforcement staff | Train all JET officers, & Bankside Wardens in Road Traffic Act vehicle idling enforcement | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Joint Enforcement Teams & Bankside Wardens | June 2017 |
| 4.21 | vehicles | Enforcement of the provisions of the Road Traffic Act | Authorise street based staff to undertake enforcement | Explore the inclusion of vehicle idling enforcement into the current Parking Enforcement Contract | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Parking Services | July 2017 |
| 4.22 | Emissions from vehicles | Enforcement of the provisions of the Road Traffic Act | Authorise street based staff to undertake enforcement | Authorise the Council's staff & Parking Enforcement Officers to issue PCN for vehicle idling offences | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Parking Services | September 2017 |
| 4.23 | | Variable vehicle parking charges to promote use of less polluting vehicles | Review the charges for on-street parking & permits | Report to Cabinet by December 2017 | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Parking Services | December 2017 |
| 4. 24 | Emissions from | Variable vehicle parking charges to promote use of less polluting vehicles | Review the charges for Housing Estate parking permits | Report to Cabinet by December 2018 | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Residential Services | December 2018 |
| 4.25 | vehicles | Promote the reduction of total emissions to atmosphere | Public information campaign on alternative fuels for fleets/cars | 1 campaign each year | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection, External Affairs, BIDS & the Business Forum | January 18 ongoing |
| 4.26 | | Reduce parent & carer parking close to primary schools and | Pilot School Streets at 5 primary | Produce a shortlist of primary schools or nurseries that meet the School Streets criteria | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Sustainable Travel & Road Safety | May 2017 |
| 4.27 | | nurseries | schools or nurseries | Implement pilot at 5 primary schools or nurseries | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Sustainable Travel & Road Safety | December 2017 |
| 4.28 | Air quality around schools | | Air Quality Audit/s facilitated | Air Quality Audit/s complete | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Children's & Adults Services | Education | December 2017 |
| 4.29 | | GLA Air Quality Audits for primary school/s | Identify funding to implement the Air Quality Audit recommendations | Implement the recommendations of the Air Quality Audits when funding is available and necessary permissions are obtained | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Children's & Adults Services | Education | December 2019 |
| 4.30 | Reduce private vehicles in the Borough | Promote the use of shared mobility in Southwark | Continue to promote & encourage shared mobility systems | Publicise, monitor and report on the new infrastructure and usage of mobility options | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy | December 2022 |



| | | Section 5 - | Reducing Carbon (ex | xtract from Authority's Carbon | Reduction St | rategy) | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales |
| 5.1 | | | Achieve minimum 35% regulated carbon emissions reduction on Part L of 2013 Building Regulations on all new major developments | 95% of relevant major planning applications meet policy target | PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2018 |
| 5.2 | conti | Require developers to contribute to reducing atmospheric emissions | Any of the 35% minimum CO ₂ reduction not achieved on-site to be secured through S106 for the "Green Fund" (carbon offsetting projects) for the equivalent remaining regulated carbon emission savings | meeting the 35% minimum CO ₂ reduction on-site to address remaining emissions through off-setting funds secured through | PM & CO₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2018 |
| 5.3 | | | New homes on all major developments to be zero carbon as per London Plan policy 5.2, achieved either on-site or via financial contributions for off-setting | 100% of off-setting funds secured allocated to carbon off-setting projects | PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2019 |
| 5.4 | | | All major developments to achieve Air Quality Neutral Standards onsite | 100% of major developments to achieve Air Quality Neutral standards | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2018 |
| 5.5 | | Require developers to contribute to reducing atmospheric emissions | Where Air Quality Neutral standards not achieved onsite, off-setting funds secured through section 106 to ensure development meets the air quality neutral standard equivalent | 100% of major planning applications not meeting the on-site Air Quality Neutral standard secure remaining requirement through off-setting funds through S106 | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2018 |
| 5.6 | | · | Commit and spend all off- setting funds on carbon off- setting projects | All funds secured for carbon off-setting purposes monitored and reported | PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | December 2018 ongoing |
| 5.7 | | Promote reduced energy consumption and bills | Promote low cost energy efficiency measures | 1 seasonal article per year promoting energy reduction measures | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects & External Affairs | September 2017 ongoing |
| 5.8 | Improve the energy efficiency in Southwark homes | Maximise funding streams available to improve energy efficiency | Bid for funding where funding will be beneficial to energy efficiency and fit in with the overall council objectives | Report on funding received and utilised | NO ₂ & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2018 ongoing |







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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales |
| 5.9 | | Install ultra-low NO _x boilers in council & TMO housing | Install ultra-low NO ₂ boilers when boilers are replaced in council and TMO housing | Install an average of 1600 ultra-low NO ₂ boilers/year | NO ₂ & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2022 |
| 5.10 | Improve energy efficiency in Southwark homes | Develop & implement a strategy for communal boiler upgrades and renewals within council housing | Develop & implement the strategy for communal boiler upgrades and renewals | Strategy approved and subsequent progress against strategy targets reported | NO ₂ & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2022 |
| 5.11 | | Monitor the effect of energy efficiency improvements in the Council's social housing planned renewal programme | Implement monitoring regime for improvement programme in the social housing planned works programme | Develop baseline SAP score in 2017/18 and monitor the changes through the investment programme annually | NO ₂ & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | March 2018 ongoing |
| 5.12 | Promote the use of renewable energy and | Reorganise the use of space in operational council buildings to reduce overall energy demand | Improve the use of Council buildings making them more sustainable, flexible, cost & space efficient | Baseline study in 2017/18 and monitor the change annually through the Modernise Strategy | NO ₂ & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Facilities Management | March 2018 ongoing |
| 5.13 | minimise the energy demand of Southwark estate | Be aware of the energy used and generated by the Authority's operational buildings | Publish on-line information of the energy used and any generated by the Authority's operational buildings | Web based information available to public | To inform policy | Environment & Social Regeneration | Service Development | December 2017 |
| 5.14 | Promote the use of | | Through extra funding, explore the opportunity of installing renewable energy technologies & energy efficiency measures and retrofitting insulation | Explore all available grant opportunities | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2022 |
| 5.15 | renewable energy and minimise the energy demand of Southwark Housing | Explore the opportunity to install renewable energy technologies in Southwark housing | | Consider resident proposals for community energy schemes, subject to consultation and being cost effective | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2018 |
| 5.16 | | | | will be assessed using the best available technology to reduce energy use and | CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2019 |



| | Section 5 – Reducing Carbon (extract from Authority's Carbon Reduction Strategy) | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales | | | | |
| 5.17 | Ensure new developments | Develop robust air quality planning policies | Develop robust air quality planning policies in the New Southwark Plan, Old Kent Road Area Action Plan & any new and revised Neighbourhood Plans | Adopt robust policies on air quality in all relevant planning policies | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Planning Policy | December 2017 | | | | |
| 5 .18 | minimise their impact on local air quality and climate change 5 .18 | Highlight design guidance for best practice in reducing emissions to air | Develop a revised Sustainable Design and Construction SPD that includes up to date guidance on improving air quality | Revised Sustainable Design and Construction SPD is adopted | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Planning Policy | December 2018 | | | | |
| 5.19 | Increase number of Southwark Council Homes using renewable energy | Increase no. of Southwark Council Homes using renewable energy from SELCHP | Connect more dwellings to SELCHP | Increase no. of homes connected to SELCHP by 50% | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Housing & Modernisation | Major Projects | December 2022 | | | | |







| | Section 6 – Regulation | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales | | | | |
| 6.1 | Smoke Control | Enforcement of the Clean Air Acts | Ensure that all retail premises selling wood and coal are aware that the whole of Southwark is a Smoke Control Area | An annual enforcement campaign | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | October 2017 ongoing | | | | |
| 6.2 | Zone | Discourage burning of logs and house coal | Undertake a communication campaign during the Autumn to highlight pollution caused by using non - smokeless fuels | Campaign each year until 2022 | PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & External Affairs | October 2017 ongoing | | | | |
| 6.3 | Emissions from industrial premises know to emit emissions to air | Regulation of EPA Part B processes | All IPPC premises in the Borough inspected in accordance with their risk assessment | Annual inspection of 100% of all relevant premises | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | March 2017 ongoing | | | | |
| 6.4 | Green infrastructure | Increase the amount of green infrastructure | Explore all opportunities to install green infrastructure | Increase the quantity of green infrastructure in the Borough | NO₂& PM | Environment & Social Regeneration | Public Realm | December 2022 | | | | |
| 6.5 | Healthy Streets | Assess the Borough's Highways against the criteria in TfL's Healthy Streets approach | Highway projects to be assessed against the TfL's Healthy Streets criteria | All new Highway projects proposed to be assessed against the TfL's Healthy Streets criteria | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Highway Projects | December 2022 | | | | |
| 6.6 | Emissions from development | Emissions from construction work minimised | Ensure that all strategic and major developments are aware of the Authority's Technical Guidance for Demolition & Construction | 100% of all major & strategic planning application developers made aware | NO ₂ & PM | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2017 ongoing | | | | |
| 6.7 | Emissions from construction equipment | Ensure all Non-Road Mobile Machinery (NRMM) complies with the GLA SPG construction criteria | Ensure that all strategic & major construction sites are on the on-line NRMM register | 100% of all strategic and major construction sites registered on the online NRMM register | NO ₂ & PM | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2018 ongoing | | | | |
| 6.8 | | CONSTRUCTION CITIENTA | All strategic and major construction sites are inspected for NRMM compliance | | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2018 ongoing | | | | |





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| 6.9 | Emissions from developments and premises | Enforcement of the provisions of the Environmental Protection and Clean Air Acts | Apply the provisions of Clean Air Act 1993 S.14 (chimney height.) to appropriate developments | To 100% of all relevant developments | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | December 2022 | | |
| 6.10 | and premises | | Investigate reports of bonfires & open burning | 90% of all reports investigated | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Noise & Nuisance | December 2022 | | |
| 6.11 | Emissions from waste management process | Enforcement of the Permit conditions at waste management sites in the Borough | Liaise with Environment Agency to ensure appropriate controls are being used to minimise and mitigate the creation of dust and fume at waste management sites | Review air quality management practices at waste management sites in the Borough | PM | External – Environment Agency | Environmental Protection | June 2018 | | |







| Section 7 – Support the GLA Air Quality Aims | | | | | | | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescale | |
| 7.1 | | | Ensure that local air quality is monitored in the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas | 100% of the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas monitored for air quality | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | April 2018 ongoing | |
| 7.2 | | | Implement an air quality improvement project in each GLA Air Quality Focus Areas and ensure they are linked to relevant regeneration plans and build on any existing relevant initiatives to encourage modal shift towards public transport, cycling & walking | In Air Quality Focus Area 151 (Old Kent Road) explore a method of improving the traffic flow on the A2 in areas where congestion occurs. | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2017 ongoing | |
| 7.3 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 152 (Elephant & Castle) explore increasing green infrastructure in the public realm | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2017 ongoing | |
| 7.4 | GLA Air Quality Focus Areas | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 153 (London Bridge) explore working with the BID's to improve the energy efficiency of the commercial properties and increase green infrastructure | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2018 ongoing | |
| 7.5 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 154 (Lower Road) explore complimenting the L.B. Lewisham Construction Logistics Project and reviewing traffic flow in the Lower Road gyratory system | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & Network Management | 2018 ongoing | |
| 7.6 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 155 (Peckham Town Centre) explore reviewing the bus routes in the centre, increasing the number of low NOx buses and improving the traffic flow on Peckham High Road | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & Transport Policy | 2019 ongoing | |
| 7.7 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 156 (Tower Bridge Road) explore implementing permanent anti-idling signage associated with the lifting of Tower Bridge | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & Transport Policy | 2019 ongoing | |
| 7.8 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Area 157 (Walworth Road / Camberwell Road / Camberwell Green) explore working with Southwark Highway Project Team to improve the traffic flow through the crossroads | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection, Transport Policy & Highways | 2017 ongoing | |
| 7.9 | | | | In Air Quality Focus Areas 152, & 153 and 157 explore using geo-fencing for TfL buses to only use the bus in an electrical mode | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2019 ongoing | |





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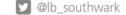
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| 7.10 | | | Ensure that the implemented air quality projects in the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas are assessed | 100% of projects assessed | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2021 |
| 7.11 | GLA Air Quality Focus Areas | Target the improvement of air quality in the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas | Ensure that local air quality projects in the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas are comprehensively evaluated | 100% of the projects produce an evaluation report at the end of the project period | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy & Environmental Protection | 2021 |
| 7.12 | | | Ensure that air quality projects implemented in the GLA Air Quality Focus Areas are regularly reviewed | All the implemented projects are reviewed annually | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2021 |
| 7.13 | Cleaner Air Borough | Ensure full consideration of GLA air quality planning policy changes | Take all actions required by GLA to retain Cleaner Air Borough status | Cleaner Air Borough status retained | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2021 |
| 7.14 | The extension of the ULEZ | Extension of ULEZ to include the whole borough & to be extended to the M25 as soon as practical | Respond to all GLA consultations expressing the Southwark policy stance | 100 % of responses made within consultation period | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Transport Policy & Environmental Protection | 2019 |
| 7.15 | Support GLA planning policy with regard to air quality | Ensure full consideration of GLA planning policy changes that relate to air quality | Ensure GLA air quality policy is considered in all planning decisions | 100% of all applications | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | Development Management | 2022 |
| 7.16 | Mayor's Air Quality Fund | Identify projects suitable for Mayor's Air Quality funding | Review the Mayor's Air Quality funding guidance & apply for funds where possible | Apply for funding at each round of Mayor's Air Quality Fund made available | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | 2022 |
| 7.17 | Clean Air for Londoners | Work with the GLA & TfL and other organisations towards meeting the national air quality objectives | Review all external opportunities to participate in air quality improvement projects | Maximise any appropriate external opportunities to deliver local air quality improvement projects | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection, Public Health & Transport Policy | 2022 |





| Section 8 – Support Public Health Framework Objectives | | | | | | | | | |
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| Action Number | Theme / Aim | Objective | Action | Target | Expected emissions/ concentrations benefit | Directorate | Delivered by Lead Service Area / Team | Timescales | |
| 8.1 | Joint Strategic Needs Assessment | The JSNA includes air quality and has up to date information on its health impacts | Produce an air quality section for the JSNA | JSNA air quality section ratified | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Public Health | June 2017 | |
| 8.2 | | | Review the air quality section of the JSNA annually | JSNA air quality section updated | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Public Health | June each year | |
| 8.3 | Air Quality & Public Health | Retain local air quality as a public health priority | Provide up to date information in connection with air quality | Provide annual updates to Cabinet Member and Health & Well-being Board | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Environment & Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection | May 2018 ongoing | |
| 8.4 | Embed Air Quality Policy | Ensure that local air quality is considered within all relevant complementary council policy developments | All relevant new policies to incorporate air quality improvement objectives | All relevant new policies to incorporate air quality improvement objectives | NO ₂ , PM & CO ₂ | Chief Executive | All relevant operational service areas | 2022 | |
| 8.5 | Air Quality Alerts | Provide poor air quality alert information to Southwark Council staff caring for health vulnerable persons with particular emphasis on nurseries, primary schools and care homes | Devise a Poor Air Quality Alert internal cascade for staff working in nurseries, primary schools and care homes | Implement by September 2017 | NO ₂ & PM | Environment and Social Regeneration | Environmental Protection & Public Health | September 2017 | |





Technical Appendices

The appendices are in a separate document accessible on the Southwark website at www.southwark.gov.uk/airquality . Below is the list of technical appendices available.

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Appendix 2 – Health Impacts of Air Pollution

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