## CHESHIRE EAST COUNCIL

# **REPORT TO: Sustainable Communities Scrutiny Committee**

**Date of Meeting:** 17<sup>th</sup> September 2009

**Report of:** Tony Potts

Subject/Title: Strategic Assessment, Safer Cheshire East Partnership

## 1.0 Report Summary

1.1 The strategic assessment is required to look at reported crime, anti-social behaviour, environmental crime, neighbourhood and community issues and recommend priorities and possible courses of action to address them

### 2.0 Recommendations

2.1 To comment on the draft strategic assessment, and make recommendations to the Safer Cheshire East Partnership (Appendix A)

#### 3.0 Reasons for Recommendations

3.1 Inform members of reported crime and incidents of disorder Identify longer term trends over the past three years

#### 4.0 Wards Affected

- 4.1 All
- 5.0 Local Ward Members
- 5.1 All
- 6.0 Policy Implications including
- 6.1 N/A

#### 7.0 Financial Implications for Transition Costs

7.1 None

## 8.0 Financial Implications 2009/10 and beyond

8.1

		Revenue	Capital
Funding Source:	Area Based Grant Second Home	308,604	105,158
	Taxation	129,531	
Total Funding		438,135	105,158

## 9.0 Legal Implications

9.1 None, subject to the comments of the scrutiny committee.

## 10.0 Risk Management

10.1 Ensure the council complies with its legal obligations, in relation to the crime and disorder act 1998.

## 11.0 Background and Options

11.1 Following a presentation by the community safety manager at the last scrutiny committee, members requested that a report in relation to the Safer Cheshire East Partnership and further information relating to the Strategic assessment be presented at its next meeting, on the 17<sup>th</sup> September 2009. Safer partnerships are required by law to produce an annual strategic assessment. This is a survey of crime and disorder levels and trends over the past year (and up to three years). It is used for planning future partnership activity as part of a three year rolling annual plan to reduce the levels of crime and disorder and its impact on the community.

#### 12.0 Overview of Year One and Term One Issues

12.1 N/A

#### 13.0 Access to Information

The background papers relating to this report can be inspected by contacting the report writer:

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