

GOOD NEWS STORY: UPDATE



Over the past few weeks, we received reports of crime and Anti-social behaviour linked to know persons attending, and then against a housing associations wishes residing within an address in Ridgemean in Calne.

PCSO Nicole Sheppard, and Community Co-ordinator PC Steve Carroll have been working closely with Green Square Housing in relation to this issue. They have been working together in partnership to gather evidence, and to reduce the impact this behaviour was having on the local residents.

On Friday 22nd June, injunctions were issued by the Courts to prevent these persons from entering the property or any part of the residential complex, and a failure to adhere to those conditions would mean any of the named persons would be arrested.

At the time of the Police and Housing visit a wanted male was also located within the complex. He was arrested for two separate unrelated offences and conveyed to Melksham Custody.

This male has was sentenced to 18 weeks in prison and has also been given a 2 year criminal behaviour order

North Wiltshire Community Co-ordinator PC Steve Carroll says: "This is a fine example of partnership working between Calne Police and Green Square Housing.

We take all reports of Anti-social Behaviour seriously – the effects of crime and Anti-social Behaviour can be distressing, upsetting and extremely disruptive to local residents and the wider community. We will act on information we receive, and where appropriate liaise with our partner Agencies to find the best long term workable solution to any issue.

I would to urge anyone who suffers Anti-social Behaviour linked to a housing association property, like in this instance to contact their local housing association officer, and Wiltshire police where necessary on the number 101."