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Draft Delivery agreement

Safer Bristol Community Safety Officer

- Safer Bristol will work with the Neighbourhood Partnership to develop its Action Plan around community safety priorities (crime/disorder, drugs and alcohol harm and anti social behaviour) and deliver a programme of work in 2012/2013 to address the community safety issues identified through the Action Plan.
- Safer Bristol will report back on this Agreement at a NP meeting once a year, the date to be agreed by the NP.
- The Community Safety Officer acts as a single point of contact to wider Safer Bristol services and support for the Neighbourhood Partnership. The CSO will work within the NP area to gather local priorities to help inform the production of the Neighbourhood Profile within Safer Bristol's annual Crime & Disorder Strategic Assessment.
- The CSO acts as the problem-solving advisor to the NP, using the ID PARTNERS problem-solving process. The CSO will provide briefings on the Problem Solving Process on request.
- The CSO will support the delivery of Neighbourhood Forums and the forum process, tackling crime and community safety issues raised when appropriate.
- The CSO will work with communities and partners to resolve community issues around Crime and Community Safety as identified through NP groups, other local groups and residents.

Community Safety Priorities for the area:

The Safer Bristol Strategic Assessment provides recommendations for the Neighbourhood Delivery Teams across Bristol. The recommendations for the North Bristol NDT covering Bishopston, Redland and Cotham areas from the assessment are: Reduce Anti Social Behaviour, Burglary and Theft from Motor Vehicle.

Total recorded crime in the Neighbourhood Policing Area has reduced in recent years, in line with the citywide trend. The police in 2010/11, a decrease of 6.2% from the previous year recorded a total of 50,495 crimes. Moreover, in the year-to-date period from April to December 2011, there were 36,739 crime recorded, a further decrease of 5.1% compared to the same period in the previous year. From these figures it is estimated there will be around 49,000 crimes by the year end. Our strategic aim is to reduce total crime by 15% by 2014 (i.e. no more than 43,310 recorded incidents from the 2010 baseline).

In 2010/11 there were nearly 61,000 incidents of anti-social behaviour reported to the city's authorities, down 12% on 2009/10 figures. The Redland and Lockleaze Neighbourhood Policing Area had nearly 6,000 reported incidents of ASB in the period (a rate of 93 incidents per 1,000 population).

The Safer Bristol Strategic Assessment recommends that Dwelling Burglary and Theft From Motor Vehicle be targeted.

The common Neighbourhood Forum issues across the NP area are Traffic and Environment related. Issues relating inappropriate speeds of vehicles and cycling on the pavements have also been raised.

The CSO will support the area's NDT to act responsively to issues as they emerge by providing support around using the IDPARTNERS joint problem solving process and assisting in the development of problem solving plans.

Updates from the 2011/2012 Community Safety Delivery Agreement.

Priorities identified on the 2011/2012 Delivery Agreement were ASB, Burglary, Cycling on Pavements, Inappropriate Speeds of Vehicles and the work of the Neighbourhood Delivery Team.

Events attended during Freshers Week to discuss acceptable behaviour, including at Halls of residence. Multi-agency door knocking exercises on hotspot roads for complaints about students planned and carried out in October and November 2011. Visits carried out by Community Safety Office, Police, University Staff and BCC Cleansing. Purpose of visit to welcome students to the area and give relevant info about waste collections etc. 150 Properties visited, UWE have had no further complaints about properties visited during these exercises and UofB have had 2. Visits to be done again for the 2012/13 academic year, aiming to have the assistance of student volunteers. First Student Community Partnership meeting to co-ordinate any multi-agency activity required regarding students held 24th April 2012.

Completed evaluation of the Problem Solving Plan for Nuisance Caused by Houses of Multiple Occupancy.

ASB during Halloween and Bonfire night period reduced across the Neighbourhood Policing Area. The quality of life survey has shown that when asked residents in the NP area have increasing confidence in how the Police and Public Services deal with crime and ASB. In Bishopston in 2010 35.4% of residents felt that the Police and Local public services are successfully dealing with issues of crime and ASB in their area, in 2011 this rose to 42.6%. In Cotham the 2010 figure was 33.6% compared with 43.5% in 2011. Redland increased from 33.5% in 2010 to 36.4% in 2011.

Cycling/Bike awareness events attended at City of Bristol College and Southmead Hospital. Information also given to students during Freshers week. Cost of signage for the Gloucester Road investigated.

Hotspots locations identified for targeted work to reduce burglary in these locations. This also included hotspot locations for Theft From Motor Vehicles, to be targeted with 'Don't Bother' kits. Information given to students during Freshers Week, and during door knocking exercises. Currently carrying out surveys with students about the most effective methods of communicating crime reduction messages.

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Community Speed Watch scheme investigated and implemented. Laser Speed Gun sourced, and funding sourced for other equipment such as High Vis Jackets. 18 Residents trained to participate so far, with more volunteers to be trained shortly. Project set up jointly with residents from Stoke Bishop/Westbury on Trym and Henleaze. Roads risk assessed for watches so far are: Ashley Down Road, Cotham Brow, Kings Drive, Springfield Ave and Kellaway Avenue (8 roads in other NP area have also been risk assessed). Several other roads are awaiting risk assessment by the Road Policing Unit. Speed Watches have been conducted on Springfield Ave, Kings Drive, Ashley Down Road and Kellaway Avenue.

Created an index of all Problem Solving Plans currently in progress. Conducted two training sessions in Nov and Feb for staff who had not yet had Problem Solving Training.

Safer Bristol Transformers information sent to all secondary schools in Bristol, Youth Centres, Libraries and other local youth groups. In 2011 there were 18 successful projects across the city. None of these were from the BRC NP area, however Cotham School have expressed an interest in applying in the future.

Bishopston, Redland and Cotham Neighbourhood Partnership. Community Safety Officer Delivery Agreement

	Priority/ Issue		Proposed Action	Who is responsible – lead agencies and/or people	Timescale	Measure / Monitoring	Update
1	Serious Acquisitive Crime (SAC)	1.1	Support or lead on Problem Solving Plans to reduce Burglary and Theft from Motor Vehicle in Hot Spot Locations	Police/Safer Bristol	Ongoing	PSP Evaluation	
		1.2	Carry out seasonal Crime Reduction initiatives	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	No activities and events	
		1.3	Targeted walkabouts and Community safety surveys when required.	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	No activities and events	
		1.4	Support work on reducing the Student Population being victims of crime	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	No activities and events	
		1.5	Promote local initiatives to design out crime – e.g alley gating schemes and shed burglary schemes	Safer Bristol/Police	Ongoing	No activities and events	
2	Reduce the Fear of Crime and Increase	2.1	Co-ordinate multiagency walkabouts or door knocking exercises as required.	Safer Bristol	2012	No events delivered	
	Community Engagement	2.2	Reduce the fear of crime among vulnerable groups – attend clubs and events, interact with local elderly residents	Safer Bristol	2012	No events attended	

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		2.3	Encourage local people to engage and share intelligence. Increase awareness of reporting mechanisms	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	QoL outcomes	
		2.4	Attend Neighbourhood Forums to respond to community safety priorities and give advice to local residents on community safety and crime reduction matters	Safer Bristol	2012	Attendance at qtrly meetings	
		2.5	Increase positive 'You Said We did' key messages and publicity of Forums	Safer Bristol	ongoing	No of positive stories publicised	
3	Community Speed Watch	3.1	Continue to support the Neighbourhood Policing Team with the implementation and monitoring of CSW.	Police Safer Bristol	ongoing	No of watches, reduction in number of speeding vehicles	
4	Tackle ASB	4.1	Lead on location based ASB, Designing out crime. Consultation/engagement with residents, Work with partners as part of the Multi agency ASB group and NDT.	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	QoL survey ASB figures	
		4.2	Support work to reduce the impact on the community and victims.	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	No repeat and vulnerable victims	
		4.3	Promote Young transformers Increasing youth engagement by mentoring young people	Safer Bristol	2012	No Transformer bids	

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		4.4	Support bids for targeted activities to reduce ASB	Safer Bristol	2012	Bids to NDT/Wellbeing Fund	
		4.5	Work in partnership with both universities to improve student and resident relations. Create rolling programme of activities for each academic year	Safer Bristol	ongoing	Activities taken, events attended	
		4.6	Support Neighbourhood Police Team to tackle issues of Cycling on pavements	Police/Safer Bristol	ongoing	Activities taken, events attended	
		4.7	Support partner agencies in tackling environmental ASB such as Fly tipping and Fly posting	Safer Bristol	2012		
4	Facilitate Partnership Activity	5.1	Support partnership activity to address seasonal crime and disorder such as mischief week, Freshers Week, end of Uni Terms and the Olympics	Safer Bristol	2012	No awareness campaigns No incidents reported	
		5.2	Support NDT as IDPARTNERS champion, own PSP index and deliver problem solving training, offer training to the NP Members	Safer Bristol	Ongoing	No PSPs delivered. No partner's training needs met	
		5.3	Contribute local messages to Safer Bristol's marketing and communications forward plan	Safer Bristol	2012	No messages delivered	