

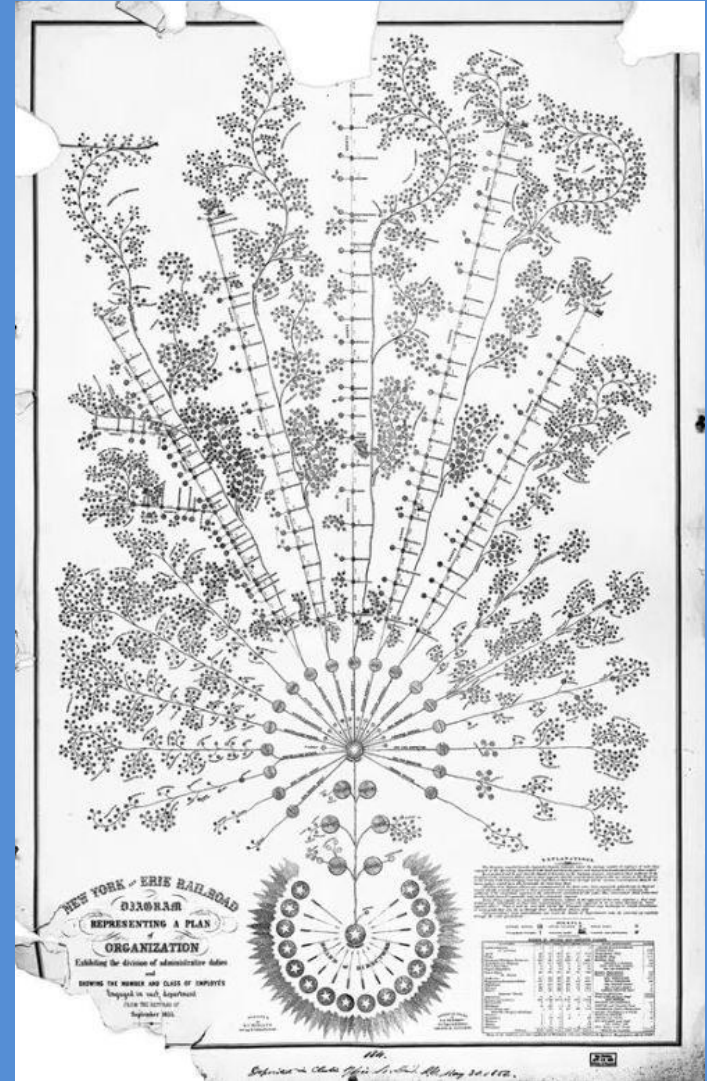


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SUSTAINABLE SCOTLAND NETWORK Climate Change Reporting

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Section 2: Governance, Management and Strategy



Q2a: How is climate change governed in the body?



Most public bodies have a climate change governance structure in place

119

bodies reported having a climate change governance structure.

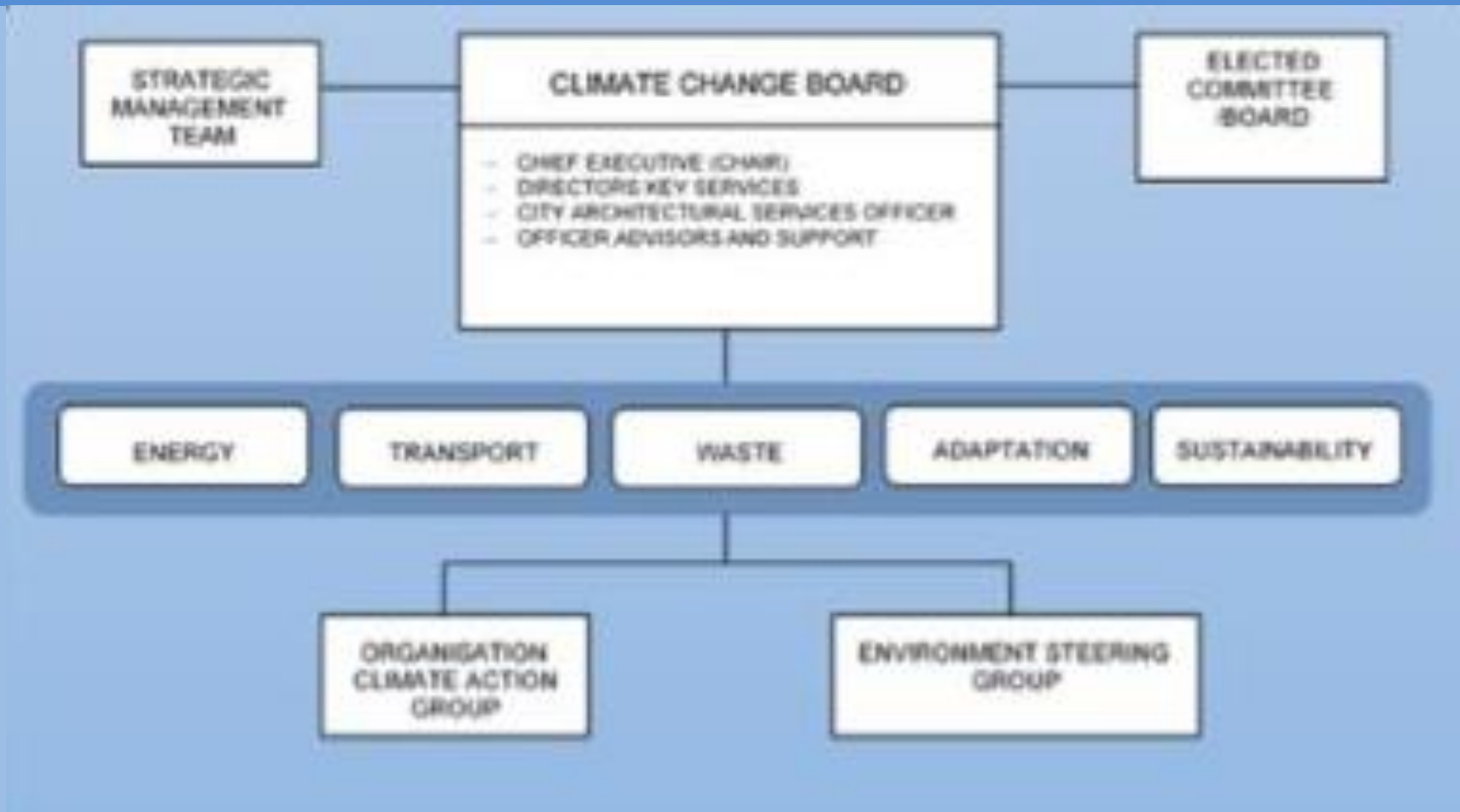
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bodies are setting up or reviewing their full climate change governance structure.

19

bodies do not have a structure or did not comment.

Q2a: How is climate change governed in the body?



Q2b: How is climate change managed and embedded?

Monitoring, reporting and administering action

- How is progress tracked?
- How this influences decision-making, esp. financial spend?
- Allocation of responsibility - snr staff, dept heads
- Operational delivery by key groups and individuals
- Level of integration within depts., services and functions
- Reporting flows - diagram

Q2b: how is climate change managed and embedded?

49	Working groups or mechanisms to involve staff or other stakeholders including through Community Planning Partnerships
47	Awareness raising activity with staff and / or students including events such as Earth Hour
25	Plans / policies with climate change considerations to be addressed
19	Specific service / department responsibility for actions including carbon targets
19	Green Champions / Networks
8	Induction / Appraisal Process / Job Descriptions and contracts specifying low carbon principals to be followed
7	E-learning Module / similar available to all staff

Q2c: Are climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives specified in a corporate plan or strategy?

88

bodies (61%) have specific climate change mitigation and/or adaptation objectives in their corporate plans or similar

Service Delivery Plan; Corporate Strategy; Single Outcome Agreement; Place Directorate Plan; Operating Plan; Partnership Plan

Q2c: Climate change mitigation and adaptation objectives specified in corporate plan or strategy (2015/16)

Continue to meet obligations and statutory duties

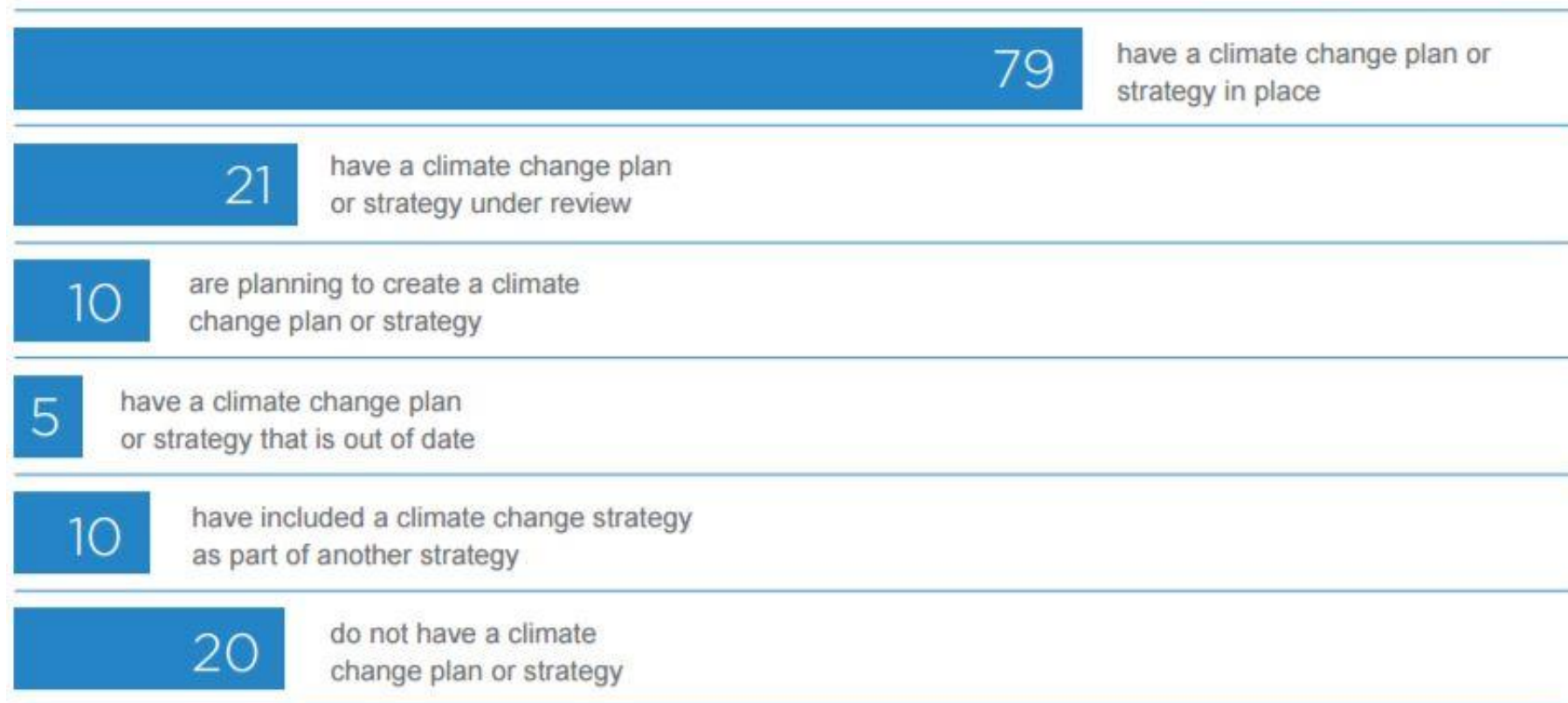
Mitigation	42%
Adaptation	3%
Both	12%
Sustainability	29%

Reduce waste to landfill by 5% and increase recycle rate to 70% by end 2018

In our 2015-21 regulatory period, we aspire to reduce our operational carbon by 10% and carbon in new investment by 30%.

The National Galleries of Scotland will aim to reduce Co2 emissions from operations by 42% by the end of 2020 from 2008 levels.

Q2d: Climate change plan or strategy (2015/16)



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Aberdeenshire Council	Climate Change Action Plan 2011-2015
Abertay University	Carbon Management Plan 2012 -2016
Angus Council	Climate Change Strategy and Action Plan 2012 - 2016
Audit Scotland	Climate Change Plan 2015-2020
Borders College	Carbon Management Plan 2016 - 2020
Scottish Public Pensions Agency	Adopted the Scottish Government's Carbon Management Plan
Scottish Water	Climate Change Strategy (2012)
SESTRAN (South-East of Scotland Transport	No specific climate change plan/strategy. currently addressed within the Refreshed Regional Transport Strategy
Skills Development Scotland	Carbon Management Plan 2015-2020 (June 2016)
South Lanarkshire Council	Sustainable Development Strategy 2012 - 2017
sportscotland	Carbon Management Plan 2016



Climate Action Plan 2010 – 2020

- adopted by the University Court of the University of Edinburgh 24 May 2010



Q2e: Other plans or strategies that include climate change?

Specific plan or strategy	Policy Area	Reported as embedded into another overarching document
 12	Adaptation	71 
 13	Business travel	105 
 18	Staff travel	92 
 16	Fleet transport	73 
 19	Energy efficiency	119 
 40	Information and communication technology	40 
 3	Sustainable / renewable heat	81 
 38	Waste management	77 
 10	Waste and sewerage	82 
 57	Land use	42 
 57*	Other	

*Examples of others include Procurement (16); Open Space / Conservation (10); Housing (4).

Provide irrespective of general CC or sustainability strategy (Q2d)
Please include timeframe

2f: top 5 priorities for CC governance, management and strategy for the year ahead

Public bodies' top five priorities for climate change governance, management and strategy for the year ahead

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Energy



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Awareness /
behaviour change



63

Transport



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Adaptation



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Governance

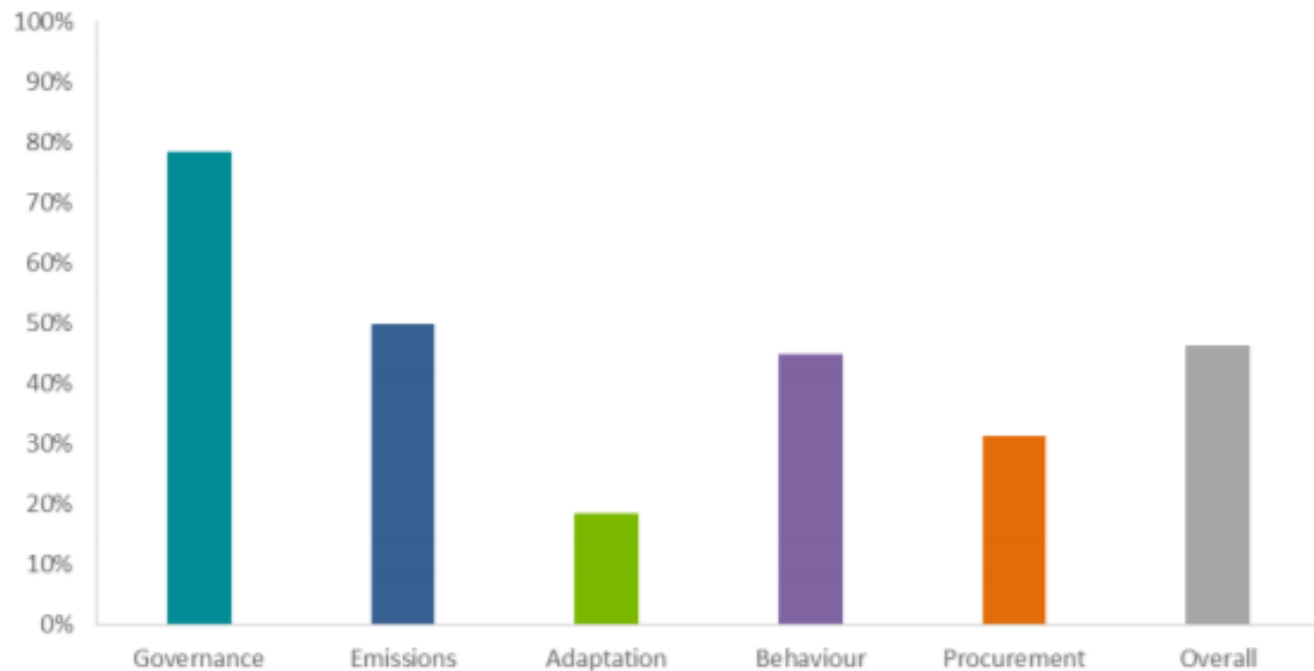


Q2g: Use of Climate Change Assessment Tool or equivalent to self-assess performance?

	Organisation score	Total score available	Percentage score	Traffic light assessment
Governance	17	28	61%	61%
Emissions	25	30	83%	83%
Adaptation	4	22	18%	18%
Behaviour	8	20	40%	40%
Procurement	5	16	31%	31%
Overall	59	116	51%	51%

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CCAT results for Organisation A – Run 1



1. Key Strengths

2. Areas for Improvement

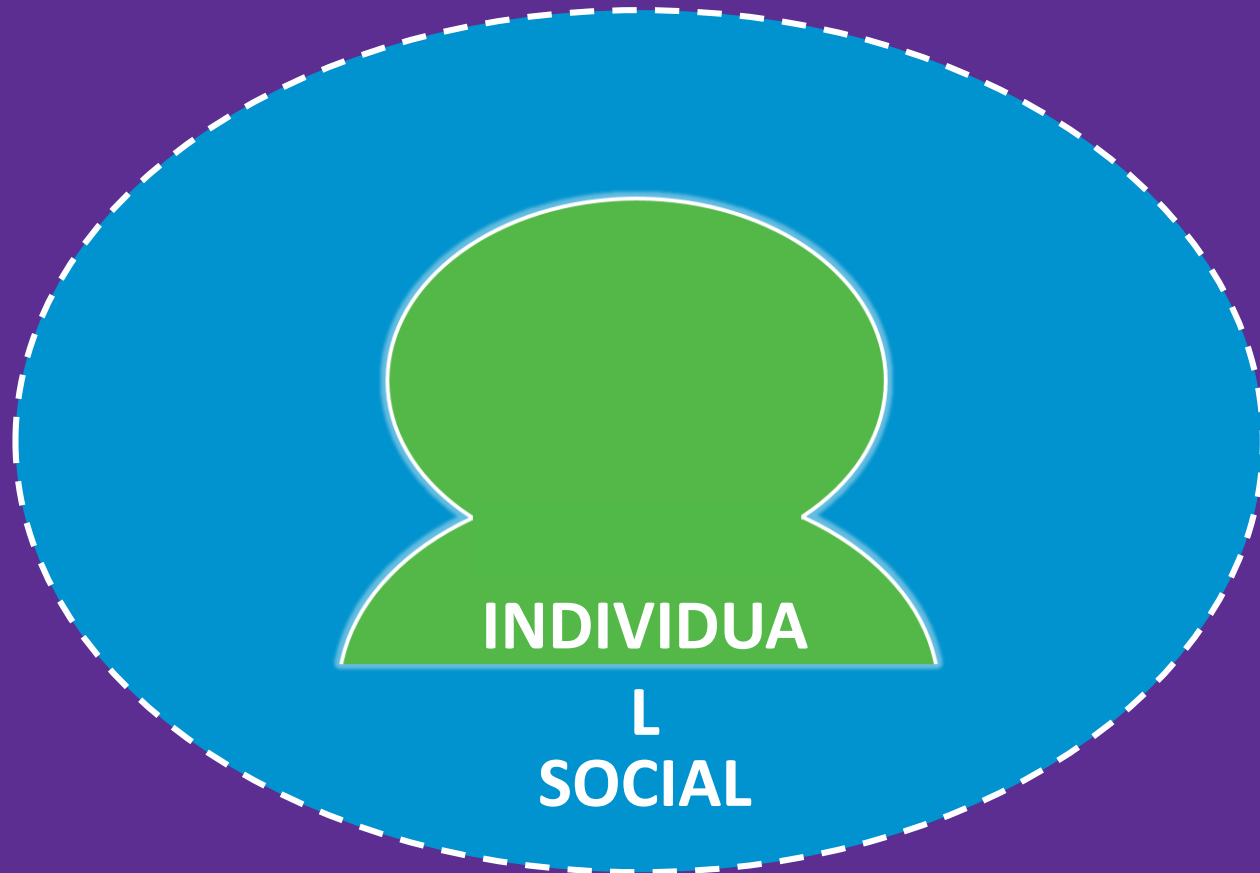
3. Action Plan

Q2g: Use of Climate Change Assessment Tool or equivalent to self-assess performance?

Action priority	Question	Part	Question	Response	Suggested Action	Timescale to complete (months)
1	2a	ii	Our current CMP has a carbon reduction target based on a realistic Business As Usual forecast and Carbon Reduction Project List, with agreed funding to implement projects.	DISAGREE	Run Business As Usual forecast based on best available data. Estimate reductions available from projects with agreed funding. Discuss any target 'gaps' with Carbon Management Board.	3
2	2a	iv	Our current CMP contains a clear CM governance structure, including purpose and frequency of Carbon Management meetings and decision-making process.	DISAGREE	Identify key CM governance activities and roles. Draw up a proposed structure that will provide feedback, support and internal championing of the Carbon Management Plan and make it explicit about who takes what decisions.	1
3	3a	ii	A business case for tackling climate change adaptation has been put together.	NO	Complete Step 1 of 5 Steps to Managing your Climate Risks.	3
4	3a	v	Adaptation risk has been defined and embedded within Corporate Risk Register to help gain organisational buy-in.	NO	Complete Step 1 of 5 Steps to Managing your Climate Risks.	3

Q2h: Supporting information and best practice



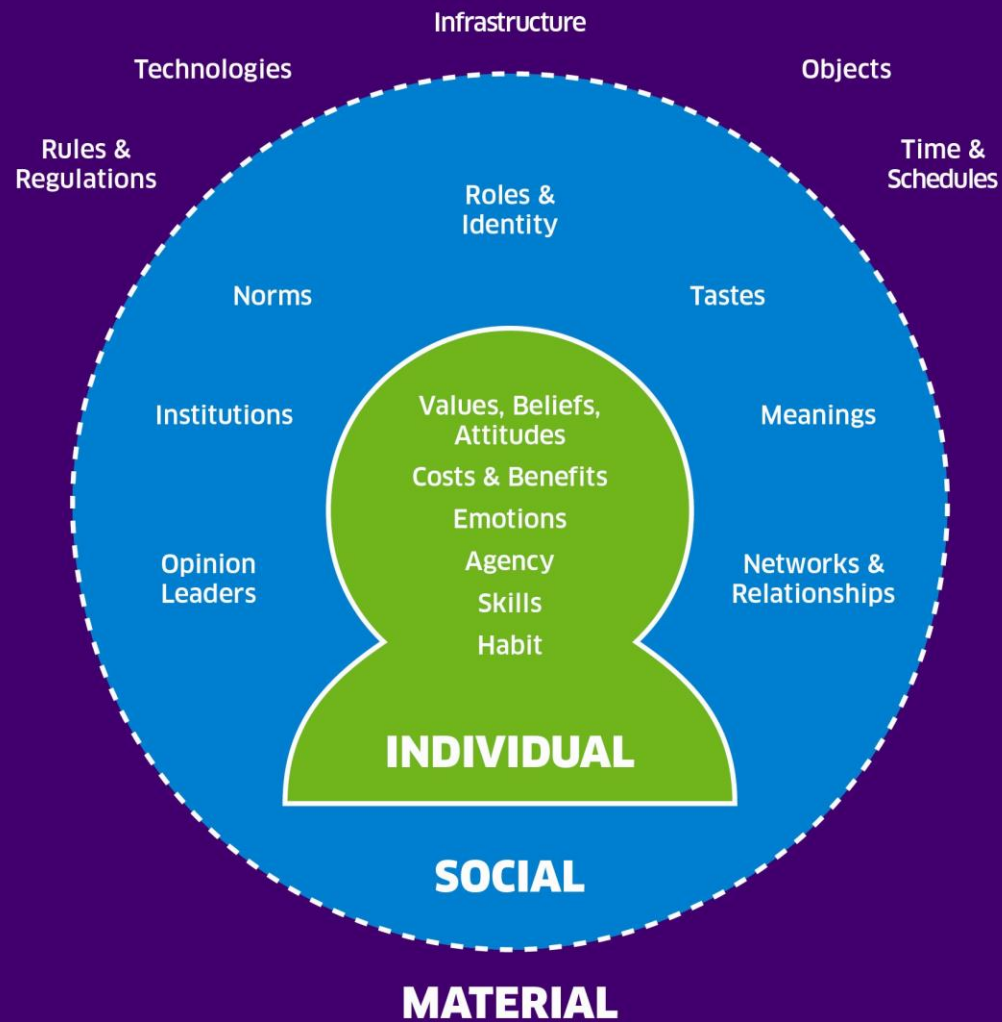


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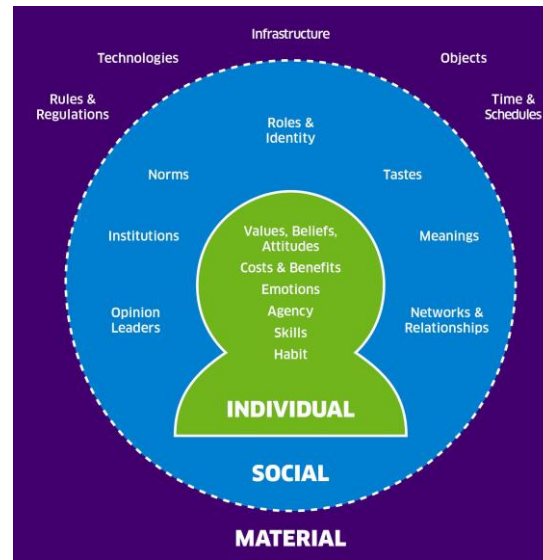


Climate Change (Scotland) Act 2009

Scottish Ministers Reporting Duties (Part 3)

- Framework of annual targets
- Annual progress report against targets
- Periodic reports on policies and proposals to meet targets

Develop projects to help achieve targets



Inform national policy development

Public Bodies Climate Change Duties (Part 4)

Exercise functions *sustainably* to:

- contribute to climate change targets;
- deliver on adaptation

Report annually (Major Players)

Questions/Discussion

Question:

Would you like support/training on how to embed climate change into governance and management structures?

Discussion:

What changes are needed in your organisation's governance and management systems to help track progress and influence decision-making on delivery of climate change duties?