

# Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel

Tue 17 Jan  
2012  
6.30 pm

Committee Room 2  
Town Hall  
Redditch



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## Agenda

### Membership:

Cllrs: Bill Hartnett (Chair) Roger Hill  
Anita Clayton Wanda King  
Rebecca Blake

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| <b>1. Apologies and named substitutes</b>  | To receive apologies for absence and details of any Councillor (or co-optee substitute) nominated to attend this meeting in place of a member of the Committee.   |
| <b>2. Declarations of Interest and Party Whip</b>  | To invite Councillors to declare any interest they may have in items on the Agenda and any Party Whip.  |
| <b>3. Minutes</b><br>(Pages 1 - 8)   | To confirm the minutes of the meeting of the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel that took place on the 26th October 2011 as a correct record.<br><br>(Minutes attached)  |
| <b>4. Redditch Community Safety Partnership Performance Framework</b><br>(Pages 9 - 24)                    | To consider the 2011/12 quarter two performance tables for the Redditch Community Safety Partnership Framework and to propose recommendations for further action based on the report if deemed necessary.<br><br>(Reports attached) |
| <b>5. Notes of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership meeting - 24th August 2011</b><br>(Pages 25 - 36) | To consider the contents of the minutes from the Redditch Community Safety Partnership Board's meeting of 24th August 2011.<br><br>(Minutes attached)   |

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| <b>6. Questions to the Chair of the Community Safety Partnership</b> | To propose questions for the consideration of the Chair of the Community Safety Partnership prior to her attendance at the next meeting to deliver the Partnership's Annual Report.   |
| <b>7. Work Programme</b><br>(Pages 37 - 38)                          | To consider the contents of the Panel's Work Programme.<br><br>(Report attached)  |
| <b>8. Exclusion of the Press and Public</b>                          | <p>Should it be necessary, in the opinion of the Borough Director, during the course of the meeting to consider excluding the public from the meeting on the grounds that exempt information is likely to be divulged, it may be necessary to move the following resolution:</p> <p>"That, under S.100 (A) (4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following matter(s) on the grounds that it/they involve(s) the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the relevant paragraphs (to be specified) of Part 1 of Schedule 12 (A) of the said Act".</p> <p>These paragraphs are as follows:</p> <p>Subject to the "public interest" test, information relating to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Para 1 – <u>any individual</u>;</li><li>• Para 2 – the <u>identity of any individual</u>;</li><li>• Para 3 – <u>financial or business affairs</u>;</li><li>• Para 4 – <u>labour relations matters</u>;</li><li>• Para 5 – <u>legal professional privilege</u>;</li><li>• Para 6 – <u>a notice, order or direction</u>;</li><li>• Para 7 – the <u>prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime</u>;</li></ul> <p>and may need to be considered as 'exempt'.</p> |



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## MINUTES

### Present:

Councillor Bill Hartnett (Chair), and Councillors Rebecca Blake, Anita Clayton, Roger Hill and Wanda King

### Also Present:

M Collins (Independent Vice Chair of the Standards Committee)

### Officers:

J Cooper and A Heighway

### Overview and Scrutiny Support Officers:

J Bayley and M Craggs

## 8. APOLOGIES AND NAMED SUBSTITUTES

An apology for absence was received from Mr Ken Hazeldene, Chair of Redditch Anti-Harassment Partnership.

## 9. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST AND PARTY WHIP

There were no declarations of interest nor of any party whip.

## 10. MINUTES

### RESOLVED that

the minutes of the meeting of the Panel held on Tuesday 19th July 2011 be approved as a correct record and signed by the Chair.

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Chair

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## 11. REDDITCH COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP PERFORMANCE FRAMEWORK

The Panel received a briefing on the subject of Redditch Community Safety Partnership's Performance Framework prior to scrutinising the contents of the document.

Members were advised that in previous years local Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnerships (CDRPs) had been required to monitor performance in relation to key performance indicators. These performance indicators had been identified at a national and county level in the form of the Worcestershire Local Area Agreement (LAA). There had been financial incentives attached to high performance in relation to the LAA. As the Redditch Community Safety Partnership had performed well the Worcestershire Partnership, which managed the LAA, had been awarded £1.1 million. A portion of this, £500,000, had been awarded to Redditch in order to deliver the Area of Highest Needs project in Winyates.

Following the change in government in 2010 performance management requirements had altered. Community Safety Partnerships were no longer required to demonstrate performance in relation to performance indicators. Instead, Community Safety Partnerships had been encouraged to develop bespoke performance management arrangements.

The Redditch Community Safety Partnership's performance framework had been introduced in May 2011. The framework was divided into four sections which reflected the core themes of the Redditch Community Safety Plan: secure homes; protecting communities; reducing re-offending and restorative justice; and safer streets and places. The framework provided the partnership with an opportunity to record crime trends and to monitor performance in relation to the key subsidiary targets for each theme over a twelve month period. Significantly, the performance management framework focused on local needs and priorities.

The Panel was advised that there would potentially be further developments in relation to the performance management of Community Safety Partnerships in future years. In particular, the introduction of elected Police and Crime Commissioners in November 2012 was likely to impact on performance management arrangements. Similarly, Officers confirmed that it was possible that the Localism Act would also impact on community safety partnerships, particularly with regards to planning and licensing

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arrangements. However, in both cases the exact implications would not be confirmed until the legislation had been finalised.

The achievements of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership and the methods by which these achievements were communicated to the public were discussed by the Panel. The partnership sometimes struggled to communicate their achievements to the public. However, Members were advised that there were many positive achievements, such as the Redditch Roadway Arts project, whereby distinctive public artwork was displayed in the subways and bus shelters throughout the town. These acted as visible signs of the partnership's work and helped people to feel safe. In addition, the sanctuary scheme, which was designed to help victims of domestic abuse, was cited as an example of a project that was helping to improve the safety of vulnerable local residents. The Panel agreed to issue a press release outlining these achievements to help the Partnership promote these examples of good practice.

The Panel scrutinised the content of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership's performance management framework in detail. In general, Members expressed satisfaction that the partnership appeared to be performing well in relation to most targets. However, concerns were expressed about a couple of issues.

Members questioned the increase in the number of offences that were classified as serious acquisitive crimes, which had increased by four per cent compared to the same time the previous year. Officers explained that it was difficult to provide accurate reasons for increases in particular types of crime. However, it was noted that during the period a number of prolific offenders had been active within the Borough and this may have contributed to the figures.

Similarly, Officers reported that it was difficult to provide specific reasons for an increase of 48 per cent since the same time the previous year in harassment offences. To an extent it was possible that more people were reporting this type of offence to the Police, though it was acknowledged that the number of offences might also be increasing. The extent to which cyber harassment figures were contributing to this rise, as a result of the increasing use of computers within society, was also debated.

Concerns were expressed about the increase in racially and religiously aggravated offences and Members questioned whether a particular ethnic group was being consistently targeted as part of this process. Whilst it was acknowledged that these figures were concerning, Members were advised that the Anti-Harassment Partnership in Redditch was actively working to address these

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types of crimes. Similarly, partner agencies were working hard to address an increase in crimes in relation to vulnerable adults and domestic abuse interest markers. To an extent in both cases the increase in crime levels could be connected to extensive community engagement work which encouraged people to report crimes, as well as improved training of local police officers.

Officers advised that the Worcestershire Drug and Alcohol Action Team (DAAT) was leading work to address alcohol and drug related admissions to hospital amongst young people. The DAAT was due to provide an update on progress in relation to this issue at the following meeting of the Partnership's board. Due to the Panel's previous work scrutinising this issue it was agreed that subsequently this information should be forwarded on to the Panel for further consideration.

The Panel noted that the levels of bin fires occurring as a result of arson, particularly within Church Hill, had stabilised. The introduction of the bin node scheme in Chedworth Close had helped to address immediate concerns regarding the safety of tenants in an area where arson had the potential to cause severe damage. In the long-term, the activities of prolific arsonists living within the Borough would continue to be monitored to help avoid an increase in offences.

As a positive development Members noted that there had been reduction in violent and public order offences related to the night time economy. In part, the improvements appeared to be connected to the economic downturn. However, many local public houses had also improved their approach to managing violent and public order offences.

**RESOLVED that**

**the report be noted.**

## **12. NOTES FROM REDDITCH COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP**

The Panel received and commented on the minutes of the meeting of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership's board that took place on Wednesday 18th May 2011.

The introduction of a joint North Worcestershire Community Safety Partnership was discussed. The potential to merge the three existing partnerships into one joint partnership had been reviewed



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by the Worcestershire Safer Communities Board. The majority of responsible authorities had supported the introduction of a joint Community Safety Partnership for North Worcestershire for capacity reasons.

Members were advised that a joint partnership for the north of the county had been considered preferable to a joint partnership for the whole county. The types of crime and community safety issues within the north of the county were considered to be relatively similar. Furthermore, it was anticipated that collectively a joint partnership representing a larger area within the West Mercia Force area would be in a better position to attract funding from the elected Police and Crime Commissioner than a partnership representing a district.

However, Members had a number of concerns about the introduction of a joint partnership. In particular, Members suggested that a joint partnership was unlikely to focus in detail on the town. There was a risk in this context that the specific needs and priorities of Redditch residents would not be addressed.

## **RECOMMENDED that**

**Redditch Borough Council does not approve the merger of Redditch Community Safety Partnership (RCSP) with Bromsgrove Community Safety Partnership (BCSP) and Wyre Forest Community Safety Partnership (WFCSP) resulting in the creation of a North Worcestershire Community Safety Partnership (NWCSP); and**

## **RESOLVED that**

**the minutes of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership board meeting on Wednesday 18th May 2011 be noted.**

(During consideration of this item Members discussed matters that necessitated the disclosure of exempt information. It was therefore agreed to exclude the press and public prior to any debate on the grounds that information would be revealed relating to any action taken, or to be taken, in connection with the prevention, investigation or prosecution of crime).

## **13. WORK PROGRAMME**

The Panel noted that they would be proposing questions for the consideration of the Chair of the Redditch Community Safety

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Partnership at their following meeting in January. At the suggestion of the Chair it was agreed that the number of questions should be limited to a maximum of four.

**RESOLVED that**

**the Panel's Work Programme be noted.**

**14. EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC AND PRESS**

**RESOLVED that**

**under S.100 I of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following matters on the grounds that they involve(s) the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12 (A) of the said Act, as amended."**

- Notes from Redditch Community Safety Partnership.

The Meeting commenced at 6.30 pm  
and closed at 8.05 pm

By virtue of paragraph(s) 7 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A  
of the Local Government Act 1972.

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| Partnership Priority                         |                     | Protecting Communities |                    |                   |                      |                    |   |                   | Oct 2011   |
|--|---------------------|------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|---|-------------------|--|
| Measures                                     | Jul '09 - Jun '10   | Oct '09 - Sept '10     | Jan '10 - Dec '10  | Apr '10 - Mar '11 | Jul '10 - Jun '11    | Oct '10 - Sept '11 | Jan '11 - Dec '11   | Apr '11 - Mar '12 | Comments   |
| Harassment offences                          | 141                 | 167                    | 183                | 198               | 209                  | 204                |   |                   | 37 additional offences compared to same period last year (increase of 22%)           |
| Hate crime reports to local authority        | 22                  | 26                     | 24                 | 23                | 20                   | na                 |   |                   | Volume has remained relatively stable  |
| Racially or religiously aggravated offences  | 55                  | 59                     | 69                 | 73                | 71                   | 80                 |   |                   | Racially or religiously aggravated offences are steadily increasing                  |
| Crimes with vulnerable adult interest marker | 52                  | 56                     | 65                 | 59                | 74                   | 87                 |   |                   | Since March 2011, numbers per month have reached double figures which is a new trend |
| Crimes with domestic abuse interest marker   | 539                 | 558                    | 581                | 581               | 590                  | 559                |   |                   | Slight decreasing trend back to last years levels                                    |
| Countywide Priorities                        | Baseline and Target |                        | County Performance |                   | Redditch Performance |                    | Comments  |                   |  |
| Drugs and Alcohol                            | N/A                 |                        | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    | Measures still being formulated. Once measures approved and communicated to CSPs we will link them in with our local delivery measures to illustrate Redditch CSPs contribution to overarching priorities.. |                   |  |
| Anti-social Behaviour                        | N/A                 |                        | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    |   |                   |  |
| Domestic abuse                               | N/A                 |                        | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    |   |                   |  |

| Associated Projects                                  | Performance   | Further action  | Lead             |
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| Operation STAYSAFE & "Straightline" alcohol referral | Sep 2011 – SCB funding for STAYSAFE secured.<br>Oct 2011 – operational publicity developed and distributed in and around schools.<br>Nov 2011 – Redditch operation scheduled. | TBC: Straightline Police briefing via Divisional training days. | Police, YOS, CST |

| Associated Projects  | Performance   | Further action  | Lead                                     |
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| Protocols for young people attending hospital with alcohol or drug related conditions. | U18 hospital alcohol admissions<br>2009/10: 25<br>2010/11: 19<br>Jul 2010 – Jun 2011: 17<br><br>Oct 2011: Alcohol Liaison Nurse refers young people to relevant specialist services. 'Straightline' advice & support packs are available in the hospital – 15 have been given to young people and/or their parents in the last quarter by the Paediatrics department. |   | DAAT, WAHT                               |
| "Adults with chaotic lifestyles" protocols - report to RCSP                            | Aug 2011: Housing to provide written update to Nov 2011 meeting.  |   | RBC Housing, Police, Mental Health Trust |
| Develop community hate-incident reporting centres                                      | Hate incident reports received by RBC<br>2009/10 = 17<br>2010/11 = 23   | Autumn 2011: Deliver training to centres  | RAHP                                     |
| Schools hate-crime prevention workshops  | Mar 2011: Trial workshops at Trinity High School. 30 students involved, themes: perceptions, understanding own behaviour and attitudes, and questioning stereotypes.  | September 2011: Workshops to begin in one other Redditch high school.                             | RAHP                                     |
| "Keeping safe" workshops – learning disability   | June 2011: 2 <sup>nd</sup> workshop planned, concerns over take-up. RAHP are investigating.   | 2012: Set out RAHP response to Fiona Pilkington enquiry and EHRC report on disability hate crime. | RAHP                                     |
| Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Conference                                      | Feb 2011: Redditch conference held targeted at LGBT community, 20 delegates, bespoke drama commissioned.  | 2012: consider expanding focus to target high schools & college students.                         | RAHP                                     |

| Associated Projects  | Performance   | Further action   | Lead          |
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| New youth facility options - report to RCSP                                  | Sep 2011 – discussions around commercial uses for marketplace site.   | Keep under review.<br>Forthcoming changes to WCC Youth Services and Youth House. |               |
| Programme of Support for Mothers or Female Carers Affected By Domestic Abuse | 2010/11 & 2011/12: Total 26 participants over 3 cohorts. All 19 participants where data was available report increased ability to recognise abusive behaviours. | Programme will continue in 2011/12.  | RBC SureStart |
| Highlights/issues to raise   | <u>Operation STAYSAFE</u> : funding secured for Redditch and North Worcestershire operations.   |  |               |





| Partnership Priority  |                     | Reducing Re-offending and Restorative Justice |                    |                   |                      |                    |  |                   | Nov 2011  |
|---|---------------------|---|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|---|
| Measures  | Jul '09 - Jun '10   | Oct '09 - Sept '10                            | Jan '10 - Dec '10  | Apr '10 - Mar '11 | Jul '10 - Jun '11    | Oct '10 - Sept '11 | Jan '11 - Dec '11  | Apr '11 - Mar '12 | Comments  |
| Number of crimes where offender known to be under 18 years  | 442                 | 423   | 406                | 426               | 350                  | na                 |  |                   | Volume of offences by young people looks to be decreasing   |
| Number offenders under 18 more than one offence in period   | 69                  | 66  | 62                 | 63                | 56                   | na                 |  |                   | The volume of young offenders committing more than one offence is decreasing                            |
| Number unique offenders under 18                            | 298                 | 300   | 303                | 322               | 272                  | na                 |  |                   | The volume of young offenders is slightly decreasing  |
| Number offenders all ages more than four offences in period | 366                 | 353   | 346                | 351               | 326                  | na                 |  |                   | Overall offenders of all ages committing more than four offences in any twelve month period is reducing |
| Countywide Priorities                                       | Baseline and Target |   | County Performance |                   | Redditch Performance |                    | Comments   |                   |   |
| Re-offending  | N/A                 |   | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    | Measures still being formulated. Once measures approved and communicated to CSPs we will link them in with our local delivery measures to illustrate Redditch CSPs contribution to overarching priorities. |                   |   |
| Drugs and Alcohol   | N/A                 |   | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    |  |                   |   |

| Associated Projects                  | Performance  | Further action  | Lead                          |
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| Integrated Offender Management Group | Oct 2011: Community Payback and Communication work streams being developed.<br>Police and probation have "gone live" with a pilot IOM cohort (01/11/11) of 40 offenders. | Further discussion at IOM Strategy group on 23/11/11<br>IOM Workshop to be organised – 05/12/11<br>TBC: "Intelligence product" to be developed around the 40 offenders, | WCC, West Mercia<br>Probation |

| Associated Projects   | Performance  | Further action   | Lead             |
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| Alcohol Identification and Brief Advice training programme                | Oct 2011: Courses are available to professionals regularly throughout the year. Training is provided to staff in the hospital setting by the Alcohol Liaison Nurses (Worcester and Redditch). A new scheme to provide IBA through local pharmacies, including training, is currently being implemented throughout the county. 'Health chats' training also being rolled out.   |  | DAAT             |
| Implementation of a recovery focused, integrated drug and alcohol service | <p><u>Apr – Sept 2011:</u><br/>           240 individuals accessing specialist drug treatment in Redditch (which may include some Bromsgrove clients), 14 of whom have successfully left treatment (5.8%)<br/>           36 individuals accessing specialist alcohol treatment in Redditch (which may include some Bromsgrove clients), 15 of whom have successfully left treatment (42%).</p> <p>Embedding of new service slower than expected. Levels of client recovery lower than anticipated, however month-on-month improvements being seen. New Redditch Recovery Café is very well attended, with up to 40 individuals attending, and has established key links with Batchley Community Centre. Community activities have also started to develop including a bike recycling scheme and a fishing group.</p> | Nov & Dec 2011: Redditch premises are due to be opened, with a launch event planned. | DAAT             |
| Green space development projects & "Working Out"                          | Oct 2011: RBC has commissioned a restorative justice sculpture from HMP Hewell for installation in Overdale Park.  |  | RBC & HMP Hewell |

Highlights/issues to raise

Drug and alcohol recovery service – substantial progress.

**Notes:**

Crime Types

Crime data sourced from recorded crime using iQuanta.



| Partnership Priority   |                     | Safer Streets and Places |                    |                   |                      |                    |  |                   | Nov 2011   |
|--|---------------------|--------------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|--|
| Crime Types  | Jul '09 - Jun '10   | Oct '09 - Sept '10       | Jan '10 - Dec '10  | Apr '10 - Mar '11 | Jul '10 - Jun '11    | Oct '10 - Sept '11 | Jan '11 - Dec '11  | Apr '11 - Mar '12 | Comments   |
| Interpersonal Violence<br>(assault w/o injury, assault with less serious injury and most serious violence) | 1,105               | 1,090                    | 1,112              | 1,170             | 1,157                | 1,099              |  |                   | Assaults of all levels of severity reduced this quarter. YTD figure back to same level as last year  |
| Most serious violence  | 88                  | 91                       | 95                 | 99                | 91                   | 73                 |  |                   | Most serious violence reduced this quarter (lowest quarterly value for 18 months)  |
| Criminal damage  | 1,130               | 1,059                    | 1,059              | 1,017             | 1,067                | 1,102              |  |                   | Slight increases this quarter. YTD figure is 4% higher than last year.   |
| NTE related violence and public order offences   | 241                 | 218                      | 215                | 210               | 198                  | n/a                |  |                   | Average of 17 offences per month. This is a reduction from 20 per month compared to the same period previous year. Recent work indicates significant reductions in NTE crime and disorder. |
| Deliberate fires   | 147                 | 142                      | 135                | 130               | 136                  | 163                |  |                   | Volume of deliberate fires increased this quarter (Winyates)   |
| Bin Fires  | N/A                 | N/A                      | 37                 | 33                | 38                   | 41                 |  |                   | Volume of bin fires is increasing slightly   |
| Countywide Priorities  | Baseline and Target |                          | County Performance |                   | Redditch Performance |                    | Comments   |                   |  |
| Drugs and alcohol  | N/A                 |                          | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    | Measures still being formulated. Once measures approved and communicated to CSPs we will link them in with our local delivery measures to illustrate Redditch CSPs contribution to overarching priorities. |                   |  |
| ASB  | N/A                 |                          | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    | As above and to include Worcestershire Viewpoint perceptions data..  |                   |  |

| Associated Projects  | Performance   | Further action  | Lead                              |
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| Regulate licensed premises and the NTE                                     | Town Centre NTE violence & disorder offences:<br>2008/09 = 387; 2009/10 = 328; 2010/11 = 317<br>Jul 2011: North Worcestershire Licensing Forum disbanded. Multi-agency liaison now case-by-case.<br>Oct 2011: No update since last CSP meeting.   |   | North Worcs Licensing Forum (WRS) |
| Deliver Operation CAPITAL, support Redditch PubWatch & operate RBC CCTV    | Aug 2011: Concerns over Redditch PubWatch attendance and governance. Banned list potentially vulnerable to legal challenge.   |   | Police, RBC CCTV                  |
| Patient assault data sharing & hotspot targeting                           | Oct 2011: Alcohol related questions implemented in "Patient First" system. A&E system questions in trial format.  | TBC: Implementation meeting with WAHT. Begin routine data sharing | DAAT, Community Safety Team       |
| Make crime prevention representations on RBC Licensing Policy consultation | Sept 2010: Community Safety Team and Police make representations.<br>Dec 2010: WRS Licensing offer to introduce crime prevention appendix to Policy.<br>Aug 2011: No progress on Policy appendix but WRS Service Plan includes priority "Reducing Crime & Disorder"<br>Oct 2011: Head of Service level meeting set up to discuss. | Nov 2011: Head of Service meeting to be held.                     | WRS Licensing (Redditch)          |

| Associated Projects   | Performance  | Further action   | Lead   |
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| Promote "Secure By Design" standards & accreditation - Church Hill Centre Redevelopment | Oct 2011: Planning application approved following Police and CST input.  | Nov 2011: CST advisory role to Development Control to be enhanced.   | Police Crime Risk Advisor, Community Safety Team |
| Explore provisions for Community Safety funding within s106 agreements                  | Aug 2011: Not started.   | TBC: Set up dialogue with relevant departments.  | Community Safety Team                            |
| RoadWay arts - train station "Gateway mural"  | Oct 2011: Civil works & levelling complete.<br>Oct 2011: Phase 2 mural design process underway.  | Dec 2011: Mural phase 2 installation.<br>May 2012: Site opening event.   | Community Safety Team                            |
| RoadWay arts - bus shelter enhancements   | Oct 2011: Officer discussions around accessing funding via "Choose How You Move" for remaining 15 further non-brick RBC shelters over three years. | Nov 2011: Submit project costings to WCC.  | Community Safety Team                            |
| Street light improvements   | Sep & Oct 2011: No further action, no budget confirmed.  | Await budget confirmation.   | Community Safety Team                            |
| Arson prevention & refuse collection facilities programme                               | Jul 2010: Chedworth close bin node scheme implemented.<br>Oct 2010: Scheme damaged by arson. Replacement facilities installed.                     | Cost and effectiveness queries about extending programme.  | RBC Waste Collection, RBC Housing, HW Fire       |
| Gating orders – Crabbs Cross Lane   | Sep 2011 – Senior officers meet & WCC offer funding to support gate opening/closing costs for five years.  | TBC: RBC officers to seek delegated authority to implement and manage gating orders. Further community consultation. Installation. | WCC Highways, Community Safety Team              |

| Associated Projects       | Performance  | Further action  | Lead    |
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| Neighbourhood Action Days | Oct 2011: Next event planned for Smallwood in Nov 2011. Planning and co-ordination underway. | 2011/12: Two further events. Ongoing monitoring and evaluation. | HW Fire |

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| Highlights/issues: | <p><u>Gating orders</u> – WCC offer 50% funding for five years’ opening &amp; closing costs.</p> <p><u>RoadWay arts - bus shelter enhancements</u> – use of “Choose How You Move” funding to expand programme discussed.</p> |
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| Partnership Priority      |                     | Secure Homes       |                    |                   |                      |                    |  |                   | Oct 2011   |
|---------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|----------------------|--------------------|--|-------------------|--|
| Crime Types               | Jul '09 - Jun '10   | Oct '09 - Sept '10 | Jan '10 - Dec '10  | Apr '10 - Mar '11 | Jul '10 - Jun '11    | Oct '10 - Sept '11 | Jan '11 - Dec '11  | Apr '11 - Mar '12 | Comments   |
| Domestic burglary         | 272                 | 248                | 223                | 233               | 254                  | 262                |  |                   | Worse than this time last year.<br>14 more offences, 6% higher   |
| Criminal damage           | 1,130               | 1,059              | 1,059              | 1,017             | 1,067                | 1,102              |  |                   | Worse than this time last year<br>43 more offences, 4% lower   |
| Serious acquisitive crime | 877                 | 799                | 776                | 862               | 916                  | 976                |  |                   | Worse than this time last year<br>177 more offences, 22% greater (theft from vehicles 120 more offences, 31% higher) |
| Countywide Priorities     | Baseline and Target |                    | County Performance |                   | Redditch Performance |                    | Comments   |                   |  |
| Reducing re-offending     | N/A                 |                    | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    | Measures still being formulated. Once measures approved and communicated to CSPs we will link them in with our local delivery measures to illustrate Redditch CSPs contribution to overarching priorities. |                   |  |
| Domestic abuse            | N/A                 |                    | N/A                |                   | N/A                  |                    |  |                   |  |

| Associated Projects   | Performance   | Further action | Lead                  |
|-----------------------|---|----------------|-----------------------|
| Home Security Project | 2010/11: 20 home security assessments, 11 works offered. 22 other cases in which a service was provided.<br>2011/12 to Oct: 25 referrals, 16 works offered. Increased and more varied demand. Alternative contractor trial proceeding well. |                | Community Safety Team |

| Associated Projects                                    | Performance   | Further action  | Lead  |
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| Sanctuary Scheme                                       | 2010/11: 22 referrals, 13 progress to security works<br>2011/12 to Oct: Six referrals, five progress to works.<br>Met with Police Domestic Abuse Unit to renew joint-working.   | Introduce ongoing re-victimisation monitoring.<br>Strengthen procurement.   | Community Safety Team                             |
| Forensic Property Marking / SmartWater                 | Paid-for distribution:<br>2009/10 = 149 kits<br>2010/11 = 129 kits<br>2011/12 to Oct = six kits plus paid-for transfer of 66 to NHW<br>Sep 2011: Direct distribution event postponed to coincide with Community Action Day (Nov)<br>Oct 2011: Consultation with Police on CSP Forensic Property Marking strategy. | Nov 2011: Domestic lead theft project proposal to Tasking.<br><br>TBC: Complete setup of revictimisation monitoring database.                                       | Community Safety Team, Police                     |
| Multi-occupied blocks security – Winyates Centre       | Sep & Oct 2011: System installed, fobs issued to all residents, system goes live. CCTV captures footage of ASB in stairwell. No new drug-related litter, no public urination, substantial reduction in general litter.  | TBC: Clean and redecorate communal areas.<br>TBC: Mid-term review meeting.  | Community Safety Team, RBC Housing                |
| Multi-occupied blocks security – Beoley & Grange Court | Sep 2011: CCTV captures footage of flytipping, Rooftop Housing take enforcement action against tenant.<br>Oct 2011: Final inspection/sign-off meeting held.   | Nov 2011: Snagging complete.<br>TBC: Project board meeting to discuss publicity, community clear-up and monitoring & enforcement.<br>TBC: Community clear-up event. | Community Safety Team, Rooftop Housing, St Basils |

| Associated Projects                          | Performance   | Further action                    | Lead                  |
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| Multi-occupied blocks security – Dolben Lane | Apr 2010: Works installed.<br>Sep 2011: Door entry CCTV captures only footage of prolific arson suspect.  | 2011-12: Monitoring & evaluation. | Community Safety Team |
| Highlights/issues to raise                   | <u>Winyates Centre security:</u> Substantial works complete. Environmental improvements already apparent.<br><u>Beoley Court security:</u> Works behind schedule due to problems with door supplier and fencing sub-contractor. |                                   |                       |



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No Direct Ward Relevance

Panel

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## WORK PROGRAMME

(Report of the Chief Executive)

| Date of Meeting     | Subject Matter  | Officer(s) Responsible for report   |
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| <b>ALL MEETINGS</b> | <b>REGULAR ITEMS</b>  | <b>(CHIEF EXECUTIVE)</b>  |
|                     | Minutes of previous meeting<br><br>Minutes from recent meeting of the Redditch Community Safety Partnership's Strategic Board<br><br>Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel Action List<br><br>Referrals from Council or Executive Committee, etc. (if any)<br><br>Task & Finish Groups - feedback<br><br>Committee Work Programme | Chief Executive<br><br>Relevant Partnership representative(s)<br><br>Chief Executive<br><br>Chief Executive<br><br>Chief Executive<br><br>Chief Executive |
|                     | <b>REGULAR ITEMS</b><br><br>Annual Strategic Assessment – Executive Summary   | Relevant Partnership representative(s)  |

# Crime & Disorder Scrutiny

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| <b>OTHER ITEMS<br/>- DATE FIXED</b>         |  |   |
| 17th January<br>2012                        | Redditch Community Safety Partnership<br>Performance Management Report – Second<br>Quarter | Relevant Partnership<br>representative(s) |
| 17th January<br>2012                        | Redditch Community Safety Plan   | Relevant Partnership<br>representative(s) |
| 11th April<br>2012                          | Redditch Community Safety Partnership<br>Performance Management Report – Third<br>Quarter  | Relevant Partnership<br>representative(s) |
| 11th April<br>2012                          | Annual Report - Chair of the Redditch<br>Community Safety Partnership.                     |   |
| <b>OTHER ITEMS<br/>– DATE NOT<br/>FIXED</b> |  |   |