

**REPORT FOR: OVERVIEW AND
SCRUTINY COMMITTEE
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COMMITTEES**

Date of Meeting:	14 th June 2011
Subject:	Safer Harrow Annual Strategic Assessment 2011/12
Responsible Officer:	Tom Whiting, Assistant Chief Executive
Scrutiny Lead Member area:	Safer and Stronger Communities
Exempt:	No
Enclosures:	Strategic Assessment

Section 1 – Summary and Recommendations

This report introduces the Strategic Assessment which analyses crime data to identify the most prevalent crime and anti-social behaviour issues in Harrow

Recommendations:

Overview and Scrutiny are recommended to comment on the Strategic Assessment.

Section 2 – Report

Introductory paragraph

This report introduces the Strategic Assessment for 2010/11 which contains an analysis of crime and anti-social behaviour data to identify the key crime trends and patterns and the most important crime issues facing Harrow.

A Strategic Assessment is undertaken every year to identify changes in crime types and volumes. Every third year, including this year, the Strategic Assessment informs the development of the Community Safety Plan (which appears elsewhere on this agenda). In the other two years, the Strategic Assessment helps Safer Harrow to refine their priorities and identify the impact of the initiatives that have been put in place.

Financial Implications

There are no financial implications arising from this report

Performance Issues

The Strategic Assessment both provides information on the impact of crime reduction approaches taken in the past and helps to define priorities for the future.

Environmental Impact

The Strategic Assessment collates information on environmental crime including litter, graffiti and fly-tipping.

Risk Management Implications

There are no risks.

Corporate Priorities

This relates to the corporate priority of keeping neighbourhoods clean, green and safe.

Section 3 - Contact Details and Background Papers

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Background Papers: None