

SUMMARY OF DECISIONS

MEETING: **Community Select Committee**
Monday 30 March 2015 Shimkent Room, Daneshill House, Stevenage, SG1 1HN

MEMBERS PRESENT: Councillors S Mead (Chair), M Notley (Vice Chair), L Bell, E Connolly, M Gardner, E Harrington, J Mead and P Stuart.

Also Present : Councillor R Henry CC, Portfolio Holder, Safer Communities, Older People & Health.
Chair of the Responsible Authority Group, Chief Executive, Nick Parry
Chief Inspector Richard Harbon of the Safer Neighbourhood Team.

1 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE AND DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST	
Apologies for absence were received from Councillor R Broom and the Youth Mayor S Field. There were no declarations of interests.	O Adeoye Ext 2809
2. OUTCOMES OF THE 2014/15 SOSAFE COMMUNITY SAFETY ACTION PLAN & EMERGING PRIORITIES FOR 2015/16	
The Executive Portfolio Holder for Safer Communities, Older People and Health, Councillor R Henry CC gave a presentation on the Community Safety Action Plan. Members received an update on the progress of the agreed priorities and the initiatives employed. The priorities discussed included domestic abuse, violent crimes, alcohol and drug abuse, anti-social behaviour, criminal damage, acquisitive crime, hate crime and reassurance. The Chair thanked Councillor R Henry CC for his presentation and welcomed that most of the actions in the Community Safety Action Plan had been delivered or were on track	

<p>It was RESOLVED</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. That the presentation be noted. 2. That Older People’s networks be used to advertise Neighbourhood Watch & Community Safety measures for Older People. 3. That public awareness of the term, “hate crime” be publicised 4. That there be an article in the Chronicle magazine highlighting community safety messages such as scams and cyber crimes that are likely to affect older people. 5. That the Domestic Abuse Coordinator be asked to consider defining the term Anti-Social behaviour more clearly. 	
<p>3. URGENT PART I BUSINESS</p>	
<p>Not Required</p>	<p>O Adeoye Ext 2809</p>
<p>4. EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC</p>	
<p>Not Required</p>	
<p>PART II</p>	
<p>5. URGENT PART II BUSINESS</p>	
<p>None.</p>	<p>O Adeoye Ext 2809</p>