



**NOTIFICATION TO ATTEND MEETING OF THE CABRA-GLASNEVIN JPC  
TO BE HELD IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER, CITY HALL, DAME STREET, DUBLIN 2 AND BY  
REMOTE VIDEO CONFERENCING  
ON TUESDAY 24 OCTOBER 2023 AT 9.30 AM**

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**AGENDA**

**TUESDAY 24 OCTOBER 2023**

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**MINUTES OF THE CABRA GLASNEVIN JPC  
HELD ON 24<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2023**

1 With reference to the minutes of the meeting held on 25th April 2023.

ORDER: Agreed.

2 With reference to Garda Reports.

ORDER: Reports noted.

3 With reference to Garda Work Plans.

ORDER: Workplans noted.

4 Any other business.

Next meeting 24<sup>th</sup> October.  
CDYSB will be invited to next meeting.

**Councillor Cieran Perry**

**Chairperson**

**24<sup>th</sup> July 2023**

**Attendance**

**Councillors:**

Cieran Perry, Darcy Lonergan, Eimer McCormack, Declan Meenagh, Cat O'Driscoll, Colm O'Rourke

**Gardaí**

Chief Superintendent Michael McNally, Sergeant Stephen Donnelly, Sergeant John L'Estrange, Sergeant Darren Collier, Superintendent Jonathon O'Brien, Inspector Amanda Flood, Superintendent Cormac Brennan, Chief Superintendent Patrick McMenamin, Sarah Middleton, Exec Officer.

**Oireachtas**

Senator Mary Fitzpatrick, Deputy Neasa Hourigan, Senator Marie Sherlock.

**Officers**

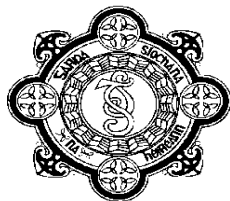
Marie Kavanagh, Emer Wilson, Gráinne O'Grady, Sonya Keniry, Seán Walsh, Lisa Yeates, Maria Browne

**Community / Business Reps:**

Dorothy Prendergast, Niall Counihan, David Gough, Patricia Dunleavy, Paul O'Farrell.

**Apologies**

Cllr. Séamas McGrattan


**Garda Síochána Act 2005 – Joint Policing Guidelines 15.9**

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<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	Cabra	<b>Period</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> of July- 30 <sup>th</sup> of September
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	Michael McNulty	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> of October 2023

	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*
Assault Causing Harm	7	7	0	22%	13%
Assault Minor	13	11	-15%	7%	3%
Aggravated Burglary	0	2	+100%	0%	0%
Burglary	5	16	+220%	5%	14%
Criminal Damage	23	19	-17%	14%	15%
Discharge of Firearm	0	0	/	/	/
Robbery from Person	0	3	+100%	/	0%
Robbery from Establishments	2	2	0	66%	0%
Theft from the Person	7	2	-71%	7%	25%
Theft from MPV	26	30	+15%	1%	7%
Theft from Shop	40	39	-2.5%	41%	22%
Theft (Other)	17	10	-41%	9%	2%
UT of Vehicle	13	15	+15%	8%	11%
Fraud / Deception	4	3	-25%	12%	7%
Public Order Incidents	31	19	-38%	42%	43%

\* Detection Rates given are a yearly figure

**DMR West - SDCC JPC Sub Committee - Garda Report**

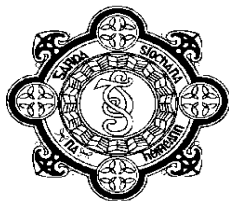
<b>Garda Patrol Activity</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>Percentage Change</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2022*</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2023*</b>
ASBO Issued	0	0	/	/	/
Possession of Firearm	0	0	/	/	/
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	5	6	20%	70%	68%
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	9	7	-22%	74%	69%
Possession of Offensive Weapon	1	3	+200%	75%	66%
Searches under Drugs Act	25	17	-32%	/	/
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	22	30	+36%	/	/

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<b>Domestic Violence</b>	<b>2022</b>	<b>2023</b>	<b>Percentage Change</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2022*</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2023*</b>
Domestic Violence Incidents – No Offence Disclosed	39	54	<b>+38%</b>	/	/
Breach of Domestic Violence Orders~	3	6	<b>+100%</b>	75%	44%

**~ Domestic Violence Orders Include Barring Orders, Safety Orders and Protection Orders  
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<p><b>Crime Prevention Matters and Other Information</b></p>	<p>Inspector Farrelly is actively leading the Drugs Related Intimidation portfolio. He has a number of members from Cabra Regular involved in advising families, investigating offences and educating stake holders in relation to Drug Debt Intimidation.</p> <p>Community Police are delivering a Halloween campaign within the schools in Cabra. This is aimed at reducing instances of Anti-Social behaviour on the night. They are also actively patrolling the area in the run up to the night itself. One member from ComPol Cabra has been nominated as a Liaison person with DCC and is arranging the collection of hidden bon-fire materials.</p> <p>Through communication with our stakeholders within the community, hot spots for anti-social behaviour continue to be identified and proactively patrolled. This involves not just local community leaders, but also businesses such as shops or Irish Rail / LUAS. Joint operations with ourselves, The Bridewell and Blanchardstown have taken place on the trains / LUAS targeting anti-social behaviour.</p> <p>Community Police in Cabra continue to engage with the aging population. Garda Ciara McGrath has maintained her Retired Active Persons (RAP) group that meets every month and usually has about 70 attendees. In addition, Gardaí McGrath and Moran attended the Positive Aging Week information day in Cabra where they were in a position to advise and reassure older people from the area.</p>
<p>It should be noted that in any reference to statistics, those statistics are provisional, operational, liable to change and some possibly re-classified with the introduction of Central Statistics Office reports.</p>	



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<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	Bridewell, DMR	<b>Period</b>	01 July 23 – 30 September 23
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	Paddy Mc Menamin	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> October 2023

	2022 Jul-Sept	2023 Jul-Sept	Percentage Change	12 Month Detection Rate 2022*	12 Month Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	15	12	-20%	15%	15%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Assault Minor	31	34	+10%	16%	16%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Aggravated Burglary	0	0	-	-	-	<b>Figures from PULSE</b>
Burglary	17	20	+17%	17%	21%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Criminal Damage – not by fire	50	53	+6%	13%	25%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Discharge of Firearm	-	-	-	Na	na	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Robbery from Person	12	3	-75%	8%	23%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Robbery from Establishments	1	6	+500%	23%	44%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Theft from the Person	26	24	-8%	4%	2%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Theft from MPV	30	26	-13%	6%	14%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Theft from Shop	26	54	+107%	34%	43%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Theft (Other)	47	41	+13%	12%	8%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
UT of Vehicle	15	14	-6%	9%	16%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Public Order Incidents	39	93	+138%	85%	92%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis

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**Bridewell District - Garda Report**

Garda Patrol Activity	2022 Jul-Sept	2023 Jul-Sept	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
ASBO Issued	1	16	-	-	-	Figures from PULSE
Possession of Firearm	0	0	-	na	na	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	26	55	+112%	57%	75%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	27	30	+11%	59%	67%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Possession of Offensive Weapon	10	23	+130%	62%	84%	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Searches under Drugs Act	265	449	+69%	Na	Na	Source – DMR NC Week 39 Analysis
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	70	58	-17%	Na	na	Figures from PULSE

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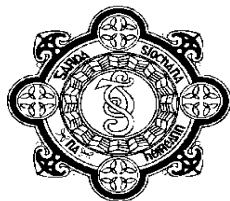
Domestic Violence	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Domestic Violence Incidents – No Offence Disclosed	45	66	+47%	na	na	Figures from PULSE
Breach of Domestic Violence Orders~	4	6	+50%	na	na	Figures from PULSE

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**Crime Prevention  
Matters and Other  
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<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	Fitzgibbon St (Mountjoy)	<b>Period</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> July – 30 <sup>th</sup> September 2023
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	Paddy Mc Menamin	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	24 <sup>th</sup> October 2023

	2022 YTD	2023 YTD	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	31	52	+68%	32%	29%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Assault Minor	68	167	+146%	15%	6%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Aggravated Burglary	1	0	-100%	-	-	<b>Figures from PULSE</b>
Burglary	91	82	-10%	11%	22%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Criminal Damage – not by fire	174	154	-11%	16%	38%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Discharge of Firearm	0	0	0%	0%	0%	Source - DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Robbery from Person	9	9	+0%	56%	22%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Robbery from Establishments	11	11	+0%	18%	55%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Theft from the Person	29	42	+45%	10%	2%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Theft from MPV	89	81	-9%	7%	10%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Theft from Shop	181	124	-31%	23%	39%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Theft (Other)	91	99	+9%	14%	16%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
UT of Vehicle	59	78	+32%	10%	9%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Fraud / Deception	100	63	-37%	12%	16%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Public Order Incidents	109	103	-6%	86%	83%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis

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## Mountjoy - Garda Report

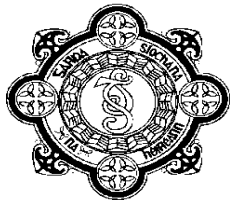
Garda Patrol Activity	2022 YTD	2023 YTD	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
ASBO Issued	0	1	100%	0%	100%	Figures from PULSE
Possession of Firearm	23	16	-30%	96%	88%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply	36	58	+61%	92%	93%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Possession of Drugs for Personal Use	24	34	+42%	100%	76%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Possession of Offensive Weapon	23	16	-30%	96%	88%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Searches under Drugs Act	254	280	+10%	0%	0%	Source – DMR NC Week 40 Analysis
Vehicle Seizures Sec 41	43	42	-2.33%	-	-	Figures from PULSE (1 <sup>st</sup> July to September 30 <sup>th</sup> )

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Domestic Violence	2022	2023	Percentage Change	Detection Rate 2022*	Detection Rate 2023*	Comments
Domestic Violence Incidents – No Offence Disclosed	67	50	+34%	-	-	Figures from PULSE (1 <sup>st</sup> July to 30 <sup>th</sup> September)
Breach of Domestic Violence Orders~	3	5	+67%	100%	100%	Figures from PULSE (1 <sup>st</sup> July to 30 <sup>th</sup> September)

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<p><b>Crime Prevention Matters and Other Information</b></p>	<p>762 patrols undertaken in the Mountjoy District from 1<sup>st</sup> of July to 30<sup>th</sup> of September 2023 (1000 in U District in total). This involves Gardaí in high visibility clothing patrolling the areas on the beat, pedal cycle and patrol vehicles.</p>
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<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	H District	<b>Period</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> July – 30 <sup>th</sup> September
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	Chief Supt Peter Duff	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	

Reports Of	2022	2023	Change	Detection Rate 2022	Detection Rate 2023	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	1	2	100%	100%	0%	
Assault Minor	3	2	-33%	0%	0%	
Aggravated Burglary	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
Burglary	3	3	0%	0%	33%	
Criminal Damage	3	0	-100%	33%	0%	
Discharge of Firearm	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
Robbery from Person	2	0	-100%	0%	0%	
Robbery from Establishments	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
Theft from the Person	1	0	-100%	0%	0%	
Theft from MPV	5	0	-100%	20%	0%	
Traffic / UT of Vehicle	4	3	-25%	0%	0%	
Theft from Shop	7	0	-100%	29%	0%	
Theft (Other)	3	1	-67%	0%	0%	
Fraud	8	1	-88%	0%	0%	
Public Order Incidents	4	2	-50%	25%	50%	
Domestic Violence - Incidents	4	6	50%	n/a	n/a	

Reports Of	2022	2023	Change	Detection Rate 2022	Detection Rate 2023	Comments
<b>Domestic Violence - Breach of Orders</b>	1	0	-100%	0%	0%	
<b>Dog Offences</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
<b>Offences against Animals</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	

Garda Patrol Activity	2022	2023	Change	Detection Rate 2022	Detection Rate 2023	Comments
<b>Possession of Firearm</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
<b>Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
<b>Possession of Drugs for Personal Use</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
<b>Possession of Offensive Weapon</b>	0	0	0%	0%	0%	
<b>Searches under Drugs Act</b>	2	3	50%	n/a	n/a	
<b>Vehicle Seizures Sec 41</b>	1	3	200%	n/a	n/a	

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### Central Area JPC Sub-Committee Annual Work Plan 2023

The purpose of developing this Central Area Joint Policing Sub-Committee Annual Work Plan is to enable focus on policing matters to ensure (a) Community safety (b) Quality of life issues (c) Commitment and capacity to engage with and address the needs of our diverse community/customer base.

Strategic Objective 1: Ensuring Safer Communities				
Objective	Origin	Actions	Lead Person / Agency	Updates
1) Reduce level of anti-social behaviour	Gardaí identifying need for intervention.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Implement strategies / structures to prevent opportunities for anti-social behaviour</li> </ul>	An Garda Síochána	<p>Anti-Social behaviour is most commonly conducted by youths of school going age. Early intervention by NPU Cabra is always the first step taken to ensure a proactive and constructive approach to building relationships. Although each youth is dealt with individually, Gardaí engage with the youths as a group.</p> <p>This intervention is dealt with by way of a multi-agency approach with local youth service Cabra4Youth, and the step up programme. It is a mixture between activity based and conversational sessions by all parties. This has proven extremely successful to date.</p> <p>Should issues be recognised with youths who have developed issues in teenage years, Gardaí utilise the TAG programme in order to build or repair relationships with youths. This is a similar model, tailored for</p>



	<p>Repeat offending youths below the age of criminal consent.</p>	<p>Referred to TUSLA</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>older youths.</p> <p>Children who are below the age of criminal responsibility are referred to TUSLA</p>
	<p>Specific areas experiencing disproportionate ASB</p>	<p>Increasing presence in those areas</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>Meetings and engagement continues with stakeholders in areas experiencing a disproportionate amount of Anti-Social Behaviour. As well as increased presence, there have been changes to the environment of some premises which has led to a marked decrease in problematic behaviour. In the most recent review meeting with one such stakeholder, a 60% reduction in incidents has been noted.</p> <p>Specific operations also ongoing with Irish Rail and Luas involving our counterparts in Blanchardstown and The Bridewell.</p>



		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social Media Awareness and internet safety and wellness.</li> </ul>	An Garda Síochána	<p>were delighted to be part of it.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Members from NPU Cabra regularly attend schools and talk with suitable classes in relation to Internet Safety. The recent legislative changes regarding the sharing of intimate images has been a much discussed topic during these visits.</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Halloween School Visits</li> </ul>	An Garda Síochána	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cabra NPU visit every school in the sub-district in the run up to Halloween. The focus of these visits is to make children aware of the dangers surrounding the events and discourage them from engaging in anti-social behaviour within the community.</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community Meetings</li> </ul>	An Garda Síochána	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cabra NPU continue to host community meetings and engage with local community groups. This is a great opportunity to meet new residents and hear first-hand accounts of particular issues they are experiencing.</li> </ul>
		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased Presence</li> </ul>	An Garda Síochána	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The station party of Cabra has not seen any decrease in numbers, with units remaining at the same strength.</li> </ul>

**Strategic Objective 3: Confronting Crime**

Objective	Origin	Actions	Lead Person / Agency	Updates
Crime Prevention	Follow up incidents/ Victim Engagement Initiative	Crime Prevention Advice	An Garda Síochána	Sergeant Louise McHugh has been recently appointed as Crime Prevention Officer. She has attended a number of events run by NPU Cabra where crime prevention advice has been given to various groups.
	Proactive Patrols	Increasing Presence	An Garda Síochána	Certain areas in Cabra which have seen an increase in incidents of Dangerous Driving are being targeted by Roads Policing. In addition, Operation Hybrid has been extended to ensure a checkpoint is conducted in these areas on a daily basis. This continues to have a deterring effect and there has been a marked decrease in instances of Dangerous Driving in recent months.

**Strategic Objective 4: Road Policing**

<b>Objective</b>	<b>Origin</b>	<b>Actions</b>	<b>Lead Person / Agency</b>	<b>Updates</b>
Ensure that major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement within the city	K District Roads Policing Unit Garda Policing	<p>Continue to work in partnership with OPW in relation to events within the Phoenix Park on a regular basis.</p> <p>New Personnel</p>	<p>An Garda Síochána</p> <p>An Garda Síochána</p>	<p>The DMR West Roads Policing Unit creates and executes policing plans for events within the division, including regular events held in the Phoenix Park.</p> <p>Probationary Gardai were allocated on secondment to the Roads Policing Unit on a 10 week basis. This secondment recently paused but will be reconsidered as additional resources are allocated to this District.</p>

**JPC Annual Work Plan**

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<b>Strategic Objective 1: Ensuring Safer Communities</b>				
<b>Objective</b>	<b>Origin</b>	<b>Actions</b>	<b>Lead Person / Agency</b>	<b>Updates</b>
<b>1) Reduce level of anti-social behaviour</b>	<b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b>	<b>Implement strategies / structures to prevent opportunities for anti-social behaviour</b>	<b>Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána</b>	<p>Community Policing Unit in the Bridewell District has seven Garda members across two units. The members provide community support and deal with anti-social behaviour.</p> <p>Community Gardaí work with Garda staff to identify areas where a high-visibility approach may be necessary and they deploy to that area accordingly. In Quarter 4 (Q4), areas such as Broadstone Plaza, TUDublin, Grangegorman, Smithfield and Aughrim Street/Drumalee areas have been highlighted.</p>

<p><b>2) Reduce drug related issues affecting the community</b></p>	<p><b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b></p>	<p><b>Put operations in place to deal with issues</b></p>	<p><b>Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána</b></p>	<p><b>Outcomes of operations</b></p> <p>The Divisional Drugs Unit cover all four stations across the DMR North Central, taking in the Upper Bridewell and Cabra areas.</p> <p>A co-ordinated approach between regular units, Community Policing Units, and the Divisional Drugs Unit has resulted in a targeting of drugs hotspots.</p> <p>The issues experienced in Dorset Street Flats have reduced through active co-ordination between AGS and DCC.</p>
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Objective	Origin	Actions	Lead Person / Agency	Updates
<p><b>3) Licensing / off-licence issues</b></p>	<p><b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b></p>	<p><b>Put operations in place to deal with issues arising</b></p>	<p><b>An Garda Síochána</b></p>	<p><b>Outcomes of operations</b></p> <p>Regular inspections are conducted of licenced premises.</p> <p>Training is currently being provided to Community Policing Gardaí in Test-purchasing and a number of operations will be conducted in Q4.</p>



Strategic Objective 2: Enhancing Community Engagement				
Objective	Origin	Actions	Lead Person / Agency	Updates
Effective engagement with communities	Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage with community fora</li> <li>Strengthen community development initiatives</li> </ul>	Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána	<p><b>Cabra Forum/Resident Meetings</b> Gardaí attached to the Community Policing Unit attend local meetings and provide feedback to the community on a regular basis.</p> <p><b>Strengthen community development initiatives</b> Community Gardaí from Bridewell Garda Station conducted regular schools talks in Q4 throughout the district to both primary and secondary schools. The topics included Halloween safety, road safety, and internet/social media safety and responsibilities.</p> <p>Ongoing Pop-Up Garda Clinics in TU Dublin, Grangegorman provide a facility of bike marking, crime prevention advice, passport signing, etc. to</p>

				<p>students whilst also providing a high visibility presence.</p> <p>The Community Support Vehicle will also be utilised throughout the District in Q4 including Smithfield, Cabra Road, etc.</p> <p>Community Gardaí will conduct crime prevention leaflet drops during Q4 with focus on “Lock Up and Light Up” for the Winter months.</p> <p>Community Gardai are very active with An Síol to maintain partnerships with elderly communities in the district. This includes Christmas Parties for elderly residents and Christmas Day dinners for senior citizens.</p> <p>Gardaí will be very active engaging with homeless communities in Q4. There are a number of events organised with the Capuchin Day Centre during the Christmas period.</p>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Build on Small Areas Policing process</li> </ul>		<p><b>Build on Small Areas Policing process</b></p> <p>Each Community Garda has been assigned a ‘SAP’ area and they have responsibility for any issues in their respective area. Sergeant Coller &amp; Sergeant O’ Dwyer are the Community Sergeants in the Bridewell District. Inspector Flood oversees community issues in the Bridewell district.</p> <p>Gardaí engage with DCPO office in Store Street and build contact bases throughout their SAPs.</p> <p>A business Directory is currently being compiled which involves Community Gardaí calling into each business in their SAP area, introducing themselves and collating information that will assist Gardaí in conducting their duties.</p> <p>There are a number of Business Watch Schemes in the District and</p>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Halloween</li> </ul>		<p>Community Gardaí are arranging meetings with each BWS by end of Q4 in advance of the Christmas period.</p> <p><b>Halloween –Operation Tombola</b> – In the lead up to Halloween, Gardaí liaise with other stakeholders and Dublin City Council to ensure the safe running of events. Stockpiling of bonfire material is reported and removed, and Gardaí will be present with DCC at all community events in the Bridewell District on Halloween night. This ensured the smooth running of events.</p> <p>In advance of Halloween, Gardaí are visiting schools and giving safety talks to children around the dangers of fireworks and bonfires.</p>
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Strategic Objective 3: Confronting Crime				
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To keep under review the levels and patterns of crime in the Cabra-Glasnevin Area.	Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015	Build on existing partnerships between Dublin City Council and An Garda Síochána in the prevention and reduction of the threat posed by crime and support the victims of crime	Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána	<p>Approaches to addressing</p> <p><b>Targeted Operations focusing on:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Circle K</li> <li>- Local Businesses</li> <li>- Residential Areas</li> </ul> <p><b>Victim support</b> The Division has a Crime Victim Support office which updates victims with details of their case. Members of Community Policing conduct call backs to victims of crime. This allows members to offer advice or provide contact information to their stakeholders.</p> <p><b>Case management of offenders</b> SAOR is in operation in the Bridewell District and consolidates the management of adult and youth offenders through</p>

				<p>the introduction of a strategic approach to offender recidivism.</p> <p><b>Warrants</b> A number of Warrant Days of Action are planned for Q4 which target persons who have outstanding warrants, with particular focus on recidivist offenders.</p> <p><b>Animal Welfare</b> Community Gardaí are actively involved in Animal Welfare in the District and will focus on animal drawn vehicles and restricted dogs in Q4.</p>
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Strategic Objective 4: Road Policing				
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Ensure that major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement within the city	Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015	Continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of planned and unplanned events in the Central Area	Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána	<p><b>Reports on events in the Central Area and compliance with Road Safety Legislation</b></p> <p>A Divisional Roads Policing Unit covers the four stations across the Division and target all road offences as well as prevention actions such as operations and checkpoints.</p> <p>Regular Frontline Core units conduct Mandatory Intoxicant Checkpoints (MIT) in the District twice daily to enforce and promote road safety.</p> <p>A number of one day targets operations will be organised in Q4 with focus on various issues such as vehicles parked on cycle lanes, illegally modified vehicles and illegal disabled parking.</p>

				Gardaí will be deployed for the Dublin City Marathon on 29 <sup>th</sup> October to ensure the safety of the event while minimising disruption to other road users.
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**JPC Annual Work Plan**

The purpose of developing this Central Area Joint Policing Sub-Committee Annual Work Plan is to enable focus on policing matters to ensure (a) Community safety (b) Quality of life issues (c) Commitment and capacity to engage with and address the needs of our diverse community/customer base.

<b>Strategic Objective 1: Ensuring Safer Communities</b>				
<b>Objective</b>	<b>Origin</b>	<b>Actions</b>	<b>Lead Person / Agency</b>	<b>Updates</b>
<b>1) Reduce level of anti-social behaviour</b>	<b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b>	<b>Implement strategies / structures to prevent opportunities for anti-social behaviour</b>	<b>Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána</b>	<p>Community Policing Unit attached to the U District has 12 Gardai and 2 Sergeants in total across two units. These members proactively tackle anti-social behaviour across the Mountjoy District.</p> <p>The Community Response Team has 4 Gardai. They are tasked with tackling hotspot areas as they arise. This response method allows for an area to be targeted, and when persons are identified and issues decrease, community engagement takes place, such as working with local groups.</p>

		<p><b>Operation Saul- Public Transport</b></p> <p><b>High Visibility Proactive Patrolling and Days of Action alongside LUAS &amp; Irish Rail inspectors</b></p>		<p>The Divisional Community Policing Office continues to forward any emails regarding issues in the area so Gardaí can address same.</p> <p>Particular attention is focused on the Cabra Luas stop and its surroundings (Mount Bernard Park) targeting anti-social behaviour with both high visibility and plain clothes patrols carried out. Gardai continue to carry out joint patrols with Gardaí from the Bridewell and Cabra stations along with Transdev staff on the Luas line &amp; stops from Broombridge to Dominick Street.</p> <p>Days of action also carried out on Dublin Bus and with Irish Rail inspectors at Drumcondra station. Four days carried out in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 16/08/2023</li> <li>• 24/08/2023</li> <li>• 18/09/2023</li> <li>• 26/09/2023</li> </ul>
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		<p><b>Operation Irene- Targeting anti-social behaviour in our public spaces.</b></p>		<p>Operation Irene is a summertime initiative where the warmer weather, longer evenings and school holidays can bring an increase of public order offences and anti-social behaviour, having a substantial impact on the quality of life of residents. A number of hotspots are targeted throughout the district mainly outdoor public spaces. High visibility proactive patrolling is focused on areas such as Shandon Park, the Royal Canal Bank, Blessington Basin, Mount Bernard Park etc.</p> <p>Operation Irene was on-going throughout the summer months, June, July &amp; August.</p>
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<p><b>2) Reduce drug related issues affecting the community</b></p>	<p><b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b></p>	<p><b>Put operations in place to deal with issues</b></p>	<p><b>Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána</b></p>	<p><b>Outcomes of operations</b></p> <p>The Divisional Drugs Unit cover all 4 stations across the DMR North Central taking in the Mountjoy / Cabra Area. In Q2 2022 there was an increase of personnel in this unit, which is having a positive impact with more members available to target drug dealing across the Division. A number of search operations were put in place and a significant amount of drugs were seized from addresses in the Cabra areas. A number of individuals were arrested and prosecutions are pending. These are intelligence led operations including referrals from vigilant members of the community</p> <p>Locally the Community Response Team (CRT) target issues in the area as they become aware of</p>

				<p>same. Community Engagement members are often provided with information by residents and this is passed to CRT for action. CRT liaise with the Divisional Drugs Unit for targeted operations. For example, the issues with throw overs into the Prison from the Canal at Phibsboro. This is targeted by the team with plain clothes patrols and working closely with the Prison Authorities. The team continue to target known hotspots, such as the Basin area, and individuals.</p> <p>In the 3<sup>rd</sup> quarter there were operations targeting street dealing in the Royal Canal Bank/Blessington Basin areas and the Cabra area. These have led to a number of drugs seizures and investigations are continuing.</p>
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<p><b>3) Licensing / off-licence issues</b></p>	<p><b>Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015</b></p>	<p><b>Put operations in place to deal with issues arising</b></p> <p><b>Operation Irene</b></p> <p><b>Test Purchasing of Intoxicating Liquor</b></p>	<p><b>An Garda Síochána</b></p>	<p><b>Outcomes of operations</b></p> <p>There is a Sergeant assigned to the Liquor Licensing portfolio in addition to her normal duties. A list of premises are sent to working units to conduct inspections.</p> <p>This sergeant will oversee the licence applications and other issues in the U District.</p> <p>All licenced premises were visited prior to the start of Operation Irene to caution owners/managers on their statutory obligations on the sale of alcohol to underage drinkers.</p> <p>A number of members have now been trained in the test purchasing of intoxicating liquor where an under 18 yr old is sent to a licensed premises to buy alcohol. These test purchases will be rolled out in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter.</p>

Strategic Objective 2: Enhancing Community Engagement				
Objective	Origin	Actions	Lead Person / Agency	Updates
Effective engagement with communities	Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Engage with community fora</li> </ul>	Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána	<p><b>Engage with community fora – Cabra Forum/Resident Meetings</b></p> <p>Gardaí attached to the Community Policing Unit attend the required meetings providing feedback and reports for those in attendance.</p> <p>The Neighbourhood Watch group and resident’s association for Iona Road is meeting regularly with Gardai in attendance to address any issues that may arise. There are on-going discussions to add new streets to the neighbourhood watch scheme.</p> <p>Gardai attend the Hospital Watch meeting with the Mater Hospital on a regular basis, this forum</p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Strengthen community development initiatives</b></li> </ul>		<p>allows the hospital to highlight issues they are dealing with around the Mater campus and provides Gardai with the opportunity to address the concerns of hospital management in a timely and efficient manner.</p> <p><b>Strengthen community development initiatives</b> Members are involved in any projects that are brought to their attention.</p> <p>The Community Support vehicle is regularly deployed to busy areas, such as Phibsboro, Cabra shops etc. for members of the community to engage with Gardai. Gardaí will assist if any matters are brought to their attention and manpower is available.</p> <p>In September the group Dorset Street Together organised a family fun day for the local community on Synott Place. Gardai assisted with the closing of</p>
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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Build on Small Areas Policing process</b></li> <li>• <b>School Talks</b></li> </ul>	<p>the road and were on hand to assist to assist the public.</p> <p><b>Build on Small Areas Policing process</b> Every SAP in Sector 3 and 4 have a Community Garda assigned. Sgt Donnelly is the Sergeant assigned to both and Insp Govern overseas both also.</p> <p>Gardaí are engaging with DCPO office in Store Street and building contact bases throughout their SAPs.</p> <p><b>School Talks- Substance abuse and On-line Safety</b> A number of school talks were conducted by the Community engagement team in both Primary and Secondary Schools. The areas concentrated on were on-line safety and substance abuse. Further school talks are proposed in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Quarter including Halloween Safety talks.</p>
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				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li> <p>• <b>Burglaries</b> Burglaries are reviewed at the morning PAF meetings. Burglary scenes are examined by local forensic teams, the area will be canvassed for CCTV and statements will be taken. Investigations are monitored by the supervisor of the Garda investigating.</p> </li> <li> <p>• <b>Victim support</b> The Division has a Crime Victim Support office which updates victims with details of their case. Members of Community Policing are also forwarded call backs to victims of crime. This allows members to offer advice or provide contact information to their stakeholders. There are separate call back procedures for victims of Domestic Abuse.</p> </li> </ul>
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				<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Case management of offenders</b> SAOR is in operation in the U District and consolidates the management of adult and youth offenders through the introduction of a strategic approach to offender recidivism. AGS holistically manage the court cases, charges, bail conditions, interagency liaison and inform AGS how it is being managed. This has proved successful in the U District to date.</li>   <li>• <b>Blue Bike Initiative</b> The blue bike initiative is a brightly coloured bike with Garda signage warning would be thieves that that the area is being monitored by Gardai. The blue bike will be placed in hotspot areas to deter bike theft and other anti-social behaviour.</li> </ul>
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Strategic Objective 4: Road Policing				
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Ensure that major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement within the city	Garda Policing Plan / Dublin City Joint Policing Committee 2015	Continue to work in partnership in relation to the management of planned and unplanned events in the Central Area	Dublin City Council An Garda Síochána	<p><b>Reports on events in the Central Area and compliance with Road Safety Legislation</b></p> <p>A Divisional Roads Policing Unit cover the 4 stations across the Division and target all road offences as well as prevention actions such as operations and checkpoints.</p> <p>In relation to the objective of ensuring major events proceed with minimum disruption to business and movement in the city the local Events Teams at Mountjoy converse with Roads Policing Unit who will assist with traffic management on the days in question. DCC Clampers/NTA will also assist as they have in the past.</p>