

Report No. 7

Report to Policy and Resources Committee 8th October 2013

Community Safety Policy

1. Purpose of the report
To request agreement by the Committee to a working party to draw up an a strategic Community Safety Policy for future approval by Full Council.

2. Background
There are many aspects to Community Safety, such as the installation of CCTV, supporting anti drug initiatives, helping to reduce ASB and also Emergency Planning. Many of the initiatives such as Emergency Planning and the provision of CCTV have already being worked on, but without the benefit of a co ordinated strategic policy. Consideration should also be given to providing an annual budget to support this.

3. Proposal
To agree to the setting up of a working party to formulate an over all and strategic policy on Community Safety for recommendation to full Council.

Our policies must be developed in conjunction with the Wiltshire Council and Government policy.

4. Financial implications and risks
Expenditure unlikely to arise from the work to formulate a policy. No other risks are forseen at this stage.

5. Recommendations
Members are requested to agree the actions proposed.

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30th September 2013