

**Item 7;**

**MAYOR'S OFFICE FOR POLICING AND CRIME (MOPAC) POLICE AND CRIME PLAN**

**1 Introduction/Purpose of Report**

The Mayor's Office for Policing and Crime (MOPAC) is currently consulting the public and stakeholders on its Police and Crime Plan for 2013, and a public meeting was being held in Barnet on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2013. This report provides more details and gives the Safer Communities Partnership the opportunity to comment.

**2 Details**

Boris Johnson, the Mayor of London, became Police and Crime Commissioner for the capital in May 2012.

A key part of the Mayor's role is to produce a Police and Crime Plan, which sets out the crime reduction strategy for London for the next four years, and explains what the Metropolitan Police Service and other agencies should be doing to tackle crime in the capital.

Between 7 January and 14 March 2013, MOPAC is consulting with anyone who lives, travels or works in London. The final Police and Crime Plan will be published by April 2013.

MOPAC intends to produce a plan that will:

- Improve crime prevention in neighbourhoods;
- Hold the police to account for cutting crime and boosting public confidence, whilst giving Londoners better value for money;
- Ensure other agencies work better to deliver effective justice, better service for victims and improved resettlement to cut re-offending.

The consultation includes town hall meetings in every London borough throughout January and February, where the Deputy Mayor for Policing and Crime, Stephen Greenhalgh, and senior Metropolitan Police officers are sharing a platform at each event to answer questions and discuss the issues. These were extensively publicised.

The Barnet borough event was to be held on 14 January 2013 at 6pm at Hendon Town Hall. A verbal update on the event and issues arising will be given at the meeting.

In addition people can participate in the consultation by viewing the draft plan online and completing a questionnaire at [www.london.gov.uk](http://www.london.gov.uk), by emailing [policeandcrimeplan@mopac.london.gov.uk](mailto:policeandcrimeplan@mopac.london.gov.uk) or by speaking to a MOPAC colleague.

### **3 Decision Sought**

To note the current consultation and agree whether there are specific representations that the Partnership Board should make.

#### **Contact for Further Information;**

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