

Plan for Totnes REconomy workshop
24th May 2011 v2. 22/05/2011

introduction
10.00-10.15

welcome, housekeeping frances
introductions, purpose of workshop, agenda nick

what is the purpose of a new localised, more resilient economy?
- what do we mean by growth?
- what sort of growth do we want?
-10.15-11.00

fiona to frame
purpose: to get a collective understanding of growth and where people in the room are with it, different perspectives, to understand what we want to find out about it
process tbd

businesses in Totnes: today & future
11.00-1.00 (including 1/2 hr break)

local economy context- 30 mins
presentation of features of current local economy fiona 10 mins
chat in twos or threes about that 7 mins
whole group discussion 13 mins

framing question: how do the basic needs of the community get met now by businesses & other organisations; and what is a more viable way of meeting them in the future?

world café- 1 hour, with break in middle

3 tables
3 or 4 people on each table
table facilitators fiona/frances/nick record on flipcharts

2 rounds, each looks at
2 of four outcomes
current & ideal resource use & localisation
social contract & ownership models
have 4 outcomes slide up for reference
can swop if they want or not

timing
intro & set up 10 mins
2 rounds of 15 mins each 30 mins
feedback 3 x 4 mins 12 mins
whole group debrief 8 mins

the local economic system
1.00-1.45

small group discussions- 20 mins
3 groups of 3 or 4 different groups from World Café
2 x 10 minute discussions
record on flipchart

discussion topics
how would we like these things to work in the future?
what is within our power to influence and what can we do to influence those changes?

prompts on slide:
types of enterprises (ie now is mostly private for-profits), industrial symbiosis, access to finance, means of exchange, collaboration and competition, reliance on import/export, skills, awareness of risks, informed local consumers etc.

each group feedback top 4 things 3 mins each
10 mins
whole group debrief 15 mins

close & next steps
1.45-2.00

fiona & frances