

Stamford Bourne & The Deepings COMMUNITY SURVEY – August 2019



We want you to be able to influence our policing activity by telling us which issues cause you the greatest concern in the area that you live. My work, every day is to digest and assess the issues that I feel are causing the greatest harm, or having a negative impact on residents' quality of life. At the moment, this is by looking at the locations we are continually getting called back to, or the problem individuals or families that we are getting the most calls about. Intelligence reports about illegal activity are also factored in when we consider where our policing time should be directed, but this isn't the whole picture.

The purpose of this consultation is:

- To help our team to understand what causes you most concern.
- To understand what your perception is of crime and anti-social behaviour in this area
- To understand what your experience of crime and anti-social behaviour is, and how you've been affected

I want to be able to report to you the true picture about crime and anti-social behaviour in this area, and that means keeping you informed about the things that we deal with most regularly – be it crimes reported or calls for service (to nuisance neighbours, drug dealing, road traffic collisions, hare coursing or domestic incidents etc.)

We will be able to combine your feedback with our existing sources of information (calls and intelligence), and focus our policing activity on the crime and disorder issues that are important to you.

Inspector Rachel Blackwell

Neighbourhood Policing, Stamford Bourne & The Deepings

1. How concerned are you about crime and anti-social behaviour in your area?

- Not concerned
- Somewhat concerned
- Extremely concerned

Not at all safe

If you feel unsafe, please tell us why

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2. How do you think the level of crime and anti-social behaviour has changed over the last 12 months where you live/work?

- Increased
- Stayed the same
- Decreased
- Not sure

4. Have you ever been the victim of crime or anti-social behaviour?

- Yes – in the last 12 months
- Yes – the last 12-24 months
- Yes – in the last 24-36 months
- Yes, but more than 3 years ago
- No
- Other (please specify)

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3. How safe do you feel living or working in Stamford/Bourne/Deeping?

- Very safe
- Somewhat safe
- Not so safe

5. What do you think are the most important areas for us to focus on in the next year/the things that cause you most concern? (Please select up to three answers below)

- Groups of young people/adults causing a nuisance
- Drugs or drug related activity
- Domestic abuse
- Child sexual exploitation
- Hate crime or incidents
- Drunken or rowdy behaviour
- Vandalism or graffiti
- Road safety (Fatal 4 – mobile phones, drink/drug driving, excess speed, no seatbelt)
- Vehicle nuisance (street racing, cruising, misusing vehicles off-road, performing stunts/tricks, gatherings of cars in public places causing you to be intimidated)
- Break ins/thefts
- Scams and fraudsters
- Wildlife related crime (like hare coursing/illegal deer poaching)
- Criminal exploitation of others
- Other (please specify)

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6. Which police reporting/engagement options are you familiar with?

- 101 (telephone)
- Online (www.lincs.police.uk)
- Facebook
- Twitter
- Lincs Alert

7. What is your age?

- Under 18
- 18-24
- 25-34
- 35-44
- 45-54
- 55-64
- 65-74
- 75 or older

8. Please enter your gender below

- Male
- Female
- Other

9. Please select the first part of your post code

- PE9
- PE6
- PE10
- NG34
- Other (please state)

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10. In what capacity did you complete this survey?

- Resident
- Community group
- Business owner or representative
- Person in a public office
- Employee of a local shop, firm or organisation
- Voluntary organisation representative
- Other (please state)

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Thank you for completing this survey. This information will be used to direct some of our policing activity over the next six months.

The results will be published:

- **ONLINE – Tuesday 17th September**
(Facebook, Lincs Police Website, Stamford Mercury website)
- **STAMFORD MERCURY – newspaper edition**

