

**Area Committee Well Being Fund**  
**Commissioning of Service**

**Project Name: Reduction of Burglaries and Vehicle Crime**

**Lead Organisation: West Yorkshire Police**

**Project Summary:**

The project will aim to reduce crime in the Calverley & Farsley and Pudsey wards. Associated with dark nights, burglary and vehicle crime have increased, mainly over the early hours of the weekend nights. Plain clothes officers will work between the identified times to reduce crime – particularly burglaries and vehicle crime.

**Outcomes (please summarise the main outcome / output / benefit the project will achieve):**

The main outcome of the operation will be to catch and convict persons responsible for serious acquisitive crime in the Pudsey and Calverley/Farsley area. This will then promote confidence and satisfaction within the community by showing that together with our partners we are pro-actively working towards reducing and detecting crime. This will be facilitated by a sergeant led plain clothes team working between the identified times of the crimes being committed. The officers will use specialist equipment within the project - the capture car, capture bike and the trackable assets car, placing them strategically in areas as identified by a crime pattern analysis.

**Project Cost (please indicate how much the project will cost, how much Well Being Funding is sought and breakdown between capital and revenue):**

Seven officers working Friday, Saturday and Sunday. The officers will alter their shifts forward to reduce the cost of the project and will work extended tours to cover the identified periods. Several of the officers are required to operate the specialist equipment. The cost is £4589.76

- 1 PS & 6 PC's
- Extended Tours
- 4 Hours (0200 – 0600 Fri Sat Sun)
- Over 2 weekend December/January 2009

Total Hours 168 Hours

**Total Bid is £4589.76. The full amount is requested from the Outer West Area Committee.**

**Identify which geographic areas will benefit and which Area Committee (Inner or Outer) you are applying to: Outer West**

**State who will receive the funding for this project:**

West Yorkshire Police - Sharon Wade Finance Officer Pudsey/Weetwood