What the SVLA is

- A strategic voice and coordinating point for the VCSE sector
- An amplifier of place-based and thematic VCSE networks
- An equal strategic partner with the NHS
- A connector of system, place and neighbourhood
- A body that makes it easier to engage

What the SVLA is not

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- not a funding gatekeeper for individual organisations
- not a replacement for existing VCSE networks or alliances
- not an NHS-led structure in culture, language or decisions
- not an operational delivery body or governance board
- not a compulsory gateway through which all routes must pass