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**Folkestone**

Hythe & Romney Marsh  
Shepway District Council



Report Number: **OS/23/04**

**To:** Overview and Scrutiny Committee  
**Date:** 31 October 2023  
**Status:** Non-executive Decision  
**Lead Officer:** Scott Butler, Community Safety Specialist  
**Cabinet Member:** Councillor Mike Blakemore, Cabinet Member for Community & Collaboration

**Subject:** **FOLKESTONE & HYTHE COMMUNITY SAFETY PARTNERSHIP  
PLAN UPDATE**

**SUMMARY:**

This report is to provide the Overview and Scrutiny Committee with an update on the Folkestone & Hythe Community Safety Partnership (CSP) and its activities. The Overview and Scrutiny Committee acts once a year as the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel to oversee community safety work across the district.

**REASON FOR RECOMMENDATION:**

The Folkestone & Hythe Community Safety Partnership (CSP) is a statutory body and has a remit for reducing crime and disorder in the district and to work in partnership to do so.

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

1. **To receive and note Report OS/23/04 and Community Safety Partnership updates attached.**

## **1. BACKGROUND**

- 1.1 This report is to update the Overview and Scrutiny Committee on the work of the Community Safety Partnership (CSP). The Overview and Scrutiny Committee acts once a year as the Crime and Disorder Scrutiny Panel to oversee community safety work across the district.
- 1.2 The Committee will receive a presentation from partner representatives who chair the various sub-groups of the Community Safety Partnership to address issues facing our District.
- 1.3 The Committee will also receive an overview of the latest action plan the CSP is working towards. The CSP has to take into regard the priorities of a number of other strategies including the Police and Crime Commissioner's plan and the County CSP strategy.
- 1.4 Appendix 1 Community Safety Partnership Action Plan Excel Document.
- 1.5 Appendix 2 Draft CSP PowerPoint to OSC.

## **2. CONTACT OFFICER AND BACKGROUND DOCUMENTS**

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The following background documents have been relied upon in the preparation of this report: None