

REPORT TO: Safer Policy & Performance Board

DATE: 19th November 2019

REPORTING OFFICER: Strategic Director, Enterprise, Community & Resources

PORTFOLIO: Community Safety

SUBJECT: Widnes Local Policing Unit (LPU)

WARD(S) Borough-wide

1.0 PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

1.1 To consider a presentation from Inspector Stokes outlining the work that is carried out in the Widnes Policing Unit.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION: That:

- i) the report be noted; and**
- ii) the Board consider the information presented and raise any questions of interest or points of clarification following the presentation.**

3.0 SUPPORTING INFORMATION

3.1 Inspector Becky Stokes who has recently taken over as the Inspector in charge of the Widnes LPU will make a presentation to the Board on the work carried out by that unit.

3.2 For Board Members information, the wards that comprise the Widnes LPU are:

- Appleton
- Birchfield
- Broadheath
- Ditton & Hale
- Farnworth
- Halton View
- Hough Green
- Kingsway
- Riverside

4.0 POLICY IMPLICATIONS

4.1 There are no policy implications contained in this report

5.0 **FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

5.1 None.

6.0 **IMPLICATIONS FOR THE COUNCIL'S PRIORITIES**

6.1 **Children & Young People in Halton**

The Community Safety Service as a universal service impacts on the health, safety and wellbeing of young people.

6.2 **Employment, Learning & Skills in Halton**

None identified.

6.3 **A Healthy Halton**

The Community Safety Service as a universal service impacts on the health, safety and wellbeing of the residents of Halton.

6.4 **A Safer Halton**

The Community Safety Service as a universal service impacts on the health, safety and wellbeing of the residents of Halton.

6.5 **Halton's Urban Renewal**

None identified.

7.0 **RISK ANALYSIS**

7.1 None identified.

8.0 **EQUALITY AND DIVERSITY ISSUES**

8.1 None identified.

9.0 **LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS UNDER SECTION 100D OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972**

None.