



Strategic Policing and Crime Board

25th October 2022

Questions from the Board on Matters not on the Agenda

1. The National Chief's Police Council has recently stated that officers will attend all at home burglaries.

- a) What changes in service can the public expect to see?
- b) How are resources going to be reallocated to enable the Force to comply with this requirement?
- c) What will be the effect on other service provision in relation to other crimes?

(To be asked by Cath Hannon)

2. What improvements have been made to the facilities and accessibility of interview suites for adult and child victims and witnesses.

(To be asked by Cath Hannon)

3. What has been the response of West Midlands Police to the interim findings of Operation Soteria, a joint police and CPS programme of work to transform the way that rape investigations and prosecutions are handled?

(To be asked by Cath Hannon)

4. As theft from Motor vehicles is rising and, on some occasions, officers are not able to attend due to staffing issues. What is the Chief Constable doing to reassure the public that WMP is doing everything it can to combat this situation?

(To be asked by Bhupinder Gakhal)

5. Victims of theft are ringing the Police with CCTV footage but sadly on many occasions no one is attending. The public are losing faith in our police force we must tackle this problem immediately. Can the Chief Constable reassure the public that WMP is doing everything it can to combat this situation?

(To be asked by Bhupinder Gakhal)