

MINUTES

Meeting: SALISBURY AREA BOARD

Place: The Guild Hall, Market Place, Salisbury SP1 1HJ

Date: 4 November 2019

Start Time: 7.00 pm **Finish Time:** 9.35 pm

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In Attendance:

Wiltshire Councillors

Cllr Sven Hocking (Chairman), Cllr Derek Brown OBE, Cllr Brian Dalton, Cllr Matthew Dean, Cllr Mary Douglas, Cllr Atiqul Hoque (Vice-Chairman), Cllr Ricky Rogers and Cllr John Walsh

Also in attendance: Cllr Richard Clewer & Cllr Chris Williams

Wiltshire Council Officers

Lisa Moore, Democratic Services Officer Marc Read, CEM - Salisbury

Town and Parish Councils

Salisbury City Council - Cllr Jeremy Nettle & Annie Child

Total in attendance: 151

Agenda Item No.	Summary of Issues Discussed and Decision	
70	Welcome and Introductions	
	The Chairman, Councillor Sven Hocking welcomed everyone to the joint themed meeting of the Salisbury Area Board and Salisbury City Council, to look at Climate Change in the City.	
71	Apologies for Absence	
	Apologies for absence had been received from:	
	Station Manager Maggs – Dorset & Wiltshire Fire & Rescue	
72	<u>Minutes</u>	
	<u>Decision</u> The minutes of the meeting held on 26 th September 2019 were agreed as a correct record and signed by the Chairman.	
73	Declarations of Interest	
	Cllr Atiqul Hoque declared an interest in Item 10 – Community Funding, Health & Wellbeing application from the Muslim Association, as he was the Treasurer.	
	He clarified that the applicant was not the Muslim Association itself, but was acting as a facilitator to support the project. He did not take part in the vote for that application.	
74	Chairman's Updates	
	Bus Shelters Since the last meeting the matter had been considered at CATG (report included with Item 9). There was a recommendation for funding to make modifications to the shelters to alleviate the amount of rain that currently came through the gap at the top.	
	Comment: Mr Brown noted his dissatisfaction with the shelters which he felt were of poor design and a waste of money. He requested that the shelters were replaced with an improved design to provide adequate shelter.	
	Household Recycling Centre (HRC) Due to roadworks being undertaken on Stephenson Road between 18 th October and 18 th November, Salisbury HRC would be closed Saturday 9 th and Sunday 10 th November as there would be no vehicular access permitted.	
	However, the site would open on Thursday 7 th and Friday 8 th November instead.	

All HRCs moved to their winter opening times from 1 November to 1 April: 10am to 4pm, and the Salisbury site is now normally closed on Thursdays and Fridays. The HRC in Amesbury is closed on a Tuesday and Wednesday.

Salisbury Reds

Following a request at the last Board meeting, the Chairman had contacted Salisbury Reds to request financial support for bus stop replacements who had responded positively, and further communication was planned with them to take this forward.

75 Information items

There had been a change to the previous format of Partner Updates. Partners were now invited to provide written updates or online links which were included in the agenda pack for information.

The Board noted the information available in the agenda pack and circulated at the meeting.

- Salisbury City Council
- Salisbury BID
- Community Messaging
- Healthwatch Wiltshire
- Clinical Commissioning Group
- Wiltshire Council
- Police attached to minutes

76 <u>Updates - Maltings and Central Car park, Central Area Framework, & High</u> Street Fund

Victoria Moloney, Head of South Wilts Economic Recovery gave updates to the Board:

Future High Street Fund

An Economist had been appointed to help with the business case to support the bid.

Central Government had moved the timescales and the full business case is now expected to be submitted around June 2020.

Central Area Framework

The Second consultation would start in January 2020

Maltings & Central Car park

Phase 1 demolition work had begun on site.

Progress report and update going to Wiltshire Councils full Council meeting on the 26th November.

It was noted that phase 1 is privately funded

<u>Government Community Governance Review – Update</u>

Cllr Richard Clewer – Deputy Leader – Chairman of the Electoral Review Committee gave an update. A copy of the slides from his presentation are attached to these minutes. A decision is due to be made by Central Government in January 2020

It was noted that Salisbury City Council, relevant Parish Councils and a number of residents in the West Harnham area would be consulted and that the recommendations will be approved by Central Government in January 2020.

Information is also available Online

77 Climate Change

The Chairman thanked everyone for coming for this themed event, and handed over to Councillor Richard Clewer, Deputy Leader of Wiltshire Council, for a presentation on Wiltshire Councils commitments and progress on tackling Climate Change.

Key points of the presentation were: -

In February 2019 Wiltshire Council resolved to:

- Acknowledge that there is a climate emergency
- Seek to make the county of Wiltshire carbon neutral by 2030
- Establish carbon baseline and renewables baseline

Wiltshire Council Cabinet committed to make Wiltshire Council carbon neutral by 2030.

A Global Warming and Climate Emergency task group has been established to consider: Renewable energy generation, energy use and efficiency in the following areas: -

- Planning
- Transport and air quality
- Waste
- Land use
- Business and industry
- Carbon baseline and renewable energy baseline

Residents requested to consider a Green Pledge and act on some of the following:

Leave the car at home and walk more

- Take shorter showers and turn off taps when brushing teeth
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- Use a reusable cup
- · Use bags for life
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The Chairman then introduced Cllr Jeremy Nettle, Leader of Salisbury City Council (SCC) gave a presentation on what SCC was doing to tackle Climate Change.

Key Points were: -

Cllr Nettle thanked all who had been involved with the Eco Fair prior to the Area Board and recognised those local groups supporting to include Salisbury Transition City, Salisbury LETS, Wiltshire Wildlife Trust, Co-Cars, Extinction Rebellion, Salisbury Area Greenspace Partnership, Salisbury Community Energy, The Pantry Partnership, Salisbury Repair Café, Wiltshire Warm & Safe, Wessex Water, Community Fridge and South Wilts Biodiversity Group.

- SCC declared a Climate Change Emergency at Full Council on 17 June 2019, budgeted £56,000 funding in support and resolved to:-
- ✓ Work to make Salisbury as carbon neutral as possible by 2030
- ✓ Work with partners to achieve "clean air" in Salisbury by 2022, in particular by taking action to reduce vehicle emissions, supporting public transport, cycling and walking
- ✓ Replace or convert all council-owned or operated vehicles to electric powered vehicles as soon as is practically possible
- ✓ Encourage the rapid phasing out of diesel-powered buses in the City by bus operators and their replacement by cleaner or non-polluting alternatives
- ✓ Increase wherever possible the extent of pedestrianised areas within the City centre
- Undertake a comprehensive programme of improvement of the insulation of all council-owned property,
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Actions SCC had already taken:

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A copy of the presentation slides are attached for information.

The Chairman then asked those present to work in groups in a round table exercise to come up with their top 5 climate change projects for Salisbury, which could be delivered over the next 12 to 18 months.

The project felt to be the most important from each table included: -

- Education ask whole communities change their behaviour by educating the children.
- Food more meat free options in schools.
- Transport reduce parking capacity in the city centre and increase use of park and ride, improve the train station frontage, ban idling vehicles in the City centre especially trucks and buses, change / better bus routes to go where buses are needed, more car free days,
- Development New planning applications should not be granted unless they include solar panels, grey water tanks, and are south facing to optimize solar energy.
- Air quality pedestrianisation of large areas of the City
- More greenspace and use of electric maintenance vehicles.
- Tree planting
- Youth Support for the strikes and the global impact and youth to be included in the conversation, public signage around climate change.
- Cycling Improved cycle routes with better signage
- Food Wastage open a "community fridge"
- Promote solar renewable energy and electric cars through a bulk buying scheme.

It was noted that: -

Wiltshire Council was engaging with other local authorities.

The public proposals would tell Central Government what the people were expecting

The Chairman thanked all for coming, and noted that the lists of ideas would be collected after the meeting and collated into a report which would inform the direction of work moving forward and that the public would be updated of progress generally.

78 Community Area Transport Group (CATG)

The Board considered the recommendations from the CATG as detailed in the Report attached to the Agenda.

Decision

The Salisbury Area Board approved the following CATG funding:

- Issue 6204, Fly tipping Gradidge Lane £300
- Foliage removal to Footway outside Prebendal House £800
- Issue 7070, Milford Mill Bridge Community Lorry Watch signs £260
- Replacement bus shelter amendments £2000

79 Community Funding

The Board considered the following funding requests:

Community Area Grant Scheme

The Board considered two bids to the Community Area Grant Scheme.

Five Rivers Indoor Bowls Club – requested £784

Decision

Five Rivers Indoor Bowls was awarded £784 towards the purchase of a defibrillator.

Reason – The application met the Community Area Grants Criteria 2019/20

Salisbury Street Name Initiative – requested £17,000

Cllr Hocking proposed to continue the repaint / repair / renew project started in 2018 noting the request amount was above the usual £5,000 limit and that Salisbury residents were very supportive.

Decision

Salisbury Street Name Plates Initiative was awarded £17,000 towards

street nameplate repair/renew initiative.

Reason – The application met the Community Area Grants Criteria 2019/20

Youth Grants

The Board considered two bids for funding from the Youth Activities Budget. Applications were considered by the Youth Panel on 18th October.

<u>Salisbury Museum</u> – requested £2250. The recommendation from the Youth Panel was to award £1500

Decision

Salisbury Museum was awarded £1500 of Youth Funding towards Stone Age Long Board Project.

<u>Salisbury 2020</u> – requested £5000. The recommendation from the Youth Panel was to award the full amount.

Decision

Salisbury 2020 was awarded £5000 of Youth funding towards the TechSTEM event.

Health & Wellbeing Funding

The Board considered three bids for funding from the Health & Wellbeing (HW) Fund. The HW Panel considered applications and made recommendations for funding on 15th October.

Salisbury Pride UK – requested £2000.

The recommendation from the HW Panel was to award £1000.

The motion to fund the project at the recommended amount of £1000 was made by Cllr Dalton. This was seconded by Cllr Rogers.

After discussion, Cllr Walsh requested an amendment to the motion, and asked that the Board award the original full request of £2000. This was accepted by Cllr Dalton, and seconded by Cllr Rogers.

The Board voted on the motion to award £2000. The motion failed.

Cllr Dean then moved the motion to award £1000, this was seconded by Cllr Brown.

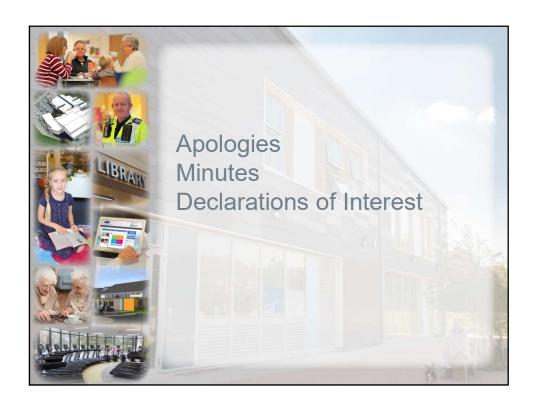
The Board voted on the motion to award £1000.

	<u>Decision</u> Salisbury Pride UK was awarded £1000 of Health & Wellbeing funding towards Salisbury Pride UK 2020.			
	Salisbury Muslim Association – requested £1030.			
	The recommendation from the HW Panel was to award the full amount.			
	<u>Decision</u> Muslim Association was awarded £1030 towards Rabbat ul Bait – Queen of the home project.			
	Art Social Prescribing – requested £1000.			
	The recommendation from the HW Panel was to award the full amount.			
	<u>Decision</u> Art Social Prescribing was awarded £1000 towards the Art Social Prescribing project.			
80	Close			
	The Chairman thanked Salisbury City Council for hosting the meeting at the Guildhall, and noted that the next meeting of the Salisbury Area Board would be held on Thursday 23 rd January 2020, 7.00pm at City Hall, Salisbury.			
Presentation Slides				
Police Update				
	Climate Change - notes			















Community Governance Review – Salisbury and Netherhampton

Richard Clewer
Chairman of the Electoral Review Committee

Wiltshire Council

Community Governance Review Basics

A Community Governance Review (CGR) is a process for changing the governance arrangements of a parish.

This can include changing internal or external boundaries, number of councillors and more.

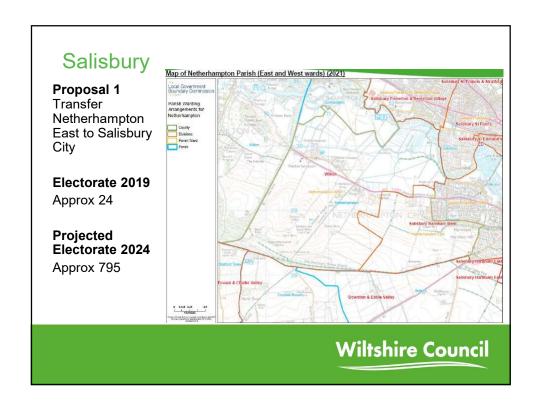
Wiltshire Council makes the decision, and will receive recommendations from the Electoral Review Committee.

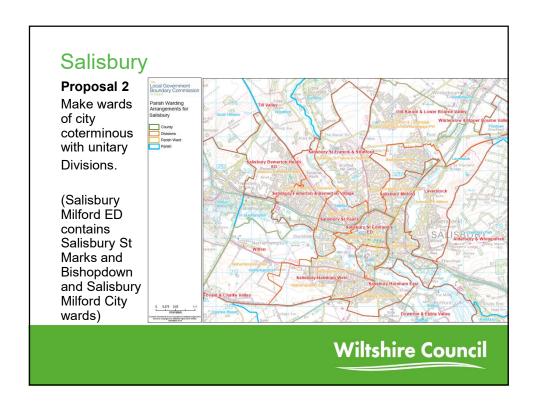
There will be periods of consultation on any changes that are proposed.

Further details can be found at http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/council-democracy-cgr

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Stage	Action	Dates
Pre- consultation	Liaising with parish councils on suggested areas for consideration for review and receipt of initial submissions.	12 July 2019 – 30 September 2019
Stage one	Commencement of CGR - Terms of Reference published Schemes uploaded to public portal for any initial comments, to be updated with any relevant additional information. To include any further schemes received which fall within the scope of the Review	1 November 2019 1 November 2019 – 30 November 2019
Stage two	Consideration of submissions received in relation to proposed schemes. Local briefings and meetings as appropriate with unitary councillors and/or parish representatives. Scheme consultation Draft recommendations prepared.	1 December 2019 – 2 ⁻ February 2020 1 January 2020-21 February
Stage three	Draft recommendations published Draft recommendations consulted upon	Mid-Late March 2020 Mid-late March 2020 – 30 April 2020
Stage four	Consideration of submissions received. Final recommendations prepared	1 May – 24 June 2020
Decision	Recommendations submitted to Full Council for approval	Circa Late July 2020 – September 2020





More information

Website -

http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/council-democracy-cgr

Schemes -

https://cms.wiltshire.gov.uk/ecsddisplayclassic.as px?name=sd4301&id=4301&rpid=20457214&pat h=14165

Response form -

https://cms.wiltshire.gov.uk/documents/s170387/ CGR%20ResponseForm.pdf

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Salisbury Community Area Board Climate Emergency Response

4 November 2019

Councillor Richard Clewer

Deputy Leader, responsible for Housing, Climate Change, Corporate Services, Asset Transfer, Arts, Heritage and Tourism

Climate emergency

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County of Wiltshire

- Strategy development county of Wiltshire carbon neutral by 2030
- · Local Plan review
- · Local Transport Plan 4
- Air Quality Strategy
- Swindon and Wiltshire Local Economic Partnership Local Industrial Strategy and Local Energy Strategy

All to contain policies and actions in support of carbon reduction

· Establishing carbon baseline and renewable energy baseline



Carbon and renewable energy baselines

- · Further work required to ensure baselines are robust
- · Wiltshire Council in discussion with
 - Local universities
 - Anthesis Group (SCATTER)
 - Swindon and Wiltshire Local Economic Partnership
 - Local Government Association
 - Other local authorities



Wiltshire Council

- Established Global Warming and Climate Emergency task group to consider
 - Renewable energy generation, energy use and efficiency
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Wiltshire Council

- Investment in energy efficiency and energy generation on the council's estate of £5.2m
- Investment of £3.5m for canopy based solar panels
- Investment of £12m to convert street lights to LED lighting
- Reduction in waste to landfill from 56% in 2008-09 to 16% in 2018-19



Wiltshire Council

- Reduction in greenhouse gas emissions from council's estate and operations from 26k tCO₂e in 2014-15 to 16k tCO₂e in 2018-19
- Friends of the Earth found Wiltshire Council to be the best performing local authority in England and Wales – but we know even the best performing need to do much more



Green Pledge

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Green Pledge

- Those are just some suggestions but there's so much more you can do.
- So, we want you to have a think about the changes you can make...starting today.
- Please make the Wiltshire Green Pledge and do what you can.
 Visit http://www.wiltshire.gov.uk/green-economy-climate-emergency to make your pledge it only takes a couple of minutes.
- Thanks for your support!





Welcome

Councillor Jeremy Nettle, Leader of the Council



Annie Child, City Clerk



SCC and the Environment

- SCC declared a Climate Change Emergency at Full Council on 17 June 2019
- •On 14 Oct 2019 we agreed our Environmental Policy at Service Committee and agreed £56,000 funding for 2019/2020 at Finance and, Governance Committee on 21 Oct 2019

Our Declaration

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Our Policy - 7 Themes

- 1. General Environmental Management
- 2. Waste Management
- 3. Energy Management
- 4. Water Management

Our Policy – 7 Themes

- 5. Sustainable Procurement
- 6. Transport/Travel
- 7. Biodiversity

Our Policy

- √ Regular report to Services Committee
- ✓ Overseen by Environmental Working Group
- \checkmark £56,000 new funding allocated this year (2019/2020) towards the delivery of the plan

- Produce waste recycling plan covering all SCC waste streams.
 - Purchase energy supplies from sustainable resources and at the most economic cost.
- Identify and implement opportunities for improved water efficiency and target setting e.g. water saving devices on toilet cisterns and low flow shower heads
 - Consider the reuse of water for landscaping through rain water collection and the use of grey water where possible
- To produce a Travel Plan to establish current modes of transport used by staff to travel to work and to promote the most sustainable alternatives

- Reducing the usage /impact of SCC vehicles via investigation/introduction of suitable alternatives such as electric vehicles
 - Liaising with and providing information on the main groups representing pedestrians, cyclists, public transport providers, car share clubs and environmentally friendly car hire clubs
 - Protect and enhance biodiversity during our activities with no net loss of 'priority' habitat.
 - Continued creation of wildflower/bee friendly planting around our estate.
 - Review SCC use of pesticide policy in light of emerging evidence
 - Work with Salisbury Air Quality Management Group to help improve air quality

Some actions SCC has already Taken

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Salisbury's first water fountain was installed by Salisbury City Council in April 2019



Alongside the water fountain, Salisbury City Council installed two recycling bins in the city centre.

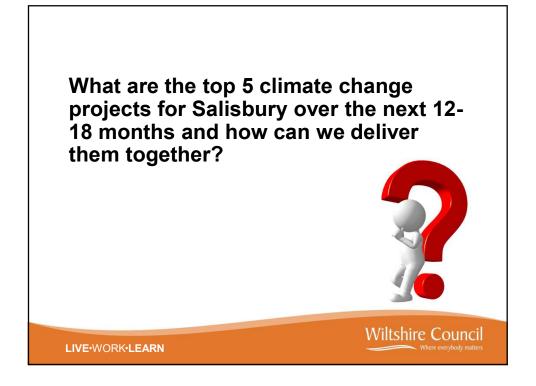


Our intent

- √This policy is the start of a journey
- √ We have allocated funding to make this happen
- √ We will be seeking advice, guidance and support from local organisations to assist us to make the right choices
- √ We will be looking to work with others where they are working toward similar goals

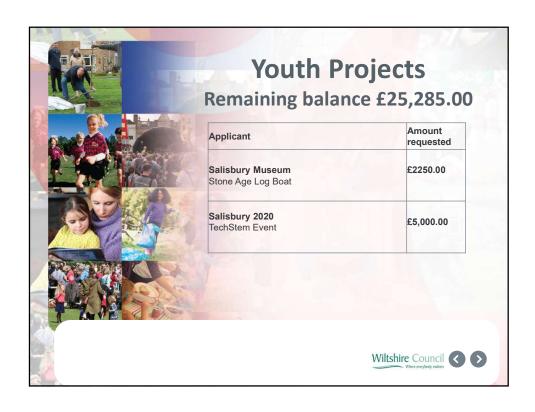


















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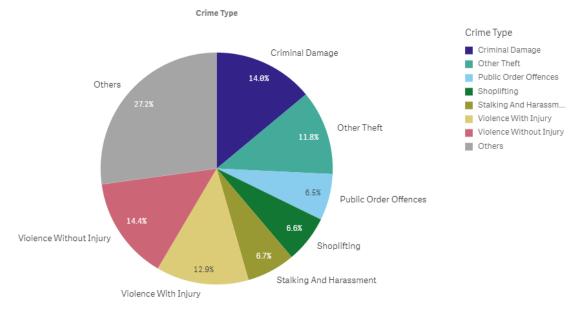


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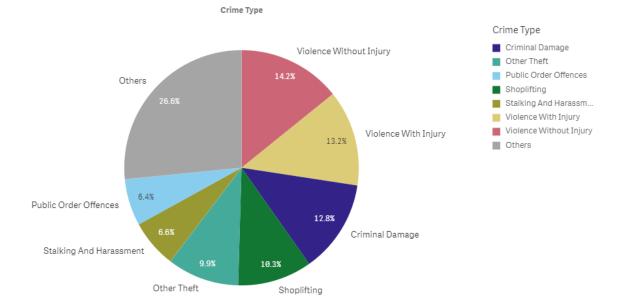
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PERFORMANCE

Your Area - Five Highest Crime Groups (Previous 12 months)



Force Area - Five Highest Crime Groups (Previous 12 months)



Wiltshire South and South East CPTs - crime and incident demand for the 12 months to September 2019

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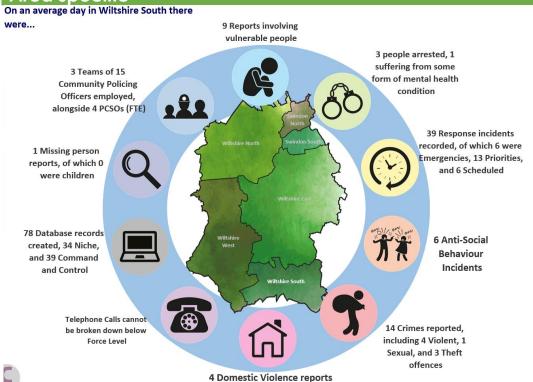
Force-wide

- Wiltshire Police has had an increase in the volume of recorded crime by 1% in the 12 months to September 19 and continues to have one of the lowest crime rates in the country.
- Our service delivery remains consistently good.
- In September, we received 8,312 999 calls which we answered within 6 seconds on average and 12,474 CRIB calls which we answered within 2 minutes 08 seconds on average.
- In September, we also attended 1,344 emergency incidents within 17 minutes and 00 seconds on average.
- Wiltshire Police has seen a 17% reduction in vehicle crime and 21 per cent in residential burglaries in the 12 months to September 2019.
- The Crime Survey of England & Wales recently ranked Wiltshire as one of the top forces (78.3%)
 nationally for public confidence. It covers the 12 months to March 2019.
 The publication can be found here: WWW.CRIMESURVEY.CO.UK

For more information on Wiltshire Police's performance please visit:

PCC's Website - https://www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk/article/1847/Performance
HMICFRS Website - https://www.justiceinspectorates.gov.uk/hmicfrs/police-forces/wiltshire/
Police.uk - https://www.police.uk/wiltshire

Area specific



Wiltshire South / South East CPT Demand Overview - 12 months to September 2019

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HIGH LEVEL CPT UPDATES:

- **Downton Issues** Over the past few weeks we have continued our efforts in deterring and detecting the issues in the Downton area with ASB and criminal behaviour associated with a small group of young people. Arrests have been made, catapults seized and persons have been placed on strict bail conditions in an effort to curb unruly behaviour. This approach is working and we continue to engage with our partners and the community to ensure that this positive trend continues.
- Rural Crime Lots of activity over recent weeks with prevention and detection at the top of the list. Officers have been on patrol with partners and the community in an effort to deter offences and this has produced some great results. Last week 5 persons were arrested following a short pursuit with police, having been chased off land and various items and the vehicle were seized. Officers have also been undertaking prevention patrols around fisheries and attended the NPCC week of action against rural crime meeting at the Livestock Market in Salisbury handing out leaflets and providing crime prevention advice to farmers. We have also visited our local scrapyards along with our partners in order to check and test that they are operating within the confines of the law and all operators were welcoming of the enforcement activity and were shown to be operating without any cause for concern.
- DDN's Work continues in our fight to detect and disrupt drug networks operating locally with some positive results, arrests and seizures in recent weeks. We will continue in these efforts and we encourage anyone with any information regarding suspicious activity that may be drug related to contact police asap.
- **Events** With summer well and truly behind us now, we are looking forward to a very busy policing period throughout late autumn in to early winter. Planning and preparation for policing activity is well underway for the series of events coming up including but limited too, Salisbury Fair, Salisbury Carnival, Halloween, Bonfire Night and Remembrance Sunday celebrations to name but a few!

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YOUR CPT - Wiltshire South





Inspector Pete Sparrow (Sector Inspector)

Sergeant John Hutchings (Sector Deputy)

Community Co-ordinators:



PC Matthew Holland (Salisbury Rural)





PC Jack Billington (Salisbury)

PC Al Cromwell (Salisbury City Centre)

Beyond the above, the main contact within the teams are the PCSO's for your area. Recent weeks have seen some further changes in the staffing dynamic, as some of our PCSO's have moved on to other roles within the policing family and as such have been, or are about to be replaced by new officers... PCSO Nicola Clark has left to become a PC and we look forward to seeing her return when her training is complete.

PCSO Jo ATKINSON returns to us from another role within the police and we are very pleased to have her back. She has taken on the Bemerton Heath area of the City. Welcome Back Jo! ©

3 New PCSOs join us in the form of Nicola Bird, Grace Akers and Hannah Cranham.

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My Sector Deputy, Sgt John Hutchings has now been successful in promotion and will be leaving his post as early as next week. (29/10). He takes up a new role as County Duty Inspector, responsible for day to day management of serious incidents across County Division, as well as the oversight of those persons in Custody. I would like to publicly thank 'Hutch' for his support over the last couple of years, without whom my job would have been very much more difficult. We wish him all the best for his future post.

I would also like to wish PC Al Cromwell well, who has been offered an Acting Sergeant post in Amesbury, which he will take up in December. His contribution to the City has been outstanding. Both Al and Hutch would say that they are irreplaceable, which is how we will run for now...

Salisbury

PCSO 3951 Val BROWN - City Centre

PCSO 8686 Gareth JAMES - City Centre

PCSO 9808 Nicola BIRD - City Centre

PCSO 9590 Harrison EVANS – Southampton Road and the Friary

PCSO 8704 Kady GREEN - Castle Road and Bishopdown

PCSO 9844 Grace AKERS - Castle Road and Bishopdown

PCSO 9001 Matthew MURRAY - Churchfields and St Pauls

PCSO 6130 Jo ATKINSON - Bemerton Heath

PCSO 9859 Hannah CRANHAM - Bemerton Heath

PCSO 6025 Simon WARD - Harnham

South Rural

PCSO 9465 John Taylor - Downton

PCSO 6227 Matt SMITH - Wilton Town/Rural

PCSO 6150 Jenny MOSS - Laverstock and Old Sarum

PCSO 8076 Simon NASH - Alderbury Rural

Community Engagement Sessions

I am pleased to report that we continue our success in attending meetings and local events when asked to do so and we expect this trend to continue moving forward. Engagement sessions come in many forms, from community events, to formal public meetings such as Area Boards as well as meet and greet sessions in places like Salisbury Market.

There are some examples of our various community engagements in the pictures attached below. Of particular note is the presenting local school girl Margot with a certificate of appreciation for the part she played during the Novichock incident last year. Margot made a point of be-friending all the officers stationed in Elizabeth Gardens during the operation, making them feel very much part of the community. She daily provided ice creams, conversation, the football scores and a good night to all officers on watch and her enthusiasm and motivation was infectious to the point that all officers singled her our as being simply outstanding.

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I had the absolute pleasure to present her with a certificate which represented our heartfelt thanks for her efforts doing a very difficult time. The presentation as made in a full school assembly in the presence of her family and was all quite emotional! Thank you so much Margot and all the other children and residents that supported us during that time.

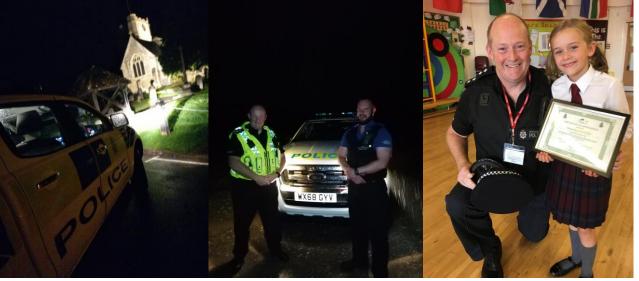
Salisbury Market drop in sessions will continue from next Tuesday and be monthly thereafter, but please keep an eye on Facebook for ad hock sessions as and when someone is available.

Bemerton Heath - St Michaels Community Centre will hold a drop in session from 1000 – 1100 on Thursday 7th November and this will be a regular feature in the future with PCSO Jo Atkinson.

You can find out more about Wiltshire South CPT, including news stories and contacts for local officers, on our website: www.wiltshire.police.uk/WiltshireSouth

A selection of pictures of recent engagement for officers and staff across the South.





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LOCAL PRIORITIES

PRIORITIES FOR WILTSHIRE SOUTH CPT

Priority 1:

Ongoing ASB issues in Downton

Priority 2:

Plan and Prepare for the Autumn season ahead, starting with the Salisbury Fair, Salisbury Carnival, Halloween, Bonfire Night and Remembrance Day.

Priority 3:

Rural Crime initiatives and ongoing action to detect, disrupt and deter offenders.

Priority 4:

Acquisitive crime, tool thefts and non-dwelling burglaries.

HIGH LEVEL PCC UPDATES

- **Recruitment** Police officer recruitment continues with more than 500 applications received so far since the campaign launched on 23 September. Wiltshire Police is accepted applications until Sunday 13 October.
- Community work In September PCC Angus Macpherson awarded a total of £22,500 from the Police Property Act to projects across the county which make a difference in their communities. Beneficiaries include a drop-in service for homeless people, a 12-week personal development course for unemployed young people and a pilot project using photography to engage with young people at risk of offending or

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exploitation. Full details are available on our website.

• **Herbert Protocol** – The PCC was proud to join Wiltshire Police, Swindon Borough Council, healthcare partners, Swindon Carers Centre and the Alzheimer's Society at the launch of the Herbert Protocol last month. It comprises of a document in which carers, family and friends of vulnerable adults can fill out key details about the individual as a pre-emptive measure in case they later go missing. This will enable the police to start their initial enquiries sooner with the aim of finding the missing person safe and well.

HIGH LEVEL FORCE UPDATES

- County Lines The issue of gangs transporting Class A drugs from major cities such as London and Manchester into rural counties, is one which is attracting significant media attention. Here in Wiltshire we are raising awareness of the problem, and specifically the impact these crimes have on the wider community, as they are often linked to modern slavery and organised crime, with children and vulnerable adults being exploited. Please look out for local media coverage, or go to our website for more information.
- **Domestic abuse** This month we are highlighting the work Wiltshire Police is doing to tackle domestic abuse, including educating the public about the support that is available for victims. This campaign will include a young mother, who has been the victim of domestic violence, speaking out about her story in the hope that she can encourage other victims to come forward and get support.
- **Rural crime** During the beginning of October we are taking part in a national week of action targeting rural crime. Our work will include providing crime prevention advice and encouraging residents to report all incidents to the police, as well as having our Community Policing Teams and the Rural Crime Team out and about engaging with our rural communities.

GET INVOLVED

 You can keep up to date with the latest news in your area by signing up to our Community Messaging service – <u>www.wiltsmessaging.co.uk</u>

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- More information on your CPT area can be found here: www.wiltshire.police.uk and here www.wiltshire-pcc.gov.uk



Chairman's Notes

Joint Salisbury City and Wiltshire Council Area Board 4th November 2019

Theme: Climate Change

Executive Summary

On the 4th November 2019 Wiltshire Council (WC) and Salisbury City Council (SCC) held their first joint Area Board themed around climate change. The event coincided with an SCC facilitated Eco Fair which attracted several local and national organisations involved with the environment generally.

The Area Board's (AB) brief was threefold: -

- 1) Listen to the views of residents and community groups on the priorities for both Councils to address climate change
- 2) Ask those attending what they could contribute as groups or individuals to these priorities
- 3) Start to compile a list of volunteers willing to help deliver agreed actions.

Approximately 130 people attended and through a round table discussion presented some 70 proposals reflecting those issues they deemed most important. The proposals were recorded by the AB and will be used to inform the development of WC and SCC environmental policies and to formulate a plan to focus the activities of those individuals who have volunteered their services

As a Salisbury based event, some proposals are Salisbury-specific, but many are also applicable countywide.

This paper is intended as information only. It is expected that each Council will initiate its own course of action and that, where appropriate, WC as the primary authority will communicate the findings to central government as a clear indication of the priorities of the local population.

Table of Proposals

For clarity every proposal has been included. Where a similar proposal was made by several tables, the number of tables from which the proposal came has been identified to highlight the order of importance in the eyes of the contributors. Otherwise, proposals have been grouped under generic headings but in no order of priority.

Proposal	No. of Tables
Encourage / improve walking and cycling	8
Pedestrianisation	5
Buses - Use park and ride	4
Buses - better routing / more frequent / accurate timing	3
Buses - more frequent, cheaper / subsidised / free	2
Buses - zero emissions	2
Vehicles not idling while stationary	3
Congestion Charge	
Ban HGV's from City Centre	
Car free days	
Information	
Promote energy saving	
Promote renewable energy	
Lobbying / strikes to keep awareness high / awareness posters	
Climate awareness signage	
Involve young people more	
Tree Planting / Rewilding	
Plant more trees	6
Manage green spaces better	2
Recycle / Repair	
Food waste recycling / community fridges	5
More Recycling bins – plastic / clothes	3
Water refill stations	
Open HRC longer	
Recycling bins in parks	
Promote "Salisbury Repair Café"	
Education	
Education - Schools	
Education - Change public attitude	
"Save energy, save money" Campaign	
Expand "Beat the Street"	
Procurement	
Reduce meat consumption	
Sustainably sourced wood	
Housing / Planning	
Solar panels / Insulation / Air Source heating as planning condition on all houses	2
More wind and solar farms to generate self-sufficient in renewable energy	
LED lights in all / council buildings	

Public Engagement

At the start and finish of the AB it was stressed to members of the public that it will not be possible for Councils to deliver on everything that had been suggested and that they as residents, either individually or through their community groups, would need to step up and play a part in taking some of their initiatives forward.

Since the AB meeting, some 20 individuals have made contact and expressed a willingness to become engaged and work is underway to identify potential projects with which they become involved and, crucially, of which they can take ownership.

Two examples of projects suggested to date are:

Food - Allotment holders who produce more than they can consume to be put in contact with a community fridge project rather than composting their surplus. A volunteer would be given an allotment patch, engage with the holders, collect the surplus and deliver to the community fridge.

Trees - Public to identify potential areas for tree planting, Councils fund the tree purchase, volunteers do the planting and take on the ongoing management, watering etc.

It is recognised there will be a level of detail to be addressed prior to commencement on some projects, and Councils will facilitate this as required. The expectation is that, once started, most projects will run with minimal or no Council oversight.

Next Steps

Recognise and increase public engagement through regular updates: at AB and City Council meetings, through press and social media, and by staging public events to highlight the work of volunteers and their projects.

Maintain and increase the volunteer base, generating more potential climate friendly projects.

Monitor the outcomes through presentations to the AB / SCC on those projects as they develop.

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Sven Hocking Chair – Salisbury Area Board

