

South Cambs Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership

2009/10 Quarterly Progress Report

Quarter: Quarter 1 Apr - June 2009

Priority Area: Catch and Convict PPO Strategy

Lead Officer: Jenny Jolley

Total number of clients:

Deter = 3

Catch and Convict and Rehabilitate and Resettle = 7

Number of removals due to successful engagement with the scheme = 1

1. **Key Achievements (What has gone well):**

- **Enforcement:** A curfew condition was obtained on a Probation licence, restricting a PPO to his home address overnight and requiring them to present to a Police Officer on request. Regular checks were undertaken by Police Officers to ensure that this condition was complied with.
- **Enforcement:** A PPO was arrested and charged with breach of a recently obtained ASBO. This resulted in a custodial sentence
- **Enforcement:** A PPO was given a lengthy custodial sentence for armed robbery.
- **Partnership Working:** The early release on ECL of a PPO who proposed an unsuitable address for release was delayed, until a suitable address was agreed upon.
- **Partnership Working:** The early release from custody on ECL of a PPO was stopped, following objections on the grounds of their status and continuing harm to the community.
- **Partnership Working:** A condition was obtained on a Probation licence for a PPO to comply with any requirements specified by their supervising officer, for the purpose of ensuring that they address their alcohol offending, behaviour problems.
- **Prevention:** A 2-year ASBO was obtained for a PPO whose offending, drinking and anti-social behaviour has caused problems in the Fulbourn area.
- **Prevention:** A 3-year ASBO was obtained for a PPO whose anti-social behaviour and offending has caused problems in Girton and areas of Cambridge City.
- **Prevention:** The crime saved estimator shows that 13 crimes were saved to date in FY2009/10 (base level), 65 using the F multiplier (a close approximation to BCS).
- **Rehabilitation & Resettlement:** The PPO Officer is undertaking home visits and keeping in contact by telephone with a young PPO, in order to engage them in the scheme and avert their offending behaviour
- **Rehabilitation & Resettlement:** The PPO team are working in conjunction with the SCDC ASB PSG and the housing dept, in order to facilitate the move of 2 PPOs and their family members.
- **Rehabilitation & Resettlement:** Members of the PPO team attended the YOS Risk Panel meeting for a PPO, in order to discuss the interventions that can be put in place following their release from custody.

2. **Areas of Concern (what has not gone well)**

- Mr. Dick Moore attended regional PPO conference and reports:

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- New PPO guidance due in September from the Home Office
- CDRP to become legally required to run PPO programs and must have PPO as a standard agenda item
- CDRP required to ensure that programs address the problem crime types: currently SAC and burglary
- IOM most definitely on the radar and under consideration by Gary Goose and Dick Moore

3. Changes to be made to address concerns

- Presentation by CI Gary Goose / Dick Moore re: PPO Guidance to be scheduled within the forward plan for Board meeting.

Any Items for Publicity¹

Cambridge PPO scheme featured in CEN and BBC national news in April.

¹ Please ensure that any items included here for Publicity are not protectively marked.