

Why is Economic Recovery a priority?

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Community Board projects

Examples of projects

Either completed or underway:

- **Shoppers survey – understanding needs and wants**
- Business survey – researching needs of businesses, post-Covid
- Community allotment space and growing schemes
- **Food Groups (North, Central, South)**
- Shop local campaigns (Christmas)
- Youth Fairs in Town Centres
- **Active Travel schemes**
- Citizens Advice projects - e.g. debt, financial insecurity and finding employment (supporting promotion of existing services)
- Local repair shops
- **Infrastructure - rural broadband**
- Window displays/trails
- **Click and Collect schemes (Risborough Basket)**

Chesham activity

- **Business support – 99% of Covid support grants £166m paid out to Bucks businesses**
- **Chesham Regeneration Group**
- **Levelling up Fund bid**
- **Work with Town Council on Neighbourhood Plan and Chesham Masterplan group**