

Funding Bid to:	SCB – ABG Performance Management Fund
Lead Organisation:	North East Derbyshire Community Safety Partnership
Name of Project:	Burglary and Car Crime
Funding Requested:	£3505
Project Lead (name):	Faye Green
Date:	January 2010
Brief Description of Project:	
To undertake 5 cracking crime days in areas where Burglary is problematic across our District. To Undertake a series of car crime initiatives across NED.	

RATIONALE

The North East Derbyshire Community Safety Partnership would like to integrate this project bid into the Safe, Secure and Responsible bid that we have already received funding for, by utilising some of the capital hardware received from the previous bid and distributing it during the car crime events and the cracking crime events. Since the Safe, Secure and Responsible initial project, car crime and burglary have decreased. In December 2009 there was 75% less car crime, in January 2010 there was 54% less dwelling burglaries and 33% less car crime, this reduction can hopefully be attributed to the success of the previous initiatives.

BACKGROUND

Car Crime - Car crime has increased on North East Derbyshire District; from April 2009 to the 3rd January 2010 there have been 283 theft from motor vehicles, 30 interferences and 95 theft of motor vehicles. The CSP have undertaken a series of initiatives in the areas where car crime has been particularly problematic, we have posted information through the doors of those houses in areas where car crime has been a problem, this has included sat nav clothes, letter providing residents with the information regarding car keys as well as valuables in their cars. The CSP have also run the "Forget it" Campaign as well as the "Nothing in Nothing out".

Burglary - That there has been a 90% increase in Dwelling house burglaries across NED section from 01/04/2009 compared to the previous years statistics. Work has been ongoing in the CSP to attempt to reduce the effects of burglary as well as to try and "target harden" properties and increase people's awareness. Operation Radiance has been instrumental in raising people's awareness of leaving lights on when they are not in, by providing free segment timers and light bulbs. We have also utilised some of the hardware (that was purchased through the Safe, Secure and Responsible bid) and distributed it to those who have been victims of burglary as well as those who have been deemed as vulnerable through another project that we held "Harry the House Burglar".

AIMS

Car Crime – This project aims to run a series of poster campaigns as well as staff out in supermarket car parks, leisure centres and garages across the district to inform local residents. By combining the efforts of Operational Officers, PCSO's and Community Safety staff we shall be targeting vulnerable motor vehicles, such as those left unlocked or with property on view within, with an informative leaflet, suggesting a number of simple, common-sense measures that could substantially reduce the risk of a vehicle being broken into.

We will be urging all vehicle users to lock doors, windows and even sunroofs when they leave their vehicle, and to take the ignition key with them. Ideally, all other items should be removed but if this is not possible then they should be placed out of sight in the boot. Items recently stolen from vehicles include laptop computers, mobile phones, compact discs, wallets and power tools and every area of NED has been targeted by opportunist criminals. We will be providing stickers for their vehicles as well as sat nav cloths and letters with the relevant information on there.

Burglary – We have undertaken a series of very successful events aimed at tackling dwelling burglaries during the hours where it is going dusk and people are still at work "Operation Radiance", however, with this project we aim to run a series of Cracking Crime events in a number of areas where burglary has been problematic, we aim to hire out a room and hold these events in conjunction with other partners such as fire service, Neighbourhood watch and the Police. Not only will this increase the number of residents we can get to, it will also increase the knowledge they will receive. We held a Cracking Crime event in Tupton in December 2009, when these events are attached to luncheon clubs or play groups they appear to be successful and attract an audience that would not necessarily engage.

TARGET GROUPS

Local residents will feel safer and their fear of crime will be greatly reduced.

TIMESCALES

The start date would be as soon as the grant is received.

FINANCIAL COSTS AND FUNDING

This equipment would be a one off purchase of £3,505. We are asking for the following:

Car Crime – Poster and leaflets - £1000
Stickers for cars - £360
Sat Nav Cloths - £870

Burglary – Cracking Crime events x 6 (Posters and room hire) - £1000
Key Door Cords – 500 @ 55p each = £275 (to give out at the events)

PROJECT OUTCOMES

- Reduce acquisitive crime
- Reduce Car crime
- Reduce the fear of crime
- Increase the detection rate of crimes

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Faye Green the Community Safety Manager will manage the project.

If the funding bid is successful and the system is purchased the Partnership or Police will have access to view the images on or any designated PC.

Funding Bid to:	SCB – ABG Capital Fund ABG Performance Management Fund
Lead Organisation:	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership
Name of Project:	Developing Business Watch Scheme in Melbourne
Funding Requested:	£3,200
Project Lead (name):	Chris Smith
Date:	Jan 2009
Brief Description of Project: To install 40 Alertbox systems in Melbourne town centre, replicating the successful Swadlincote model	

RATIONALE

To help develop and establish a business Watch scheme in Melbourne town centre by improving communication links and reducing fear of crime for staff and members of the public using the town centre. The Alert Box system is a proven and effective alternative to two-way personal radios.

The project will supply and install 40 Alert Boxes across the market town and then train the businesses and partners in how to make maximum use of them. A similar project, in Swadlincote won the Social & Community category in the East Midlands Regional Market Town Awards Scheme last year, one of its principle benefits was that it brought the retailers to work together in cohesive community of interest. These same benefits will emerge from the Melbourne project.

Traders within networked communities can communicate instantly with each other when personal safety issues or crime is of concern. Each device contains the name, address and telephone number. When the WARNING or HELP button is pressed, the network (all shops within a 200m radius) is made aware of the type of issue, the location and the person who originated the message. Essentially it is a form of electronic neighbourhood watch to counter the effects of low-level crime and anti-social behaviour.

The presence of a network creates a better flow of information to community safety partnerships and safer neighbourhood teams due to "witness power" which in turn promotes community engagement and a more effective use of police resources

BACKGROUND

There are 65 shops and related businesses in the Market Town of Melbourne. Most are independent retailers mainly with one or two staff working in isolation. This project will support them. Although Melbourne town centre is not a high crime area, it is the second largest Town centre within the District and there are regular issues of Anti Social behaviour within the town.

In Melbourne the evening economy is particularly vibrant but there has been a rise in incidents of anti-social behavior and criminal activity at the time when shops are closing and bars are opening. Similarly a number of shops have reported incidents of young people loitering, being rowdy and deterring customers from entering their

shops. During the first half of this 2009 incidents recorded by the Police in Melbourne rose by 23%.

There is also a disproportionate amount of fear of crime in the town and the development of a business watch scheme using the Alertbox technology as the catalyst, will greatly improve relations between the residents and business in the town centre and the police and the Partnership.

The partnership has been successful in obtaining £7,000 towards the required £10,300 from an external funding source. £10,200 is the cost of purchasing 40 of the alert box units. The installation of the boxes will be done by the partnership team and local Safer Neighbourhood team.

AIM

The aim of the project is to: -

1. Reduce crime and diminish the fear of crime in Melbourne Town Centre.
2. Provide the catalyst for maintaining a Shop Watch Scheme over a prolonged period.
3. Promote greater communication between retailers, the public, police and local CDRP.
4. Provide the tools for the business community to enable them to work together to make Melbourne a better place to live and work.

TIMESCALES

The project would be completed by March 2010 and the scheme is already underway in terms of consulting with the town centre businesses.

FINANCIAL COSTS AND FUNDING

The total fund requested is capital, The cost of providing 40 x Alert Box systems to town centre is £10,200. £7,000 has already been obtained through an alternative external funding source.

TOTAL COST = £10,200

Requested Funding = £3,200

PROJECT OUTCOMES

1. Reduction of crime and the fear of crime in Melbourne Town Centre.
2. Improved knowledge by retailers of local criminals through a simple electronic communication system.
3. Increase in confidence of shop staff when dealing with criminals and confrontational behaviour.
4. Increased likelihood in apprehension of offenders engaging in criminal activity in Town Centre.
5. The project will also impact on National Indicators **NI 16 – Serious Acquisitive Crime**, & **NI 27-Understanding of local concerns about anti-social behaviour and crime by the local council and police**

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

The setting up of the Alertbox System will be done via the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership once the system is set up there are no running costs involved. The Partnership will check on all shops to see if they are using the system after an initial 3-month period and if there are any shops not wanting or not using the system the box can simply be removed and located in a different shop.

Further boxes can be purchased and simply added into any shops that want to join the scheme, however they will be expected to meet the majority of the cost, although the Partnership may offer to subsidise the cost.

Funding Bid to:	SCB – Relentless Capital Fund
Lead Organisation:	Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership
Name of Project:	Langer Field Community Group Play Project
Funding Requested:	£10,271
Project Lead (name):	Joe Tomlinson
Date:	7/1/10
Brief Description of Project: The Langer Field Community Group are attempting to raise £1M to convert Langer Field into a place of local resistance to ASB. The project has been in conception for 6 years and is gathering pace with the imminent installation of a MUGA in May. £60,000 of funding is in place and will be spent on phase 1 of the project to develop a MUGA at the north end of the site (funds will be spent irrespective of further funds becoming available). The planning is well underway for this MUGA which will be installed April 2010. Residents in the area have told the Borough Council that a CCTV camera to watch over the MUGA is essential. Further funding is required for other elements of the scheme. The present application is to assist with the cost of installing CCTV on Langer Field. The bid is for 1 CCTV camera pole plus installation and fabric costs (including cabling (actual camera to be funded by another partner), ideally to be sited before the MUGA installation.	

1.0 RATIONALE

1.1 To seek funding from the SCB Performance Management Fund to support a re-deployable camera solution that will aim to reduce ASB in LSOA 1019578 and the surrounding area. The LSOA is the 15th worst (from 475, excluding Town Centre locations) in Derbyshire for levels of ASB and is regarded as a 'confidence coldspot' area.

1.2 Overall Objective(s)

- To deliver a reduction of ASB in LSOA 1019578, a key ASB hotspot and multi-agency focus area within the Holmebrook & Rother Ward, Chesterfield.
- To deliver a community designed solution in an identified 'confidence coldspot'.
- Reduce the perceived and actual fear of crime and improve public confidence.
- To promote and continue to deliver 'safe and confident' communities within the Borough.

2.0 BACKGROUND

2.1 Big Lottery Fund – Chesterfield Play Portfolio

In November 2005 the Big Lottery Fund (BLF) announced details of a £155M Children's Play initiative. £124M was committed to develop play enabling local authorities to create, improve and develop their local play spaces. To receive a share of the money local authorities were required to take the lead role in applying for funds working with local partners in the play sector. Each successful local authority was allocated a specific amount based on the child population and weighted by the level of poverty in the respective areas. Chesterfield Borough Council was successful and was allocated the significant amount of £243,000.

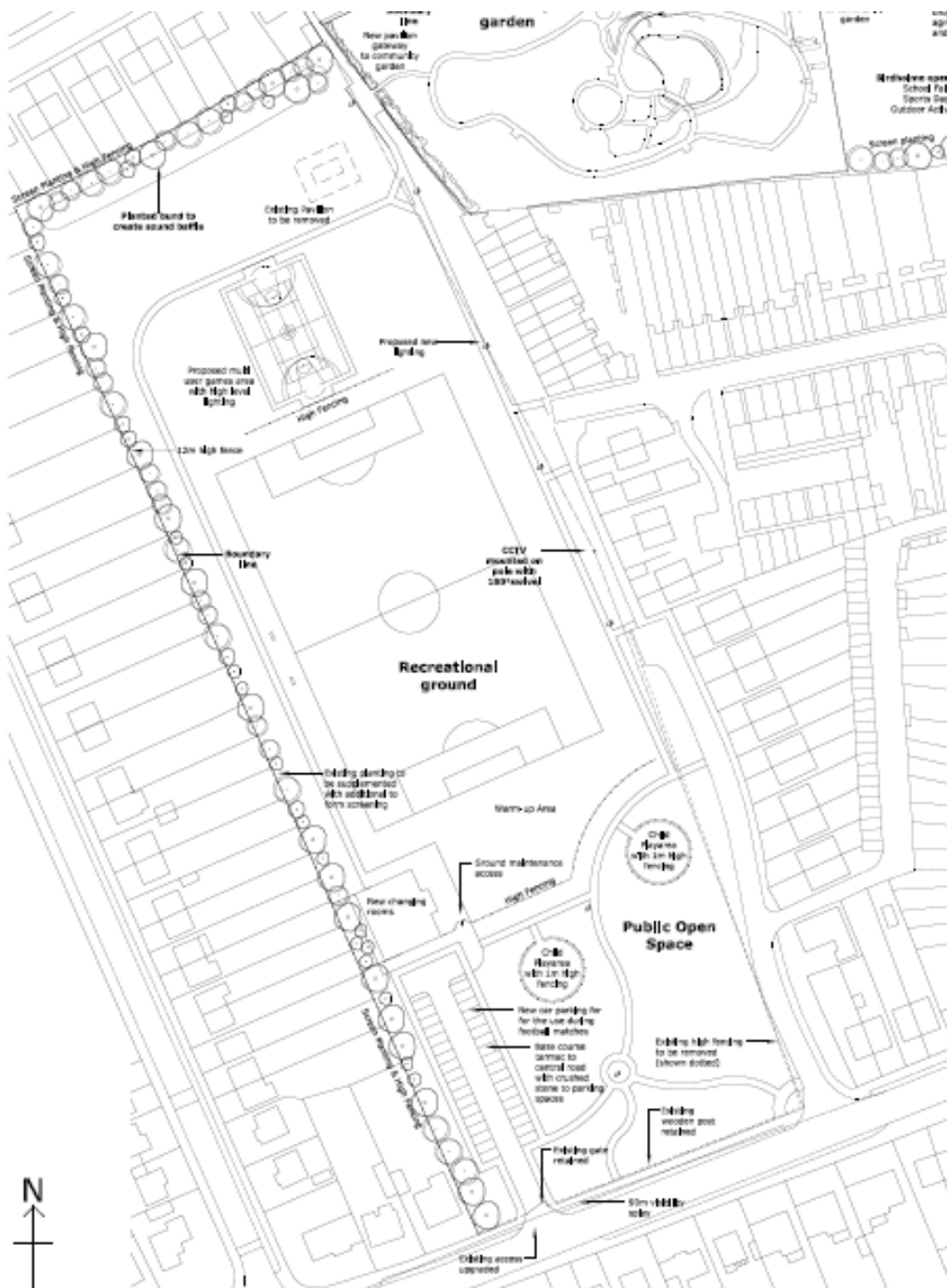
2.2 Multi-use Games Area (MUGA)

A sum of £49,999 from the BLF fund has been allocated to the Langer Field Community Group Play Project. In addition to BLF funding a further sum of £10,001 has been allocated from WREN funding supported by the Holmebrook and Rother Community Forum. In total to

date £60,000 has been committed by Chesterfield Borough Council to the project. These funds will be used to provide the much needed multi-use games area at the north end of the field adjacent to Hunloke Community Gardens.

2.3 Community Safety Lead

The Langer Field Community Group and the Holmebrook and Rother Community Forum have approached Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership to lead on funding development for the rest of the scheme which is envisaged to cost c.£1M in total. Consideration for inclusion in the scheme is given to car parking, changing rooms, CCTV, safety fencing, further play areas, recreational ground and landscaping. The proposed site plan is illustrated below.



2.4 CCTV

The scheme will utilise a MEL Street Hawk Colour Monochrome camera with IR lamps provided at a cost of £14,933 by CBC CCTV Capital funds. The proposed site of the re-deployable camera and new camera pole (subject to the success of the present bid) installation is shown on the site plan above. The site has been identified by the local community and the project itself has been designed by the Holmebrook and Rother Community Forum under the Chairmanship of Cllr. Stuart Bradford and by Mr. Keith Miles of Langer Field Community Group who also sits as Community Representative on the Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership Strategy Group. When asked what the priority for consideration of ASB in the area was by Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership, the project at Langer Field was high on the list of community nominated interventions. CCTV provision to protect the scheme and the community using the facilities has been identified by local residents as an essential part of the scheme.

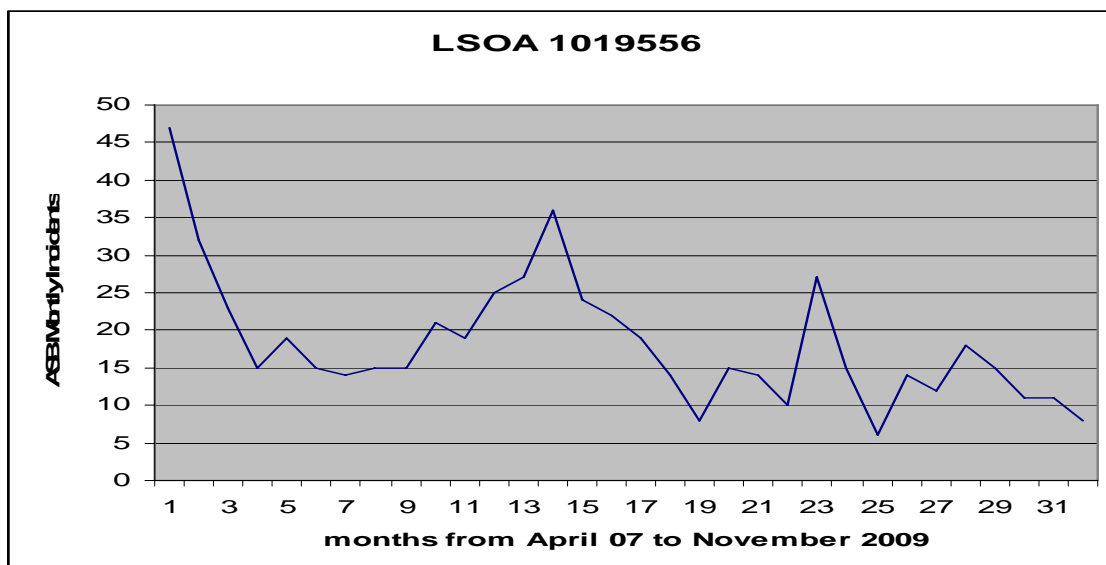
2.5 Consultation

Consultations have taken place with children and young people attending Parkside Community School to determine support for the scheme and the nature of the final scheme.

‘we asked, you said, we did’ This project continues from the sustainable spaces of community resilience ethos from the multi-agency Operation Relentless of 2009.

2.6 Previous Intervention

Within the same Safer Neighbourhood area a similar re-deployable CCTV solution to ASB has been adopted with great success. The LSOA 1019556 was the recipient of a re-deployable CCTV solution in late 2008. The results of the £65,000 solution have been dramatic in relation to ASB reduction. The graph below depicts LSOA 1019556 in terms of monthly ASB incidents since April 07. Since month 19 (September 08) there has been a significant reduction by average in relation to ASB incidents. February (Month 23) shows an unusual spike due to the increase in ASB incidents caused by ‘snow ball related’ incidents due to the unusual weather conditions compared to recent years. After normalising this data to account for the unusual conditions there has been an average reduction following use of deployable CCTV across the LSOA from 22 ASB incidents to 12 incidents per month.



2.7 Cost of ASB

There is a lack of basic information regarding the financial costs of anti-social behaviour. Very few landlords record how much they spend each year on preventing and responding to incidents of anti-social behaviour. There is little data of the costs on service providers such as the police, fire brigade and housing associations, or on organisations whose premises are the victims of anti-social behaviour. There is however information pertaining to intervention costs with regards ASB. A study estimated the unit costs of intervention by LA housing departments by form and level of intervention to be:

Informal intervention	£50
Special tenancy transfer (involving one party of dispute)	£824
Case involving legal advice but stopping short of court action	£365
Notice to seek possession served	£596
Application for injunction	£1,239
Granting of (contested) possession order	£3,908

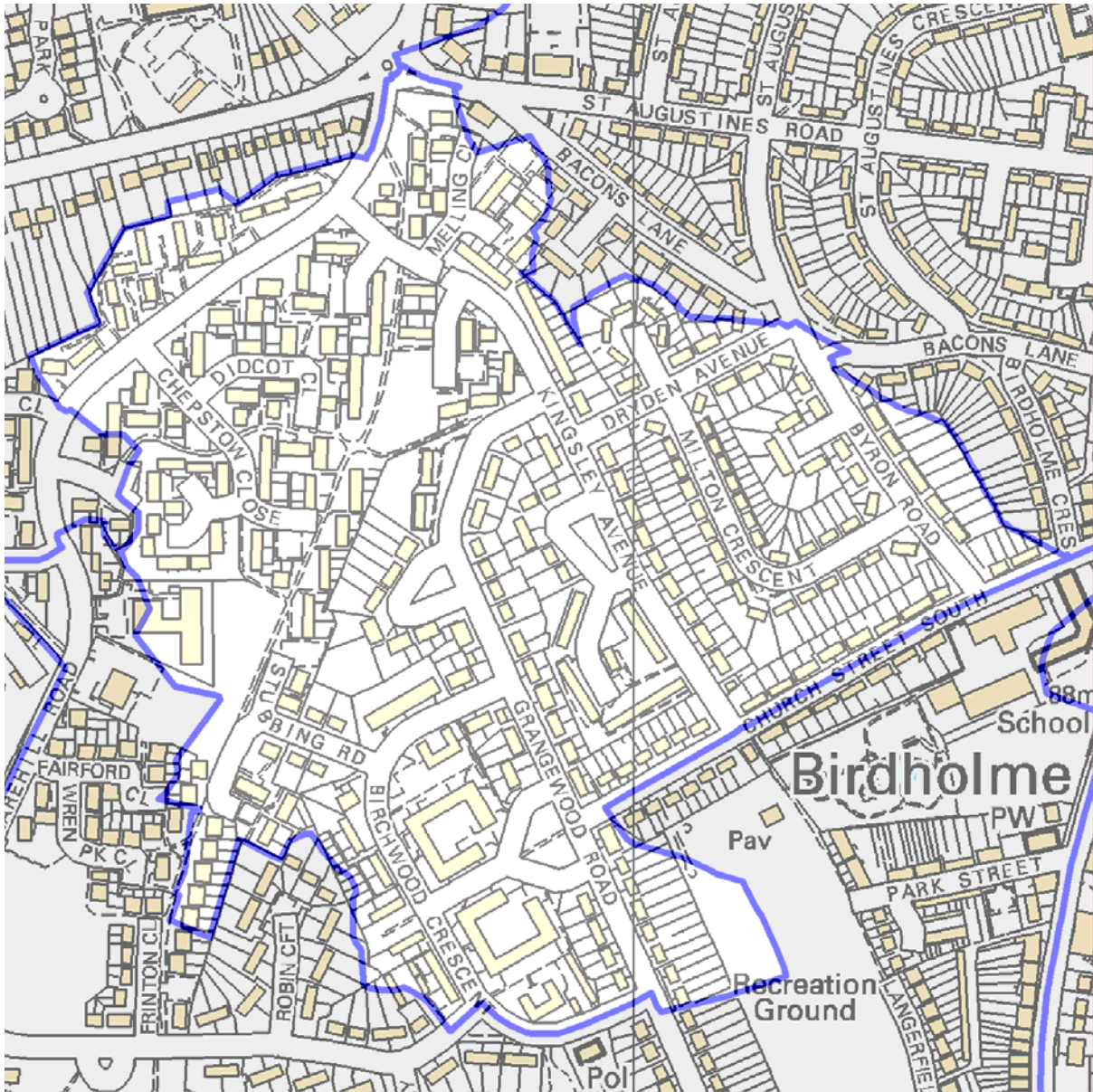
In addition to this the Home Office value the average cost of an incident of domestic Criminal Damage at £510 and in the commercial / public sector at £890. In light of this information it would not be unreasonable to suggest a cost of £200 per incident of ASB.

As such in LSOA 1019556 following the implementation of a CCTV solution an appropriate savings estimate for cost of ASB would be £2,000 per calendar month. This equates to a breakeven period for the original solution of 2.7 years. The local Community Forum is so convinced that the problem has been resolved that it is prepared to allow both cameras at the site on Walton Drive to be relocated. One camera is part of the new solution project at Queens Park and the other is destined for redeployment at Barrow Hill.

The use of re-deployable CCTV is now being considered by CBC as a solution to local and transient ASB problems in the borough and is considering investing heavily in such installations over the next 4 years.

2.8 LSOA 19578

The map below shows LSOA 1019578 and Langer Field (demarked Recreation Ground). The area is blighted by ASB with an average monthly 20.4 calls for service between April 2004 and November 2009 in comparison to an average 7.9 calls for service across Derbyshire (excluding Derby City and recognised Town Centres) for the same period.



3.0 AIMS

The aims of the Langer Field Community Group Re-deployable CCTV installation are:

- To form part of a £1M scheme to deliver a community designed intervention to combat a recognised Crime / ASB hotspot and 'confidence coldspot'.
- To replace a vulnerable place with a place of community resilience
- To demonstrate partnership activity success by delivering a quantitative 'output' reduction in ASB in the area thereby assisting to increase local confidence.
- To continue to demonstrate the value for money nature of shorter term re-deployable CCTV solutions over permanent installations

4.0 TARGET GROUPS

The target group of the project will be:

- Specified local communities suffering localised ASB.

- Local community groups and forums
- Children and young people in the targeted LSOA and surrounding area/.

5.0 TIMESCALES

The anticipated erection of the CCTV installation at Langer Field shall be between the 28th February and March 31st 2010.

6.0 FINANCIAL COSTS AND FUNDING

6.1 The financial resources required to fund the scheme are as follows:

Cabling Column base & power	£5,400
Column Inclusive of delivery	£2,200
Install Materials	£ 125
Paint	£ 165
Installation Costs (incl. survey etc.)	£2,300
PDU	£ 81
Total	£10,271

As part of the project CBC will fund the CCTV Camera at a cost of £14,933. Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership will contribute the balance towards the camera pole should the balance of £10,271 remaining in the SCB PMF be allocated to the project.

7.0 PROJECT OUTCOMES

Should the solution provide similar results to those observed in LSOA 19556, in LSOA 1019578 as expected by the design of the siting of the new facilities and camera installation, the following results are expected:

LSOA 1019578 current monthly average ASB incidents = 21
 LSOA 1019578 anticipated monthly average ASB incidents = 12
 Total anticipated reduction in monthly average ASB incidents = 9

At a cost of £200 per incident, as established at section 2.7, the average cost of ASB saving will be in the region of £1,800 per month. The SCB PMF investment as part of the project for the installation will have paid for itself in a little over 5 months should a similar result to the existing solution in LSOA 1019556 be observed.

8.0 PROJECT MANAGEMENT

The project will be managed as follows:

Overall project – Susan Massey (CCTV Manager)
 Community Liaison – Cllr. Stuart Bradford / Keith Miles
 Financial Management – Joe Tomlinson (Chesterfield Community Safety Partnership)

A full evaluation report will be provided to the SCTAG/SCB upon completion of the scheme.

Funding Bid to:	SCB – ABG Capital Fund
Lead Organisation:	Safer South Derbyshire Partnership
Name of Project:	Swadlincote Town Centre CCTV Scheme
Funding Requested:	£9,000
Project Lead (name):	Chris Smith
Date:	Jan 2010
Brief Description of Project:	
To install a Town Centre Wireless CCTV System in Swadlincote Town Centre	

RATIONALE

The Safer South Derbyshire Partnership would like to request £9,000 through the ABG Capital Grant scheme to make up the shortfall we currently have for the completion of the Swadlincote Town Centre CCTV Scheme. The quoted cost of the scheme is £50,000 and we have currently obtained £41,000 through the ABG Capital scheme, Growth Point money and Partnership funding. A recent bid to obtain REIP funding proved unsuccessful.

The Scheme will install a 6 Camera CCTV System into Swadlincote Town Centre. The Town centre is the number one crime and ASB Hotspot area in the whole District. The Proposed CCTV System would be installed by AMS who have installed similar schemes in Bolsover, Derbyshire Dales, Amber Valley and Erewash in recent years. The proposed system would be able to be viewed on PC's both at the District Council building and Swadlincote Police Station via a secure internet link.

BACKGROUND

Lower SOA Description	Location Street	ABSCONDING	ASSAULT	BURGLARY DWELLING	BURGLARY NOT DWELLING	DRUGS OFFENCE	FORGERY	FRAUD	HANDLING	INTERFERE WITH VEHICLE	OTHER CRIME	OTHER THEFT	ROBBERY	SEX OFFENCE	SHOPLIFTING	THEFT FROM VEHICLE	THEFT OF PEDAL CYCLE	TOTAL DAMAGE & ARSON	TWOC/THEFT OF VEHICLE	Total
Swadlincote - Centre	High Street		10	2	8			4			15	1	2	61	2	1	22			128
Swadlincote - Centre	Coppice Side		10					2			6			44	5	1	5	1		74
Swadlincote - Centre	West Street		26		2	3		3		1	8			1			14			58
Swadlincote - Centre	Civic Way		8		1			8			14		2	2	4	2	13	2		56

The table above shows the top 4 locations for all crime types in the District between July 08 and June 09. It shows that High Street has almost double the number of crimes than Coppice Side, which has the second highest number of crimes, and the top four are all streets located around the town Centre. The High Street is the no.1 hotspot for Criminal Damage in the District and ASB

Calls for Service and West Street is the No.1 hotspot for Assaults. High Street and Coppice Side are also no1 and 2 hotspots for shoplifting. The High Street is also the no1 hotspot in the District for Other Theft and had the third highest Burglary non dwelling rate in 08/09.

The proposed CCTV system would not be a 'one off' solution to the problems but would be used as a tool as part of a larger strategy. There is already a successful Business Watch Scheme, which has over 50 members and an Alertbox initiative, which has greatly improved the community Spirit in the town centre. There are on occasions extra patrols put on and an active Pubwatch runs between the licensed premises in the town centre. However despite all these initiatives the crime rates are still high compared with other areas in South Derbyshire due to the number of people that use the town centre and it is felt that a town centre CCTV system would provide the necessary deterrent and evidence collecting abilities to reduce these levels.

The members of the Business Watch scheme continually ask for a CCTV system to be installed and it would greatly reduce the fear of crime for both the shop workers and the members of the public visiting the town centre

The Town centre system will be overt and highly visible, with signs displayed around the lampposts in the town centre. Both shoppers and the shop Staff will be aware of the cameras and will feel that there is a reduced chance of crime and disorder occurring in the town centre.

Any arrests or convictions that are made with the assistance of the CCTV will be well publicised which will in turn raise further confidence in the system and further reduce the fear of crime.

AIMS

To provide an initial 6 camera wireless CCTV System within Swadlincote town centre. The aim of installing a CCTV system will be to reduce crime and disorder rates in the town centre and to reduce fear of crime amongst those working in the town centre and those visiting. The installation of a CCTV system should also encourage businesses to the town centre and prevent existing businesses from leaving.

CCTV has been requested by the local businesses in the town centre for a number of years, however previously, due to the high capital costs associated with a hard-wired scheme it has not been possible. The AMS system is a totally wireless system, which is far cheaper to install and has flexibility with the monitoring. The Business Watch members have made it known that they would feel far more safe and secure if a town centre system were in operation.

The system will also increase the number of detections of crime and disorder occurring in and around the town centre, and any arrests or convictions made will be well publicised which will further help reassure the people working and using the Town Centre.

TARGET GROUPS

Perpetrators of crimes and anti social behaviour in the town centre will be targeted in terms of trying to obtain footage that can be used to identify them,, arrest them and prosecute them The local Businesses and particularly the Business Watch members and the people using the Town Centre are also target groups in terms of making them safer and reducing their fear of crime.

TIMESCALES

The project has started. The project would be completed by end of March 2010.

FINANCIAL COSTS AND FUNDING

The initial quote for the 6 Camera system is £50,000. This includes the installation of the cameras, the installation of the radio base unit and to install a functioning Screen within the police Station in Swadlincote. The remainder of the capital funding will come from the Safer South Derbyshire Partnership, the District Council and from donations from local businesses. There will be no 24/7 live monitoring of the scheme but AMS can provide monitoring at an hourly rate at key times. Any extra monitoring that is bought in will be covered by the Partnership. The Preferred system will allow for further cameras to be added if and when further funding is obtained.

PROJECT OUTCOMES

By Installing a Wireless Town Centre CCTV system in the areas most needed we would hope to achieve the following,

- Reduce acquisitive crime
- Reduce anti social behaviour
- Reduce the fear of crime and anti social behaviour
- Reduce Assault
- Increase the detection rate of crimes

This project will greatly impact on NI 27 Understanding of local concerns about anti-social behaviour and crime by the local council and police and could benefit Operation relentless if funding is received in time. It would also impact on NI16 – Serious Acquisitive Crime and NI20 – to reduce Serious Assault. The Shops and Businesses have been asking for CCTV in the Town

Centre for several years, however despite the Partnership recognising a need for it, it has not been possible due to the high Financial Cost, Should a Town Centre system be installed it will greatly improved their confidence in the Partnership, police and Local Authority in dealing with local concerns and priorities.

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Chris Smith will manage the project. An initial quote has already been obtained and an initial survey of possible locations has also been done and permission has been granted by local businesses and organisations to house the cameras.

Funding Bid to:	SCB – ABG Capital Fund/Performance Management Fund
Lead Organisation:	Derbyshire Dales Community Safety Partnership
Name of Project:	CCTV camera – Wood Street, Wirksworth
Funding Requested:	£9,975
Project Lead (name):	Malcolm Mayfield
Date:	Friday, January 08, 2010
Brief Description of Project:	
To provide an additional CCTV camera at Wirksworth to help reduce crime and ASB on Wood Street, which is the 3 rd highest area for crimes in Wirksworth. This would link into and complement the existing 3-camera system to provide better coverage of main town centre hotspots.	

RATIONALE

The thinking behind this application is to assist the Wirksworth Safer Neighbourhood Team in their efforts to reduce crime and anti social behaviour within the main hotspot areas in Wirksworth town centre

BACKGROUND

There are a several signature problems and hotspot areas within Wirksworth. Wood Street is one of these and is a problem both in terms of crime and antisocial behaviour, as the information below demonstrates. This funding would enable the provision of a CCTV camera at Wood Street and would this would be both a valuable deterrent and evidence providing tool for the Police, which would help reduce the problems in this area.

The Safer Derbyshire Research & Information Team Street Index data shows there have been the following number of crimes committed on Wood Street in recent years / months:

2006		2008	
Month	Number of crimes	Month	Number of crimes
September	4	January	1
November	2	February	1
December	2	March	3
		May	3
		June	1
		December	1
2007		2009	
Month	Number of crimes	Month	Number of crimes
February	1	January	1
May	1	February	1
June	1	April	3
September	2	May	2
October	2	June	1
November	1	July	3
December	1		

- The above crimes have included assault, burglary not dwelling, theft from vehicle, theft of vehicle and criminal damage.

- In the last quarter there have been 17 crimes, including 4 Assaults, 2 Burglary not dwellings, 1 Drugs Offence, 2 other theft, 6 damage & arson and 2 TWOC/ theft of vehicle.
- This is the 3rd highest area in Wirksworth.

Information from PC Eyre – Wirksworth Safer Neighbourhood Team

- ASB on Wood Street, Wirksworth is now one of our three priority profiles. It is the main area teenagers congregate both on foot and vehicles.
- There have been 2 damage to vehicles incidents in the last 2 weeks on the DDDC car park off Wood Street, which recently got a Park Mark award.
- There was a firearms incident on Wood Street on Friday evening (23/10/09). 2 locals were arrested and charges are imminent.
- The biggest single community in Wirksworth is the 600 pupils who 4 times a day enter/leave the school most onto Wood Street.

Information from Damian Maye – CCTV Manager – Derbyshire Dales Community Safety Partnership

The Partnership fully sees the need to have a camera covering the Wood Street location, which would easily link into the existing 3 camera system, but is not in a position to fund such a provision.

AIMS

The aim of the project is to reduce crime and anti social behaviour in the Wood Street area of Wirksworth through the provision of a CCTV camera to assist the Wirksworth Safer Neighbourhood Team to tackle these issues more effectively

TARGET GROUPS

Those groups and individuals committing the crime and anti social behaviour

TIMESCALES

The project would be completed by end March 2010
The start date will be as soon as funding is confirmed

FINANCIAL COSTS AND FUNDING

The formal quotation for a top specification Q series camera, including 8 years of maintenance is **£9,975**. This would match in with the partnership requirement to have 8 years of maintenance and support for all cameras in its CCTV system.

PROJECT OUTCOMES

- The provision of a CCTV camera at Wood Street
- A reduction in crime and antisocial behaviour in the area
- An increase in arrest rates due to better evidence provision

PROJECT MANAGEMENT

Damian Maye, the Partnership CCTV Manager, will manage the project throughout the installation period and will manage the camera as part of the partnership CCTV system once it is installed.

PC Doug Eyre will manage the use of the camera by the Wirksworth Safer Neighbourhood Team in order to best support the reduction of crime and disorder in the area.