

Meeting: Council

Date: Wednesday 19 November 2014

**Subject:** Eastbourne Community Safety Plan

Report of: Councillor Margaret Bannister on behalf of the Cabinet

The Council is asked to consider the minute and resolution of the Cabinet meeting held on 22 October 2014 as set out below.

Further copies of the report to Cabinet are available on request – please see end of this report. A copy may be seen on the Council's website by following the link below:

http://democracy.eastbourne.gov.uk/ieListDocuments.aspx?CId=125&MId=1268&Ver=4

## The Council is recommended to:-

Approve the plan.

## \*32 Eastbourne Community Safety Plan

- 32.1 Cabinet considered the report of the senior head of community consider the current performance of the Eastbourne community partnership (ECSP) under the updated Eastbourne community safety plan and to outline issues that may potentially impact future crime and antisocial behaviour (ASB) performance. Bob Gough, Eastbourne crime reduction officer was invited to address the cabinet.
- 32.2 Cabinet had previously endorsed the successful crime reduction performance of the partnership. In 2005/06 Eastbourne was subject to around 11,000 crimes. For the performance year 2010/11 this had dropped to approximately 7,500 crimes and to the end of June 2014, this had reduced to around 5,700 crimes, a further reduction of 5% compared with the same period last year.
- 32.3 The current plan (2014/17) had been developed in consultation with key partners including the police and other members of the ECSP. A copy was appended to the report to cabinet. Plan targets were reviewed at the end of each performance year and key performance targets had been incorporated into the relevant sections of the council's corporate plan.

## \*32.4 Resolved (budget and policy framework): (1) That cabinet

notes the community safety partnership's achievements and future risks/opportunities to performance and endorses the 2014/17 community safety plan with continued delegated implementation authority to senior head of community.

(2) That full council be asked to approve the plan.

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