Service Improvement Plan (abridged) – 2009/ 2012 Development and Neighbourhood Services Community Protection

Theme: Safer Communities Development Priority: CP1: Deliver community safety priorities to reduce crime and the fear of crime **Key actions** By when **Outcomes and Success Criteria** CP1.1. Monitor progress for Safer Stockton Partnership Quarterly **Outcomes** and its sub-groups agenda via progressing: monitoring over a three-year All plans updated and delivered as appropriate, and (a) Community Safety Plan period continuation funding package for domestic violence (b) ASB Strategy services agreed and put in place (c) Domestic Violence Reduction Strategy (d) Alcohol Harm Minimisation Plan • Reduction in the fear of crime among residents (as (e) Reducing Re-offending Action Plan evidenced by the IPSOS Mori Survey 2010 results **CP1.2.** Address issues of reassurance and fear of crime Summer 2010 **Success Criteria** (as identified by IPSOS Mori Survey 2008) (ahead of IPSOS Mori Survey • Achievement of Local Area Agreement targets on: 2010) CP1.3. Finalise merger of Safer Stockton Partnership 31st May 2009 NI 15 – serious violent crime rate (targets to be and Stockton Drug Action Team Steering Group determined following 2008/09 outturn) NI 17 – perceptions of anti-social behaviour as a problem (reduce to 26% by 2010/11) NI 33 - arson incidents (reduce to 81.9 primary and

secondary fires per 10,000 population by 2010/11)

• Achievement of other Community Safety Plan

targets

Theme: Safer Communities

Development Priority: CP2: Ensure our residents are safe

Key actions	By when	Outcomes and Success Criteria
CP2.1. Resolve financial pressures in Security Services CP2.2. Update and deliver Trading Standards and Licensing Plan with quarterly monitoring of progress CP2.3. Implement improvements from the review of Private Hire and Hackney Carriage Licensing Policy CP2.4. Deliver Environmental Health statutory plans with quarterly monitoring of progress CP2.5. Prepare provisional programme for modernising infrastructure for CCTV equipment, including preparations for switch to digital recording CP2.6. Ensure necessary emergency planning measures are in place	31 st March 2010 31 st March 2010 31 st March 2010 31 st March 2010 30 th April 2009	 Outcomes Improved protection for consumers Success Criteria Plans delivered: Food Safety Enforcement Plan 2009/10 Health and Safety Enforcement Plan 2009/10 Contaminated Land Strategy 2009/10 Animal Health Plan 2009/10 Environmental Protection Plan 2009/10 Animal Welfare Plan 2009/10 Trading Standards and Licensing Plan 2009/10 All CCTV recording systems updated to digital formats by March 2012

Theme: Safer Communities

Development Priority: CP3: Tackle and prevent anti-social behaviour, offensive incidents and domestic violence

Key actions	By when	Outcomes and Success Criteria	
CP3.1. Monitor progress for Safer Stockton Partnership and its sub-groups agenda: (a) Anti-social behaviour (b) Domestic Violence Reduction Strategy	Quarterly monitoring over a three-year period	Outcomes • All plans updated and delivered as appropriate, and continuation funding package for domestic violence services agreed and put in place	
CP3.2. Establish a Traveller's transit site	Site operational by 30 th April 2012	Reduction in the fear of crime among residents (as evidenced by the IPSOS Mori Survey 2010 results) Success Criteria	
		 Achievement of Local Area Agreement targets on: NI 17 – perceptions of anti-social behaviour as a problem (reduce to 26% by 2010/11) Achievement of ASB and domestic violence 	

CP4.3. Continued roll-out of Telecare programme

CSCI (Commission for Social Care Inspection)

registrations, as required

CP4.4. Retain TSA (Telecare Services Association) and

Theme: Safer Communities Development Priority: CP4: Develop business opportunities Key actions By when **Outcomes and Success Criteria** CP4.1. Develop effective marketing programmes for key 31st March 2012 **Outcomes** services: Service delivery and financial performance (a) Care Call Community Alarms; stabilised over the three-year period (b) Telecare: (c) Domiciliary Care (NB. subject to review) CP4.2. Improved delivery of planned care services 31st March 2012 (taking account of any de-commissioning of domiciliary care services)

31st December

31st March 2012

2009

Theme: Safer Communities

Development Priority: CP5: Address cost pressures and "de-pooling" within the Housing Revenue Account

Key actions	By when	Outcomes and Success Criteria
CP5.1. Consult as necessary with residents and workforce on further changes to the Concierge Service	30 th April 2009	Outcomes
CP5.2. Secure Cabinet approval for any further changes to the Concierge Service	30 th June 2009	Service delivered in line with the five-year plan for the Housing Revenue Account, achieving continuing savings whilst maintaining minimal levels of crime and disorder within blocks of flats and maintaining high levels of customer satisfaction
CP5.3. Implement changes and secure efficiencies	31 st March 2010	

Theme: Safer Communities and Stronger Communities

Development Priority: CP6: Support the delivery of National Counter Terrorism Strategy

Key actions	By when	Outcomes and Success Criteria
CP6.1. Detailed multi-agency programme of action in place for the PREVENT strategy (the prevention of violent extremism)	30 th April 2009	 Outcomes PREVENT Strategy successfully implemented
CP6.2. Establish and support the Stockton "Silver" group	31 st March 2010	Success Criteria
CP6.3. Implement programme of action	31 st March 2010	Absence of terrorist incidents in, or involving people
CP6.4. Review programme of action and delivery	31 st March 2010	from, Stockton-on-Tees.
CP6.5. Support the Police in identifying and reducing the vulnerability of crowded places to terrorist attack	31 st March 2010	NI 35 – Building resilience to violent extremism – successful assessment of progress
		NI 36 – Protection against terrorist attack – reduction in the level of vulnerability of crowded places that are assessed at the highest risk of terrorist attack

Theme: Organisational Development – Corporate Health

Development Priority: CP7: Undertake all relevant actions within the Council's Equality Plans and other cross – cutting strategic plans

Key actions	By when	Outcomes and Success Criteria
CP7.1. Implement the findings of the Customer First Stage II Standard assessment report and work towards the achievement of the Customer Excellence Standard CP7.2. Undertake all relevant actions within Carbon Management Programme and the Climate Change Action Plan	31 st March 2010 31 st March 2010	Outcomes Outcomes relating to the improved accessibility of services to all people and improved community cohesion
CP7.3. Support the delivery of improved and/or reduced cost services through the Council's Efficiency, Improvement and Transformation Programme (EITP) (The Year 1 programme includes reviews of Regulation and Enforcement, Advice and Information Provision, Domestic Violence, and Communication, Consultation and Engagement)	31 st March 2012	 Success Criteria At least 0.5 day reduction in sickness absence from 2008/09 outturn 90% of staff receive annual appraisal Achievement of the Council's target to reduce its carbon emissions by 25% by 2013
CP7.4. Reduce sickness absence	31 st March 2010	Improved standards of data quality
CP7.5. Ensure staff receive an annual appraisal	31 st August 2009	
CP7.6. Implement the relevant actions from the Council's Data Quality Strategy	31 st March 2010	
CP7.7 Ensure all staff have undergone relevant training on race, faith, belief and diversity	31 st March 2010	