

## Minutes of the SH PPB Community Safety working party

Held on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> September 2009 at 5.00pm

Civic Suite, Runcorn Town Hall

**Present:** Cllr John Stockton (Chair), Cllr Pamela Wallace, Cllr Sue Edge, Alex Villiers, Howard Cockcroft, Cllr Linda Redhead, Mike Andrews, Stephen Temperley, Cllr Martha Lloyd-Jones, Janet Guy

Item	Details	Action
1	<b>Apologies:</b> Cllr Colin Rowan, Cllr Marie Wright, Inspector Simon Blackwell	
2	<b>Minutes of meeting 28<sup>th</sup> May 2009 and matters arising</b> Alcohol Licensing Officer started in post 4 weeks ago, Bill Seabury responsible for Off watch scheme reporting to Community Safety Manager. Accepted as a true record.	
3	<b>Community Safety Team (CST) structure and staffing developments</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• All Members to be informed of CST contact telephone numbers.</li> <li>• Community Safety Open Day to be arranged in October for Members and partners.</li> <li>• Further to MAPS work CST structure charts distributed and roles of staff discussed, full time posts with exception to Communication Officer post which is 2 days a week.</li> <li>• All Compass Team posts are new to CST along a number of other posts.</li> <li>• PCT are to fund a Youth Inclusion and Support Panel (YISP) Health Worker, due to health and well being affecting how families react.</li> <li>• Concerns over how safe posts are if not mainstream funded. Build on sustainability work is currently being undertaken, internal and external working creates cost savings.</li> <li>• Chair spoke of how CST's will never stay the same and are always evolving. Details of Performance Indicators requested for next meeting, MA confirmed a report would also be going to the November SH PPB.</li> </ul>	<p><b>MA/JG MA</b></p> <p><b>MA</b></p>
4	<b>CST funding streams and sustainability</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A Community Safety Partnership Funding sheet 2009/10, 2010/11 with project costs was distributed to the group. Funding received from many partners is targeted at specific projects.</li> <li>• Various funding will end in 2010, some continue to 2011, usually based on 2-3 year timescales.</li> <li>• Concerns over cuts, and what potential costs could be if money was not spent now to deliver and reach specific outcomes.</li> </ul>	
5	<b>Housing issues and anti-social behaviour (ASB) - Ste Temperley</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ste Temperley is currently in a secondment post within CST from Halton Housing Trust and has a knowledgeable background in ASB having worked as a Community Police Officer and an ASB Officer in St Helens and HBC prior to the transfer to HHT.</li> <li>• HHT Housing Officers deal with all issues and Ste's current role can offer ASB help and support to Officers and families via YISP and FIP(Family Intervention Project) and with the police, if problems persist ASB orders but help families to keep their tenancies. Database to be created and monitored on who has ASBO's in Halton, Police contact Ste if there are any breaches.</li> <li>• People who own or rent their homes via private landlords are able to contact Ste re: ASB various powers can be enforced. MA mentioned Clare Myring is producing a briefing note to be circulated to Members with relevant information/contact details and a contact telephone number for the public, to be advertised in Inside Halton.</li> </ul>	<b>MA/ CM</b>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• MA also looking at how we report ASB and a designated number and system to be developed, at present if HDL receives a call it will be passed on to CST.</li> </ul>	<b>MA</b>
<b>6</b>	<p><b>Update on working party on-going and planned business</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• ASB reporting (next agenda item)</li> <li>• Domestic Violence/Abuse Co-ordinator</li> <li>• ASB phase 2 issues and stats (next agenda item)</li> <li>• Monitoring Performance Indicators (next agenda item)</li> </ul>	
<b>7</b>	<p><b>Future meetings</b></p> <p>Next meeting to be held on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2009 at 4.45pm with refreshments.</p>	