St Ives Business Improvement District

Policing of St Ives Town Centre and the St Ives area – Service Baseline

Responsible Authority: **Devon and Cornwall Police**

Responsible Officer: Inspector Nicholas Clarke

Service Provided	Policing of St Ives.
Number of Staff & Equipment	Local Policing and Partnership Officers - December 2018
	Devon and Cornwall Police have adopted a one team function in its response to policing demands.
	Calls for service are prioritised using the threat, harm and risk criteria. Matching the correct resources to the need.
	There is currently one neighbourhood beat manager (NBM) responsible for St Ives Sector.
	He is supported by two Police Community Support Officers, and where required by the Sectors wider neighbourhood policing resources based in Hayle and Penzance.
	There is one sergeant who oversees the neighbourhood team covering ST Ives, Hayle and Penzance.
	The neighbourhood policing delivery function is currently under review by Devon and Cornwall police under Project Genesis
	Response Function
	Routine patrol function and calls for service that require a faster response time are dealt with by the 24 hour response and patrol function based at Hayle and Penzance.
	Local Investigation Function
	Local investigation function is carried out by staff based at Penzance Station.
	A new crime tasking process has seen a significant reduction in crimes allocated to the neighbourhood team to Investigate. The Neighbourhood teams focus is on dealing with Safeguarding issues but they do investigate some low level crimes crimes especially those with an element that may need a longer term resolution. The majority of volume crime investigation is carried out by the response function.
	In addition the Public Protection Unit (PPU) and the sexual Offence and Domestic Abuse Investigation Team deal with any child abuse and domestic abuse investigations.

	Supplementary Resources If additional resources are required for planned events or policing operations then these can be requested through a tasking process. An example of this would be New Years Eve which is a significant event for Cornwall and for which support comes from other stations and functions. Point of note The removal of the response and local investigation functions from St Ives was as a direct result of the Comprehensive Spending Review.
Specification Performance Measure	Personnel and Functions as described above Achieve a 38% positive outcome rate for crimes Reduce overall crime by 2% Reduce violence against the person (excluding domestic abuse) by 2 %
Boundary Area	St Ives BID Area