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SUBJECT:	SAFER SOUTH DERBYSHIRE PARTNERSHIP PLAN - 2015 REFRESH	REF:
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1.0 Recommendations

1.1 Members to accept and adopt the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership's new Partnership Plan 2014-17 (2015 Refresh).

2.0 Purpose of Report

2.1 To inform members of the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership's Partnership Plan 2014-17 (2015 Refresh) including additions made to the original document.

2.2 The Partnership Plan is a statutory document that sets out the priorities, objectives and targets that the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership (SSDP) will work towards over the next 3 years. It has to be revised and updated annually.

3.0 Detail

3.1 In 2006, a review of the Partnership Provisions of the Crime and Disorder Act 1998 and the Police Reform Act 2002 lead to a series of recommendations. Amongst other things the review contained a statutory requirement relating to 'Strategic Assessments', whereby each Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership will have a 'strategy group' that will be responsible for the development and production of a Strategic Assessments and a resulting Partnership Plan.

3.2 The Strategic Assessment is produced by the Safer Derbyshire Research and Information Team (SDRI) and details the following:

- Current levels and patterns of crime and disorder in the area
- Identify where any changes have occurred to the levels of crime and disorder in the area and why they have occurred.
- Identify the matters that the responsible authorities should prioritise to reduce crime and disorder in the area.

- Identify what matters to local people who live and work in the area and consider the priorities for reducing crime and disorder in the area.

3.3 The Partnership Plan is a 3 year plan which will be reviewed every 12 months to update on progress, identify new priorities and realign the local activities to address these problems.

3.4 The Home office guidance states that the statutory requirements for the plan are as follows:

- The plan has to be a three year plan
- The plan must be revised annually
- The plan has to include a strategy for tackling crime and disorder in the area
- The plan will contain the priorities identified through the strategic assessment
- The plan has to contain information about the role of each partner in supporting delivery of the priorities and how this will be resourced
- The plan should contain information about the way in which performance against priorities will be measured
- The plan will also contain information about the way in which the partnership will engage with their communities

3.5 Additions and amendments made to the 2015 Refresh Partnership Plan include:

- Updated Performance Report on page 9; to include 2014 Crime Statistics.
- Updated Initiatives report on page 10 showing activity over 2014/15.
- Amendment to name of Domestic Abuse Action Group to Domestic and Sexual Abuse Action Group, in line with County requirements
- Updated county Strategic Threat and Risk priorities on page 11
- Additional section on organised immigration crime, human trafficking and exploitation in response to it becoming a County Threat and Risk priority
- On page 12; revised previous Alcohol Related Harm priority to include substance misuse.
- Addition of Police and Crime Commissioner and new Probation website details on page 13.

3.6 The 2015 Refresh of the Partnership Plan was approved by the SSDP Strategic Group at their meeting on 26th March 2015.

4.0 Financial Implications

4.1 The SSDP has a core budget available for implementing initiatives to address the priorities identified in the Partnership Plan, this budget is held by the South Derbyshire District Council.

4.2 The main contributors to the budget are South Derbyshire District Council, with additional contributions in the form of funding and officer support from, Derbyshire Police, Derbyshire County Council, the Police and Crime Commissioner and Public Health.

5.0 Corporate Implications

5.1 The Partnership Plan aids and improves the co-ordination of multi-agency action against Crime and Disorder and thus contributes to achieving many of the Safe and Secure related projects and measures contained within the Corporate Plan.

6.0 Community Implications

6.1 The Partnership Plan provides the local community with background information on the SSDP, provides an update on the achievements over the past year and details what the priorities are that the Partnership will be focusing on over the 3 year lifetime of the plan. It also provides information on partner agencies, links with other strategies, how SDDP fits into the county community safety structure and how it is accountable to local and county partnership boards.

7.0 Conclusions

7.1 The Partnership Plan provides a clear framework to continue to monitor and evaluate progress towards tackling the local crime and disorder issues and provide protection and reassurance in the communities of South Derbyshire for the duration of the plan.

8.0 Background Papers

8.1 The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership Plan 2014-17 (2015 Refresh)