



Our Vision, Our Plan, Our Promise, Our Actions

Working together to make High Peak a place where people feel safe and supported, the diversity of our community is valued, and our environment is protected

2021 to 2024

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A word from our Chair

We have a strong team of people from different agencies that work together to help to make High Peak a safer place for all.

This plan shows how we will continue to work together to focus on those problems that are of most concern to you.

High Peak is a beautiful part of the country and we want to make sure that people can continue to enjoy our borough without worrying about their safety. I'm confident that this plan will help us to do that.

Cllr Jean Todd –

Chair of the Community Safety Partnership and Executive Member for Climate Change, Environment and Community Safety, High Peak Borough Council.

High Peak Community Safety Partnership

Our Plan (strategy)

We believe that we can achieve our vision if we:

PREVENT problems from occurring in the first place (Primary prevention).

REDUCE the impact of community safety problems (Secondary prevention)

SUPPORT those affected by problems and provide support to help stop people from reoffending (Tertiary prevention).

Key Areas (Statutory Requirements)

We will work together to formulate and implement a strategy at borough level for:

- Reducing crime improving safety
- Reducing disorder including anti-social and other behaviour adversely affecting the local environment
- Combatting the misuse of drugs, alcohol and other substances in the area
- Preventing re-offending

Responding to any cross-cutting issues, such as mental health, and involving the community and voluntary sector

Our Vision

is for High Peak to be a place where people feel safe and supported, the diversity of our community is valued, and our environment is protected.

Our Plan

shows how we will deliver our vision.

Our Promise

tells you how we will work together to plan, take action, and report back to you.

Our Actions

shows what we will do during the year to deliver the things that we set out in our plan.

Our Priorities

Acquisitive and Drug-Related Crime, Anti-Social Behaviour, Domestic Abuse, Personal Safety, Preventing re-offending, Rural Problems

Our Promise

We will work together to:

Focus on the most important problems in High Peak, Talk to our communities about local problems, Take early action, Provide support for those who most need our help, Work with offenders to stop them from committing more crime, Work with our communities to tackle problems together, Hold a public meeting once a year, Provide our community with information about what we are doing

Responsible authorities:

High Peak Borough Council, Derbyshire County Council, Derbyshire Chief Officer of Police, Probation service providers, Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Authority, North Derbyshire CCG and Tameside and Glossop CCG

Strategy Group members:

Executive Member, HPBC (Chair); Executive Director, HPBC; County Councillor, DCC; LPT Commander, Derbyshire Constabulary; Group Manager, Derbyshire FRS; Chief Executive, High Peak CVS; Chief Executive, Peak District National Park Authority.

OUR VISION

Our Vision is for High Peak to be a place where people feel safe and supported, the diversity of our community is valued, and our environment is protected.

WHO ARE WE?

Every borough in the country must have a partnership (a group of organisations) that meets to look at crime and disorder issues. We call our partnership the High Peak Community Safety Partnership.

The organisations that must work together in the partnership are set down by law. These organisations are known as the “responsible authorities” and are:

- High Peak Borough Council
- Derbyshire County Council
- The Chief Officer of Derbyshire Constabulary
- Providers of probation services
- Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Authority; and
- NHS Derby and Derbyshire Clinical Commissioning Group (CCG), and NHS Tameside and Glossop CCG.

There are lots of other organisations who work with the responsible authorities to make our Borough safer. These include community groups, residents associations, parish and town councils, schools and colleges, and organisations such as:

- Crossroads Derbyshire;
- Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Service;
- High Peak Community and Voluntary Services;
- HM Prison & Probation Service;
- Peak District National Park Authority; and
- the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire.

OUR PLAN

WHAT DO WE NEED TO DO?

By law, we must work together to tackle:

- crime and disorder;
- antisocial behaviour;
- behaviour that spoils the local environment like dumping rubbish (fly tipping), graffiti and dog fouling;
- misusing drugs and alcohol; and
- reoffending by adult and young offenders.

OUR PRIORITIES

We are required to carry out a review (a strategic assessment) of the problems in the Borough each year. We use this and other information to choose the most important problems that need to be tackled in the Borough in the next year to help us to work towards our vision.

We must then produce plans that show how we will work together to tackle these problems (our action plan).

As well as looking at the results of the review, we also need to think about what is happening at both a national and County-wide level.

NATIONAL DRIVERS

The Home Secretary sets out the key national threats in a document called the Strategic Policing Requirement. The currently recognised threats are terrorism, serious and organised crime, cyber security, threats to public order or public safety, civil emergencies, and child sexual abuse.

www.gov.uk/government/publications/strategic-policing-requirement

We also need to consider how the work and priorities of the partnership are affected by any new laws, policies or guidance from the Government or other key bodies.

Some of the recent changes (and some that are due shortly) include:

- Introduction of the Domestic Abuse Act 2021. This includes a power for senior police officers to issue a domestic abuse protection notice and for the courts to make a domestic abuse protection order, and a requirement for the Borough Council to publish a strategy

for the provision of accommodation-based support in its area.

- Updated guidance on working together to prevent terrorism ("Channel Guidance") was published in November 2020;
- Proposed introduction of a 'Serious Violence Duty' that will require local authorities, the police, fire and rescue authorities, specified criminal justice agencies and health authorities to work together to look at problems linked to serious violence in their area, and then produce and implement a strategy to respond to any issues that are identified.
- Proposed introduction of a new criminal offence of trespass.
- Changes to the probation system with a new National Probation Service taking on responsibility for managing all those on a community order or licence following their release from prison in England and Wales from 26 June 2021.

The Home Office are also carrying out reviews of and consultations about political violence and disruption, pet theft, violence and abuse toward shop staff, and pre charge bail legislation.

COUNTYWIDE DRIVERS

We must also consider the picture across Derbyshire. We recognise that it is better to tackle some things, or provide some services by working together as a County and that other things are best addressed locally. The Derbyshire Safer Communities Board brings together representatives from the community safety partnerships for each borough as well as others from the responsible authorities and other key organisations. This allows us to work together to share resources, skills and experience across Derbyshire.

The Safer Communities Board follows a similar approach to the local partnerships and identifies key County-wide priorities that we will work together to tackle. These priorities, and information about how we will work together, are described in a document called the Derbyshire Community Safety Agreement. The current priorities (2020-23) are:

- Domestic Abuse and Sexual Violence
- Anti-Social Behaviour
- Modern Slavery
- Prevent (Counter Terrorism)
- Hate Crime.

In addition to these, the Board has identified two “development priorities”. These are areas where the Board thinks that more work needs to be done to understand the issues and to

develop plans to tackle the problems. The two development priorities are: Organised Crime, including County Lines, and Serious Violence

www.saferderbyshire.gov.uk/what-we-do/what-we-do.aspx

County Lines is where illegal drugs are transported from one area to another, often across police and local authority boundaries. The ‘County Line’ is the mobile phone line (or other “deal line”) used to take the orders of drugs, exploit children and vulnerable adults to move [and store] the drugs and money

The Police & Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire identifies a set of priorities in the Derbyshire Police and Crime Plan, and provides funding to High Peak Community Safety Partnership to support delivery of those priorities. The current priorities are:

- Working to keep the most vulnerable in our communities safe from crime and harm and supporting those who unfortunately find themselves a victim of crime
- Working to tackle the emerging threats of cyber and cyber-enabled crime on individuals, businesses and communities
- Working to tackle the impact of drugs and alcohol on communities
- Supporting those with mental health issues,

including those with learning difficulties, who come into contact with the Criminal Justice System, as victim or offender, to get the right support, from the right agencies at the right time

- Working with young people, including those who have been either victims of crime or offenders, to understand their needs and prevent them becoming involved in criminal activities.

The Police and Crime Plan also identifies two organisation priorities: to increase the diversity of the Constabulary, and to maximise the use of new technology.

www.derbyshire-pcc.gov.uk/Your-PCC/Police-and-Crime-Plan.aspx

OUR PRIORITIES FOR HIGH PEAK

We have identified the following priorities after considering our strategic assessment, and national and local drivers.

- Acquisitive and Drug-Related Crime
- Anti-Social Behaviour
- Domestic Abuse
- Personal Safety
- Preventing re-offending
- Rural Problems

We will also support the Safer Communities Board to deliver the countywide priorities.

HOW WILL WE DO IT?

In this section, we will let you know our strategy (approach) for tackling our priorities and achieving our vision for the Borough.

We believe that we can achieve our vision if we:

PREVENT

We recognise that some people and places within our Borough are at more risk than others from crime, antisocial behaviour, fires or other community safety problems.

This includes people who are currently experiencing repeated problems or who are at greater risk because of their age or for other reasons such as physical, emotional or mental-health difficulties. We want to make sure that we support these people whenever we can.

We also recognise that adults and young people who commit crime and cause other problems often have problems such as mental health problems, family problems, homelessness, drug problems, lack of skills and training and possibly debt and money problems. We can help people to stop offending by helping them with these problems.

We believe we can prevent problems by:

- Promoting community safety and encouraging people to take positive action (such as not leaving valuables on show, locking their bikes, not starting fires in moorland areas);

- Working to address some of the issues that make it more likely that some people will commit crimes or cause other problems (such as mental health, financial problems substance misuse, and housing); and
- Supporting and strengthening our communities (such as providing support to community and voluntary groups and activities).

REDUCE

We will work together to tackle the problems that matter most to people in their local area.

We recognise that a small number of people can cause a lot of problems for others because of their behaviour. We will try and make sure that there is support for these people to help them to stop causing problems for others BUT we will do all we can to catch and convict those who, despite our offers of support, carry on committing crimes or causing other problems.

We believe that we can reduce the impact of problems by:

- taking early, preventative action to 'nip problems in the bud';
- targeting enforcement action on those who cause the most problems for others.
- helping those people who most need our support to stop them from being a victim of crime, anti-social behaviour or other problems.

SUPPORT

Victims - Being a victim of crime, anti-social behaviour, a fire, or a road accident can be a horrible experience for someone to cope with. Everyone reacts differently and how you react depends on lots of different things. This includes the incident itself, the sort of person you are, things that have happened to you in the past, and the support you have around you. The effects can be even worse when you also have other problems to deal with such as a health or mental health problem, financial difficulties, bereavement, or housing problems. We think it is important the people are able to access support when and if they need it.

Offenders - If we can stop offenders committing more crimes then we will have a safer Borough with fewer victims of crime. Helping offenders to stop offending and get a job or training can also mean that they can then contribute to society, and improve their life chances and those of their children and families. We can also save money for tax payers if we can reduce the number of offenders because we will not have to spend as much money on things such as prisons.

We believe that we can support our community by making sure that:

- there are support services for victims of crime and other problems;
- there are services for those people who are causing problems (offenders);
- making sure that people know how to access support.

HOW WILL WE WORK TOGETHER?

Each member of our partnership has their own services and targets that they need to deliver. But we know that many problems can only be solved by organisations and people working together.

This document sets out our overall plan for working together to make High Peak a place where people feel safe and supported, the diversity of our community is valued, and our environment is protected.

Each year we also develop a detailed plan (we call this our action plan) that will show in detail how we will work together to take action to tackle the key problems in our Borough. Many of these problems change over time so we will write a new action plan each year to make sure that we are always tackling the problems that matter most to you.

We will also meet regularly throughout the year and take action to tackle any new problems that come to our attention and that can only be solved by us working together.

Representatives from the responsible authorities, and from other key organisations, meet every three months to look at whether we are meeting the targets that we have set. We call this group our Strategy Group.

Other officers meet more regularly to look at the levels of problems within the Borough and report to the Strategy Group if it does not look like we will meet our targets.

We also want to involve local people wherever possible. This includes:

- asking you what the main problems are in your area;
- involving you in helping to decide how to solve problems;
- providing support if you want to get involved in action to improve your area; and
- letting you know what we've done to reduce problems in your area.

We also work with other important partnerships such as the Derbyshire Safer Communities Board, High Peak Health & Wellbeing Partnership, High Peak Place Alliance, Local Children's Partnership and the Derbyshire Adult and Children's Safeguarding Boards.

HOW WILL YOU KNOW THAT WE'VE DONE WHAT WE SET OUT TO DO?

We will publish our action plan each year so that you can see what we plan to do. We will provide you with regular updates on what we have achieved throughout the year and a final update once each year has ended.

WHAT DO WE NEED TO DELIVER OUR PLAN?

We can deliver many actions within our plans without needing any additional money, equipment or other resources. We can do this by bringing together the people, skills, equipment and so on from different organisations, and from the local community, to work together to solve problems. This generally produces better results than when organisations try and tackle problems on their own.

We can also sometimes work together to think of new ways of tackling problems that don't have an additional cost or we change the way that we normally respond to problems to produce better results.

In some cases, additional money is needed to tackle problems. If this is the case, then we use money provided by Derbyshire's Police and Crime Commissioner or contributions from individual organisations when these are available.

OUR PROMISE

We will work together to:

- Focus on the most important problems within the Borough.
- Each year we will carry out a strategic assessment to help us to identify priorities and then produce a plan that shows how we will tackle those priorities.
- Talk to you (our communities) about crime and disorder issues in your area and about what you think are the most important problems to tackle.
- We will use this information to make sure that we are focussing on the issues that are most important to you.

Planning what we do

- Take early action to nip problems in the bud or ideally prevent them from happening in the first place.
- Take quick, firm action against those who break the law and cause problems in our Borough.
- Support those people within the Borough who most need our help and who may be at particular risk from crime, antisocial behaviour, fires or other community safety problems.
- Some people might be more vulnerable than others because of their age or for other reasons such as physical, emotional or mental-health difficulties. Others are vulnerable because they have been the victim of crime or antisocial behaviour.
- Work with people who break the law (offenders) to stop them from committing more crime (reoffending) in the future
- Work with you (our communities) and provide opportunities to work together to tackle problems.

Taking action

- The Borough Council will hold at least one meeting each year to look at whether the partnership has done what it said it would.
- This meeting will be held in public so you know what is said.
- Provide you with information so that you know what we are doing to make High Peak safer.
- This will include publishing a summary of our action plan.

Reporting back to you

OUR ACTIONS (2021 TO 2022)

Every borough in the country must have a partnership (a group of organisations) that meets to look at crime and disorder issues. We call our partnership the High Peak Community Safety Partnership.

Our Vision

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Service; Peak District National Park Authority; and the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire.

What we have to do

By law, we must prepare and deliver a plan to:

- Reduce crime
- Reduce disorder in the High Peak, including anti-social behaviour and other behaviour that affects the local environment
- Combat the misuse of drugs, alcohol, and other substances.
- Reduce reoffending in the High Peak.

We call these our ‘key areas’. We have also included improving people’s safety and cross-cutting issues as key areas.

Our Approach

We believe that we can achieve our vision if we:

- PREVENT problems from occurring in the first place
- REDUCE the impact of community safety problems
- SUPPORT those affected by problems and provide support to help stop people from reoffending

Our Priorities

We can't solve every problem and some issues cause more problems in the High Peak than others. Each year we look at lots of different information, including what our residents have told us, to see what problems we need to focus on during the next year. These are our priorities for 2021/22.

Acquisitive and Drug-Related Crime

Anti-Social Behaviour

Domestic Abuse

Personal Safety

Preventing re-offending

Rural Problems

Key Area 1: Reducing Crime and Improving Safety

Our priorities:

1) Acquisitive and Drug-Related Crime 2) Domestic abuse 3) Personal safety	£OPCC – this indicates those projects that will be funded wholly or in part from grant funding provided by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire
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Why are these our priorities?

The number of burglaries in the Borough were more than 10% higher than the 3-year monthly average for each month from December 2020 to March 2021. The number of thefts of motor vehicles was almost 30% higher in 2020/21 when compared to the previous year.

Derbyshire Constabulary recorded 1,226 domestic abuse crimes in High Peak between April 2020 and March 2021.

We want to help people to keep safe and feel safe. This is why we have included 'personal safety' as one of our priorities. Swimming in open water and quarries can be dangerous, and we also want to work with young drivers to make sure that they are aware of the risk of road accidents. There were 132 road traffic collisions from May 2020 to April 2021 that resulted in death/injury (and 345 involving damage only). We want to make sure that people are able to travel home safely in taxis and also to raise awareness of the risk of the sexual exploitation of children.

Priority 1: Acquisitive and Drug-Related Crime

	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
1.1	We want to reduce the number of burglaries from people's houses.	<p>We will create a plan (a Problem Solving Plan) with actions such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actions to prevent burglaries happening in the first place • Awareness raising Providing advice for victims <p>We will deliver the actions in the plan.</p>	Plan created by end of June 2021 Actions delivered from July 2021 to March 2022	<p>Number of burglaries</p> <p>Action plan produced</p> <p>Number of actions in plan delivered</p>	<p>We need to target our activities towards the areas with most problems.</p> <p>We need the support of the community</p>	<p>Police</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

1.2	We want to reduce the number of thefts from sheds	<p>We will create a plan (a 'Problem Solving Plan') with actions such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actions to prevent thefts happening in the first place • Awareness raising • Providing shed alarms <p>We will deliver the actions in the plan.</p>	<p>Plan created by end of June 2021</p> <p>Actions delivered from July 2021 to March 2022</p>	<p>Number of shed thefts</p> <p>Action plan produced</p> <p>Number of actions in plan delivered</p>	<p>We need to target our activities towards the areas with most problems.</p> <p>We need the support of the community</p>	<p>Derbyshire Constabulary</p> <p>£OPCC</p>
1.3	We want to reduce the number of thefts of pedal cycles.	<p>We will create a plan (a Problem Solving Plan) with actions such as:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Actions to prevent thefts happening in the first place • Awareness raising • bike marking surgeries • Providing bike locks <p>We will deliver the actions in the plan.</p>	<p>Plan created by end of June 2021</p> <p>Actions delivered from July 2021 to March 2022</p>	<p>Number of pedal cycle thefts.</p> <p>Problem Solving Plan produced</p> <p>% of actions in plan delivered</p>	<p>We need to target our activities towards the areas with most problems.</p> <p>We need the support of the community</p>	<p>Derbyshire Constabulary</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

1.4	<p>We want to reduce the number of thefts of vehicles.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> We will create a plan (a Problem Solving Plan) to reduce thefts of vehicles. <p>We will deliver the actions in the plan.</p>	<p>Plan created by end of June 2021</p> <p>Actions delivered from July 2021 to March 2022</p>	<p>Number of thefts of vehicles.</p> <p>Problem Solving Plan produced</p> <p>% of actions in plan delivered</p>	<p>We need to target our activities towards the areas with most problems.</p> <p>We need the support of the community</p>	<p>Derbyshire Constabulary</p> <p>£OPCC</p>
1.5	<p>We want to reduce the amount of drug-related crime on the Fairfield Estate</p> <p>We want to increase awareness of the impact of crime on families and the community.</p> <p>We want to encourage people to give us information about the people causing the problems so that we can take action to stop them.</p>	<p>We will work with Crimestoppers to create a campaign for Fairfield to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Raise awareness of Crimestoppers and Fearless anonymous service. Increase the quality and quantity actionable information received by the Police. <p>Deliver the campaign</p> <p>Use any information we receive to take action</p>	<p>We will develop the campaign by the end of August 2021.</p>	<p>Campaign material produced</p> <p>Number of households contacted</p> <p>Number of reports received</p> <p>Actions taken</p>	<p>The project will not work if local residents don't want to take part.</p> <p>We think that Crimestoppers will have better chance than the police and other organisations like the Borough Council of collecting information.</p>	<p>Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

Priority 2: Domestic Abuse						
	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
2.1	We want to help victims of domestic abuse to stay safely in their homes	We will give money to Crossroads so that they can buy locks, CCTV, and alarms and to pay for tradesmen to fit the additional security measures.	This will take place throughout the year.	Number of people helped.	We may not be able to provide help to everyone who needs it. The security measures may not be enough to allow people to stay in safety	Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council working with Crossroads £OPCC
2.2	We want to help women who have experienced domestic abuse in the past or who are currently in an abusive relationship.	We will deliver two 12-week training sessions (Freedom Programme) in the areas where they are most needed	We will deliver two programmes before the end of March 2022	Number of people taking part We will ask people who attend to tell us what they thought about the course and if it has helped them	Victims must want to take part in the sessions. They must also be able to get to the venue.	Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council working with Crossroads £OPCC

Priority 3: Personal Safety						
	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
3.1	We want to help people to get home safely when using taxis	<p>Get me home safe campaign</p> <p>Taxi providers will be asked to provide passengers with details of drivers through using social media and websites (eg profiles of drivers and driver rotas)</p> <p>Taxi firms will also be asked to promote 'Get Me Home' prepayment cards that parents can buy for young people to ensure they always have enough money to get home after a night out.</p> <p>Taxi providers will be asked to promote the scheme with support from HPBC and the police.</p> <p>Pilot approach with 1 or 2 local taxi providers.</p>	April 2021 to April 2022	Checks of providers websites and social media. Numbers of vouchers sold	Buy in from the general public	Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council £OPCC

3.2	We want to reduce the number of people who are hurt or killed in road and fire accidents, and reduce accidents in open water (particularly in quarries).	<p>We will purchase and distribute advertising material, signage to put up in hotspot areas, and fire safety equipment.</p> <p>We will deliver events to young drivers about the dangers of risky driving.</p> <p>We will support water safety talks delivered by Lex Leisure and water safety campaigns organised by the Mineral Products Association (MPA)</p>	We will hold at least two events before the end of March 2022	<p>Number of items distributed.</p> <p>We will ask people who attend to tell us what they thought about the course and if it has helped them</p>	We will need the support of schools, colleges and the quarrying industry	<p>Derbyshire Fire and Rescue Service</p> <p>£OPCC</p>
3.3	We want to keep young people safe by raising the awareness of the threat of child sexual exploitation (CSE). We want to help young people to recognise the signs of CSE and what healthy relationships look like.	<p>Derbyshire County Council's Children's Services and Derbyshire Constabulary will work together to deliver information sessions in Secondary Schools.</p> <p>We will also work with the High Peak Children's Partnership.</p> <p>We will produce advice booklets to give to young people.</p> <p>We will also purchase promotional material to promote the key safety messages.</p>	We will deliver the project in Secondary Schools between September 2021 and March 2022.	<p>Number of events</p> <p>Number of young people attending events</p> <p>We will ask people who attend to tell us what they thought about the course and if it has helped them</p> <p>Number of publicity items handed out.</p>	The project will not work if schools are not willing and able to take part.	<p>Derbyshire County Council's Children's Services</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

3.4	We want to keep people safe when on line and prevent fraud and other cyber-crime	We will support the work of the Health & Wellbeing Partnership's Social Connectedness Sub-group to make sure that on-line safety is considered within their plans.	This will take place throughout the year	On-line safety is recognised in key plans and projects	We will not be able to deliver this if we are not able to influence the priorities of other groups and partnerships	Community Safety Strategy Group
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Key Area 2: Reduce disorder including anti-social behaviour and other behaviour that affects the local environment

Our priorities:

4) Anti-social behaviour	£OPCC – this indicates those projects that will be funded wholly or in part from grant funding provided by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire
5) Problems in rural areas	

Why are these our priorities?

Derbyshire Constabulary received 4,314 calls about anti-social behaviour in High Peak in 2020/2021. This was an increase of around 124% compared to the previous year. However, we know that much of this was because of people reporting breaches of Coronavirus Regulations to the police. Anti-social behaviour remains a key concern for local residents.

We have lots of visitors to our rural areas and this can lead to problems for local residents. This can include littering, lighting barbecues and other fires, causing problems by bad parking, and other behaviours that damage the local environment. The relaxation of lockdown measures in response to the Covid pandemic in 2020 led to high numbers of people coming to our area and an increase in reports of problems in our rural areas and we anticipate a similar situation in summer 2021 as people take 'staycations'.

Priority 4: Anti-social behaviour

	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
4.1	We want to make sure that people know what anti-social behaviour is, what they can do if they are a victim, and where they can find support	We will produce information for residents and link to a planned countywide campaign. We will make this information available to residents	We will have updated information available by the end of July 2021	Guidance will be produced. Number of people looking at guidance	The information needs to be helpful to victims of anti-social behaviour. We will need to make sure that people are able to get the information when they need it.	Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council £OPCC

4.2	<p>We want to take action against those who act anti-socially. We will focus on those people that cause the most problems.</p> <p>We want to reduce problems in areas where people keep acting anti socially</p>	We will prepare Problem Solving Plans where they are needed	We will do this throughout the year when we need to	<p>Number of people reporting problems</p> <p>Number of plans produced</p> <p>% of actions delivered</p>	<p>We are unlikely to be able to respond to all problems. This means that we will need to focus on the most important problems.</p> <p>We may not be able to solve all problems. If we can't fix a problem then we will do our best to reduce the problem and provide support to victims.</p>	<p>Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council</p> <p>£OPCC</p>
4.3	We want to reduce the number of reports of anti-social behaviour by young people by providing activities.	<p>We will provide funding and support for a twice-weekly football project in Buxton (GOALZ). This project is also funded by the Football League.</p> <p>We will work with the Health & Wellbeing Partnership, Local Children's Partnership and others to encourage the provision of suitable activities for young people in 'hot spot' areas</p>	This will take place throughout the year.	<p>Number of sessions</p> <p>Number of young people attending</p>	We need to make sure that young people want to go, and to continue going, to the activities.	<p>Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

4.4	We want to work with our communities to improve the quality of life in our neighbourhoods.	We will work with local communities to deliver "Love Your Neighbourhood" projects across the Borough. These will include things like action to clean up and improve the local area, crime prevention advice, and fire safety checks.	April 2021 to March 2022	Number of projects delivered. Number of agencies involved. Number of residents engage with	The project will not be successful if we do not have the support of other agencies, services and local residents	Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council £OPCC
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Priority 5: Problems in rural areas						
	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
5.1	We want to reduce crime, anti-social behaviour, environmental crime and fear of crime in the rural areas	<p>We will work with key partners including Derbyshire Dales CSP, parish councils, Peak District National Park Authority, National Trust and NFU to jointly identify and tackle problems.</p> <p>We will develop a Problem Solving Plan to tackle problems in rural areas.</p> <p>We will promote the Wildfire Public Spaces Protection Order that has been introduced by the Borough Council.</p> <p>We will develop and deliver a communications campaign (particularly in relation to potential post-lockdown issues)</p> <p>We will deliver a campaign to encourage people to dispose of their waste appropriately and stop fly-tipping.</p>		<p>Plan produced and actions delivered</p> <p>PSPO introduced</p> <p>Number of media campaigns</p> <p>Number of reports of fly-tipping</p>	<p>There are likely to be difficulties in enforcing prohibitions over a large geographic area.</p> <p>Many of the people causing problems are visitors from outside the Borough. It is more difficult to make sure that they see our key messages.</p> <p>The project will not work if we do not have support from local agencies, organisations and local communities.</p>	<p>Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council</p> <p>£OPCC</p>

Key Area 3: Combat the misuse of drugs, alcohol, and other substances

Our priorities:

6) Alcohol misuse	£OPCC – this indicates those projects that will be funded wholly or in part from grant funding provided by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire
7) Substance misuse	

Why are these our priorities?

People with alcohol and other substance misuse problems can be more likely to commit crime or anti-social behaviour.

Derbyshire Constabulary recorded 602 alcohol-related crimes and 448 drug-related crimes in High Peak the period from April 2020 to March 2021.

Priority 6: Alcohol misuse

	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
6.1	We want to better understand the provision of alcohol-related services in the Borough	We will work with Public Health and others to identify the demand for services, the current services available, and any gaps in service.	We will complete the review by December 2021	Review complete		Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council working with Public Health

Priority 7: Substance misuse

7.1	We want to better understand the provision of substance misuse services in the Borough	We will work with Public Health and others to identify the demand for services, the current services available, and any gaps in service.	We will complete the review by December 2021	Review complete		Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council working with Public Health
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Key Area 4: Preventing re-offending

Our priorities:

8) Stop people from becoming involved in offending

9) Support ex-offenders

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Why are these our priorities?

If we can stop offenders committing more crimes then we will have a safer Borough with fewer victims of crime. Helping offenders to stop offending and get a job or training can also mean that they can then contribute to society, and improve their life chances and those of their children and families. We can also save money for tax payers if we can reduce the number of offenders because we will not have to spend as much money on things such as prisons.

Priority 8: Stop people from becoming involved in offending

	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
8.1	We want support to be available for people who are experiencing the kind of problems and issues that increase the risk of offending	We will work with other key partnerships within the Borough, including the Health & Wellbeing Partnership, to improve support for those with mental health, financial problems, substance misuse issues, or housing/homelessness difficulties.	Throughout the year	The risk factors for offending are recognised in key plans and projects	We will not be able to deliver this if we are not able to influence the priorities of other groups and partnerships	Community Safety Strategy Group

Priority 9: Support ex-offenders						
	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
9.1	We want to better understand the needs of ex offenders within the Borough	We will work with the Probation Service to identify the demand for services, the current services available, and any gaps in service.	We will complete the review by December 2021	Review complete		Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council working with the Safer Derbyshire. Research and Information team (SDRI) and the Probation Service.
9.2	We want to reduce the levels of re offending by ex offenders in the Borough.	We will support the Countywide scheme to track ex-offenders with their agreement through the tagging scheme called Buddy trekker	This project will be delivered throughout the year.	Number of offenders tagged Number of offences committed once tagged	Ex-offenders from High Peak must be willing to sign up to the scheme.	Derbyshire Integrated Offender Management
9.3	We want to create positive opportunities for ex-offenders	We will look at the possibility of developing a project that provides opportunities and support for ex-offenders whilst making use of the Borough's green areas.	Plan produced by end of December 2021	Plan for pilot project produced	We may not be able to identify a suitable scheme	High Peak CVS Public Health £OPCC

Key Area 5: Cross-cutting issues

Our priorities:

- 10) Work with our communities and voluntary sector
- 11) Improve mental health

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Why are these our priorities?

We have a very active voluntary sector within High Peak. We want to support local groups who know what is needed in their area and who are keen to improve their neighbourhood.

Mental health difficulties can make it more likely that some people become involved in crime or anti-social behaviour. Those with such problems can also be vulnerable and may become victims of crime and other problems. Victims of crime, anti-social behaviour, a fire, or a road accident may find it difficult to deal with their experience and may require additional support.

Priority 10: Encourage local community safety projects

	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
10.1	We want to support local community and voluntary groups to improve community safety	Work with HPCVS to administer a small grants scheme utilising funding from the OPCC.	Number of groups supported	Amount of money distributed	We can only run this project if the Police and Crime Commissioner chooses to continue providing funding. We also need community groups to be interested in applying for funding and running projects	High Peak CVS and Community Safety Team, High Peak Borough Council £OPCC

Priority 11: Improve mental health						
	What do we want to achieve?	How will we do it?	When will we do it	How will we know it's working?	What else needs to happen? What could stop us from making it happen?	Who will make sure that it happens?
11.1	We want to improve the support for victims and offenders in the Borough who are having difficulties with their mental health	We will work with the Health & Well-being Partnership's Mental Health sub-group to make sure that the needs of victims and offenders are considered within their plans	This will take place throughout the year	The mental health of victims and offenders is recognised in key plans and projects	We will not be able to deliver this if we are not able to influence the priorities of other groups and partnerships	Community Safety Strategy Group