

**Bob Pullen**

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Bob

Firstly, my apologies for the meeting tomorrow night. Unfortunately it clashes with something else.

Secondly, on the Community Safety Plan Refresh:

- The five issues that the greatest number of people ranked as of 'great' concern resonate right across the Borough, as do the top 3 priorities.
- Long Standing priority for Swale CSP - Violence Against Women and Girls; Supporting Vulnerable people; and Crime (Serious Organised Crime, Hate Crime). These are all very laudible, and I agree with them. However, they don't appear in the top 3 or 5 from the general public.
- Is it because the general public do not know these issues exist in Swale?
- What can we do as a Borough/Swale CSP to raise awareness of these issues?
- When I talk to people about these issues they seem to think they are only happening in London or big cities. They are stunned when you give them examples on their own doorstep.

So, happy to support the priorities as in the report, but would like to know what can be done on awareness.

Would you be able to put these points to the Committee for me please.

Many thanks.

Regards.

Angela