



SAFE AND CLEAN ENVIRONMENT

Priority

Our priority is to maintain a safe and clean environment.

Concerns

- Public perception that the area will be less safe and less clean in 10 years time.
- Fear of crime.
- Domestic violence and anti-social behaviour.
- Abandoned vehicles.
- Litter and fly tipping.



High Street, Hadleigh

What is being done

- Crime and Disorder Reduction Partnership concentrating on:
 - Criminal damage, violence and anti-social behaviour in Sudbury town centre.
 - Criminal damage and arson in Hadleigh.
 - Crime at Copdock Retail Park.
- Building Safer Communities Initiative.
- Persistent Offenders Scheme.
- CCTV systems in Hadleigh and Sudbury.
- Responding to 800 enquiries a year about nuisance.
- Anti-social Behaviour Orders agreed by courts.
- A pilot Estate Ranger scheme in Great Cornard.
- Domestic Violence Forum and financial support for Women's Refuges.
- Rapid response by contractor for removal of abandoned vehicles.
- Voluntary surrender scheme for unwanted vehicles.

- Litter picking and street sweeping with mobile litter warden to deal with "hot spots".
- Removal of fly tipping.
- Trial "Community Warden" scheme for Sudbury in partnership with Town Council.
- Air quality monitoring.

PLANS FOR THE FUTURE

Coming Year

- Replace CCTV cameras in Hadleigh and Sudbury.
- Take over responsibility from Magistrates Courts for licensed premises.
- Continue Estate Ranger scheme and expand if effective.
- Clean the A12/A14 verges.

Within the 10 year period

- Work with others to reduce crime and the fear of crime.
- Planning input to safer environment on new developments.
- Produce new crime and disorder, and drug strategies.
- Implement new powers and develop initiatives on anti-social behaviour.
- Education on keeping the environment clean.
- Strengthen monitoring and enforcement of abandoned vehicles, street cleaning, fly tipping and dog fouling.
- Work with food outlets to resolve litter problems.

Barge removal at Pin Mill



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