

INTEGRATING COMMUNITIES OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY BOARD 21 March 2016

ITEM 7

Report of the Chief Executive

Strategic Intelligence Assessment 2016-17 and Modern Slavery

SUMMARY

1.1 This report allows the Head of Community Safety and Partnerships to present an update to the Board on the 2016-2017 Strategic Intelligence Assessment and an overview of the Council's responsibilities in relation to modern slavery and the Modern Slavery Act 2015. Reports providing further information will be circulated to the Board in advance of the meeting.

RECOMMENDATION

- 2.1 To consider the information provided and make any comments and relevant recommendations on the content of the Strategic Intelligence Assessment (SIA), modern slavery and various services delivering under these areas.
- 2.2 To discuss and agree any actions or items for inclusion on the 2016-2017 work programme as a result of the information received.

REASONS FOR RECOMMENDATION

- 3.1 To ensure that Board members are kept updated on the development of the SIA for 2016-2017 and the current position in relation to modern slavery and recent legislative changes.
- 3.2 To ensure that the Board has sufficient opportunity to make any comments or recommendations in relation to the two areas discussed.

SUPPORTING INFORMATION

- 4.1 The Police and Justice Act 2006 requires local authorities to establish a crime and disorder committee with powers to review or scrutinise decisions of responsible authorities of their crime and disorder functions. The scrutiny of crime and disorder is carried out by the Integrating Communities Board and is overseen by the Corporate Scrutiny and Governance Board. This Board therefore has a responsibility to:
 - a. Review or scrutinise the functions of Partnerships and Communities.
 - b. Act as the Crime and Disorder Committee under the Police and Justice Act 2006.

The Board has statutory powers to scrutinise the crime and disorder functions of responsible authorities. These include:

- Police,
- Police Authority
- Fire and Rescue Service
- Local Authority
- Probation
- Health Authority
- 4.2 The Integrating Communities Board routinely receives information on service delivery and performance of services under the remit of crime and disorder in the city.

OTHER OPTIONS CONSIDERED

5.1 None.

This report has been approved by the following officers:

Legal officer	N/A
Financial officer	N/A
Human Resources officer	N/A
Estates/Property officer	N/A
Service Director(s)	
Other(s)	David Walsh, Head of Democracy, Statutory Scrutiny Officer
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IMPLICATIONS

Financial and Value for Money

1.1 None arising from this report

Legal

2.1 The Police and Justice Act 2006 requires local authorities to establish a crime and disorder committee with powers to review or scrutinise decisions of responsible authorities of their crime and disorder functions.

Personnel

3.1 There are no implications arising directly from this report.

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4.1 None directly arising from this report.

Equalities Impact

5.1 Effective scrutiny benefits all Derby people and the very nature of the Board ensures that it looks in depth at equality in all its investigations.

Health and Safety

6.1 None directly arising from this report.

Environmental Sustainability

7.1 None directly arising from this report.

Property and Asset Management

8.1 None directly arising from this report.

Risk Management

9.1 None directly arising from this report.

Corporate objectives and priorities for change

- 10.1 This report contributes to the following Council objectives:
 - Feeling safe and being safe.
 - A strong community.
 - Good health and well-being.