Minutes of the High Street Ward SNT Meeting held at The Mall Walthamstow 12 February 2014

Bob Wheatley, Local Resident (BW)Geoff FernandesKaren Sambrook, Community SafetyNorman MentorNelia Cetin, ResidentKatie Andrews, Resident	Present	Karen Sambrook, Community Safety Nelia Cetin, Resident	Apologies	
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Point	Details	Action
1.	Introduction & Welcome Meeting opened at 7:00pm	
2.	Minutes of Previous Meeting The previous minutes were agreed with the following correction and updates noted :	
	 Correction to previous minutes <u>Section 3 – Updates from Sgt Champion</u> Hatherley House notes regarding anti social behaviour should have been recorded under Tenby Court. 	
	 Stoney Down Park Sgt Champion confirmed that patrols were taking place in this location with regular stop and search carried out. 	
	- Cleveland Park Avenue, Soup Kitchen & The Embassy Club CC & NM were unable to attend meeting on 12.2.14 and will therefore provide updates at next meeting. It was noted however that Sgt Champion had visited one of the proposed sites for the Soup Kitchen and negotiations are progressing.	CC & NM
3.	Priorities & Updates from previous meeting - Personal Theft - Street Drinkers	
	Crime Figures (12 week reporting period) Burglary up from 30 to 41 (seasonality - It's worth noting that in the last 4 weeks of the reporting period there was 9 burglaries.) Robbery down from 19 to 18 Motor Vehicle Crime up from 33 to 43	
	Sgt Champion pointed out some of the actions they are taking regarding burglaries. It is likely that if a burglary happens in one home, another will be targeted in the same street within a day or so. Officers therefore visit neighbours to highlight the recent crime and crime prevention.	

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3.	Priorities & Updates (cont'd)	
	Predictive mapping is now also available and this is used to target possible crimes in certain locations with Pulse Patrols taking place (Officers in location for 15 minutes and then go to next mapped location on a 2 hour rolling basis).	
	Christmas Operation This was very successful with a 60% decrease in crime.	
	The Team have been concentrating on Personal Theft and Robberies since last report and are please to advise there have been :	
	6 Drugs warrants issued 3 Handling stolen goods warrants issued 2 Arrests relating to street drinking. 20 S27 bans issued	
	Sgt Champion advised the group that a further 20 Officers were due to join the Borough and it is hoped that the 10 week training programme will be carried out in the High Street Ward – providing additional welcomed resource.	
	PC Matt Fletcher is currently Acting Sgt for Hoe Street and is expected back to the High Street Team mid March.	
	We have a new Acting Inspector – Jason Smith who will hopefully be attending the next meeting. Inspector Chris Jones is currently Acting Chief Inspector.	
4.	Ward Promises Going Forward	
	The Ward Promises for the next period are :	
	Street DrinkersPersonal Theft	
5.	AOB Control & Command Meeting Sandra da Costa has recently attended the above and gave a brief overview of the purpose :	
	 Scrutinise Statistics Review how quick responses are to 999 calls. 	
	Call Centres are located as follows	
	 Bow which covers East London Lambeth which covers South London Hendon which covers North and North West London 	
	At the last meeting Sandra was asked to extend an invite to the High Street SNT to visit the Call Centre in Bow, more details to follow.	SdC
	Possible Scam Letters in Hatherly House Nelia produced a suspected scam letter received and passed to Sgt Champion for investigation.	JC

5.	AOB (Cont'd)	
	Changes in Engagement Processes Ward panels are to continue, but will be open to the public. There will also be periodic meetings "Neighbourhood Panels" for the panel chairs across each cluster, and the Community Safety Board is being replaced by the Safer Neighbourhoods Board to review police performance across the Borough, with membership subject to guidelines from MOPAC. Priorities (3) will be set at the Cluster level, but two "ward promises" will be recognised for each ward.	
6.	Date of Next Meeting TBC – April 2014, 7pm at The Mall, Walthamstow	All