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# NEWSLETTER



## RP Update from Jenny Hand - CEO

Hi to you all

Leadership – Many thanks to everyone who has already completed our leadership survey and passed it onto colleagues, also to people who have taken part in interviews and focus groups. There is still chance to complete the survey if you haven't already.

Our aim is to have some leadership training at every level for people in community organisations in Leicester and Leicestershire. You are welcome to pass it onto friends family and colleagues who also may have a role in leading community initiatives.

Please find below a link to the final survey:  
<https://www.smartsurvey.co.uk/s/ShapingALeaderShipProgrammeForLeicesterAndLeicestershire/>

As part of this work we will be organising 2 leadership sessions on 9th May 2019 – one in

can be contracted to deliver on the programme once it is designed, together with taking up suggestions about suitable venues. We really see this as an opportunity to strengthen the sector at every level from community leadership to trustees and including addressing some of the issues many of us have with succession planning.

**Next members meeting – May 2<sup>nd</sup> 10am-1pm and elections. This will be an important meeting** where we will be able to provide an update on progress following our acceptance as the lead for the local access programme for Leicester. With thanks to Angie Wright of B-inspired Leicester has been short listed as one of the 12 areas in the County for further development with potential access to around £6 million of additional funding (loans and grants for social sector development) over a 10 year period.