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## Participatory Budgeting in communities



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**600+** people involved in conferences and peer to peer learning events

Supported **25** community-led PB projects funded by Community Choices

More than **40** PB event reports from Ayrshire to Orkney

Interactive map showing 141 PB initiatives across 25 council areas

Free to join and participate

#### In a slide



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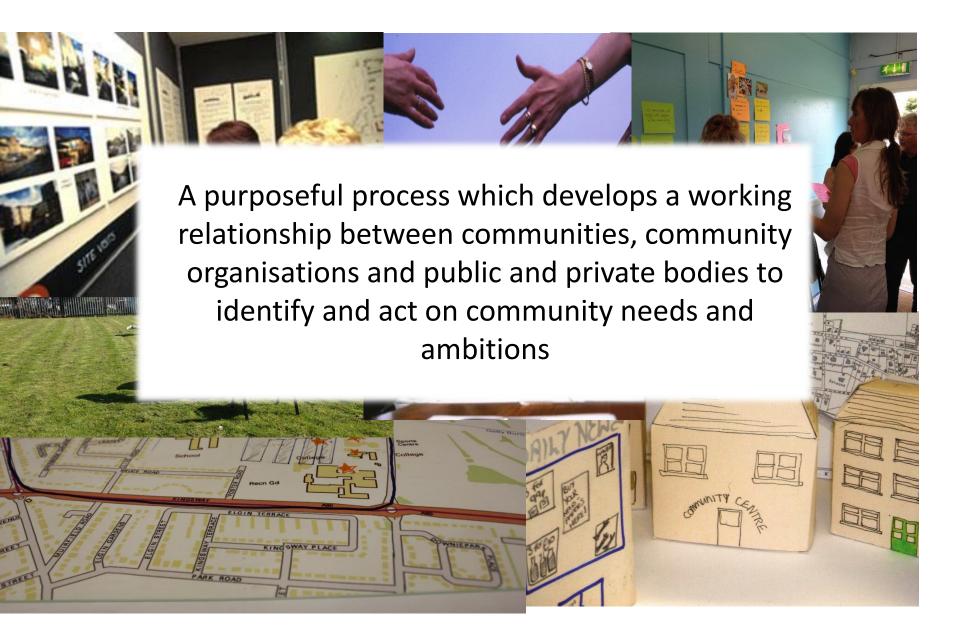
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- sharing power,
- starting with or building on community priorities,
- being guided by values.



### Community engagement





Electoral Commission



Your School - You Decide



FUNDING

**LOCAL INVESTMENT** 

HCOURAGEMENT

Free BBQ, children's entertainment, face painting and lots more!



Are you a parent/carer or a child who attends Miller or John Paul II Primary? Yes!

Come along and hear the ideas that parents at your school have been coming up with to spend £20,000 to reduce the cost of the school day for your child then vote on the one's you like the best.



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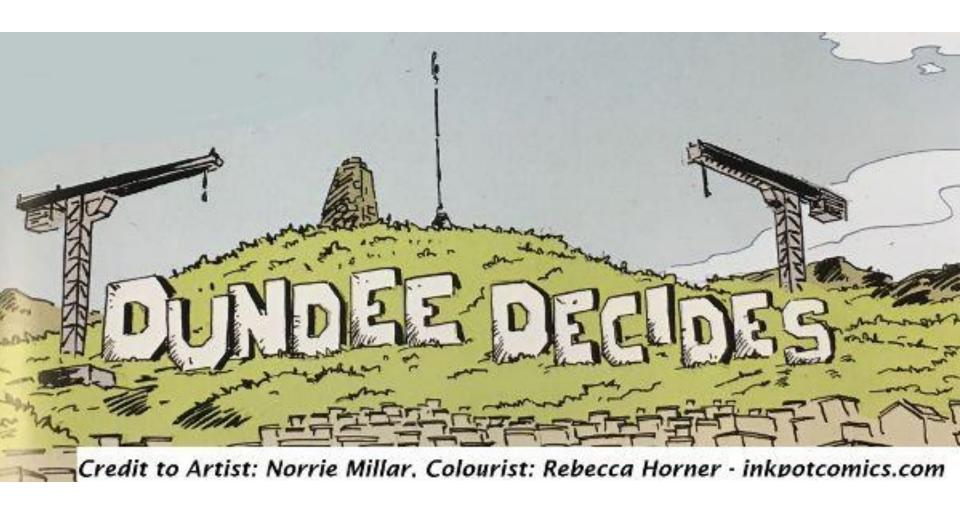
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# Invest in communities as we mainstream



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Digital PB Case Studies

These case studies by Demsoc capture key learning exploration of digital tools to support participatory



Participatory Budgeting Evaluation Edinburgh

The City of Edinburgh Council has produced a series of This toolkit is intended to videos on PB in the city. In support any Individual or addition to introducing PB, the group organising a PB activity to plan how to evaluate their



Budgeting in

the Change: Guide to evaluating PB

This comprehensive guide essential actions to record, monitor and evaluate the



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