

**Area Committee Well-being Fund**  
**Rothwell NPT Project Proposals**

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**Project 1 : PUBWATCH SUPPORTING ACTIVITIES.**

**Project Summary**

Rothwell NPT are currently expanding and improving their pubwatch schemes. Funding is required for additional licensing checks and support activities.

This will be delivered by additional visits to those taking part in the scheme as well as those not participating every Friday and Saturday with the aim of visiting each pub in the area at least once a month. Positive action will be taken on offences discovered by the visits.

**Outcomes:**

The project will deliver on:

- Action to tackle ASB
- Tackle under age drinking
- Increase visibility of Neighbourhood policing teams
- Public reassurance.

**Project Cost**

Policing of operations 200hrs = 200x20.56 = £4112

Positive poster campaign = £1000

Total cost of project 3 = £5112

**Which geographic areas will benefit:**

Rothwell Ward and Robin Hood.

## **Project 2 : VEHICLE CRIME PREVENTION.**

### **Project Summary:**

Set up and policing of capture car operation and pro-active crime reduction. Vehicle crime is on the increase in the Rothwell / Oulton & Woodlesford / Robinhood area. It is an acquisitive crime that with steps taken by the community can be significantly reduced. With the current 'credit crunch' this potentially will result in more victims of predatory crime.

a) Poster / leaflet / media campaign - Would highlight prevention measures such as removing property from vehicles, not leaving things on display and removing car keys from sight in their homes.

This would be delivered by PCSO's door knocking and explaining techniques to reduce this type of crime, would deliver a public reassurance message and reduce fear of crime.

b) use of ' capturecar'

Specially adapted car deployed into target area by plain clothed officers and surveillance techniques carried out.

When the target vehicle is attacked the perpetrator is quickly arrested.

A positive media message is then put out to advertise the arrest and also that 'capture cars' are being deployed. This has a massive deterrent effect on criminals. Within other target areas notices advertising ' capture cars in your area' are displayed on lampposts etc as a preventative message.

### **Outcomes:**

The project will deliver on:

- Reduce crime
- Burglary and crime prevention through target hardening
- Increase visibility of Neighbourhood policing team
- Community reassurance.

### **Project Cost**

a) Poster / leaflet /media = £1000

Policing of pro-active prevention advice = 200hrs = 200x£20.56 = £4112

b) equipment running and on costs - provided by WYP

policing of operations = 150hrs = 150 x 20.56 =£3084

**Total funding required for project = £8196**

### **Which geographic areas will benefit:**

Rothwell Ward and Robin Hood.

### **Project 3: SMARTWATER**

#### **Project Summary:**

A smartwater kit allows the marking of valuable belongings it reduces fear of crime and also gives members of the public contact with the police who will also provide crime reduction advice.

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The project is needed to help deter and prevent burglary dwellings. It will also act to reassure the public and give them additional contact with the police. This will increase public confidence, reduce fear of crime and build on trust. This will lead to more actionable intelligence from the public that can be dealt with jointly by Police Housing and ASBU.

#### **Outcomes:**

Project will deliver on:

- Reduction of crime through crime prevention measures
- Increase visibility of Neighbourhood policing teams
- Increase public reassurance and confidence.

#### **Project Cost:**

Funding required:

Kits £15 x 500 = £7500

Officer time to deliver addition service = 200hrs = 200 x £20.56 = £4112

Total funding required for project 1 = £11,612

#### **Which geographic areas will benefit:**

Rothwell Ward and Robin Hood.