

Feedback from Thematic Partnerships: March 2010

Thematic Partnership		
Community Safety Partnership		
Main Aims of the Partnership		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To conduct an annual Strategic Assessment. To develop and implement a rolling community safety plan. To encourage opportunities for better ways of working and joint working where appropriate. To influence partner agencies to mainstream community safety. 		
Emerging Priorities		
How can you make a difference?	1	Theft or Handling of Stolen Goods
	2	Road Traffic Collisions and Vehicle Nuisance
	3	Rowdy and Inconsiderate Behaviour, and Criminal Damage
	4	Drugs and Alcohol Misuse
	5	Violent Crime
	6	Neighbourhood Issues
	7	Fareham Community Safety Partnership Development
Links to Hampshire Local Area Agreement Priority Outcomes		
LAA Priority:	5	Theme E: Safer Communities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reduce anti-social behaviour Confidence in local Councils and Police Alcohol Related Public Violence Domestic Violence Reduce adult re-offending (PPO's) Tackle drug related offending Reduce the number of first time entrants to the Youth Justice System
Progress since December 2009		
<p>The current Partnership Plan (2008-2011) is monitored by the Community Safety Action Plan Performance Group on a quarterly basis and an update is provided to each meeting of the Community Safety Partnership. The plan contains the seven identified priorities that were reviewed and agreed by the Community safety Partnership at its meeting in June 2009. Good progress has been made on the majority of actions. A link to the latest Detailed Development Plans Updates – January 2010 is provided on the agenda for the LSP's Board Meeting of 9 March 2010.</p> <p>In addition to locally identified priorities, the new Partnership Plan has taken account of the Local Area Agreement (LAA) targets and National Indicators (NI) upon which the Partnerships performance will be judged.</p> <p>In terms of performance against other CDRPs, based upon crimes per 1000 residents, the Fareham Community Safety Partnership is the second best performing CDRP in Hampshire and in the top quartile when compared to other CDRPs in other local authorities from our most similar family group.</p> <p>In terms of the districts performance there has been a fall in all crime categories compared to the same period of the previous year for both the Fareham and Park Gate areas. There has been a greater decrease in the Fareham Borough area when compared to the Hampshire area as a whole in addition there is also a greater local detection rate.</p> <p>In a recent market research survey on how the police and local councils are dealing with anti social behaviour and crime issues, Fareham came in the top quartile of those authorities in Hampshire. Work is being undertaken to raise public awareness as to what and how the police and the Council are dealing with anti social behaviour and that communities have confidence that this is being targeted by the police and council.</p>		

The work undertaken on the upgrade of the Closed Circuit Television (CCTV) System is now complete and the enhanced digital recording and monitoring systems has enabled the production of better quality images and evidence.

For 2010/11 all Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnerships (CDRPs) in Hampshire will have 36.5% of their funding allocation, previously termed the Area Based Grant (ABG), allocated to activity jointly commissioned at County level. 48% of the previous ABG will be provided to individual CDRPs as a Local Flexibilities Grant (LFG) which in Fareham's case will be £56,100 and the remaining 15.5% will be used to fund the continuation of the current Prolific and Priority Offender (PPO) Schemes for one more year. This funding has been reported to the Fareham Community Safety Partnership but is still subject to the County Crime and Disorder Strategy Group's approval. A meeting of the County Strategy Group was held on the 4 March 2010 and a verbal update will be given to the Board in terms of any implications on the funding received.

The Local Flexibilities Grant can be used to support priorities, LAA targets and Fareham Community Safety Plan.

The Basic Command Unit (BCU) funding managed by the police has been confirmed as £58,000. 20% is to be top sliced and used on an Operational Command Unit (OCU) basis which leaves £46,400 that will be added to the LFG to provide the budget for the Fareham Community Safety Partnership.

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Fareham and Gosport PCT		Neil Lockett	
Hampshire Fire and Rescue		Pete Watson	
Hampshire Youth Service		Maureen Edwards	
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Meetings Held and Arranged			
Date:	21 st January 2010	Date:	22 April 2010
Date:	3 June 2010	Date:	2 September 2010
Date:	2 December 2010	Date:	