

**REPORT OF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR WORKING GROUP**

**Responsible Officer:** Clare Robathan, Policy and Research Officer

**Reason for Report:** to report on the review undertaken by the Community PDG Working Group on anti-social behaviour (ASB).

**Recommendation:** That the four recommendations made by the Working Group are recommended to the Cabinet:

1. That Members of the ASB working group are consulted on the review of the Housing ASB policy (due to take place this year, and to be incorporated into Neighbourhood and Community Standard Policy) through an informal, in-depth discussion with the Corporate Manager for Public Health, Regulation and Housing and other officers.
2. That information around ASB and how to report it is clearly communicated to Members and the public.
3. That the Mid Devon Senior Inspector is requested to provide Members with a monthly update on policing in the District and consideration is given to other ways to engage with members.
4. That the Community Safety Partnership (CSP) review the Community Trigger process.

**Financial Implications:** No direct implications.

**Budget and Policy Framework:** No direct implications.

**Legal Implications:** No direct implications.

**Risk Assessment:** N/A

**Equality Impact Assessment:** N/A

**Relationship to Corporate Plan:** A key priority for the Council is promoting sustainable and prosperous communities. The impact of ASB can cause distress and suffering for victims, and it is key concern for Mid Devon residents.

**Impact on Climate Change:** No direct implications.

**1.0 Introduction/Background**

1.1 The Community PDG agreed to establish a working group to ensure the Council has a targeted and effective response to ASB in the District. The final report of that Group is attached.

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