

Community Safety Ward Walkabouts & Roadshows (2017)

Why did we do this?

To give residents the opportunity to:

- Meet and speak directly to senior members of the police, council and partners about their local crime and ASB concerns
- To increase visibility and support partners in identifying and agreeing actions to improve their local area
- To find out how to become a ward panel member for their area and to help shape local police priorities
- To see how we work together, hold partners to account and build confidence in the police and council in dealing with local community concerns



What happened?

	18	Ward Walkabouts conducted covering all 20 wards		52%	Significant reduction in 101 reports for ASB/drugs complaints 3 months after a ward walkabout
	431	Participants attended the walkabouts, including 156 residents and 275 partners		100	Residents engaged with at 4 Roadshows in Idea Stores across the borough
	206	Actions successfully completed within 3 months of a walkabout		30	No Place For Hate' pledges signed by residents

Types of Action Taken

	74	Additional SNT patrols to priority ASB hotspot areas identified in each ward		6	CCTV Camera's deployed (permanent and redeployable) to priority ASB hotspot areas
	19	Additional THEO patrols, including canine patrols to identify ASB suspects		7	Transport & Highways speed reduction measures completed to make the roads safer
	10	Additional Drug Outreach/DIP THEO patrols to support vulnerable adults		6	Environmental improvements i.e. upgrading lighting, removing graffiti and shrubs used for weapon storage
	3	Additional THSORT Outreach patrols to engage and support rough sleepers		48	Actions completed by Housing Providers i.e. securing systems, installing gating to estates and lifting abandoned vehicles
	20	Additional Rapid Response Team deployments to engage with young people		30	ASB warning letters sent to suspects causing ASB, including letters to residents to continue reporting ASB

