Committee(s):	Date(s):
Safer City Partnership	20 May 2019
Subject: Safer City Partnership Draft Strategy 2019-22	Public
Report of: Head of Community Safety	For Decision

Summary

An earlier draft of this strategy was brought to the previous SCP meeting. Additions and amendments have been following Members and colleagues' input. Once the strategy has been agreed it will be professionally designed and publicly circulated.

Recommendation(s)

Members are asked to agree the strategy.

Background

- 1. The Safer City Partnership (SCP) is the Community Safety Partnership for the City of London. These partnerships were established under the Crime and Disorder Act 1998. Section 5 of this Act places a statutory responsibility on the Police and Local Authority to formulate a strategy to reduce crime and disorder within their areas. This section also places a legal obligation on other organisation, such as Probation and Health Authorities (now the Clinical Commissioning Group) to engage and cooperate with this strategy.
- 2. The SCP produces three year plans, which we seek to refresh annually to take account of new challenges and opportunities. We also seek to annually review and assess the activity of the SCP. The SCP is also expected to consult with the communities it serves.
- 3. This draft plan has been produced taking account of the City of London Corporate Plan. In terms of priorities it draws significantly on previous SCP plans but also takes account of emerging issues and partners strategic ambitions.

- 4. Once agreed by Members we will have the plan professionally designed and published. It will be placed on the City's website and circulated to partners and stakeholders. Experience indicates it can be an important tool in explaining the work of the SCP to communities and to colleagues and the agencies we need to work with.
- 5. Following the finalisation of the SCP Plan we will develop workplans under each outcome to outline key activities and support monitoring.

Corporate and Strategic Implications

- 6. The SCP Plan support the City Corporation to fulfil its vision for a *vibrant and thriving City, supporting a diverse and sustainable London within a globally successful UK.* It supports all three aims that are outlined in the Corporate Plan in terms of contributing to a flourishing society, shaping outside environments and supporting a thriving economy.
- 7. The SCP plan is a key mechanism for delivering Outcome 1 of the Corporate plan that People are safe and feel safe

SCP Plan Outcomes

- 8. The previously agreed outcomes for 2019-22 are:
 - Vulnerable people and communities are safeguarded from radicalisation
 - People are safe from violent crime
 - People and businesses are protected from theft and fraud/acquisitive crime
 - Anti-Social Behaviour is tackled and respond to effectively
 - People are safe feel safe in the Night-time Economy
- 9. Members are asked to agree the SCP strategic plan.

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