

Housing and Community Safety Select Committee

Update to Executive Scrutiny Committee – 24 March 2009

Review of Neighbourhood Policing/Neighbourhood Watch/Outward facing aspects of CCTV

Update on Progress (including issues/problems/successes)

At the meeting of 29 January, the Committee considered the role of the Council's CCTV network. On 12 February evidence was received from the Chief Inspector responsible for Neighbourhood Policing.

At a meeting on 27 February, the Committee considered the results of its consultation and the summary of evidence, and drafted recommendations.

Consultation has taken place with residents (via MORI, and focus groups), area partnerships, Neighbourhood Watch co-ordinators, resident groups, parish and town councils, and all Members.

Timescale for review

The Committee agreed the final report at a meeting on 12 March and the review is scheduled to report to Cabinet in April 2009.

Monitoring

There have been no recent monitoring reports submitted to the Committee.