Strategic Partnership Highlight



& Exception Report

Strategic Partnership (Name of Partnership you are reporting on)	Argyll and Bute Strategic Community Safety Partnership
CPP Thematic Group (i.e Economy, Environment or Social Affairs)	Social Affairs
CPP Outcome (please select – you can select more than one outcome)	CPP/CP01 – competitive and successful businesses
Please refer to attached table for more detail on each CPP Outcome.	CPP/CP02 – sustainable economic assets
	* CPP/CP03 – vibrant towns that are centres of economic growth
	CPP/CP04 – promoting our cultural, social and natural heritage
	CPP/CP05 – Utilising our environment to create employment and prosperity
	CPP/CP06 – Protecting our unique area
	CPP/CP07 – services are planned and delivered based on local need
	* CPP/CP08 – overall health, wellbeing, independence and social inclusion are improved
	* CPP/CP09 – people feel safe and secure
	CPP/CP010 – our diverse culture is celebrated

Activity Summary in Period

(please state period you are reporting on)

F/Q 3

Area based Anti Social Behaviour Problem Solving Partnerships, with membership comprising Council Services, Police, Registered Social Landlords and Third Sector, met to address recurring anti social behaviour in Dunoon, Rothesay, Oban and Campbeltown. In F/Q3 input and action was taken by services in relation to 27 cases assessed as priority cases. 67% of cases resolved (against target of 50%).

Mobile cctv cameras deployed in Helensburgh and Dunoon in response to anti social behaviour 'hotspots'. Camera deployment is part of the problem solving process and decisions are taken by partners via area community safety partnerships and multi agency Anti Social Behaviour problem solving groups.

Cash back for Communities initiative (proceeds of crime): Small grant awarded to youth work projects providing diversionary and personal development opportunities for young people including where there is risk of involvement in anti social behaviour. Administered by Youth Link Scotland with applications assessed by Argyll and Bute assessment panel. Applicants successful in obtaining an award - Bute Youth Project, Mid Argyll Youth Forum, Sk8 Park Bute, Stramash, Argyll and Bute Youth Forum. Awards totalling £21,181.

Council and partners review of area community safety partnerships, outlined in the previous Highlight and Exception report, have been completed for Campbeltown, Bute and Cowal area community safety partnerships. Purpose was to measure external processes (including understanding of community concerns and level of engagement re community safety matters) and partnership management (e.g. partnership involves key agencies, evidence based strategy exists, partnership meets regularly, partnership reviews its effectiveness and its work).

New combined Community Plan and Single Outcome Agreement 2012 -13. Partner data and information on proposed success measures have been submitted for consideration by the Community Planning Partnership

Key Challenges & Actions to Address

Proposed reform of Police Service and Fire and Rescue Service are key challenges for partners which will require balancing reform work with existing priorities. It is acknowledged that transition arrangements will be developed in the near future which will involve national and local government and services.

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