

For an effective regional approach to adaptation, who needs to be involved?

138 responses









Open and respectful Co-design communication Shared vision dialogue information flows Communication Compromise Education







Shared vision

Partnership

Top down AND bottom up

Clear information

Consistent but flexible approach

Open to difficult conversations

lived experience

Health in All Policies







Adequate funding Collaboration information sharing Governance Effective leadership Shared knowledge, Shared objectives collaboration leadership, clear strategy and roles







resourcing for all parties

Funding

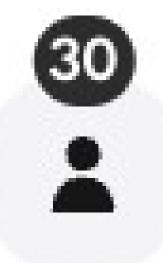
accessible knowledge across services

Commonality of language

Tim Lang says the difficulties with the local response the Covid was that it was very difficult to intersect with a National response.

Putting politics aside







competing priorities eg Different priorities Vested interests profit Differences in resourcing people don't want to feel Land use priorities Internal departmentally controlled

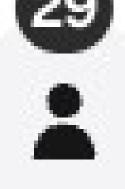






Local politics, egos, lack Competition funding politics of communication etc short-term decision perspective on acceptable Knowledge Lack of time, resource and bandwidth making response







Different policy goals

Ownership

When it's perceived that the choice is either or

Funding

different organisational priorities, structure and resourcing

Where funding comes from and who gets it How decisions are made

imbalances in power - who decides what happens - e.g what power does the funder hold

access to insurance







Egos

when different levels of activity are siloed/differently resourced

Different timescales, interests, knowledge systems, priorities, power dynamics of whose say counts

lack of clarity on remits

focus on mitigation

Fear

different visions/ agendas

suspicion about motives







When people are panicking/resource scarcity mindset

Lack of action by partners delaying progress

Funding

Specialisation - stay in your lane!

Fatigue/ burn out - these initiatives are often led by pioneering individuals - cant be sustained over the long term - needs shared leadership

Lack of resources and funding

top-down constraints

media and social media narrative campaigns to control







Uncertainty

Ego's

Competing priorities - focus on growth and housing delivery without considering need for adaptation and net zero

ties of adaptation options to capitalism and maintaining a norm that can no longer exist

Nature vs economy

Always someone else's responsibility

Uncertain nature of adaptation - doing something different

capacity/capability can limit certain groups/orgs ability to engage, esp with some technical elements







land ownership

It is the golden thread between these levels of scale that is hard to pinpoint / implement as often no continuity between these







What is the comparative difficulty of working across different levels of scale?

