

Advisory Committee Work Plan – 2016

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Activity	Background	Responsibility	Timeline	Strategic Plan Alignment
Public Consultation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Connect with existing community groups and meetings ie: Neighbourhood Associations, BIA's, Home & School Council's, Youth groups etc. to have conversations with residents about their concerns with respect to safety and crime prevention Collate conversation responses to determine themes Make recommendations based on findings Survey Community and Neighbourhood associations to find out what types of safety initiatives may be in place, what's working well and what could be replicated (ie: Neighbourhood Safety Plans, Survey Tools already in place, completed Safety Audit results) 	CSCP	Over one year	Strengthening Our Community/Leading in Public Service
Active & Safe Routes to School	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Parent and youth surveys relating to barriers to active and safe routes to school are completed and will be provided to the Committee to review and make recommendations Improve winter sidewalk maintenance near schools as well as pathways to schools Collaborate with the School Boards and the City to ensure safety measures such as traffic calming and pedestrian crossings are included in the plans and implementation at time of the building of new schools. 	ASRTS/CSCP/TVDSB/LDCSB (Active & Safe Routes to School/ Thames Valley District School Board/ London District Catholic School Board)	Over one year/ongoing	Strengthening Our Community
Work collaboratively with existing initiatives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Identify current local initiatives that align with this committee and determine synergies for working together ie: London Strengthening Neighbourhoods – Neighbourgoodlondon.ca, (Safety Audits), Age Friendly London (AFL), Neighbourhood Watch London, Children's Safety Village, Active and Safe Routes to School, City of London Neighbourhood Children and Fire Services, etc. Identifying opportunities to actively engage in 	CSCP	Over one year/ongoing	Strengthening Our Community
Enhance walking routes for all ages	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Using results from Neighbourhood Safety Audits, CSCP public consultation conversations, and work from ASRTS and AFL provide recommendations for reducing speed limits in school zones. Neighbourhood Safety Audits, Active and Safe Routes to School and Age Friendly London survey results and results of public 	CSCP/NW//ASRTS/AFL/City of London (Neighbourhood Watch/ Active & Safe Routes to School/ Age Friendly London)	Over one year/ongoing	Leading in Public Service

	<p>consultation will be used for input on the reduction of speed limits in school zones, speed limits in school zones</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Review intersection and road crossing times to ensure they reflect the demographics of the area 			
Access to Safety Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Request that safety information and tools are provided in other languages; it being noted that the City of London website will be multi-lingual in 2017 	CSCP/City of London	By 2017	Leading in Public Service
Booster Seats/Child Restraints	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Support and promote public awareness and education campaigns and programs about the need for booster seats for safe travel • Use and promote messaging that supports “safety first” over all other factors. • Explore other partnerships to educate and promote awareness and increase proper usage ie: car dealerships • Support child restraint initiatives such as the Buckle Up Baby Program 	Child Safety Middlesex-London/Family Centres	Over one year/ongoing	Leading in Public Service
Bicycle Safety	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborate with the Cycling Advisory Committee to promote public awareness of legal bicycle and rider feature requirements • Contact local business owners to assist with this initiative 	CSCP/CAC	Over one year	Strengthening Our Community
Community Outreach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Work with local media to profile Community Safety and Crime Prevention Issues which may include: London Fire Services, London Police Services, Neighbourhood Watch London, Thames Valley Children’s Centre and the Middlesex-London Health Unit on their initiatives and activities to increase public awareness • Connect with Family Centres and Community Hubs to develop a communications relationship • Invite Emergency Medical Services, the London Youth Advisory Committee and student representatives to participate on the CSCP Committee 	CSCP	Over one year/ongoing	Strengthening Our Community
Mental Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Obtain information from community mental health agency representatives regarding local mental health initiatives that impact public safety to identify concerns and consider recommendations 	CSCP	Over one year/ongoing	Strengthening Our Community/Leading in Public Service
Implement Community Safety Week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Look at implementing the City of London Community Safety Week again 	CSCP/ Working Group to be established at November CSCP meeting	Community Safety Week to be held in 2017	Leading in Public Service
Children’s Safety Village	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Request that the City, including Police and Fire Services support the Children’s Safety Village to provide full programming to serve all children and ensure continued viability 	CSCP/CSV/TVDSB/LDCSB/CAPS/LFD/LPS	Immediate/Over one year	Strengthening Our Community/Leading in Public Service