

The Future of Leisure Services



What barriers or problems might emerge from re-organisation of leisure?

Challenges to Leisure

- STRATEGICALLY
- Leisure as an entity
- Community Connection
- Strategic Management

Operationally

- Facility Users

Opening Times / Pricing Structures /IT /Telephony

- H.R. Issues

J.D's, Pay Grades and Conditions, Equal Pay Claims, Travel and re-location expenses, negotiations with Unions

Impact of **Austerity**

- Leisure is a discretionary service
- New Management structures – Trusts
- Community Management / Privatisation
- Deficit reduction
- Review of social pricing

What might Leisure look like – *in 5 years time?*

- Community Planning
- Mix of Management options
- Multi-Skilling + the ability to share staff
- Greater use of informal Leisure