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SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD

**Wednesday, 9th October, 2024 at 7.00 pm in the Conference Room,
Civic Centre, Silver Street, Enfield, EN1 3XA**

Membership:

See Attached List

AGENDA

- 1. WELCOME & APOLOGIES**
- 2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING** (Pages 1 - 6)
To receive the minutes from the previous meeting held on 22 July 2024.
- 3. OVERVIEW OF POLICE PRESENTATION** (Pages 7 - 20)
To receive a presentation from the Police.
- 4. CHAIR'S UPDATE ON MOPAC FUNDING**
To receive an update from the Chair on MOPAC Funding.
- 5. REPORT FROM TOR WORKING PARTY**
A verbal update will be given.
- 6. UPDATE FROM INDIVIDUAL WARDS**
A verbal update will be given.
- 7. AOB**
To discuss any other business.

8. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

To note the dates of future meetings as follows:

- Monday 17 February 2025

Members of Safer Neighbourhood Board 2024/25

*SNB Chair – Glenn Breslin

*SNB Vice-Chair – Dionne John

*SNB Vice-Chair – Simone Strauss

*Adrian Bishop-Laggett (FERAA)

*Vicky Dungate (Enfield Racial Equality Council)

*Vacancy (Disability Representative)

*Vacancy (Business Representative)

*John Prior (Parent Engagement Network) Representative

*(EYP Representatives)

* Rasheeda Ali-Sevaratnam (Independent Advisory Group (IAG))

* Vacancy (Youth & Community Connexions)

Councillors: Gina Needs and Chris Dey

***Ward Panel/CAPE Chairs**

*Tom Mautner JP (Arnos CAPE)

*Gillian Yeung (Bowes CAPE)

*Tim Fellows (Brimsdown CAPE)

*Glenn Breslin (Bush Hill Park CAPE)

*Zakir Hossain (Bullsmoor CAPE)

*Vacancy (as at 24/7/24) (Carterhatch CAPE)

*Simone Strauss (Cockfosters CAPE)

*Janet Marshall (Edmonton Green CAPE)

*Laraine Hodgson (Enfield Lock CAPE)

*Auber Delgado (Grange Park CAPE))

*Eddie Fraser (Haselbury CAPE)

*Adrian Bishop-Leggat (Highfield CAPE)

*Simon Tweedy (Jubilee CAPE)

*Jany Badoye (Lower Edmonton CAPE)

*Anna Kontopyrghou (New Southgate CAPE)

*Jason Russell – Deputy Chair (New Southgate CAPE)

* Stephen Elston (Oakwood CAPE)

*Karl Brown (Palmer's Green CAPE)

*Maria Aciyan (Ponders End CAPE)

* Dave Cockle (Ridgeway CAPE)

*Carole Shuttle (Southbury CAPE)

*Dionne John Co-Chair (Southgate CAPE)

*Hannah Newton Co-Chair (Southgate CAPE)

*Irene Wilson (Town CAPE)

*Janet Marshall (Upper Edmonton CAPE)

*Vacancy (as at 14/07/24) (Whitewebbs CAPE)

*Jillie Sutton (Winchmore Hill CAPE)

Other Interested Parties: - (who are not SNB Members)

Borough Commander Caroline Haines
Chief Inspector Rob Gibbs (Neighbourhood Policing)
Inspector Richard Lee
Inspector Andy Cover
A/Inspector Farhan Asghar (Neighbourhoods Enfield)
Alice Bird (MOPAC – Programme Manager Community Engagement)
Chervonne Ndefo (MOPAC – Community Engagement Officer)
Irene Wilson (Willow Road Residents)
Jonathon Toy (LBE - Community Safety Strategic Lead)
Mark Riley (Enfield LGBT)
Councillor Gina Needs (Cabinet Member Community Safety and Cohesion)
Councillor Chris Dey

*=Parties with voting rights. Please note support officers and advisors do not hold voting rights

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SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD - 22.7.2024**MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE SAFER
NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD HELD ON MONDAY, 22ND
JULY, 2024**

MEMBERS: Councillors Gina Needs & Chris Dey. Glenn Breslin (Chair), Dionne John (Vice-Chair), Simone Strauss (Vice-Chair), Rasheeda Ali-Sevaratnam (IAG), Tom Mautner JP (Chair, Arnos CAPE), Tim Fellows (Chair, Brimsdown CAPE), Anna Kontopyrghou (Chair, New Southgate CAPE), Jason Russell (Deputy Chair, New Southgate CAPE), Stephen Elston (Chair Oakwood CAPE) Maria Aciyan (Chair, Ponders End CAPE), Dave Cockle (Chair, Ridgeway CAPE), Carole Shuttle (Chair, Southbury CAPE), Hannah Newton (Co-Chair, Southgate CAPE), Janet Marshall (Chair, Upper Edmonton CAPE).

Officers: Stacey Gilmour (Governance & Scrutiny Officer)

Also Attending: Chief Inspector Rob Gibbs, Inspector Andy Cover, Inspector Wayne Matthews, Mark Riley (LGBT)

1. WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

The Chair welcomed everyone to the meeting and introductions were made.

Apologies for absence were received from Auber Delgado (Chair, Grange Park CAPE), Jillie Sutton (Chair, Winchmore Hill CAPE) and Laraine Hodgson (Chair, Enfield Lock CAPE) and Jonathon Toy (LBE-Community Safety Strategic Lead).

2. MINUTES OF PREVIOUS MEETING

AGREED the minutes of the meeting held on 13 March 2024 subject to the following amendments:

- (i) Members in attendance included Karl Brown (Chair, Palmers Green CAPE), Hannah Newton (Co-Chair, Southgate CAPE) and Robert Malleson (Vice-Chair, Ridgeway CAPE)
- (ii) Apologies for absence were received from Cllr Gina Needs (Cabinet Member, Community Cohesion & Enforcement).

3. EXAMINATION OF CRIME STATISTICS

Chief Inspector Rob Gibbs went through the presentation in the agenda pack. The following was highlighted:

- An update was provided on the key crime types and data, comparisons and trends were provided for each category. Discussions took place and clarification was sought on some of the information shown on the

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Enfield Scorecard, to which CI Gibbs provided detailed responses. The increases and decreases in the various crime types were explained and noted.

- An overview was provided on the hotspots in the borough as well as the expected seasonal changes, and it was noted that there is an overlap of burglary, serious violence, violence against women and girls (VAWG) and robbery between the hours of 19:00-21:00 in Edmonton Green.
- Seven years of crime data suggests that there are only marginal changes in offending throughout the seasons, but in July and August increases are expected in the following: knife crime with injury ex DA/Violence with injury, personal theft, serious violence, and robbery (for the month of July).
- Looking at the crime statistics in total, Upper Edmonton and Edmonton Green wards account for 20% of all crime in Enfield; so, two wards out of twenty-five account for one fifth of crime in the borough.
- Theft of person is particularly challenging and as such is a priority, therefore a piece of work has been commissioned to address this issue.
- Information was provided on Ward Teams and resourcing, and it was advised that five of five Inspectors were now in post, fourteen of fifteen Sergeants were also in post and the DWO posts had been filled. There were also plans to move to two PCSO's per ward with high harm wards increasing over the next three years. Future plans also included an Inspector attending a CAPE meeting at least once a year.
- An in-depth update was provided on two recent incidents in the borough, namely the GBH incident in Cockfosters on 8th July 2024 and the Cross Bow incident in Bushey on 9 July 2024 which had overlapped with Enfield. Members were advised that, as these investigations were ongoing all details relating to this were strictly confidential and therefore not for the public domain. SNB members acknowledged this and thanked CI Gibbs for his informative update.
- Following on from this update questions were raised regarding the sharing of information on social media in particular around videos that had been posted relating to the GBH incident in Cockfosters. CI Gibbs advised that the Police had no control over private individuals posting on social media, as long as the content was not in breach of any criminal laws, therefore those individuals who had posted to social media in relation to the Cockfosters incident had not committed a criminal offence.
- Information was provided on Community Crime Fighting and Cluster and Ward plans which included Operation Pisces in Edmonton. This was a sustained policing approach which involved multiple layers of policing to address serious neighbourhood and organised crime in the area. It is a long-term partnership approach which launched on 3 June 2024 and a full council/partnership launch will be organised to look at and discuss the strategic oversight around this plan.
- Members were presented with arrest figures which showed 136 arrests as at today and CI Gibbs advised this is an unusually high number since the start of this operation. The aim is to achieve a seven day a

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week activity although this would prove challenging in view of budgets and resources.

- Further information was provided on Community Crime and Cluster and Ward Plans which included Operation Pisces in Edmonton. This is a sustained policing approach involving multiple layers of policing to address the serious organised and neighbourhood crime in the area. This is a long-term partnership approach which launched on 3rd June 2024. A full council/partnership launch is planned around strategic oversight.
- Members were presented with arrest figures since the launch of the operation which showed 136 arrests to date. The aim was to achieve a 7-day-a week activity although this would be hard to maintain given restraints on budgets and resources.
- Further information was provided on the 'Clear, Hold, Build' tactic, which is a multi-agency partnership tactic, designed by the Home Office and endorsed by the Policing Inspectorate, to help areas affected by crime. The tactic comprises of three parts: Clear, which sees police pursue gang members; Hold, where police maintain a grip on the area to prevent other criminal groups from taking control; and Build, which works to help the community become less susceptible to the draw of organised crime groups. The tactic will be adopted by all forces in England and Wales following early signs of success by pilot forces.
- CI Gibbs advised that although this is a Home Office Initiative, there is no separate funding for this project, therefore resourcing the project remains an issue. A sum of £20,000 is expected from Home Office GRIP funding for this project but the concern was that it would not take long to spend this when considering overtime payments for night work etc.
- Councillor Needs, Cabinet Member for Community Safety & Cohesion acknowledged that funding is an issue, but she assured the Board that all partners were supportive and working together to look at every avenue to secure funding so that this project can continue.
- CI Gibbs concluded his presentation with an update on examples of work to date which included a live facial recognition operation conducted for the first time in Fore Street. He added that there are positive signs that some crime types are reducing and some good community feedback.

The Chair thanked CI Gibbs for his informative update.

4. ENFIELD SAFER NEIGHBOURHOOD BOARD CONSTITUTION AND TERMS OF REFERENCE

RECEIVED a copy of the Enfield Safer Neighbourhood Board's current Constitution and Terms of Reference.

The Chair suggested that a Working Group be formed to review these and revise if necessary. Volunteers were sought and the following SNB members put their names forward for this Working Group:

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- Tom Mautner JP (Chair, Arnos CAPE)
- Karl Brown (Chair, Palmers Green CAPE)
- Hannah Newton (Co-Chair Southgate CAPE).

AGREED that this Working Group would feedback to a future SNB meeting once the Constitution and Terms of Reference had been reviewed.

It was also agreed that this Working Group would produce a on page introduction on 'what it means to be a CAPE Chair' as it was felt this would prove very useful for those new to the role.

ACTION: Working Group

Further to the above discussions the Chair also raised a suggestion of changing the name of Ward CAPEs to Ward Panels as it was felt that this would simplify matters and would also align with the majority of other London Boroughs.

Following a vote, SNB members voted in favour (11 for, 1 against) of this suggestion.

AGREED that this name change would be implemented with immediate effect.

5. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

The Chair went round the table and invited each CAPE Chair to provide an update on their Wards, what was working well and what were any issues of concerns.

Each Chair provided an overview of their Ward and shared some good news stories as well as some issues of concern which CI Gibbs and Inspector Matthews noted and agreed to investigate and feedback accordingly.

Concerns were raised regarding the abstraction of Safer Neighbourhood Team (SNT) Officers as this has a detrimental effect on Wards. CI Gibbs responded by saying that, although not ideal, abstractions were unfortunately inevitable as Officers are moved into emergency response teams or abstracted to cover large events and/or demonstrations/protests. He added however that if the SNT Officer had made a commitment to attend a CAPE (Ward Panel) meeting then they very much should be attending unless there are extreme circumstances where this is not possible.

6. ITEMS FOR FUTURE MEETINGS

Members requested that the Borough Commander attend a meeting of the Safer Neighbourhood Board at least once a year.

AGREED that the Chair/Vice-Chair would have further discussions with CI Rob Gibbs regarding this request.

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7. DATES OF FUTURE MEETINGS

NOTED the dates of future meetings as follows:

- Wednesday 9 October 2024
- Monday 16 December 2024
- Monday 17 February 2025

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Enfield Scorecard – September 24

	Public															
	Offences								Positive Outcome Rate							
	Current 4 Weeks 29/07 - 25/08	Previous 4 Weeks 01/07 - 28/07	% Change		Current FYTD to 25/08/24	Previous FYTD to 25/08/23	% Change		Current 4 Weeks 29/07 - 25/08	Previous 4 Weeks 01/07 - 28/07	% Pts Change		Current FYTD to 25/08/24	Previous FYTD to 25/08/23	% Pts Change	
Community Focus																
Personal Robbery	43	48	-10.4%	↓	296	292	1.4%	↑	25.6%	12.5%	13.1%	↑	11.1%	14.4%	-3.2%	↓
Theft Person	57	80	-28.8%	↓	404	315	28.3%	↑	0.0%	1.3%	-1.3%	↓	0.7%	2.2%	-1.5%	↓
Residential Burglary	87	102	-14.7%	↓	503	563	-10.7%	↓	5.7%	2.9%	2.8%	↑	5.0%	3.9%	1.1%	↑
Theft Of Motor Vehicle	114	134	-14.9%	↓	757	833	-9.1%	↓	0.9%	6.0%	-5.1%	↓	2.0%	2.5%	-0.5%	↓
Theft From Motor Vehicle	145	167	-13.2%	↓	882	962	-8.3%	↓	1.4%	0.0%	1.4%	↑	0.5%	0.2%	0.2%	↑
Interfering with MV	40	48	-16.7%	↓	231	227	1.8%	↑	5.0%	2.1%	2.9%	↑	2.6%	1.8%	0.8%	↑
Aggravated Taking of MV	4	5	-20.0%	↓	15	21	-28.6%	↓	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	↔	0.2%	0.0%	0.1%	↑
Serious Violence																
Homicide	0	0	0.0%	↔	1	0	0.0%	↔	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	↔	100.0%	0.0%	100.0%	↑
VAWG_Offences	152	125	21.6%	↑	826				5.3%	14.4%	-9.1%	↓	5.4%			
Violence with Injury	155	198	-21.7%	↓	993	1225	-18.9%	↓	18.7%	13.6%	5.1%	↑	10.2%	8.3%	1.8%	↑
Other Priorities																
Hate Crime (ex DA)	62	48	29.2%	↑	278				4.8%	10.4%	-5.6%	↓	7.2%			
LBDs	1	1	0.0%	↔	5	2	150.0%	↑	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	↔	0.0%	50.0%	-50.0%	↓
Knife Crime	30	39	-23.1%	↓	226	204	10.8%	↑	40.0%	12.8%	27.2%	↑	11.9%	15.7%	-3.7%	↓
Knife Robbery Enabled ex DA	16	16	0.0%	↔	105	110	-4.5%	↓	25.0%	12.5%	12.5%	↑	10.5%	20.9%	-10.4%	↓

Ward Teams and Resourcing

- Five of five Inspectors in post
- 15 of 15 Sergeants in post
- DWO posts filled
- Moving to two PCSO's per ward with high harm wards increasing over the next three years

Thank you