

Housing and Community Safety Select Committee

Review of the Neighbourhood Enforcement Service

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 17 September 2007

Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

The Committee have examined the first annual report on the Service which was produced by the Head of Community Protection, and have also received a presentation on the work of the Service from the Security Services Manager.

During August various consultation exercises have been undertaken. These have included Viewpoint focus group, staff discussion groups, Members going out on patrol with the Service, site visits and an all-Member survey.

The Committee aim to consider this evidence and draft recommendations on 18 September, with a view to agreeing the final report later in the month.

Timescale for Review

The review is on schedule and is due to report to Cabinet on 25 October.

Monitoring

The Choice Based Lettings action plan was agreed by the Committee in June, and the progress report is due in December.