

North Down District Policing Partnership 6 Month Report
[April – September 2007]



Tackling Crime

North Down Area

District Policing Partnerships

Six Month Report

(April 2007- September 2007)

Figures Extracted 19 October 2007 and 24 October 2007



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Section 1) Progress towards achieving targets in the District Policing Plan for 2007/2008

DOMAIN:	Tackling Crime				
Local Policing Plan Target	April – September 2006	April – September 2007	% Change	Target	Comment
3.2.1 To reduce the total number of assaults by 2%.	520	467	- 10.2% Down 53	Green	
3.3.1 To reduce the total number of recorded crimes of criminal damage by 2%.	723	609	- 19% Down114	Green	
3.4.1 To reduce the total number of domestic burglaries by 3%.	84	140	+ 39% Up 56	Red	
4.1.1 To increase the sanction clearance rate by 3% points.	22.8%	21.6%	- 1.2%	Red	

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DOMAIN:	Promoting Community Safety				
Local Policing Plan Target	April – September 2006	April – September 2007	% Change	Target	Comment
5.1.1 To reduce the total number of incidents of anti-social behaviour by 5%.	2897	2831	- 2.3% Down 66	Red	
7.1.1 To reduce the number of people killed or seriously injured on the roads. (*)	12				Figures not available

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(*) Targets will be based on that achieved in 2006 – 2007, by focusing on detections for	April – September 2006	April – September 2007	Change	Target	Comment
Careless/Dangerous Driving	165	128	Down 37	Red	
Excess Speed (Detections by Road Policing) (Road Policing Mobile Camera)	112 (35) (490)	123 (46) (602)	Up 11	Green	Road Policing figures not included in Area totals
Driving whilst impaired through drink and/or drugs	112	122	Up 10	Green	
Collisions	87				Figures not available
Casualty figures as a result of Road Traffic Collisions	150 Fatal 2 Serious 10 Slight 138				Figures not available
Seat Belt Offences	223	62	Down 161	Red	
Misuse of mobile Telephone	362	278	Down 84	Red	Of the 278 FPN, 200 non endorsable and 78 endorsable

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Northern Ireland Policing Plan Targets (with Area figures available on 24 /10/07)	PFYTD	FYTD	Change	% Change
3.1.1. To reduce the total number of crimes by 2%. (Reduction based on FYTD including the undercount to provide more accurate comparison) FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	2575	2192	- 383	- 14.9%
3.2.1. To reduce the total number of violent crimes by 2%. FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	784	687	- 97	- 12.4%
3.2.2. To reduce the total number of violent crimes against children (under18) by 2%. FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	170	152	- 18	- 10.6%
3.3.1. To reduce the total number of recorded crimes of criminal damage by 2%. FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	816	662	- 152	- 18.9%
4.1.1 To increase the sanction clearance rate by 3%. FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	23.9%	22.3%	1.7%	1.7%
4.2.1 To increase the sanction clearance rate for sectarian hate crime FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	0.0%	16.7%	16.7%	16.7%
5.1.1. To reduce the number of incidents of anti-social behaviour by 5% FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 23 October 2007	3266	3172	- 94	- 2.9%
	2006/2007	PFYTD	FYTD	FYTD <small>Compared to 2006/07 in %</small>
4.2.2 To increase the sanction clearance rate for racist hate crime FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	10%	6.3%	20.0%	10%
4.2.3. To increase the sanction clearance rate for homophobic hate crime FYTD: 1 st April 2007 to 20 October 2007	0%	0%	0%	0%

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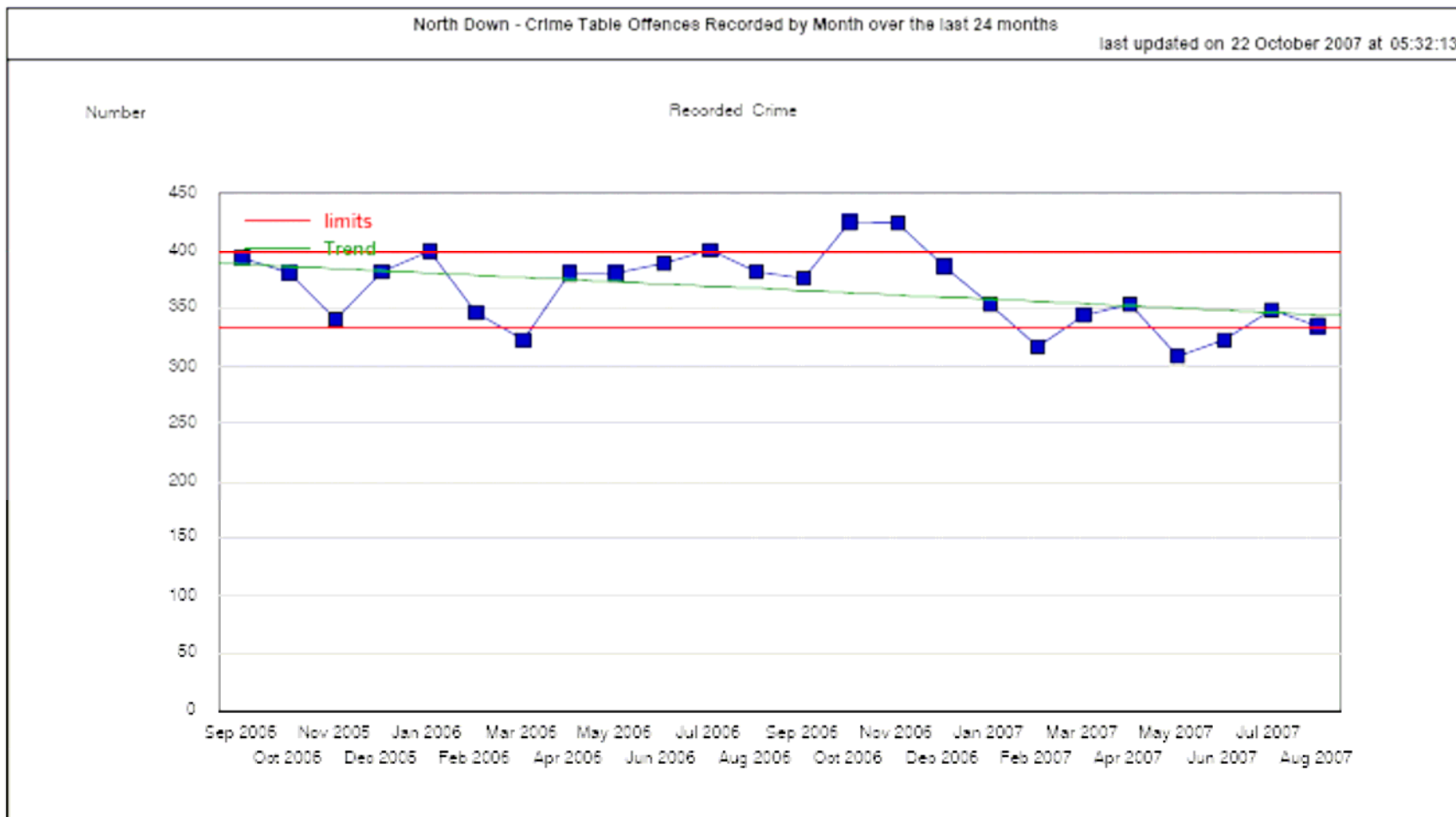
Measures	Recorded April – September 2006	Recorded April – September 2007	% Change	Cleared April – September 2006	% Cleared April – September 2006	Cleared April – September 2007	% Cleared April – September 2007
1. Offences against the person	658	591	- 10.2%	221	33.6%	162	27.4%
2. Sexual offences	39	38	- 2.6%	15	38.5%	8	21.1%
3. Burglary	160	203	26.9%	29	18.1%	37	18.2%
Domestic Burglary	84	140	66.7%	16	19.0%	32	22.9%
4. Robbery	19	11	- 42.1%	6	31.6%	3	27.3%
5. Theft	517	440	- 14.9%	136	26.3%	94	21.4%
Theft from motor vehicle	66	45	- 31.8%	2	3.0%	5	11.1%
Theft/unauthorised taking of motor vehicle	33	54	63.6%	4	12.1%	7	13.0%
6. Fraud and Forgery	82	29	- 64.6%	7	8.5%	7	24.1%
7. Criminal Damage	723	609	- 15.8%	86	11.9%	65	10.7%
8. Offences against the state	18	13	- 27.8%	6	33.3%	7	53.8%
9. Other notifiable offences	92	66	- 28.3%	71	77.2%	49	74.2%
Total not yet assigned to offence category	0	1	/0	0	/0	0	0.0%
Violent Crime (1,2 & 4)	716	640	- 10.6%	242	33.8%	173	27.0%
TOTAL CRIME (1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8,&9)	2308	2001	- 13.3%	577	25.0%	432	21.6%

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Incidents with Domestic or Hate Motivations North Down Area April – September		
	April – September 2006	April – September 2007
Domestic Incidents	477	274
Racist Incidents	22	15
Homophobic Incidents	1	3
Faith/Religion Incidents	3	0
Sectarian Incidents	6	7
Disability Incidents	1	0
Transphobic Incidents	16	2

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This chart displays data to the last complete month.
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Developing Policing within the Community

Area Commander Chief Inspector Ian McCoy can confirm that officers in North Down have met regularly over the past 6 months with a number of groups representative of the community in North Down. These include 12 Community Associations, a number of Minority Groups including LGBT, Disability groups and a Sight Impaired group. Police also meet regularly with over 50,s groups in Holywood and Bangor.

A list of Groups is available on request.

Neighbourhood Policing Teams, Community Safety and Schools Liaison officers engage with groups and attend at Inter-Agency meetings, Monthly Meetings, and Police Surgeries.

The Harbour Ward Community is a recently established multi cultural Group, representing Constituted Minority Ethnic Groups.

Neighbourhood Constables in Holywood attend Community Safety meetings and are involved in the Art and regeneration committee, which is striving to allow communities to take ownership of their local areas by way of being involved in art projects in their estates.

North Down Community Safety Projects

The following are a list of Initiatives or recent Community safety projects which police in North Down are involved with.

1. Message in a Bottle
2. Safety wrist Armband
3. Youth Fire Education Program

Details of all of the above are available on request