

Empowering Places Change Framework visualisation

External context and potential influencers

Ongoing or increased support from the six local authorities for community business

The rate of new community businesses developing in an area

Willingness within the local communities to support and work with the community businesses

Ongoing strong partnerships between the catalyst organisations, community businesses and other organisations working in similar spaces

Additional funding streams

The ongoing Covid crisis prevents businesses from trading

Wider ecosystem

Increased focus at national government level on the benefits of community business



A locally rooted organisation that has strong relationships with both their community and strategic local organisations

