## Appendix C Mott MacDonald Social Value Plan



## Wirral BC - Strategic Transport Framework - Fusion 21

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## 1 Introduction

Social impact and inclusion are increasingly becoming part of the standard vocabulary in the infrastructure and engineering sectors. More and more, our clients are requiring us to deliver socially responsible, inclusive and community-focused projects. The Public Services (Social Value) Act 2012 ('the Act') became effective on 31st January 2013. The Act makes it a statutory requirement for public authorities to have regard to economic, social and environmental wellbeing in connection with public services contracts and framework agreements and requires public authorities to understand how suppliers of public service contracts will act in securing improvement to economic, social and environmental outcomes.

Our understanding of social value (SV) recognises that responsible procurement balances value for money with economic, environmental and social wellbeing. Value is therefore judged on price and context based on delivering the greatest benefit for the greatest number. Social value is intrinsically interwoven into our overall project delivery approach. Our cross cutting social practice drives thought leadership, measures progress against the UN Sustainable Development Goals and embeds SV principles and outcomes in all our client project work. Delivering SV is a defining principle and value proposition of our employee owned business. The UN Sustainable Development Goals are shown below.



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