

<b>Area Board Project</b>
<b>1. What is the Initiative?</b>
To install CCTV ducting while road works are taking place in Melksham town centre to save resources and time and disruption in the future. This is to facilitate urgent improvements to the inadequate CCTV system currently installed in order to provide the police with a valuable and much needed 'tool' to help them police effectively. The police wholly support this initiative.
<b>2. Where is the initiative taking place?</b>
Melksham town centre
<b>3. When will the initiative take place?</b>
From 13 <sup>th</sup> September for a period of up to 9 weeks
<b>4. What are the Community benefits/evidence of need/links to Community Plan/Community Issue?</b>
CCTV is now firmly on the Melksham Area Community Safety Group's agenda and it is their and our view, and that of the police, that enhancements CAN be achieved without jeopardising any future links or scheme plans by making sure that the National CCTV Strategy is taken into account.  This is issue no.1224 on the issues system.
<b>5. What is the desired outcome of this initiative?</b>
Although a relatively short run of ducting is involved this is a major step towards being able to site additional cameras at key points in the town. Positions are being advised by an independent consultant who is well-qualified in public space CCTV and has previously carried out work for the Town Council.
<b>6. Who will Project Manage this initiative?</b>

Wiltshire Council as Client. Steve Hind is the officer contact at County Hall.

**7. Costs/quotes/ match funding?** (total cost £5k require 1 quote, total cost £5k-25k require 3 quotes)

See separate sheet for full quote. Total project cost is £2781.32

**8. Additional information**

Melksham Town Council is meeting 50% of the cost.