

TONBRIDGE & MALLING BOROUGH COUNCIL
COMMUNITIES AND HOUSING ADVISORY BOARD

08 June 2016

Report of the Director of Central Services

Part 1- Public

Matters for Recommendation to Cabinet - Non-Key Decision (Decision may be taken by the Cabinet Member)

1 COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP PLAN 2016/17

The Community Safety Partnership (CSP) is required to produce a Partnership Plan on an annual basis in order to inform the public about its priorities for the forthcoming year. This paper gives Members a chance to view the Plan and give comments.

1.1 The Community Safety Partnership Plan 2016/17

1.1.1 The Tonbridge & Malling Community Safety Partnership (CSP) produces an annual action plan which sets out the objectives that the Partnership will work towards to address crime and anti-social behaviour issues in the Borough over the coming year. The Plan is based on a Strategic Assessment that looks at current data and trends to address the priorities for the Borough in reducing and tackling crime and disorder.

1.1.2 This year the CSP has agreed to focus on Safeguarding (to incorporate domestic abuse, vulnerable people, child sexual exploitation and counter terrorism); Public Safety (to incorporate anti-social behaviour, environmental crime and road safety); and Health and Wellbeing (to incorporate substance misuse and mental health).

1.1.3 A copy of the CSP Plan 2016/17 is attached at Annex 1 and includes an update on progress made to the actions contained in our action plan last year, information about initiatives carried out during the year and actions to be carried out during 2016/17.

1.2 Legal Implications

1.2.1 It is a statutory requirement (Police and Justice Act 2006) for the Community Safety Partnership to produce an annual plan and publish this for the public.

1.3 Financial and Value for Money Considerations

1.3.1 Any funding requirements are provided through the Community Safety Partnership.

1.4 Risk Assessment

1.4.1 All risk assessments are undertaken as appropriate.

1.5 Equality Impact Assessment

1.5.1 The decisions recommended through this paper have a remote or low relevance to the substance of the Equality Act. There is no perceived impact on end users.

1.6 Policy Considerations

1.6.1 Crime & Disorder Reduction

1.7 Recommendations

1.7.1 That the Community Safety Partnership Plan 2016/17 as set out in Annex 1 **BE SUPPORTED AND ENDORSED.**

The Director of Central Services confirms that the proposals contained in the recommendation(s), if approved, will fall within the Council's Budget and Policy Framework.

Background papers:

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Nil

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