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# PEEL Programme



**Effectiveness - Good**



**Efficiency - Good**



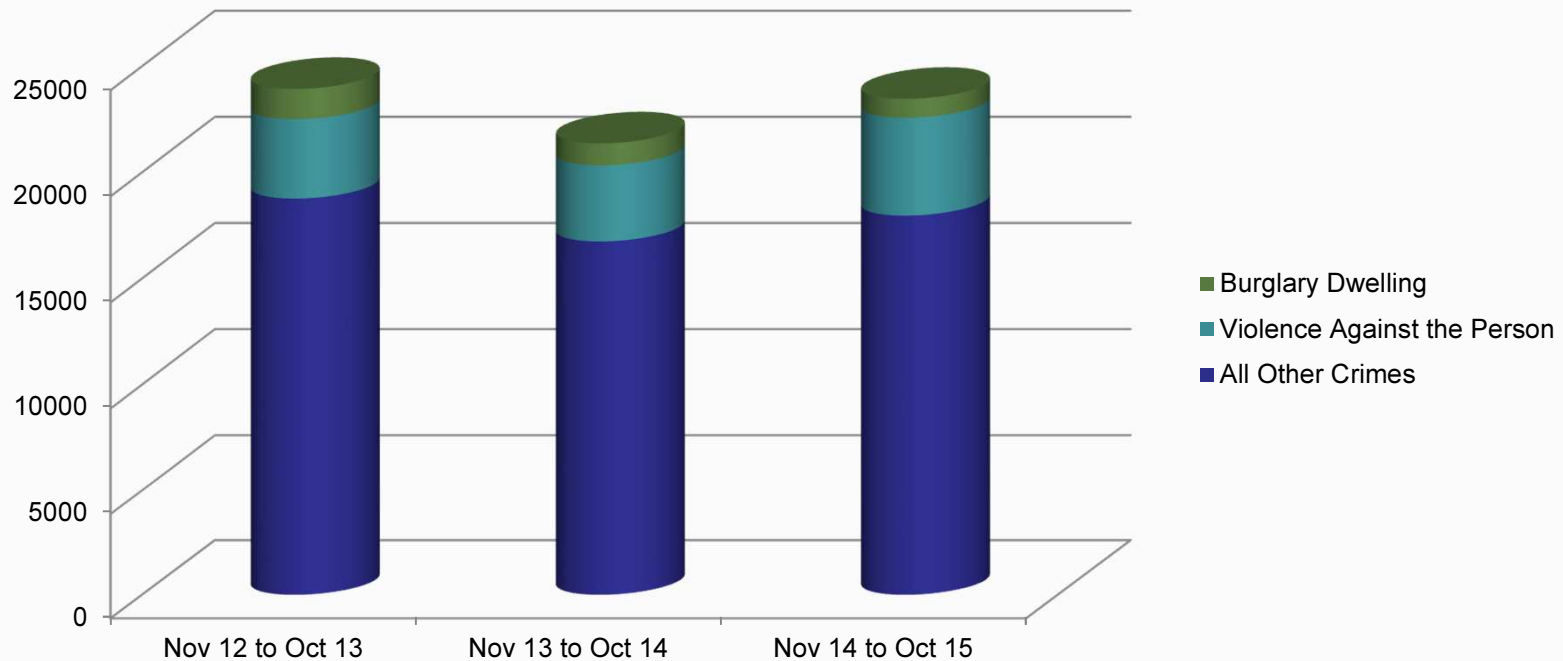
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# Cut crimes that are of most concern to the community

## Buckinghamshire Crime Overview



# 1 Cut crimes that are of most concern to the community

## Delivery Plan Aims 2015 / 16

- Reduce domestic burglary
- Increase the
  - volume of rape investigation which result in prosecution
  - percentage of rape prosecution files submitted to the Crown Prosecution Service assessed as trial ready
  - volume of domestic abuse investigation which result in charge or caution
  - percentage of violence with injury (excluding domestic abuse) prosecution files submitted to the Crown Prosecution Service assessed as trial ready



# 1 Cut crimes that are of most concern to the community

## Diagnostic Indicators 2015 / 16

### We will monitor the

- repeat victimisation rate for domestic abuse related violent crime
- proportion of domestic abuse investigations and rape investigations which do not result in a prosecution
- levels of
  - victim satisfaction,
  - rural crime (based on NFU insurance claims)
  - dwelling burglaries / levels of violence at the CSP and Force level



## 2 Increase the visible presence of the police Special Constables

- 169 Special Constables doing 30,686 hours in Buckinghamshire from January
- Roads Policing Team won the South East Regional award.
- Provide visible presence to every night time economy operation and increasing the visits to licensed premises
- Every rural neighbourhood has a special constable in the team
- New accreditation process to ensure each special constable reaches independent patrol promptly





# 2

## Increase the visible presence of the police

### Mental Health

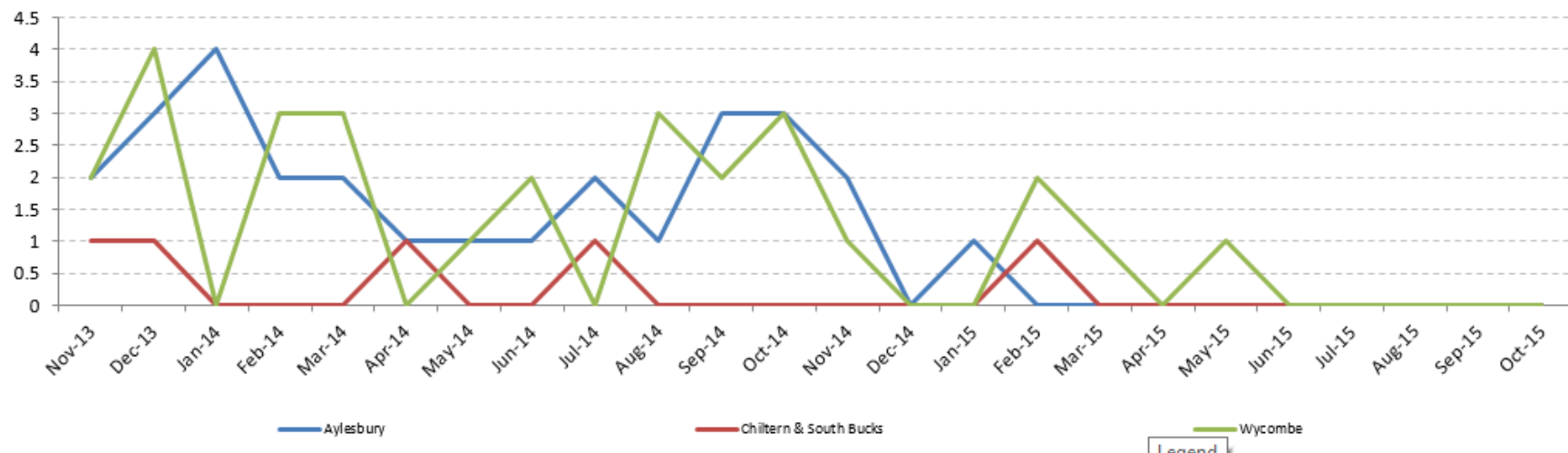
- Volume of mental health related incidents has risen. Officers were called to 8047 incidents in the last 12 months.
- Mental Health Crisis Care Concordat signed by 22 national bodies in place from February 2015
- In Buckinghamshire
  - Southern Central Ambulance Service transported 85.8% of patients in the 12 months to November 2015
  - 127 people were detained under S136 in the 12 months to November 2015, down 36.8% on the previous year
  - Street Triage went live in September 2015



# 2 Increase the visible presence of the police

## Mental Health – Use of custody

- 12.4% of people detained under S136 ended up being taken to custody in Buckinghamshire (12 months to November 2015)
- 0.8% increase on the previous year





# 3 Protect our communities from the most serious harm

## Tackling Child Sexual Exploitation

- Comprehensive CSE action plan
- £3.5m invested in dedicated resources since 2011
- Implemented awareness raising and training programme for CSE
- MASH in Bucks, Oxon, Milton Keynes, Reading, Slough and Windsor
- Op Articulate: 6 men convicted of 37 offences and sentenced to a total of 82.5 years.

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# 3 Protect our communities from the most serious harm

## Organised Crime Groups

- 64 Organised Crime Groups (OCG) currently active in Thames Valley
- 37 disruptions in 2014/15, 54 so far this year
- National Cyber Crime Unit Officers within our Regional Organised Crime Unit
- Op Shining;
  - SOCU investigation into an OCG operating out of Milton Keynes, involved in the collection and distribution of Class A and Class B drugs.
  - Surveillance showed the OCG to be active in Buckinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Leicestershire, Nottinghamshire, Kent and London.
  - Approx 10kg Class B (Skunk) and approx £40,000 seized
  - 13 persons arrested of which 11 were charged with Conspiracy to supply Class B drugs. 8 are currently awaiting sentencing. 3 yet to enter a plea.



# 4 Improve communication and use of technology to build community confidence and cut crime

## Social Media

- Targeted communications to inform the public about
  - Crimes in their neighbourhood
  - Witness appeals
  - Crime reduction advice
- Provides reassurance to the public during large events
  - EDL marches
  - Flooding
  - Reading Festival



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**ALERT**

94,845



twitter

184,125



country  
watch

10,734



facebook

49,429  
likes



You Tube

1,516,615  
views

# 4 Improve communication and use of technology to build confidence and cut crime

- One IT system to link crime, intelligence and missing People. Business crime qualifier from April 2015
- South East Police Shared Network Services Agreement TVP, Hants, Surrey & Sussex Police, up to 20% savings
- 65 body worn video cameras in Buckinghamshire with 7 base stations
- Pilot enabling officers or staff to give evidence remotely without having to attend court in person
- Piloting new technology, tough books to take electronic statements and tablets for effective working away from police stations.



# 5 Increase the professionalism and capability of our people

## Code of Ethics



- Defines the principles and standards of acceptable behaviour expected
- Became statutory Code of Practice on 15 July 2014
- Applicable to all police officers and police staff
- Provides a framework to maintain the highest possible standards to uphold the reputation and legitimacy of the police
- Action plan to embed the Code includes Ethical Leadership Conferences in Spring 2015 and Professional Decision Making training from May 2015
- Misconduct hearings to be held in public from 1 May 2015



# 6 Reduce costs and protect the frontline

## Priority Based Budgeting (PBB)

- September 2014 – Force Strategy Group agreed to adopt PBB
- PBB methodology to be used as far as possible within existing productivity work streams
- PBB review of the force to be implemented by April 2016
- Consideration around the review of collaborative functions where other forces are not adopting PBB
- Explore opportunities to work with other partners or stakeholders to support the process



# 6 Reduce costs and protect the frontline

	2011/12 - 2015/16	2016/17	2017/18	2018/19	2019/20	Total
	£m	£m	£m	£m	£m	£m
<b>Reduction in Govt Funding % since 2010 /11</b>	50.4 19%	10.4 5%	10.4 5%	10.4 5%	10.4 5%	92 34%
<b>Productivity</b>	71.7	20.1	11.7	6.1	5.4	115
<b>Funding Gap</b>	00.0	00.0	0.0	3.5	4.0	7.5
<b>Funding Available</b>	383.1 – 382.5	376.8	372.2	367.8	363.7	

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