

# Crime Scrutiny Panel

## 1 March 2023

### Enfield Community Law Enforcement Team

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# Vision for the Enfield service

- Provide a visible and reassuring presence during the day and in support of night time economies as the team grows
- Enhance the feeling of safety so that all residents enjoy living in the Borough with a flexible, intelligence driven resources deployed to hot spot areas
- Intervene early and upstream to prevent disorder, tensions and casework – ultimately crime
- Take on the spot enforcement activity where appropriate
- Identify physical solutions for ward-based safety enhancements and programmes e.g. public realm design of areas attracting ASB

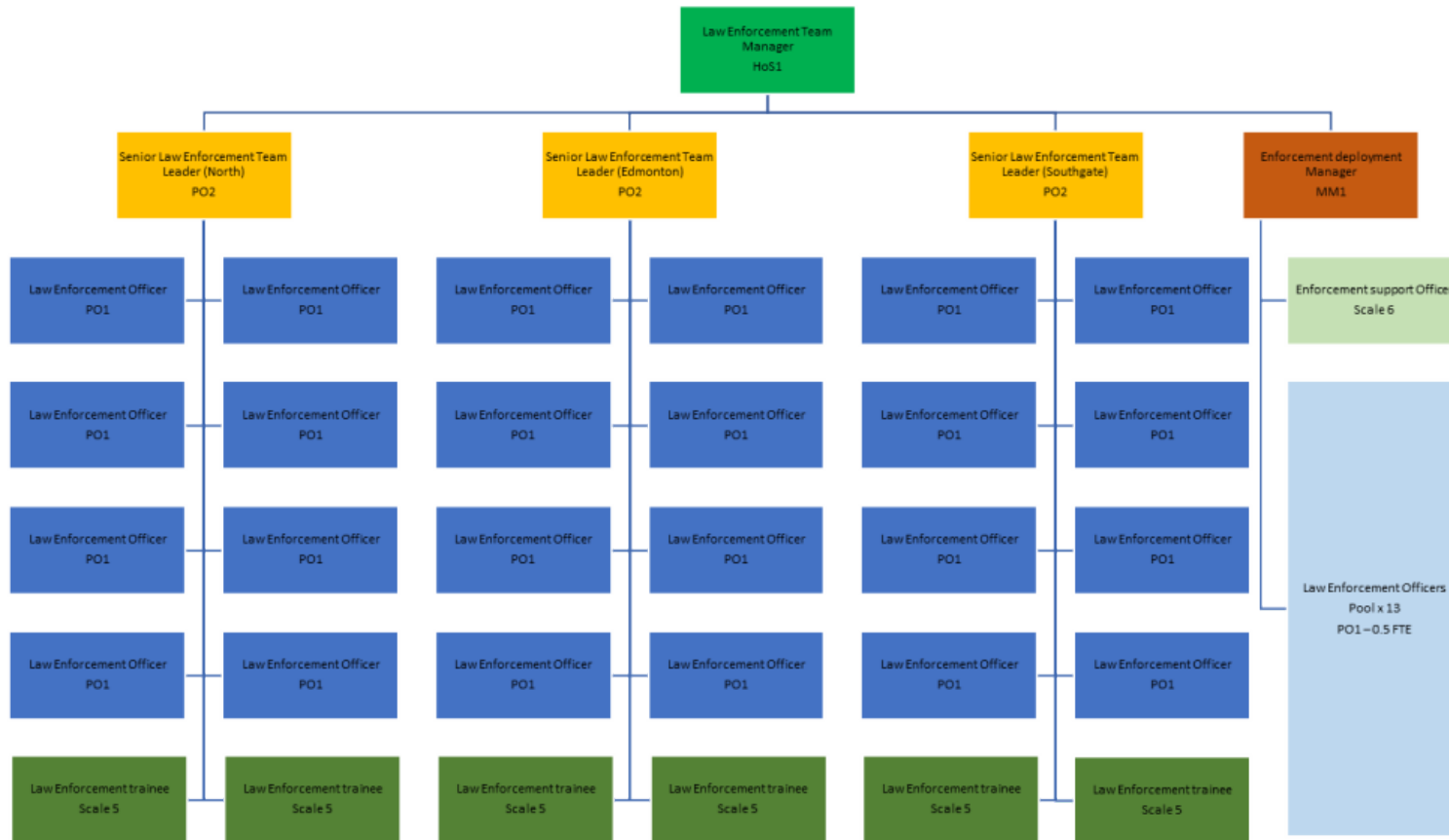


# Operating Model

- Officers to be ward based – high visibility profile, uniformed patrols
- Core working hours with tasking shifts as required to provide varied patterns of coverage
- An Intelligence and Deployment Manager (IDM) to identify hot spot priorities (schools, town centres, housing estates, parks) to deploy flexible resources to boost Ward based capacity as needed
- IDM will also manage complaints and enforcement casework including referrals to existing teams eg ASB, Flytipping, Social Services



# Proposed Organisational structure



# Full Annual Costs

Year 1 allocation £600k

Year 2 allocation £1200K

Year 3 – Full Allocation £2.4M

Description	Annual Cost £m's
Employee Cost	2.185
Equipment	0.017
Vehicles	0.049
Other Operational cost	0.145
Total Cost	2.396



# Phase 1

<b>Job Role</b>	
<b>Law Enforcement Manager</b>	1
<b>Senior Law Enforcement Team Leader</b>	1
<b>Law Enforcement Officers</b>	11
<b>Trainees</b>	2
<b>Enforcement Deployment Manager</b>	1
<b>Enforcement Support Officer</b>	1
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# Powers, remit and interface with the police

## Considerations to:

- Specific powers to enforce relevant legislation through a scheme of delegation, e.g Public Space Protection Orders
- Referrals to in-house core enforcement teams
- Community Safety Accreditation Scheme (CSAS), powers delegated by the Police Borough Commander
- Escalating and seeking advice on incidents on the street to the police

# CSAS Training

- Complete training course
- Vetting – includes extended family
- Enhanced DBS and selection interview questions to precede vetting
- Can Issue FPN's for specific issues when CSAS vetting completed (see list)
- LA – authorisations when training completed.



# What Powers Can accredited officers have?

- Power to issue a FPN for graffiti and fly-posting
- Power to issue a FPN for littering
- Power to issue a FPN for cycling on the footpath
- Power to issue a FPN to exclude a person in a public place
- Power to issue a FPN for truancy
- Power to require giving of name and address for relevant offences
- Power to require persons under 18 to surrender alcohol
- Power to seize tobacco from a person under 16



# What Powers Can accredited officers have ?

- Power to seize drugs
- Power to control traffic for purposes
- Power to deal with begging
- Power to stop cycles
- Power to stop vehicles for testing



# What Powers Can accredited officers have ?

- Power to require giving of name and address for relevant offences
- Power to require name and address for anti-social behaviour
- Power to require persons under 18 to surrender alcohol
- Power to seize tobacco from a person under 16



# Operational assumptions (1)

- Specific role and focus for each patch will be determined when the team is established based on intelligence
- Phased introduction of the team over next 3 years
- Initially focus on certain areas based on data/intelligence
- Operational hubs to be determined
- Interface with CCTV team – but not an observational role

# Operational assumptions (2)

- Close working with the Neighbourhood Policing team which includes daily, weekly and monthly engagement:
  - Participation in the Tactical Tasking Co-ordination Group – monthly
  - Participation in the Partnership Problem Partnership Group-street data
- Data sharing arrangements to be agreed
- The service will require a dynamic, on the spot response in addition to the above and this needs to be designed

# Related Council Services requiring engagement

- Litter and waste enforcement contract – already established high visible presence
- Enviro crime Officers
  - All enforcement -street scene issues dealt with by (FPN's, CPN's, prosecutions)
  - Waste Enforcement Officers – High profile, enforcement focused
- Anti-Social Behaviour team
- Council Housing First Response Officers





# Outcome measurements: general

- **A safer Enfield**
  - Visible patrols (HRA estates, Parks, Town Centres)
  - Positive development of night time economy initiatives eg Enfield Town Night Time Enterprise Zone
  - Reduction in SSCB crime indicators through upstream interventions
  - Reduction in the number of victims
- **A clean and tidy borough**
  - Supporting and promoting campaigns
- **Resident satisfaction and confidence**
- **Increased satisfaction with reduction in crime**



# Mobilisation plan – Indicative dates subject to funding agreement

- Cabinet approval – April 2023
- Recruit the management infrastructure – May 2023
- Stakeholder engagement - ongoing
- Prepare operating infrastructure – February 2023
- Recruit Law Enforcement Officers – June/July 2023