



Introduction



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#YouSaid - What matters to you

Priority 1: Drug Dealing

You said: Issues re drug dealing in the local community.

What we are going to do: Patrols are taking place throughout the day and night and stop search powers are being utilised where grounds permit. Anyone found with illegal substances on them are being dealt with accordingly. Further patrols are also taking place throughout hot spot areas to build up intelligence that can be acted on. Please continue to report any suspicious activity to us.

Priority 2: Road Safety

You said: Speeding and road safety on the beat is a concern for you.

What we are going to do: Patrols will take place in locations identified where vehicles are being used to cause harassment, alarm or distress. Section 59 powers will be utilised to take action against drivers who are causing anti social behaviour. Speed enforcement operations will be carried out across the beat to deal with those that speed excessively.

Priority 3: Anti-social Behaviour

You Said: Concerns raised relating to youth related Anti Social Behaviour.

What we are going to do: Support residents on an individual basis where complaints are made, challenge those involved and work with partner agencies to implement outcomes. Complete targeted patrols where identified to disrupt and challenge behaviour. These issues can occur anywhere, so we rely on your communication to tackle these issues.

#WeDid - What we are doing

Town North Beat Newsletter – February Update

Keeping the energy levels up into February, this month has proven to be very busy for the **NR32 Melton Town North Beat Team**, with proactive intelligence gathering and development being conducted alongside progression of investigations and enforcement action.



#WeDid—What we are doing continued

Dangerous Dog Warrant Executed

The Beat Team has executed a warrant under the Dangerous Dogs Act following significant intelligence received from members of the community relating to a dog that was being allowed to roam the street without proper supervision, causing several residents to fear for their safety.

As a result, **one individual was arrested** on suspicion of being in charge of a dog dangerously out of control, and **one dog was safely seized** and is currently being cared for whilst the investigation continues.

Stop Search Leads to Assault on Officers

Colleagues from the Response Team conducted a stop search on an individual found in suspicious circumstances. During the search, the male, who was wanted for a serious unrelated offence, **became resistive and assaulted 2 Police Officers**.

After a trip to custody— and several more offences— the individual in question was **charged with several offences including assault and criminal damage** and is awaiting his turn before a Magistrate in court.

Joint Enforcement with Immigration

We were joined by officers from Immigration Enforcement for **joint visits at businesses around Melton Town Centre and Melton Town North**.

We are pleased to announce that all was in order during the visits, valuable intelligence has been gained, and the groundwork is being laid for further joint operations in the near future.

March Means Gizmo!

The start of March brings with it **County Lines Intensification Week**— managed under **Operation Gizmo**. County Lines refers to the criminal practice where organised drug gangs from urban areas expand their operations into smaller towns and rural communities, often across county borders. County Lines activity is associated with serious violence, exploitation, safeguarding concerns, and increased community harm. Tackling **Drug Activity** remains a priority for the Town North Beat, and increased action will be taken during Op Gizmo week, including increased working with our partners, visiting vulnerable residents, and intelligence gathering and development.

Notable Incidents from February

- We were unfortunate enough to see **1 Road Traffic Collision (RTC)** occur this month at the junction of Nottingham Road and Dieppe Way. This incident involved a car and a motorcycle, and saw the motorcyclist suffer serious injuries. **Road Safety** continues to be one of our Beat Priorities and we would like to take the opportunity to ask all road users to **Think Bike** and be extra careful and vigilant on our roads.
- We continue to see reports of **Criminal Damage** being caused by **eggs being thrown** at both cars and vehicles. Where offenders are identified, **robust action** will be taken to deal with offences and to stop incidents like these happen.

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Tackling Anti-Social Behaviour

The beat team continues its efforts to address **anti-social behaviour** across the area. Offenders are being issued with **Community Protection Warnings (CPWs)** and **Community Protection Notices (CPNs)**. A breach of a CPN can lead to:

- **Fixed penalty fines**
- **Prosecution**

These measures help ensure the community remains safe and welcoming for all.



Your views survey. Please complete to help us target any local issues in the local area.

Upcoming Community Engagements

Don't miss out on engagements where the beat team will be present:

Beat Surgery at The Hangar, Scaford Road on the 30/03/26 between 10:00-11:00

If you need any crime prevention support, pop us an email William.O'Rourke@leics.police.uk or

jacob.gill@leics.police.uk

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