



*Is your church based in Sussex, Essex or Yorkshire?*

*Are you passionate about seeing your local community transformed?*

*Have you, or would you consider, starting a Cinnamon Recognised Project?*

If you answered yes to these questions, then we would love to invite you to join in  
with our **Community Transformation Pilot Project in 2016-17.**



Community Transformation Pilot Project is an exciting new Cinnamon Network initiative that is seeking to help resource local churches to make an even greater transforming difference in their communities.

By joining in with our Community Transformation Pilot Project, your church could access a unique package of bespoke support, including:

-  Regular one-to-one coaching, advice and support from a Community Transformation Project Advisor to equip you to:
  - Identify the needs in your community and the resources & skills in your church.
  - Create an effective strategy for social action in your community that matches the needs you see and the resources you have.
  - Choose and start a Cinnamon Recognised Project and adapt it to your local context.
-  Help to engage confidently in the public square; to develop civic leaders within your church congregation; and to build strategic relationships with the police, Local Authority, health services & other organisations.
-  Interactive training focused on building the capacity of your social action project leaders and volunteers, covering topics such as:
  - Fundraising & Sustainability
  - Recruiting and managing a team
  - Promotion & Advertising
  - Monitoring and evaluation
-  Regional and national engagement events to facilitate stronger partnership working with other churches and organisations, and share learning from stories of church-based social action & community transformation across the UK.
-  Opportunities to shape the development of a toolkit of resources that will be shared with others to inspire church-led, partnership-driven community transformation across the UK.

To find out more, please contact [team@cinnamonnetwork.co.uk](mailto:team@cinnamonnetwork.co.uk)

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