

Flintshire Community Safety Partnership

Implications of the ASB, Crime and Policing Act 2014

Community Profile & Partnerships Overview & Scrutiny Committee

18 December 2014



Background

- Introduced in March 2014
- Live on 20th October 2014
- Focus is more on the victim
- Old powers inflexible
- Need for more partnership working



Power to deal with Individuals

- The new **civil injunction** is available in the County Court for adults and the Youth Court for under 18s.
- The **Criminal Behaviour Order (CBO)** will be available to deal with the most seriously anti-social individuals on conviction for any criminal offence.
- As well as prohibitions, both the injunction and CBO will be able to include positive requirements that can address the underlying causes of the behaviour and prevent future recurrences (for instance, alcohol or drugs misuse).



Environmental Powers

- The **Community Protection Notice (CPN)** can be issued to deal with a particular problem negatively affecting the community (e.g. litter or graffiti)
- The **Public Spaces Protection Order (PSPO)** will provide councils with a flexible power to put in place local restrictions to address a range of ASB in public places
- The new **Closure Power** will provide the police or council with new, simpler, closure powers, consolidating four of the powers already available to them.
- They apply to both Private and Council properties



Flintshire's approach

- **Understanding the implications**
 - ❖ Exploring the implications for portfolio areas
 - ❖ Delegation

- **Developing new ways of working...where appropriate**
- **Utilising existing mechanisms...where appropriate**
- **Continue to work with our partners**



Any Questions?

Want to know more?

[https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/352562/ASB Guidance v8 July2014 final 2 .pdf](https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/352562/ASB_Guidance_v8_July2014_final_2.pdf)

Thanks for listening!

