

# **Derby City Crime and Disorder Partnership**

## **Action Plans**

**2002 – 2005**



The attached action plans are the starting point for an innovative programme of work to reduce crime and disorder and the fear of crime in Derby.

The 2001 Crime & Disorder Audit was a major piece of work carried out by the Crime & Disorder Partnership Team. It represents the most comprehensive picture of crime and disorder, and public perceptions of it, in the City to date. It was a substantial foundation for the ensuing strategy and action plan.

The Audit identified four key themes for priority partnership action. These were:

1. Violent Crime
2. Persistent Offending
3. Partnership Development
4. Antisocial Behaviour

Youth offending and alcohol and drugs misuse were identified as cross cutting issues, which needed to be tackled across the range of crime and disorder problems. Strategic Objectives were set for each area requiring an evidence based, action directed at offenders, support for victims and plans to tackle any drink or drugs aspect to the problem.

Small focused task groups were set up in each of the four theme areas. Problem-solving methodology was used in meetings and workshops to identify and analyse specific problems and propose actions to address them. The task groups have come up with the following actions as first and second year priorities. They should be seen as 'snapshots' of the current state of live, working documents. The actions are under continuous review. The task groups have now been designated as Strategy Implementation Groups and are ensuring the pool of ideas arising from the problem solving exercises are translated into effective partnerships action on the ground.

The Partnership Development Group is providing a valuable service to the other groups in identifying, validating and processing data to assist the problem-solving process and evaluation of actions. A framework and procedures for monitoring and review of achievements and impact is still under development.

We appreciate the effort all our partners are making to drive down crime and disorder in Derby. Any suggestions to enhance our action plans are welcome. At the back of this booklet there is a list of useful contacts.