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Dear 

Report in response to a petition regarding burglaries in Radford

I refer to the above petition which you submitted and write to inform you that the petition was considered by the Cabinet Member (Community Safety and Equalities) at his meeting held on Wednesday 19th October, 2011.

At that meeting, Councillor Townshend considered the issues contained in the report and matters raised at the meeting and the Cabinet Member approved the following:-

- (1) That the local Safer Neighbourhood Group be requested to monitor, task and co-ordinate local resources and measures to address incidents of offending behaviour and the local Case Management Forum continues to identify, investigate and challenge the behaviour of known perpetrators.
- (2) That urgent consideration be given to the deployment of a dome hawk in the area of concern, subject to liaison with partner organisations, for a period of six months.
- (3) That the Assistant Director (Public Safety and Housing Services) be requested to liaise and work with, on an urgent basis, the Highways Group Manager, with a view to ensuring that dome hawk cameras can be deployed across the City particularly having regard to the PFI lighting programme.
- (4) That a request be made to the Neighbourhood Policing Team to the deployment of special constabulary in the area to give assurance to the residents in the area.
- (5) That the Assistant Director (Public Safety and Housing Services) be commissioned to explore diversionary activities for young people in the area in liaison with other Assistant Directors across the Council.



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- (6) That there be collaborative working with all partner agencies voluntary and statutory to explore issues of concern and request that the Chair of the Area Forum to identify concerns in the area for further consideration.
- (7) That a progress report in respect of the above recommendations be submitted to the Cabinet Member meeting scheduled for 22nd March 2012.

A similar letter has been sent to Mr Geoffrey Robinson MP and Councillor Skipper.

Should you require any further information, please do not hesitate to contact me on the above telephone number.

Yours sincerely

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