

Minutes
The Eastern Area Partnership Board (EAPB)
Tuesday 29th January 2013, 9.30 a.m at Five Lamps

Members: Graeme Oram (GO Chair), Five Lamps, Cllr Large (TL Vice Chair) Tom Bowman (TB) – Ingleby Barwick Town Council, Dorothy Fairhurst (DF) – Over 50's Assembly, Nassar Hussain (NH) – Cleveland Police, Cllr Stott (TS) – SBC, Cllr Sylvia Walmsley (SW) – SBC and Les Hodge (LH) – Stainsby Beck
 *Members are representing their nominating body.

Advisors:
 Sophie Haste (SH), Sarah Bowman (SB), Cllr Derrick Brown (DB) -

Apologies:
Members: Doug Nicholson, Meg Collins, Carol Adams
Advisors/ Observers: Cllr Steve Walmsley

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1. Welcome and Introductions GO welcomed members to the Eastern Area Partnership Board.		Noted
2. Apologies Apologies were noted.		Noted
3. Declarations of Interest None		Noted
4. Minutes of previous meeting Minutes from previous meeting held on the 30 th October 2012 were agreed as a true and accurate record subject to adding Cllr Sylvia Walmsley to the apologies.		Agreed
5. Matters Arising TB wanted to know if the Police Blitz of Ingleby Barwick had taken place.		Nassar Hussain will investigate and feedback.
6. Minimum Unit Price Consultation – Sarah Bowman Consultation is currently out for the minimum unit price for alcohol and will end on 6 th		Noted

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<p>February 2013. Public Health are supporting a minimum price of 45p to be put on each unit of alcohol. Current taxation on each unit varies from 12p- 45p and beyond and varies from supermarket to pub.</p> <p>This is just one intervention to help to tackle the problem. Board members discussed the potential increase in shop lifting and other crimes and identified how it would be great to see the money put back for local benefit.</p> <p>Members are encouraged to feed into the consultation period. GO will respond on behalf of the EAPB</p>		<p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p>
<p>7. Police Update – Inspector Nassar Hussain</p> <p>Inspector Nassar Hussain introduced himself to the EAPB as the new Neighbourhood Inspector for Thornaby Area. NH provided crime stats for December and November 2012 compared with the same time in 2011 for all areas within Thornaby and Ingleby Barwick. Stainsby Hill has seen a slight increase in number of crimes since last year, with incidents of Criminal Damage on the increase. Members of the public in and around these areas were encouraged to report any information</p> <p>Mandale and Victoria has seen a decrease in the number of crimes compared to last year, with an increase seen in Handling Stolen Goods.</p> <p>Ingleby Barwick East and West has seen a huge reduction in the number of crimes compared to last year. Village Ward has seen a slight reduction in total number of crimes.</p> <p>Overall Ingleby Barwick has seen an increase in garage break ins, and had four in one night, however Police were quick to respond and made an arrest following this. Five people were arrested for racially motivated crime and the relevant action is being taken.</p> <p>NH encouraged members and residents to report information to the Police as it enables them to build up an evidence base and intelligence.</p> <p>SW identified how pleased she was that Neighbourhood Policing was continuing as she has seen a massive benefit since it was implemented. NH identified the effect shoplifting was</p>		<p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>Noted</p> <p>SH to circulate NH email address to Board members.</p> <p>Noted</p>

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8. Mandale and Victoria Community First SH provided the Board with an update on the Mandale and Victoria Community First panel which is looking for new or existing voluntary or community groups to apply for funding up to £2500 for projects which meet the priorities of the panel. Guidance and further information was circulated. SH encouraged members to spread the word and encourage applications. SH to provide an update at the next meeting,		Noted Noted
9. Meeting Dates, Times and Venues 2013 Meeting dates were circulated around the Board for all EAPB meetings for 2013		Noted
10. Any Other Business None		Noted
11. Date of Next Meeting Tuesday 26 th March 2013, 9.30 a.m at Five Lamps		Noted