

**REPORT TO:** CABINET

**DATE:** 16 JUNE 2022

**TITLE:** REFERRAL FROM SCRUTINY COMMITTEE –  
POLICING AND COMMUNITY SAFETY ANNUAL  
REVIEW

**PORTFOLIO HOLDER:** COUNCILLOR JOEL CHARLES, PORTFOLIO  
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**This is not a Key Decision  
Call-in Procedures may apply  
This decision will affect Toddbrook Ward.**

**RECOMMENDED that:**

- A** Cabinet requests that work is undertaken to identify what changes to CCTV provision could be made in the Town Centre and any budget implications arising from these, with a report to be brought back to Cabinet at a later date.
- B** The Police be asked to provide contact information for Police Officers assigned to each Ward.

**REASON FOR DECISION**

- A** The Scrutiny Committee made recommendations to the Cabinet at its meeting on 15 March 2022.

**BACKGROUND**

1. At its meeting on 15 March 2022, the Scrutiny Committee held a question and answer session with the Police. Part of this focussed on policing within the Town Centre.

**ISSUES/PROPOSALS**

2. CCTV was identified as a potential area for improvement and the Committee agreed to recommend to Cabinet that CCTV provision within the Town Centre be looked at.

3. It was also noted that Councillors would benefit from having direct contact information for the Police Officers who were active within their wards. The Committee has recommended that Cabinet asks for this information.

## **IMPLICATIONS**

### **Strategic Growth and Regeneration**

None specific.

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### **Finance**

None specific.

**Author: Simon Freeman, Deputy to the Chief Executive and Director of Finance**

### **Housing**

None specific

**Author: Andrew Murray, Director of Housing**

### **Communities and Environment**

As contained in the report.

**Author: Jane Greer, Director of Communities and Environment**

### **Governance and Corporate Services**

None specific.

**Author: Simon Hill, Director of Governance and Corporate Services**

### **Appendices**

None.

### **Background Papers**

None.

### **Glossary of terms/abbreviations used**

None.