Community Cohesion

Safer Walsall Borough Partnership will be developing an anti-social behaviour (ASB) strategy for the borough. Community cohesion will be an element within this strategy. Other elements will be domestic violence, racial harassment and the respect agenda.

The Partnership will be appointing an ASB co-ordinator and case worker from April. Work on the strategy will commence in July with the aim of having a draft strategy by September. The process will include an audit of council and partner activity. Members will be engaged with the process during September and October with the intention to have a finalised document by the end of the year. The equality and diversity team will be involved in the development of the strategy.

The delivery group for the strategy will be the community safety intervention group, part of the Partnership. This group has representation from the police, the fire service, education walsall, public protection, whg, community wardens, probation service, youth service and a range of other council services. The lead for this work within the council will be Nozmul Hussain, Director Safer Walsall Borough Partnership.