

Appendix 5 Consultation Questions for 2018-22 Food Strategy Action Plan Refresh & Bid for Gold

Questions for organisations: 1) How can you contribute to achieving this aim? 2) What barriers do you think need overcoming? 3) Do you have any other suggestions which should go under this aim?	Specific/Additional Questions: When engaging with key stakeholders a briefing will include 1) Background info 2) some specific questions for that audience and/or 3) Suggestions or a 'menu' of things they can help with	
Mix and match from the eight aims below:		Nickname
Champion healthy and sustainable food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Healthy eating/ healthy weight/ cookery skills information and support • Incentivising healthy food choices/ dis-incentivising unhealthy ones • Adding an extra portion of veg a day • Reducing sugar/ Reducing meat (or choosing grass fed meat) • Adding 'Sustainability' to existing healthy food initiatives (and vice versa) 	healthy & sustainable	
Tackle food poverty and ensure equal access to healthy food <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Preventing food poverty in the first place • Addressing or relieving food poverty • Ensuring access to healthy food - especially veg - across the whole city • Access to healthy food for vulnerable people including those with health conditions • Poverty proofing the whole action plan (looking through 'Food poverty goggles') 	food poverty	
Nourish a vibrant, diverse and skilled community food sector <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Training, information and support to community food groups and to community minded individuals • Networking opportunities & partnership working to encourage links between sectors • Encouraging wellbeing and 'green wellbeing' through community food and skills to 'grow your own' • Becoming "the city that cooks and eats together" 	community food	

<p>Cultivate a vibrant and sustainable food economy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrating & promoting healthy/ sustainable/ fair food • Encouraging diversity - independent/ culturally and economically diverse food businesses & social enterprises • Ensuring mainstream retailers & restaurants have healthy fair & sustainable policies and practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ on food sourcing/ food packaging & disposables/ food waste ○ on fair employment e.g. living wage ○ via accreditation schemes e.g. Food for Life, Healthy Choice Award • Encouraging connections between city/towns and farms/food producers • Improving healthy/fair/sustainable food employment opportunities & skills e.g. training, business support, apprenticeships etc 	economy
<p>Transform catering and food procurement</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensuring public organisations and caterers have healthy fair & sustainable policies and practices <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ on food sourcing/food packaging & disposables/ food waste ○ on fair employment e.g. living wage ○ via accreditation schemes e.g. Food for Life, Healthy Choice Award • Improving healthy/fair/sustainable food employment opportunities & skills e.g. training, business support, apprenticeships etc 	procurement
<p>Improve sustainability and security in food production Increasing food grown, produced & processed locally – urban, country & marine:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sustainability in food production/ transportation • Biodiversity and pollinating insects (e.g. happy bees) • Food security post –Brexit 	production
<p>Reduce food waste</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Innovative approaches in order to prevent food waste in first place – move to a ‘Food use’ not a food waste agenda • Better redistribution of surplus food to people (and if not people, then animals) • Failing that, more composting / anaerobic digestion 	waste
<p>Ensure healthy, sustainable, fair food is both embedded in policy, and has a high profile right across the city</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Planning and policy documents include healthy/fair/sustainable food • Engaging with national campaign/ sharing what we learn nationally • Visibly a ‘gold’ sustainable food city – healthy, fair and sustainable food is high profile, and not just in the wealthy neighbourhoods • Culture of food activism – not dependent on institutions 	Embedding



