

RANGE OF POTENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES FOR **(DRAFT)**

POLICE COMMUNITY SUPPORT OFFICERS

	Reassurance & Minor Disturbances
	Provide a high visibility presence in the deployed area
	To act as a liaison point for residents, businesses as to any concerns relating to crime, fear of crime and anti-social behaviour
	To act as a liaison/signposting service for residents, businesses as to any concerns relating to the general issue of access to services
	Reporting the evidence of criminal damage, graffiti, fly-tipping and any other issues that residents/businesses raise as concerns
	To defuse potential issues of confrontation and to act as mediator in order to provide a quick and temporary solution
	Detain for up to 30 minutes suspects who fail to give details, using reasonable force to detain (<i>subject to comment from poice</i>)
	Require name and address from person(s) acting in a disruptive and anti-social manner
	Confiscate and dispose of alcohol/tobacco and any illegal substances from young persons
	Identify discarded drugs paraphernalia, dispose and record
	Enter any premises to save life and limb or prevent serious damage to property
	Develop links with rural settlements/farming communities to better understand and deal with their concerns
	To organise and lead on the provision of local surgeries so that concerns can be discussed and actioned on
	Road/Pavement Safety
	Carry out PACE road checks and stop vehicles as required
	Stop and search vehicles & belongings in areas authorised under the Terrorism Act 2000

	Assist with the identification/removal of abandoned vehicles
	Issue Fixed Penalty Notices for offences of cycling on footways, dog fouling, litter
	Stop vehicles for road worthiness
	Make traffic directions for abnormal vehicles
	Ancillary Duties
	Issue Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) for offences of disorder (recent govt white paper and await results of existing pilot)
	To liaise with services such as HandyVan, Crime Prevention Officers and specifically with agencies working on distraction burglary to prevent older people/other vulnerable groups from becoming a victim of crime.
	To promote the social inclusion agenda
	Schools Liaison
	To provide a high-visibility presence around the schools, working in developing and improving relations
	Contribute directly to the school crossing patrol service, as required.

	Work with local school liaison/parent support groups