



Crime and Community Safety Briefing Paper Trowbridge Community Area Board 26th January 2012

1. Neighbourhood Policing

Current Priorities:

Up-to-date details of the current news about Neighbourhood Policing Teams, including, profiles, priorities and forthcoming community consultation events can be found on the Wiltshire Police Website.

□ Visit the new and improved website at: <u>www.wiltshire.police.uk</u>

Team News:

PC Paul Woolley has resigned as of 16 January. A selection process has been commenced to find a replacement.

PCSO Luke Barnett has joined the Team after completing his basic training. He will now undertake a period of tutorship under PCSO Pete Tscherniawsky before commencing independent patrols.

Mrs Joy Hillyer is an Independent Member of the Wiltshire Police Authority and has the responsibility for overseeing policing matters in the Community Area. She can be contacted via Wiltshire Police Authority: 201380 734022 or

http://www.wiltshire-pa.gov.uk/feedback.asp

2. Performance

Performance continues to be good. There is a **5%** overall reduction in reported crime levels across the Community Area. Particularly pleasing are the significant **23%** and **17%** reductions in Dwelling Burglaries and Violence against the Person and the increase in overall Detections to **32%**.

The table below provides further statistical information.

| | Crime | | | | Detections | |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|--------|--------|------------|----------|
| | December | December | | | December | December |
| Trowbridge | 2009 - | 2010 - | Volume | % | 2009 - | 2010 - |
| | November | November | Change | Change | November | November |
| | 2010 | 2011 | | | 2010 | 2011 |
| Violence Against the Person | 742 | 615 | -127 | -17% | 49% | 50% |
| Dwelling Burglary | 185 | 143 | -42 | -23% | 21% | 28% |
| Criminal Damage | 602 | 574 | -28 | -5% | 13% | 18% |
| Non Dwelling Burglary | 158 | 172 | 14 | 9% | 8% | 5% |
| Theft from Motor Vehicle | 170 | 180 | 10 | 6% | 23% | 7% |
| Theft of Motor Vehicle | 66 | 72 | 6 | 9% | 17% | 31% |
| Total Crime | 3106 | 2962 | -144 | -5% | 30% | 32% |
| Total ASB | 2151 | 2465 | 314 | 15% | | |

Table 1 – Reported Crime Figures1st December 2009 – 30th November 2011

Wiltshire Police are compared against a group of 8 most similar forces. Wiltshire Police have performed better than peers for All Crime and for Violent Crime in the previous 12 month period (Nov 2010 - Oct 2011)

*Total Crime comprises all Crime Groupings listed above and also includes Theft and Handling, Fraud and Forgery, Robbery and Sexual Offences ** Detections include both Sanction Detections and Local Resolution

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