



PART A:	MATTERS DEALT WITH UNDER DELEGATED POWERS
REPORT TO:	SCRUTINY
DATE:	19 FEBRUARY 2015
REPORT OF THE:	HEAD OF ECONOMY AND HOUSING JULIAN RUDD
TITLE OF REPORT:	SAFER RYEDALE UPDATE
WARDS AFFECTED:	ALL

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

1.0 PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1 To inform Members of the progress towards delivery of the 2014/15 Safer Ryedale Action Plan.
- 1.2 To present the Joint Strategic Intelligence Assessment (JSIA) to Members and to seek Member views on the Ryedale additions.
- 1.3 To inform Members of the current Police and Crime Commissioner funding agreement to tackle Anti Social Behaviour in Ryedale.

2.0 RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 It is recommended that Members note the report and appendices and provide feedback to Officers.

3.0 REASON FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 The Police and Justice Act 2006 placed a statutory duty on local authorities to put in place arrangements for crime and disorder scrutiny committees, the statutory function of the committee being to review, scrutinise and report on the decisions made and action taken by responsible authorities relating to crime and disorder issues under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998.
- 3.2 The Overview and Scrutiny Committee was designated as the Ryedale District Council's crime and disorder overview and scrutiny committee in July 2009. To undertake this function, it was resolved to receive reports from the Safer Ryedale Partnership. (Minute 42(b) refers.)

4.0 SIGNIFICANT RISKS

4.1 Risks are outlined in the Risk Matrix in appendix A.

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5.0 BACKGROUND AND INTRODUCTION

5.1 The North Yorkshire Community Safety Partnership has now been established. Within this context, the Safer Ryedale Delivery Team meet approximately 4 times per annum to review progress towards delivery of the Safer Ryedale Partnership Plan. A 'family tree' diagram is included in Annex B

5.2 The JSIA 2014 is a 'refreshed' version of the 2013 document'. It has been presented to the North Yorkshire Community Safety Partnership.

5.3 The document is classified as 'Restricted' and therefore may be circulated freely within law enforcement and also to partners and partnerships where Information Sharing Agreements are in place and registered with the Force Information Manager, Legal and Compliance Directorate. This is not a public document and is exempt from the Freedom of Information Act 2000 under Section 31.

5.4 Safer Ryedale's and the Police and Crime Commissioner's (PCC) priorities for 2015/16 will be based on the data published in the JSIA.

5.5 The PCC has commissioned Safer Ryedale to deliver a programme to tackle Anti Social Behaviour between September 2014 and March 2015.

6.0 POLICY CONTEXT

6.1 Council Priorities 2014 – 2018 Aim 4: To have active communities where everyone feels welcome and safe.

7.0 CONSULTATION

7.1 A variety of approaches are used to engage with communities, both face to face and through consultation exercises. These include:

- Website www.ryesafe.org
- Media opportunities – Safer Ryedale has a target of 12 press releases per annum
- A 'media diary of events' has been drawn up to highlight the community based events for the Partnership throughout the year
- CAP (Community & Police) meetings
- Parish Liaison Forum
- Voluntary Sector Forums
- Bi-annual street surveys in all four of Ryedale's market towns
- Valued network of Watch Groups.

8.0 REPORT DETAILS

2014/15 Partnership Plan

8.1 The Partnership Plan is published, on line, on the Safer Ryedale website. www.ryesafe.org. The Performance Monitoring Report for Quarter 3 of 2014/15 is in annex C.

Introduction to the JSIA 2014

- 8.2 The Strategic Service Assessment (JSIA) has been produced by North Yorkshire Police. The resultant document is therefore GPMS 'Restricted' and is an internal document for use by the partnership and constituent member agencies, as well as providing North Yorkshire Police with the required level of strategic analysis across a number of areas of law enforcement. The exempt annex is in Annex D .
- 8.3 This is a 'refreshed' version of the 2013 JSIA. The North Yorkshire Community Safety Partnership,(NYCSP) meeting in December 2014, felt that this did not meet community safety requirements – to provide a strategic direction for the NYCSP and have agreed to add further detail to the document. The Ryedale additions (attached in Annex E) are therefore to be considered by an editorial task and finish group in February 2015.
- PCC Commissioned Safer Ryedale activity
- 8.4 In October 2015, the PCC commissioned the Local Delivery Teams (such as Safer Ryedale) and Safer York Community Safety Partnership, to deliver community safety interventions. Funding has been provided until March 31st 2016, paid on receipt of satisfactory performance data and with 10% withheld until the end of the contract as a performance incentive.
- 8.5 Ryedale received £22,287 of the £400,948 available. (The allocations based on population and crime statistics.) £20,001 of this is allocated to tackling ASB and £2,286 to a 'reactive pot' for Safer Ryedale to allocated to project required to address community safety issues arising throughout the year, raised by its 4 sub groups.
- 8.6 The first performance report is attached in Annex E. This indicates the wide range of ASB work being undertaken, with prevention and early intervention being key priorities.
- 8.7 Recent work has included a joint meeting with representatives of various agencies regarding establishing a pro active approach to community ASB concerns around the traveller transition camp at Wintringham.
- 8.8 Officers have requested details of other PCC commissioned activity in Ryedale, from the PCC, to ensure that we are working closely, adding value rather than duplication. This includes aspects such as victim support and street triage.

9.0 IMPLICATIONS

- 9.1 The report is for information only.

10.0 NEXT STEPS

- 10.1 Views of Members will be given to the Safer Ryedale partnership for inclusion in the 2015/16 action plan and to the NYCSP JSIA task and finish group.

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Background Papers:

See Annexes

See safer Ryedale website – www.ryesafe.org

Background Papers are available for inspection at:
www.ryedale.gov.uk