

Welcome to South West Wiltshire Area Board

- Online meeting - 30 September 2020
- Chairman, Cllr Jose Green

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Chairman's Announcements

- Area Board Boundary Review – consultation
- Track & Trace App
- Tisbury Swimming Club Update (Cllr Deane)

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Police and Crime Plan Update 2020/21 and the Annual Report 2019/20

Jerry Herbert, Deputy Police & Crime Commissioner

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Police and Crime Update

Deputy PCC Jerry Herbert



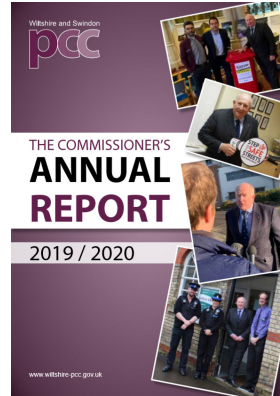
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Recent major publications



www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/Police-and-Crime-Plan



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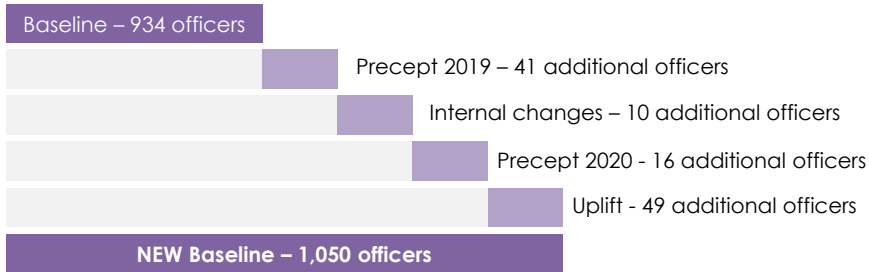
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'Operation Uplift'

Operation Uplift is the **national** announcement of a further **20,000 police officers** to be achieved by March 2023

The police service has been asked to introduce **2,000 extra officers by March 2020**, rising to **6,000 extra officers by March 2021**.

Local context:



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Recruitment intakes

Police officers:

Date officers start training	Number of officers	When the officers join local teams	When the officers finish tutorship
Feb-20	20	Aug-20	Oct-20
Jun-20	40	Nov-20	Jan-21
Oct-20	20	Apr-21	Jun-21
Jan-21	40	Jul-21	Sep-21
Mar-21	20	Aug-21	Oct-21

Police Community Support Officers:

Date PCSOs start training	Number of PCSOs	When the PCSOs join local teams
Aug-20	17	Nov-20
Jan-21	16-20	Mar-21
Jul-21	16-20	Oct-21



Policing during the pandemic

- The Government has provided the police service with additional powers to police regulations issued because of the pandemic. The detail of these powers has changed on a number of occasions
- Wiltshire Police follows the College of Policing guidance to ENGAGE, EXPLAIN and ENCOURAGE, only ENFORCING as a last resort
- All Fixed Penalty Notices issued are scrutinised both for correct use of the legal powers and for proportionality. Wiltshire has led the way in the latter, and in the transparency it demonstrates in reporting this. Only a small proportion of the FPNs have been rescinded
- The latest report can be found on the PCC's website at:

www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/article/5952/Coronavirus



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SUMMARY OVERVIEW - FIXED PENALTY NOTICES RELATING TO COVID-19 REGULATIONS

Lockdown period covering 24 July - 20 August 2020

In response to the global COVID-19 pandemic and outbreak, the Government introduced new regulations to reduce the spread of the virus and protect the public. The police are responsible for enforcing these regulations. This report provides an overview of the fixed penalty notices (FPNs) issued during the lockdown period, including the number of FPNs issued, the reasons for issuing them, and the outcomes of the FPNs.

During the lockdown, Wiltshire Police have issued 84 COVID-19 FPNs, which includes 67 for breaching COVID-19 regulations and 17 for breaching the Road Traffic Act. The majority of FPNs were issued for breaching COVID-19 regulations, with the most common being for failing to wear a face mask in public places.

The Police and Crime Commissioner for Wiltshire and Swindon has approved a process to provide a public overview of the number and proportion of FPNs issued during the lockdown period. This report provides an overview of the FPNs issued during the lockdown period, including the number of FPNs issued, the reasons for issuing them, and the outcomes of the FPNs.

Wiltshire Police will continue to work closely with the Police and Crime Commissioner to ensure that the public is kept safe and that the police are able to enforce the regulations effectively.

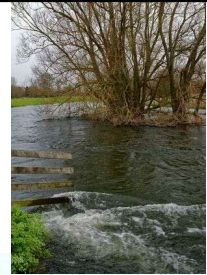
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Now – where were we?!

- Planning for the launch of “Make A Friend Be A Friend” in Wilton and Barford St Martin
- Began work to understand what eco-friendly projects and initiatives are operating locally
- We were about to run an employment fair at the Nadder Centre
- We were about to run some flood warden workshops
- Ongoing focus on improving broadband connectivity
- Ongoing focus to maximise potential of the Nadder Centre
- Began to explore how to help young people facing mental health challenges
- Ongoing support for young people, including allocation of funds for positive activities
- Ongoing focus on transport schemes via the Community Area Transport Group
- Ongoing focus on the needs of vulnerable older people and carers
- Ongoing focus on community safety, including speeding and neighbourhood watch



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Covid-19 : Our local response and recovery

- 24 village support groups in South West Wiltshire were set up from day one
- Tremendous local response...shopping, fetching prescriptions, providing the listening ear and much more
- The local response played a crucial part in the county's overall response – ensuring all, especially the most vulnerable, were supported
- Over the next 6 months, many groups are set to continue and readying themselves for what might be needed

Thank you for all you have done and are continuing to do

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Reflecting on all that has happened since...building back better

• Covid 19

- Strong neighbourhood support for the vulnerable and more/new people stepping forward to lend a hand during the crisis. How to keep that going for the long term?
- Greater dependence upon online communication, e.g. for home schooling/working, shopping, accessing GP appointments, parish council meetings, area board meetings, etc. Is this community area's broadband capacity fit for that purpose? How digitally inclusive are we?
- A period where vehicle use was less, and more sustainable modes of transport prevailed. How can we take forward these benefits?
- The impact upon our physical and mental wellbeing. Who amongst us need help?
- The impact upon village and community groups and organisations. Which groups need help and support to re-start?

• New data published by Wiltshire Council to inform our local priorities

- <https://www.wiltshireintelligence.org.uk/community-area/south-west-wiltshire/>

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Notable findings for South West Wiltshire from new data

Health & Wellbeing

- High hospital admissions (accidental, self-harm and alcohol related)
- Only 6% of the population is a library member
- Mortality rate from preventable illness high in Wilton Community Area (CA)

Environment**

- High fly tipping rate**
- 52% of housing has good energy efficiency rating in Wilton CA

Housing

- £315,000 average house price in Wilton CA
- £425,000 average house price in Tisbury CA
- £330k average house price in Mere CA

Transport & Highways

- High (just short of £1m resurfacing spend in 2019/20 **
- High rate of road collisions

Community Safety**

- Low levels of crime

Children & Young People

- High levels of obesity in 10-11yr olds
- Educational attainment for primary school children is low in Wilton community area
- Low numbers of apprenticeships

Deprivation

- Low levels in the main, with some exceptions
- 10% of 0-19yr olds living in poverty
- 9.3%-12.6% living in fuel poverty
- Higher amounts of personal loans in Tisbury and Wilton CAs

** denotes high priority ranked in Oct 2019 survey

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Resetting local priorities

From before...

- A focus on community safety (inc. speeding)
- A focus on older peoples health and wellbeing (incl. dementia and carers)
- Footpath and rights of way maintenance and activities
- Improving broadband
- Facilitating positive activities and employment for young people
- Protecting the environment and promoting eco-friendly living
- Flood warden training

From the new data....

- Renewed focus on affordable housing
- Helping those living in fuel poverty
- Increase library membership
- Tackling obesity in 10-11yr olds
- A new focus on our more deprived neighbourhoods
- Understanding reasons for high hospital admission rates overall and high mortality rate from preventable illness in Wilton CA
- Tackle fly-tipping
- Address issues underlying low educational attainment for primary pupils
- Increase number of apprenticeships

Building back better: post-covid

- Support for village groups to get back up and running
- Furthering opportunities for dialogue and local action with existing and new volunteers around community priorities
- Vulnerable residents health and wellbeing (a focus on underlying health conditions: heart disease, obesity, diabetes, copd...)
- Ensuring broadband capacity is fit for purpose; and facilitating digital inclusion initiatives
- Encourage more sustainable modes of transport

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Next steps....

- Begin to shortlist priorities from slide 5 (based on discussions at this meeting, and a subsequent online survey) by the end of October
- Organise a series of virtual mini events i.e. 'working with our parish councils'; health and wellbeing, young people, housing, environment, digital inclusion, between November 2020 and March 2021 to facilitate detailed discussion around these priorities
- Prepare findings and proposals from these events for the new Area Board in May 2021, offering a clear rationale for which priorities should be taken forward, how and by who.

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Community Area Transport Group (CATG)

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Area Board Funding

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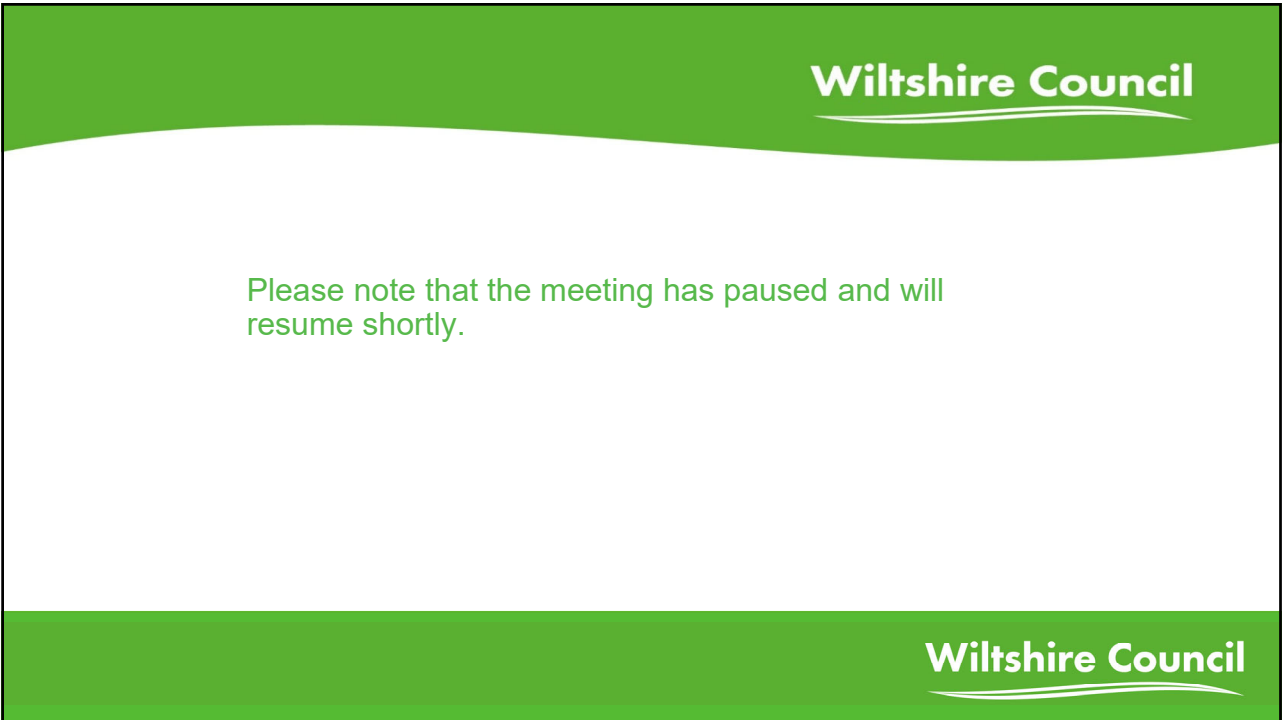
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