

Neighbourhoods and Streetpride Cabinet Member Meeting 23 December 2014

ITEM 4

Report of the Strategic Director of Neighbourhoods

Review of the response to ASB complaints – Community Trigger

SUMMARY

1.1 This seeks Cabinet Member approval for implementation of an administrative process to deal with complaints of anti-social behaviour received from the public using the Antisocial Behaviour, Crime and Police Act 2014 - commonly referred to as a 'Community Trigger'.

RECOMMENDATION

2.1 To note the report and approve implementation of the process arising from a 'Community Trigger' as detailed in Appendix 2

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

3.1 The council, along with the Police and Clinical Commissioning Groups, are defined by the Act as 'Relevant Bodies' with a statutory duty to have a 'Community Trigger' procedure and to advertise it widely to the public.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

4.1 The 2014 Act includes new measures, designed to give victims and communities a say in the way that anti-social behaviour is dealt with. The 'Community Trigger' gives victims the ability to demand action, starting with a review of their case, where the locally defined threshold is met.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

5.1 None.

This report has been approved by the following officers:

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Background papers:	None
List of appendices:	Appendix 1 - Implications
	Appendix 2 - Community Trigger Process and PCC Process
	Appendix 3 – Memorandum of Understanding

Appendix 1

IMPLICATIONS

Financial and Value for Money

1.1 None arising from this report.

Legal

2.1 The Anti-Social Behaviour, Crime and Policing Act 2014 requires the council to have an administrative process.

Personnel

3.1 None arising from this report.

IT

4.1 None arising from this report.

Equalities Impact

5.1 None arising from this report.

Health and Safety

6.1 None arising from this report.

Environmental Sustainability

7.1 None arising from this report.

Property and Asset Management

8.1 None arising from this report.

Risk Management

9.1 None arising from this report.

Corporate objectives and priorities for change

10.1 Not applicable.