



### Agenda Item No. 10

# **Dundry View Neighbourhood Partnership**

**Report of:** Caroline Hollies/Emily Smith Neighbourhood Working Coordinator

Title: Neighbourhood Working Priorities

Officer presenting report: Caroline Hollies / Emily Smith

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

To note the progress of Neighbourhood Working to date.

Following a survey of local residents in autumn 2013, eight Neighbourhood Working priorities were chosen by the Neighbourhood Partnership at the meeting in December 2013.

## 1. Neighbourhood Working issues with progress to date

Issue Progress to date

1	Obstructive and dangerous parking	A parking audit involving officers and local residents was carried out looking at illegal and obstructive parking on all streets across Dundry View. This identified forty two (42) streets to target for future education and enforcement action across the three wards. An audit of problem parking associated with Bridge Farm Primary School at school times am and pm took place over 3 days in June to give a baseline for the problem solving plan that has been started.
2	Dog fouling	No update
3	Anti-social behaviour	Illegal motorbike use of the Dundry Slopes and open spaces across Dundry View continues to be an issue. Two PCSO's are currently going through Biker training in South Bristol so they can target the problem bikes along with the Biker train Speed Watch training has been organised across the South of Bristol by the police. Places on the training offered to all residents who had expressed an interest in this issue previously. The police are in the process of carrying out risk assessments on the problem roads. Further resident volunteers were also sought at the recent round of Neighbourhood Forums where speeding was raised as an issue.
4	Drug and alcohol issues	An Action Plan is being written around drugs and alcohol issues across the whole of the South area after meeting with Police drugs coordinator.
5	Litter	No update
6	Flytip	A hotspot for litter and flytip and ASB was identified at Upjohn and Macey's Road. Following on from the day of action and clean up further community engagement, led by Knightstone Housing has come out of this, to get residents to take ownership of their local environment and report issues. Residents in the area next to the Dundry Slopes have come forward about clearing pathways of bramble and rubbish. Continued work to draw these residents together to improve the local area access and reduce the fly tip. Continued issue with fly tip in this area but since the work has taken place residents are contacting the council and housing association to report it.
7	Recycling	Chasing the contractor to install the recycling bins at the walk up flats, escalated the issue as time delay unacceptable.

8	Domestic Abuse	NWC attended a workshop to identify processes of engagement and gaps. An action plan is being written by Kate Roberts currently offering support to help take this forward

#### 2. Resident diaries

As a trial, at least 250 resident diaries were handed out/ delivered asking residents to note issues which related to the priorities over a two week period commencing 29<sup>th</sup> March only one resident responded which was disappointing, the conclusion is that these diaries are a useful tool, but only when residents are sufficiently engaged in a particular issue already. Sent to the NP mailing list, advertised on the NP website, delivered to residents on Grass Meers Drive (74), Longway Avenue (81 properties), Upjohn Crescent (70) Macey's Road (19), handed out at Whitchurch Park, Hartcliffe and Bishopsworth Forums (10)