



Shire of Northam
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Agenda

Community Safety Committee

16 June 2017



NOTICE PAPER

Shire of Northam Community Safety Committee

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Committee Members

I inform you that a Community Safety Committee meeting will be held in the Council Chambers, located at 395 Fitzgerald Street, Northam on 16 June 2017 at 2pm.

Yours faithfully



Jason Whiteaker
Chief Executive Officer

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1. DECLARATION OF OPENING

2. ATTENDANCE

Committee Members:

Chairperson	Cr Julie Williams
Councillor	Cr Denis Beresford
Councillor	Cr Chris Davidson
Northam Police	SSGT Geoff Dickson
Northam Roadwise Committee	Mr Cliff Simpson
Executive Manager Community Services	Mr Ross Rayson
Department Education	Mrs Sharon Bray
LDAG	Mrs Rose Power
Health Representative	Mr Greg Bentley
Local Youth Service Representative	Ms Jane Atterby

Committee Ex-Officio Members:

Community Development Officer	Mrs Michelle Blackhurst
Department Child Protection and Family Support	Mrs Dawn Lamperd
Wundowie Police	SGT James Cresswell
Department Sport and Recreation	Mrs Jenifer Collins
Local Youth Service Representative	Ms Tricia Chrimes

2.1 APOLOGIES

Main Roads Western Australia	Ms Elizabeth Davies
Holyoake	Ms Eloise Fewster
Department of Housing	Mr Attila Mencshelyi
Community Representative	Ms Margaret O'Reilly

2.2 APPROVED LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Nil

3. DISCLOSURE OF INTERESTS

Item Name	Item No.	Name	Type of Interest	Nature of Interest

4. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES

4.1 COMMITTEE MEETING HELD 24 February 2017

RECOMMENDATION

That the minutes of the Shire of Northam Community Safety Committee meeting held Friday, 12 May 2017 be confirmed as a true and correct record of that meeting.

5. COMMITTEE REPORTS

5.1 COMMUNITY SAFETY AND CRIME PREVENTION PLAN UPDATE

Address:	
Owner:	Shire of Northam
File Reference:	1.3.12.1
Reporting Officer:	Community Development Officer
Responsible Officer:	Executive Manager Community Services
Voting Requirement	Simple or Absolute Majority

BRIEF

To update the Committee on the Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan actions.

ATTACHMENTS

Attachment 1: Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan – Action Plan

BACKGROUND / DETAILS

The Shire of Northam Community Safety and Crime Prevention (CSCP) Plan 2016-2020 is a four year strategic outlook for the Shire of Northam that aims to map the issues of primary concern to the community and document the strategies and partnerships to deal with these issues.

Together with key partners, the Shire of Northam is committed to ensuring continual improvements to community safety with a particular emphasis on minimising the occurrence and opportunity for antisocial and criminal activity.

The CSCP Plan 2016-2020 has brought all of the current data together to help the Committee to understand 'What is the Northam story'. This will help the Committee to reconcile where the facts and the perceptions differ.

CONSIDERATIONS

Strategic Community / Corporate Business Plan

Objective: Create an environment that provides for a caring and healthy community.

Strategy: Provide community services to uphold public safety standards.

Action: Review and implement the Shire of Northam Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan

Financial / Resource Implications

N/A

Legislative Compliance

N/A

Policy Implications

N/A

Stakeholder Engagement / Consultation

N/A

Risk Implications

N/A

OFFICER'S COMMENT

The Shire of Northam's Community Development Officer will provide an update on recent activities.

Criminal or Offending Behaviour

- Lock and Light Program and Program
- Crime Statistics - Crime mapping demonstration by SSGT Geoff Dickson

Community Awareness

- Marketing and Communications Plan – input required from Committee

Building Partnerships

- Youth Stakeholders – Night Hoops program update

Community Design

- Youth Precinct update
- CCTV Project update
- Lighting audit

RECOMMENDATION

That Council accept the update provided.

5.2 Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan update

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BRIEF

To seek Committee input in updating actions in the Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan.

BACKGROUND / DETAILS

The current Community Safety and Crime Prevention Plan is nearing completion. Committee members have been provided the opportunity to provide input initially via email. The Committee is now asked to review and finalise the changes.

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OFFICER'S COMMENT

As most of the previous strategies have been completed, Officers are seeking Committee input into developing new strategies and additional actions to complete outstanding strategies.

The Committee will talk through the additional actions, recommend further changes and make recommendation on the Plan. This will include additional strategies developed by the Committee from the previous meeting specifically to assist with home break-ins.

6. URGENT BUSINESS APPROVED BY PERSON PRESIDING OR BY DECISION

7. DATE OF NEXT MEETINGS

Friday, 18 August 2017 at 2pm

8. DECLARATION OF CLOSURE