

**109. NORTH WORCESTERSHIRE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP -
PROPOSED MERGER**

RECOMMENDED that

- 1) Redditch Borough Council approve the merger of Redditch Community Safety Partnership with Bromsgrove Community Safety Partnership and Wyre Forest Community Safety Partnership resulting in the creation of a North Worcestershire Community Safety Partnership; and**
- 2) subject to endorsement by each of the Responsible Authorities of the merger, authority be delegated to Officers to take the necessary steps to implement the merger, including the establishment of governance arrangements and entering into any agreements, also subject to endorsement by the relevant Community Safety Partnerships.**