



Horfield and Lockleaze Neighbourhood Partnership

Report of: Hayley Ash – North Area Neighbourhood Manager

Title: Neighbourhood Working Priorities Update

Officer presenting report: Hayley Ash

Recommendation:

- To note the up-date on the priorities

1. Back Ground

1.1 As outlined in previous reports, Horfield and Lockleaze Neighbourhood Partnership had been asked to formally agree up to 10 key local priorities for the Neighbourhood Working team to work on, these are detailed below.

2. Current Priorities

2.1 Cycling on pavements

On-going operations with the Police and PCSOs have taken place over the past quarter.

2.2 Emerson's Square

The basketball chain has been removed which reduces the noise of people playing, the tri signs have gone up. Calls after 10pm to the police have reduced to one so far this year. This is partly due to the partnership work between United Housing and the Wordsworth Centre in putting on Basketball sessions to engage those playing later into the evening. Further work needs to take place re the younger group and engagement activities are being planned over the summer.

2.3 Stoke Park/Purdown Mini Motors

The Police have been out on a number of occasions on their motor bike and have seized two motorbikes and reported 1 male for careless and inconsiderate driving during this year.

2.4 Parking problems around the new Southmead Hospital Site – the PCSOs have been regularly patrolling and dealing with this issue. We have discovered a further issue at the Dorian Rd entrance regarding cigretere litter. I have written to the facilities manager and am awaiting an answer.

2.5 Dorian Rd/Inkerman Close access and flooding improvements

Quotations for the path and furniture have been received and the project is going out to tender.

2.6 Dog fouling

147 homes have received educational materials in the Manor Farm area and 112 people have been spoken to. The issue seems to be focussed along the Rodbourne Rd area.

An operation in the Poets park area has also taken place, 358 homes were visited, and instances of dog mess sprayed, several homes have put the “This neighbourhood Says No” poster up and this has resulted in no instances of dog fouling being found on the second visit.

2.7 Overgrown Hedges

Work with Landlord Services as resulted in better management of hedges in the Manor Farm area.

The Neighbourhood working priorities will continue to be worked on whilst the Neighbourhood Plan is being developed.