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You Said	We Did
Make sure that older people have a voice in shaping services that affect them	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We consulted on our Older peoples strategy Our older people’s implementation board and working groups have at least 50% older people on them, including representatives from Senior Citizens Forum, PAPOP and Age UK.
Ensure older people receive their entitlement to benefits	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Older people our included in our Financial Inclusion strategy We supported 264 older people to claim either pension credit or retirement pension in 2009/10 - £34,000 per week in previously unclaimed benefit.
Children and young people have an increased sense of safety in schools and their community	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We published our Anti- Bullying strategy 89% of children felt very or quite safe at school (Tell Us 4 Survey) 80% felt very or quite safe in the area where they live (Tell Us 4 Survey) Our “Bully Busters” programme has been delivered in schools and recognised by Ofsted as having a positive impact 55% of children felt able to report that they were bullied (Tell Us 4 Survey)
Improve access to quality play and leisure opportunities for children and young people	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We have 6 new play spaces in the City We launched the Playground to Podium scheme has supported 100 young people with a disability to access sport with 2 new multi sport clubs for children/young people with a disability We had 20 Learn 2 Swim courses with 180 people over 11 learning a new skill We have opened a free to use Adizone Multi-use Outdoor gym/games in Mutton Cove with the 'London 2012 Mark to Inspire 550 young people aged 8-19, have accessed our Sport Unlimited project We have delivered 3 StreetGames project in areas of high deprivation to upskill and develop young peoples leadership skills We have delivered Devon Youth Games to Inspire, Devon Youth Ability Games, National Family Week Sports Day and Identifying Ability days.
Promote equality in schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All school boards leaders have been advised of their duties regarding race, disability and gender 31 schools have received Governors equality duty training 120 children took part in the “Show Racism the Red Card” event focusing on Islamophobia
Ensure children and young people are given a chance to improve their attainment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Children in the poorest areas are now getting higher grades in their GCSE’s