

Safer Stockton Partnership

A meeting of Safer Stockton Partnership was held on Tuesday, 26th July, 2016.

Present: Cllr Steve Nelson (Chair), Steven Hume (Community Safety - SBC), Gilly Marshall (Thirteen), Kerry Anderson (Public Health - SBC), Angela Connor (Adult Care - SBC), Jamie McCann (SBC), Dave Sutherland (Cleveland Police), Sharon Barnett (National Probation Service), John Bentley (Safe in Tees Valley), Steve Johnson (Cleveland Fire Brigade), Emily Harrison (Cleveland Police), Rachelle Kipling (PCC), Barry Coppinger (PCC)

Officers: Claire Sills (Community Safety - SBC), Gayle Nertney (Democratic Services - SBC)

Also in attendance:

Apologies: Cllr Jim Beall, Miriam Sigsworth (Youth Offending Team), Jane Humphreys (SBC), Steve Rose (Catalyst)

SSP 1/16 **Declarations of Interest**

There were no declarations of interest

SSP 2/16 **Minutes of Safer Stockton Partnership 21 June 2016**

The minutes were agreed as true record.

SSP 3/16 **Matters Arising**

There were no matters arising

SSP 4/16 **Any Other Business - identification only**

There was no other business identified.

SSP 5/16 **Minutes of Stockton Adult Safeguarding Board**

Minutes were not available at time of this meeting.

SSP 6/16 **Minutes of Stockton Children's Safeguarding Board**

Minutes were not available at time of this meeting.

SSP 7/16 **Community Safety Q1**

Targets from the Community Safety Plan 2014 – 2017 were presented to the Partnership, with a brief overview.

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No details were issued in relation to Item 3.1 and 3.2 due to lack of data, however it was advised that there was a meeting later in the week with the Probation Service where discussions would take place in order to obtain the data.

Item 6.1 was not measured due to lack of data. Community Safety to work with Cleveland Police Vulnerability Unit in order to address.

**SSP
8/16**

Feedback following Community Meeting : 14 July 2016

Members were advised that the meeting was attended, by a number of community groups, however it was noted that attendees from places of worship was low.

To look at the wider community engagement, and the possibility of arranging a series of events that the whole community can get involved with.

A follow up meeting has been arranged for August by Catalyst. To look at doing some more project specific work around community engagement – looking initially at the Parkfield area. Also to investigate re-establishing the BME network. Further updates to be reported back to the partnership.

**SSP
9/16**

PCC - Police and Crime Plan

The Partnership received a presentation from Barry Coppinger, Police and Crime Commissioner, in relation to the Stockton Community Safety Partnership.

The main issues discussed were as follows:

- Police and Crime Plan 2016 – 2020
- Investing in Policing
- A better deal for victims
- Tackling re-offending
- Working together to make Cleveland safer
- Securing the future of our communities
- Funding Contributions locally
- Stockton – Community Safety Initiatives Fund.....last 12 months
- Future Commissioning

**SSP
10/16**

Revised Alcohol Strategy for Stockton

A report was presented to the Partnership detailing tackling alcohol related harm in Stockton-on-Tees.

Both the Safer Stockton Partnership and the Health and Well-being Board have committed to exploring the means to tackling alcohol harm in Stockton-on-Tees.

Within the report, the scale of the problem within the region, in particular within the Borough of Stockton was discussed.

Included within the report were the costs that alcohol had on industry due to reduced productivity, staff absence and the inability to work.

The cost to the public sector was also highlighted due to anti-social behaviour, violence and crime, morbidity and mortality, treatment and care.

The likely causes of the increase in alcohol consumption were discussed, including the affordability, availability, cultural change, information and

knowledge.

Detailed within the report was how the causes of alcohol related harm would be tackled in Stockton by:

- 1- Advocating for and implementing evidence based policy and practice
- 2- Maximising the preventative impact of our local legislative powers
- 3- Challenging the culture of acceptance of alcohol and associated harm; our alcohol-related attitudes and behaviour
- 4- Strengthening the role and impact of ill-health prevention

A proposed multi-agency working group is to be established in order to coordinate the development and delivery of their commitments.

It was agreed that Cleveland Fire Brigade join the multi-agency working group, in order that they can share their data for fire related incidents and deaths as a result from alcohol.

SSP 11/16 Reports : Local Strategic Partnership / Adult Wellbeing Partnership / Children & Young People's Partnership

- a) Local Strategic Partnership
- b) Adult Wellbeing Partnership
- c) Children and Young People's Partnership

Members were asked to note the content within the documents.

SSP 12/16 Date of Next Meeting : Tuesday 13 September 2016 at 9.30am

Date of next meeting –Tuesday 13th September 2016 at 9.30am at Jim Cooke Conference Suite.

SSP 13/16 Criminal Damage

A Quarterly Review report was presented to the Partnership, providing details of criminal damage/ASB between April 2016 and June 2016 within the borough of Stockton-on-Tees.

AGREED that the report be noted.

SSP 14/16 Hate Crime Overview

A report was presented to the Partnership, advising members with information around 'Hate Crime' Nationally, Regionally and Locally, discussing key recommendations.

AGREED that the report be noted.

**SSP
15/16** **Recorded Crime & Disorder**

A report was presented to the Partnership providing an overview on crime and anti-social behaviour between April 2016 and June 2016 in the borough of Stockton-on-Tees.

AGREED that the report be noted.

**SSP
16/16** **Domestic Abuse Report**

A report was presented to the Partnership, providing an overview of domestic abuse within the borough of Stockton between April 2015 and March 2016, and key findings were discussed.

A separate Agenda Item is to be arranged to discuss Operation Encompass.

AGREED that the report be noted.