

Gangs Workshop presentations

SUMMARY

1.1 The Neighbourhoods Board has invited the following organisations to give short presentations on their work with individuals and groups to combat gang and youth violence:

- Impact Derby (gangs advisory group)
- Enthusiasm
- Multi-agency Gangs Team
- Operation Redshank

1.2 The presentations are expected to cover:

- Information about the organisation, who they are and what they do
- Where they operate (geographically)
- How they are funded (including details of any and all council/neighbourhood board funding)
- Their successes to date
- Their plans and priorities relating to gangs going forward.

RECOMMENDATION

2.1 To consider and comment on the work carried out by local organisations in combating gang and youth violence in the city.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

3.1 A number of organisations are working with groups and individuals to combat gang and youth violence. Receiving presentations from these organisations will enable the Neighbourhoods Board to become better informed on the main issues linked to illegal gang activity.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 At its January 2014 meeting, the Neighbourhoods Board considered the Pathways Out Programme. This programme takes an innovative approach to profiling those individuals most at risk of gang activity and helps to identify potential intervention measures, to combat gang and youth violence. During their consideration of the Pathways Out Programme, the Neighbourhoods Board requested to receive short presentations from partner organisations on their work with individuals, to combat gang and youth violence. Four local organisations have been invited to present their work with young people in the city.
- 4.2 These presentations will enable the board to get a better understanding of the gang and youth activity in the city and the work being carried out by these organisations to combat gang and youth violence.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

- 5.1 None

This report has been approved by the following officers:

Legal officer	N/A
Financial officer	
Human Resources officer	N/A
Service Director(s)	
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Background papers:	None
List of appendices:	Appendix 1 – Implications

IMPLICATIONS

Financial and Value for Money

1.1 None arising from this report

Legal

2.1 None arising from this report.

Personnel

3.1 None arising from this report.

Equalities Impact

4.1 None arising from this report.

Health and Safety

5.1 None arising from this report.

Environmental Sustainability

6.1 None arising from this report

Asset Management

7.1 None arising from this report.

Risk Management

8.1 None arising from this report.

Corporate objectives and priorities for change

9.1 Our aim is to work together so that Derby people have an inspiring place to live.

