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*Taking pride in keeping Suffolk safe*

# **Welcome to the Babergh Public Meeting**



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***“However beautiful the strategy,  
you should occasionally look  
at the results.”***

***(Sir Winston Churchill)***



# My role

- Representing the public interest in Suffolk
- Setting the priorities, policing budget and policing element of your Council Tax
- Holding the Chief Constable to account
- Working with partners
- Ensuring value for money and transparency
- Monitoring performance

# Police and Crime Plan 2013-17

*'Making Suffolk a safer place in which to live, work, travel and invest'*

## **Objectives:**

- Responding to emergencies
- Solving crime
- Preventing and reducing crime and anti-social behaviour (ASB)
- Caring for victims and vulnerable people

# Ongoing engagement

- Public Meetings across Suffolk (this follows meetings in the Districts and Boroughs in the Spring)
- Annual Business Forum - 29 October
- Suffolk Youth Parliament/UCS Student Union
- Public surgeries (first Monday of each month)
- SNT meetings (to raise very local issues)
- Surveys
- Over 800 letters and e-mails

# Taking Action

- Passmore Priority for each month
- Licensing Packs supporting responsible licensing
- Community Safety Fund allocated
  - Western Community Safety Partnership
  - Public Health (Substance Misuse Services)
  - Positive Futures
  - Prince's Trust
  - Police Cadets
  - Youth Offending Service

# Looking Ahead

- Working in partnership: Suffolk plc
- Changes in the way we do policing:
  - collaboration
  - technology
  - procurement
  - blue light services
  - public sector estate
  - investment







# Douglas Paxton Chief Constable





**Acting Superintendent  
Kim Warner  
Strategic Policing  
Commander West**

**Acting Inspector  
Kevin Horton  
Babergh Local Policing  
Command**





# Performance Overview Babergh

- Total crime down by 11 offences (1% reduction)
- Criminal damage down by 110 offences (27% reduction)
- Acquisitive crime up by 11 offences (1% increase)
- Anti Social Behaviour down by 301 reports/incidents (18% reduction)

Performance is measured against the three year average





# Local Priorities

- Speeding enforcement and road safety across the Babergh area
- Anti social use of motor vehicles within Sudbury and Gt Cornard
- Anti-social behaviour and crime linked to the night-time economy within Sudbury



# Working together in your area

- Over 150 volunteers assisting the Police with Speed Watch, Street Watch, CCTV and Neighbourhood Watch
- Sudbury Town Council and Community Wardens accredited under the Community Safety Accreditation Scheme
- Community Wardens granted powers by the Chief Constable to deal with dog fouling, littering, graffiti and more





# Babergh: Twitter Account Update

- Over 156 tweets since account started in July
- 211 followers
- Real potential to deliver quick messages to the community
- Follow us on Twitter @BaberghPolice





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**Over to you...**