

**Safer Stockton Partnership
 Scanning and Challenge Group
 13 October 2010**

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Apologies: Ian Harrington

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| 1. | <p><u>Funding</u></p> <p>Agreed schedule of high/medium/low to take to next SSP as a basis for discussion. Noted also issue on expiry of YCAP, notably impact on police overtime budgets, and Nick Herbert MP response to David Blunkett MP of 12 October. Also had preliminary discussion on prioritisation within the 'high' category. Consensus on need to retain IOM Manager and some police overtime, need further discussion on how to distribute remainder between DV and ASB.</p> | MB |
| 2. | <p><u>Consultation</u></p> <p>Considered analysis of first 2,149 responses. Key factors include first appearance of Alcohol in main priorities, and Drugs slipping down to number 4. Reflects shift in public opinion/consensus, and also relatively well-developed drugs services when compared to alcohol.</p> | |
| 3. | <p><u>SSP Draft Agenda 9 November</u></p> <p>Considered, with particular reference to items on Stockton Town Centre and Funding Prospects (to cover 1 above plus 'Safe at Home' scheme).</p> | |
| 4. | <p><u>Value of this Group</u></p> <p>Agreed value in continuing – need to maintain multi-agency cohesion in context of resource pressures and any tendency to retreat towards 'core business'.</p> | |