



Celebrating our Communities

**Building Stronger Communities
through Social Enterprise**



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Workshop aims

1. Gain an understanding of the current National Social Enterprise Strategy and local strategies
2. Learn where Social Enterprise can access support and advice for SE locally and nationally
3. Better understanding of number of relevant policies supported by Se i.e., Place, Community Empowerment, Community Wealth
4. Hear case studies of SEs that have demonstrated building communities and some of the barriers and challenges
5. Explore key issues in more detail with peers
6. Take away key actions

definition

‘The Code’

Strategic context

- ***National Social Enterprise Strategy***
- ***National Social Enterprise census***
- ***Local Social Enterprise Strategies***

Policy context

Place Principle (2019)

Community Empowerment (Scotland) Act
2015

Community Wealth

Public Sector Procurement

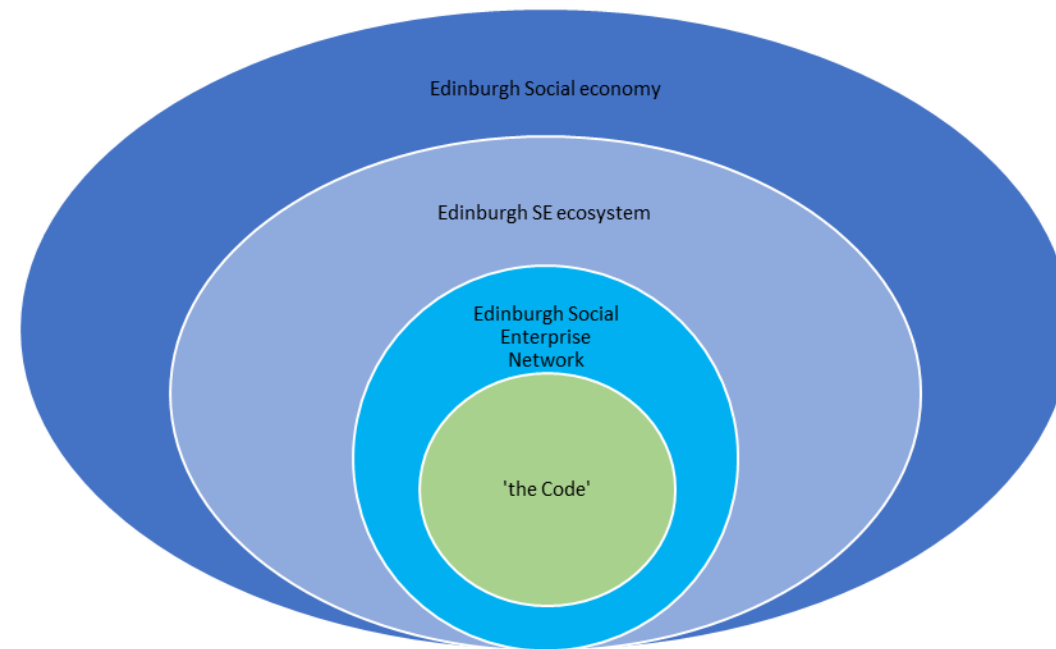
Group discussion 1

- ***What is already happening in your own organisation and/or community? Think about;***
- *What SEs are you aware of that could work with or supply to your organisation?*
- *What does your organisation currently deliver via SE?*
- *How does your organisation currently use SE in supply chains or contracts?*
- *Does your organisation have a commitment to local spend?*

Support available

- Social Enterprise Networks (SENs)
- Third sector Interfaces (TSIs)
- National intermediaries
- Support programmes

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Group discussion 2

- **How might you further incorporate Social Enterprise into your organisation or your own work?**
- **How might you or your organisation engage further with local (especially fledgling) SEs to help build their capacity?**
- **What 3 actions are you going to take away from this workshop and implement in your organisation?**

THANK YOU
QUESTIONS?





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