



# WINCHESTER COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP - PLAN ON A PAGE

## OUR VISION

Winchester Community Safety Partnership remains committed to reducing crime & disorder across the district. The partnership aims to increase their collaboration with other organisations and the voluntary sector, focusing their efforts on supporting the most vulnerable and targeting the most persistent offenders who have the greatest impact on individuals and society.

## WHAT WE KNOW:

- Despite a reduction in referrals overall, there has been an increase in victims of domestic abuse (DA) seeking access to the Independent Domestic Violence Advocacy (IDVA) service and a greater number of those were classified as high risk cases.
- There has been a significant increase in the need for longer term DA interventions, with the time in service per client increasing.
- Anti-social behaviour (ASB) hotspots and re-occurring incidents/issues have increased in locations across the district.
- Public order offences increased within the reporting period.
- Winchester BID Rangers dealt with an increasing number of ASB related incidents in the city centre linked to the street community.
- High harm crime remains a focus for the police and partners because of the lasting effect it can have on individuals and families i.e. violence with injury, sexual offences, modern slavery and exploitation.
- Drug offences are still impacting on individuals and society even though numbers of recorded offences have decreased.

## PRIORITY ONE Domestic Abuse

Work with victims of domestic abuse by signposting for specialist support, encouraging intervention at the earliest opportunity and helping survivors to lead safer lives.

## PRIORITY TWO Quality of Life

Increase the quality of life for those experiencing ASB and other socio-economic crimes by maximising early intervention and targeting the most prolific. The aim being to reduce the impact that ASB, criminal damage and public order offences have on individuals, businesses and society as a whole.

## PRIORITY THREE High Harm

Tackle violent crime whilst reducing the incidence and impact of serious violence, public protection and County Lines. Increase the opportunity for youth intervention for young people who are either victims or perpetrators of crime.

## OUTCOMES

- Increased use of preprosecution policing powers i.e. Domestic Violence Protection Notices (DVPN) and Domestic Violence Protection Orders (DVPO), Clare's Law.
- Reducing the number of high risk victims and offenders through referral, education and prosecution.
- Utilising best practice and working across authority organisations, focusing on serious violence.
- Estate improvements in place across the district to improve feelings of safety.
- Governments ASB principles in place and rolled out to partner organisations.
- High visibility patrols/operations, increased outreach and environmental improvements that design out crime will be delivered.
- The Serious Violence duty will be delivered.
- Safer Streets initiative will be rolled out.
- Reduced opportunity for violent extremism via Prevent and Protect duties in place.