

LONDON BOROUGH OF TOWER HAMLETS

REPORT OF THE MAYOR IN CABINET

04 APRIL 2012

To receive the report of the Cabinet at its meeting held on Wednesday **04 April 2012**.

Mayor and Councillors in attendance at the meeting: -

Cabinet:

Mayor Lutfur Rahman	
Councillor Rofique U Ahmed	(Cabinet Member for Regeneration)
Councillor Abdul Asad	(Cabinet Member for Health and Wellbeing)
Councillor Alibor Choudhury	(Cabinet Member for Resources)
Councillor Rania Khan	(Cabinet Member for Regeneration)
Councillor Oliur Rahman	(Cabinet Member for Children's Services)

Other Councillors:

Councillor Peter Golds	(Leader of the Conservative Group)
Councillor Ann Jackson	(Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee)
Councillor Denise Jones	

1. Community Safety Plan 2012-13 (CAB 102/112)

The report (attached as Appendix 1 to this council report) informed the Mayor and Cabinet that: -

- Community Safety Partnerships had a statutory duty to produce a Community Safety Plan which investigated challenges and opportunities for the borough and identified its priorities for the term of the plan. This year the Executive Steering Group recommended to the Community Safety Partnership that the next plan should cover the 2012-13 financial year only given the unique environment that the Olympics and Paralympics would create in the borough.
- The Plan outlined the Strategic Framework within Tower Hamlets, its links to the Community Safety Plan, the newly approved Community Safety Partnership Delivery Structure / membership and the Corporate and Partnership Olympic Impact Planning infrastructure. It identified key crime drivers for 2012 based on both local and national research/knowledge and set out the Community Safety Partnerships priorities for 2012.

These are:

- Violence
- Serious Acquisitive Crime
- Youth
- Violence Against Women and Girls
- Drugs / Alcohol
- Integrated Offender Management
- Anti-Social Behaviour
- Cohesion and Hate Crime

- Public Confidence
- Olympics
- The subgroups of the Community Safety Partnership would produce action plans (January – February 2012) that would engage with the CSP priorities throughout 2012 and each would be monitored at both Sub-Group and Community Safety Partnership level.

The broad endorsement of the proposals contained in this policy framework report by the Overview and Scrutiny Committee (OSC), at its meeting held on 3rd April 2012, and specific comments/ advice arising from its deliberations, were reported by the Chair of the OSC earlier in the Cabinet proceedings and noted by the Mayor/ Cabinet.

The Mayor agreed:

- Amendments to the recommended decisions set out in paragraph 2.1 of the report to read as below in Decision 1 and 2.
- An amendment to the recommended decision set out in paragraph 2.2 of the report to read as below in Decision 3.

Decision

1. That the Community Safety Plan 2012-2013, attached at Appendix A to the report (CAB 102/112), and the priorities set out within it, be noted and endorsed;
2. That the Development and Consultation Plan for the Community Safety Plan 2013 onwards, attached at Appendix 1 to the Community Safety Plan 2012-2013, be noted and endorsed; and
3. That full Council be recommended to adopt the Community Safety Plan 2012-2013, as contained in Appendix A to the report (CAB 102/112).

Council is therefore recommended to: -

1. Adopt the Community Safety Plan, attached at Appendix A to the report (CAB 068/112) **(Attached at Appendix 1 to this Council report)**.

**Lutfur Rahman
Mayor**

LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972 SECTION 100D (AS AMENDED)
LIST OF "BACKGROUND PAPERS" USED IN THE PREPARATION OF THIS REPORT

Brief description of "background paper" number of holder	Tick if copy supplied	If not supplied, name and telephone
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