# LONDON BOROUGH OF BARKING & DAGENHAM

#### ASSEMBLY MEETING

1ST FEBRUARY 2006

BOROUGH POLICING: Glancing Back, Looking Forward

A perspective by Borough Commander Hopes

## GLANCING BACK

A Personal Perspective

### WHERE ARE WE NOW?

Safer Neighbourhoods



## EASTBURY NEWSLETTER



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#### PC STEVE ROBB JOINS EASTBURY

As part of the Safer Schools and Community Project we have been lucky enough to have a serving Police Officer based at Eastbury School. Along with Barking Abbey, Sydney Russell and Robert Clack, PC Robb will be based full time at Eastbury and working between both sites until February.



Staff have been very keen to identify to PC Robb where possible truant haunts are located and he is very keen to work alongside both the Attendance Secretaries and Mr Hewison, the schools Access and Attendance Officer, to address this issue. Parents will also be pleased to know that between both PC Robb and the serving Police Office for Barking Abbey, known dawdling points such as Upney Station and adjoining shops and cafe will also be patrolled when appropriate and the pupils ushered on their way.

If you collect your children from school and are waiting in an inappropriate place, PC Robb may ask you to move further from the gates in order to allow the pupils' safe exit from the premises. Please understand that the school have requested PC Robb to undertake this duty when possible to ensure our pupils' safety whilst we wait for the Highways Department of the Council to re-designate no stopping areas.

As well as his normal police duties, students can approach PC Robb to discuss any crime matters that they may feel he can help and advise on. You will find PC Robb's office on the ground floor of the new Rosslyn Road building or at Dawson Avenue.

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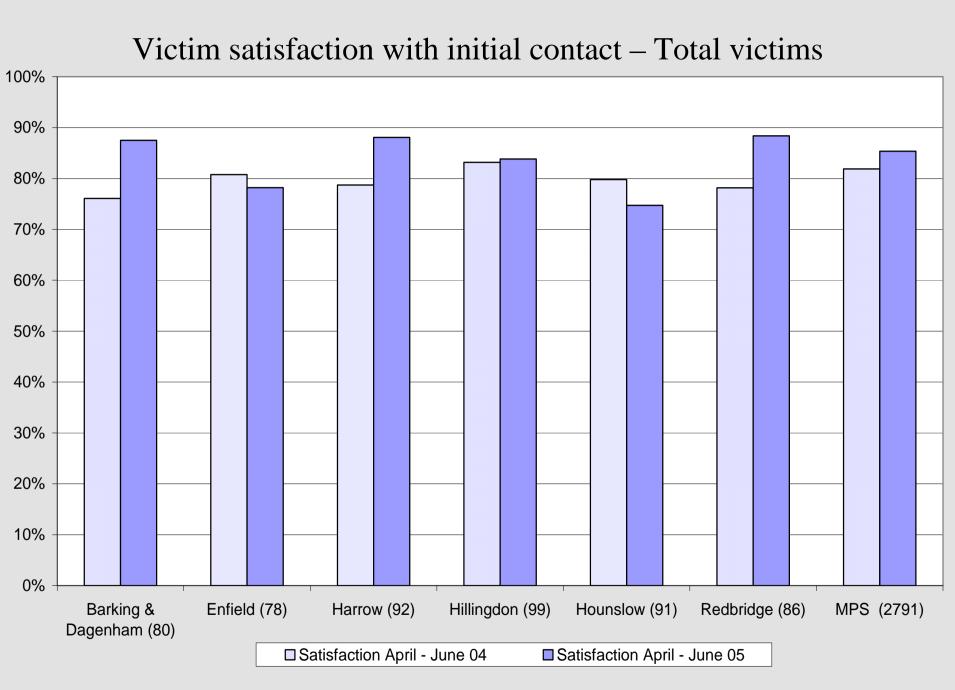
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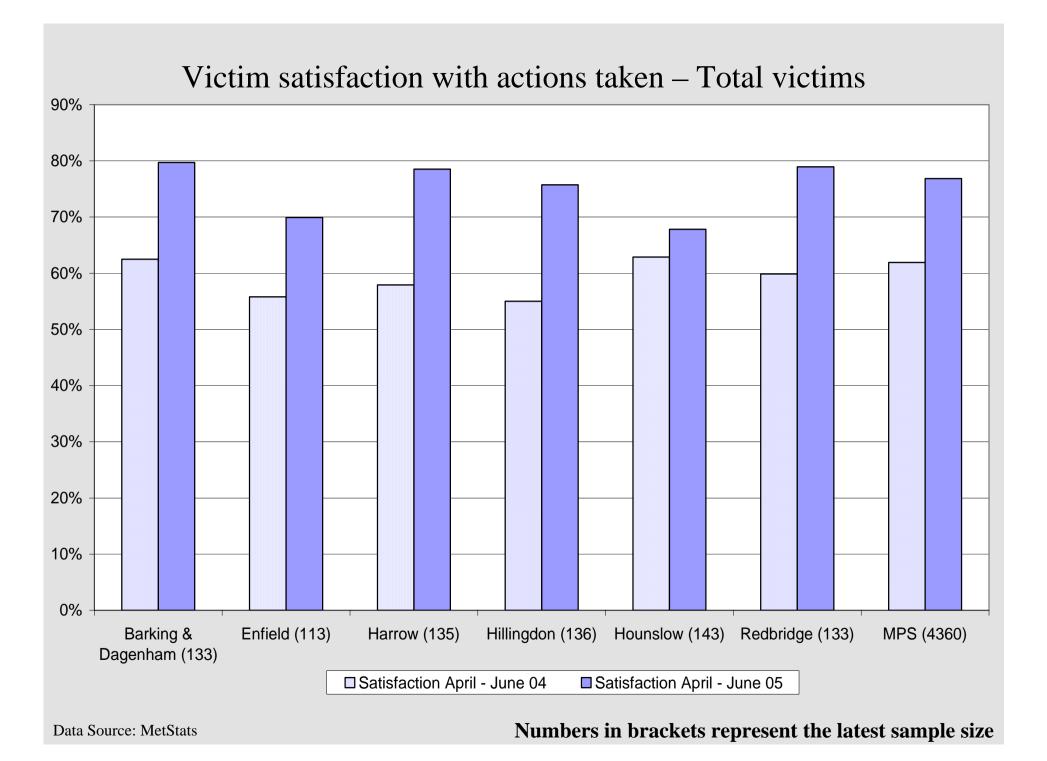


## Performance Focus

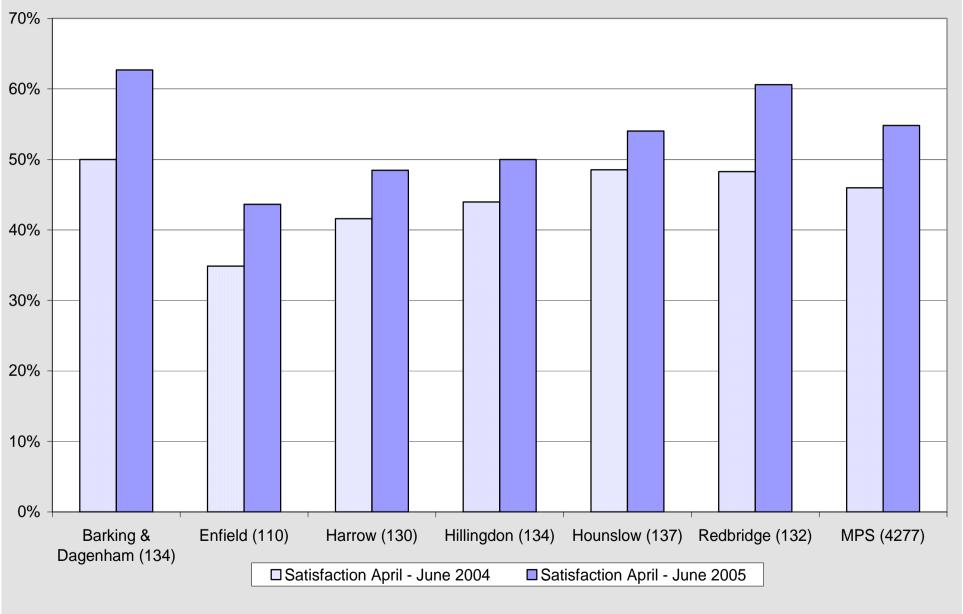
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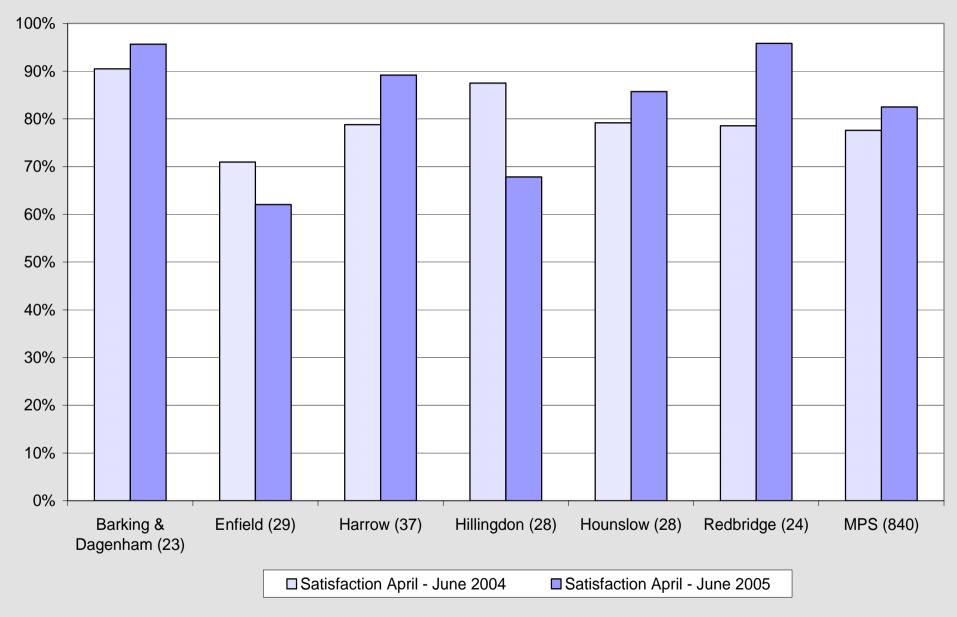




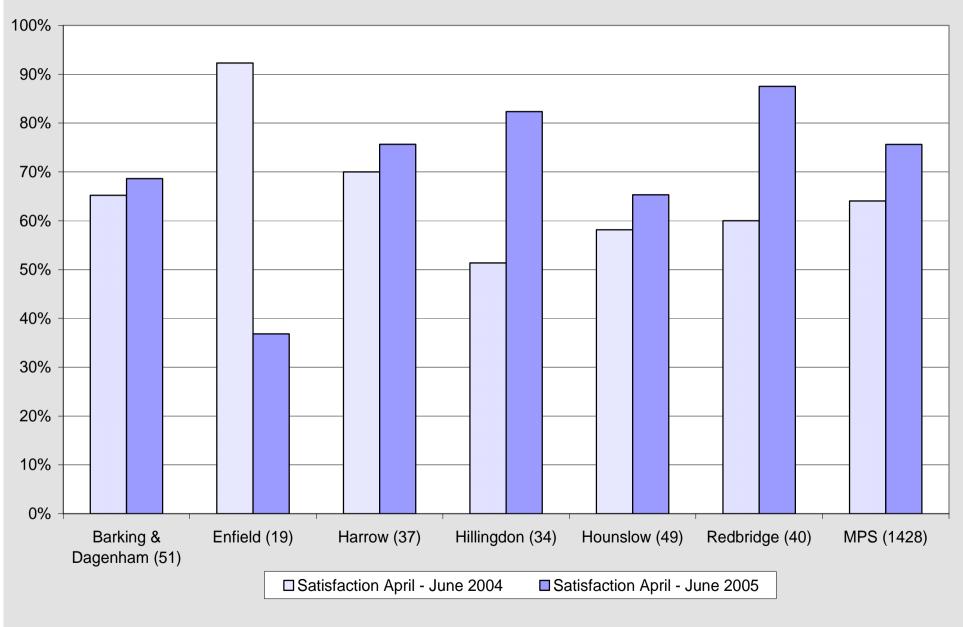




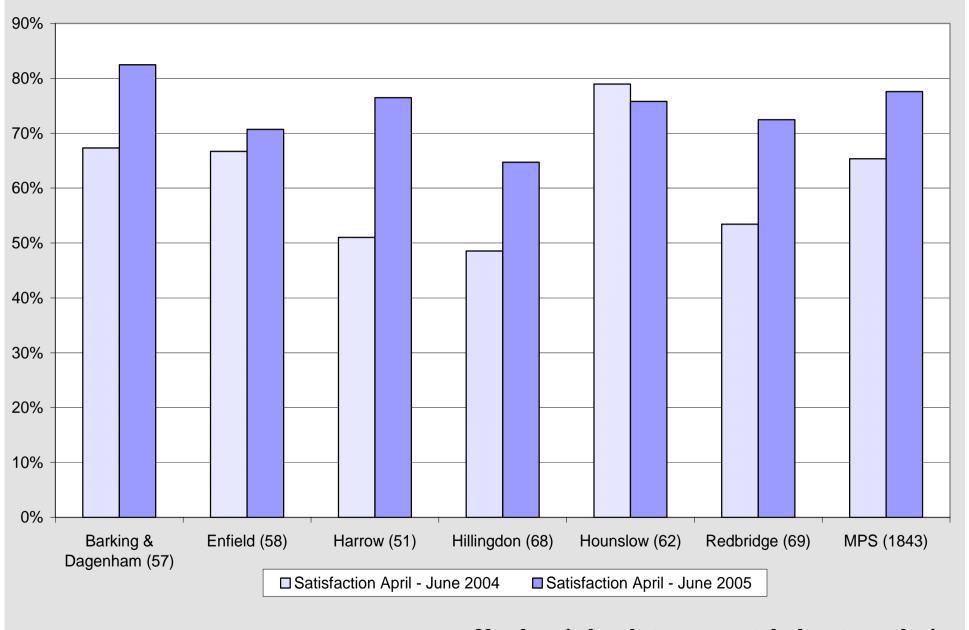




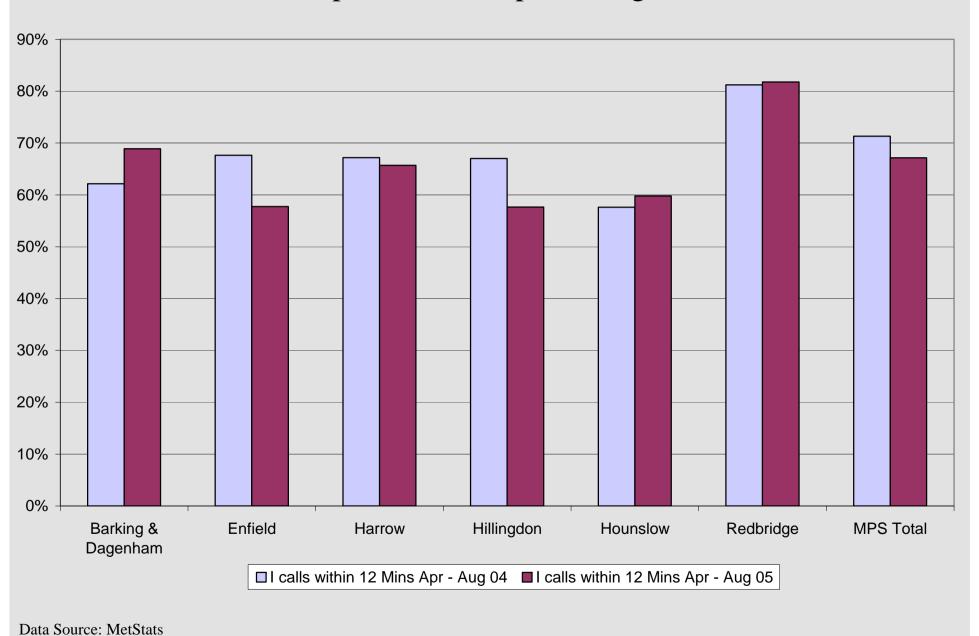






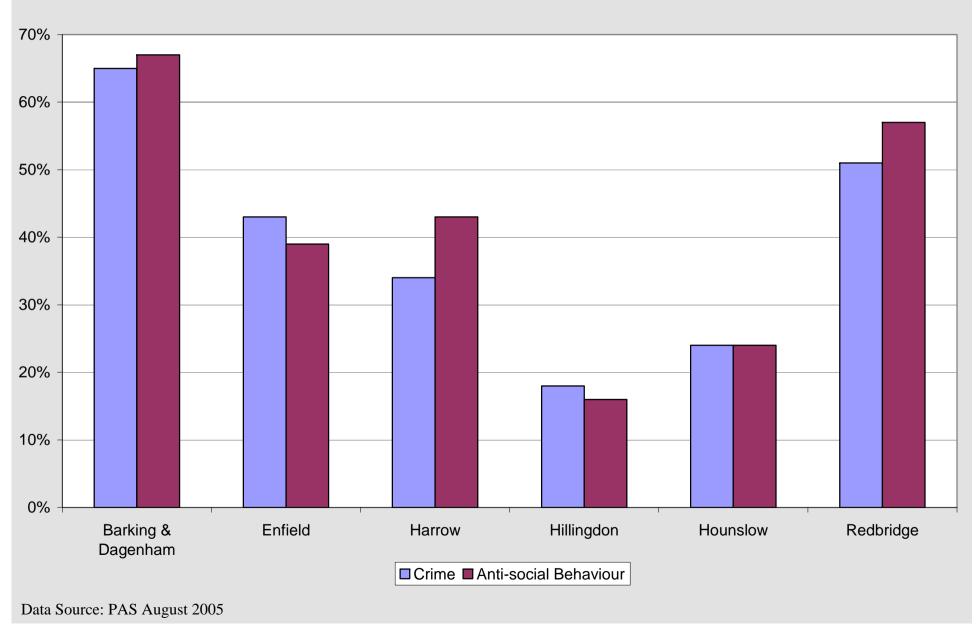


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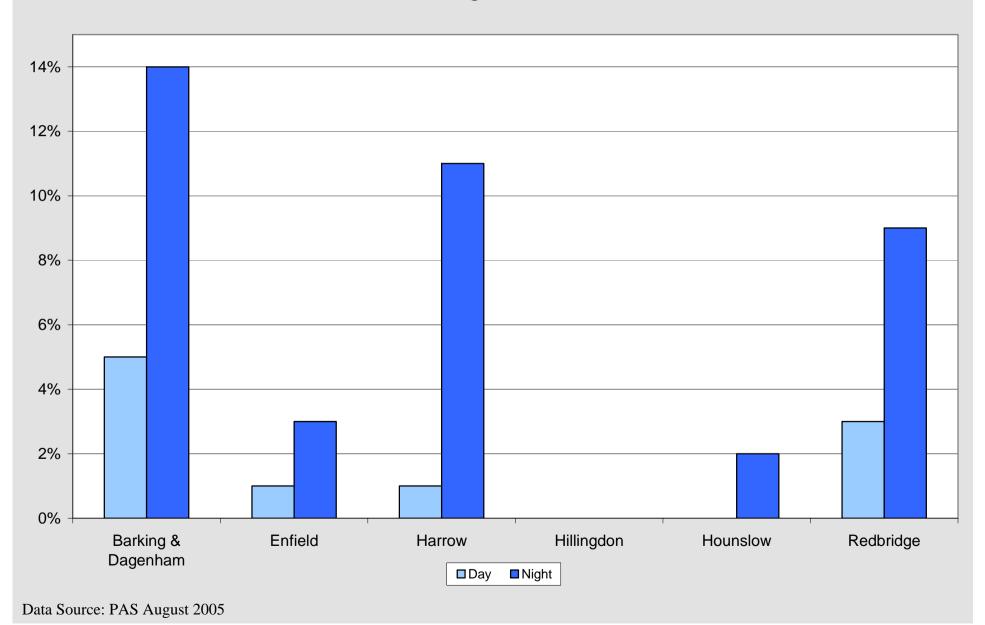


# Public Attitude Survey (2004/05)

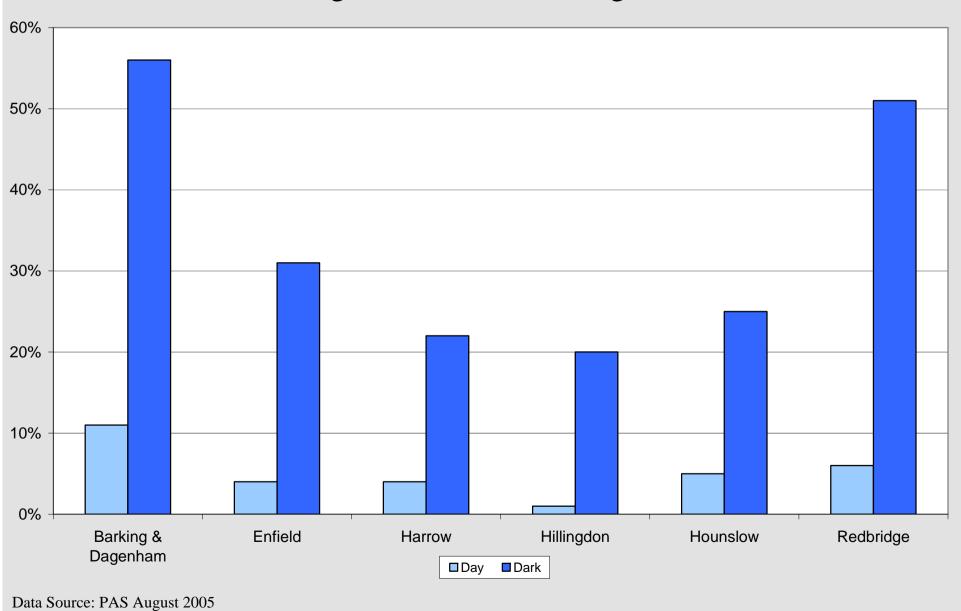
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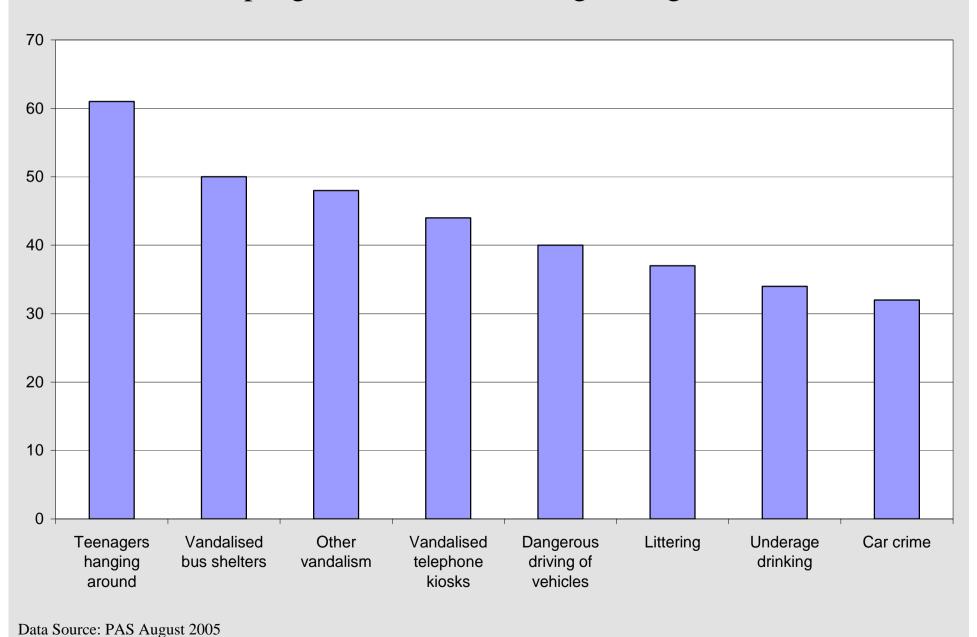
# Percentage of People that are 'Very' or 'Fairly Worried' about Being Home Alone



# Percentage of People that are 'Very' or 'Fairly Worried' about Going out Alone or Never go out Alone



### Top eight concerns – Barking & Dagenham



## Police complaints, September 2004 to August 2005

| Officers Unit/<br>Business Group at<br>time of incident | Oppressive<br>Behaviour | Dis - criminatory<br>Behaviour | Malpractice | Failures in Duty | Incivility | Traffic Irregularity | Other | Grand Total | % Change<br>from<br>previous<br>12 months | Allegations<br>per 100<br>officers |
|---|-------------------------|--------------------------------|-------------|------------------|------------|----------------------|-------|-------------|---|------------------------------------|
| Barking & Dagenham                                      | 36                      | 1                              | 5           | 33               | 19         | 0                    | 5     | 99          | -31%                                      | 23                                 |
| Enfield   | 109                     | 11                             | 17          | 57               | 32         | 1                    | 1     | 228         | 6%  | 41                                 |
| Harrow  | 71                      | 8                              | 5           | 42               | 49         | 5                    | 1     | 181         | 83%                                       | 53                                 |
| Hillingdon  | 88                      | 12                             | 17          | 49               | 52         | 3                    | 6     | 227         | 91%                                       | 46                                 |
| Hounslow  | 75                      | 24                             | 9           | 70               | 38         | 7                    | 5     | 228         | 56%                                       | 48                                 |
| Redbridge   | 23                      | 13                             | 7           | 67               | 16         | 2                    | 10    | 138         | -24%                                      | 30                                 |
| MPS   | 2992                    | 413                            | 483         | 2102             | 1195       | 52                   | 275   | 7512        | 13%                                       | 39                                 |

#### Other Performance Highlights

Increased Visibility on Street

OBTJ - one of the best in MPS/best in the NE of London

3rd best MPS borough re Sanctioned Detections

Best Performer re Street Crime in NE

Best Performer re Burglary in NE

Best SD rate in MPS for Burglary

One of best SD rates in MPS for Rape

2<sup>nd</sup> Best Performer in IQUANTA group (excl. DV)

Achieved the background of half a million pounds efficiency savings - Operation Theseus - new crime reporting standards

### HOW DID WE GET THERE?

Leadership - Leadership - Leadership

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## Anti Social Behaviour





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- Victim and Witness Focus
- · Metcall

# Metcall (Bow)



# Mobile Data Terminals (MDT)

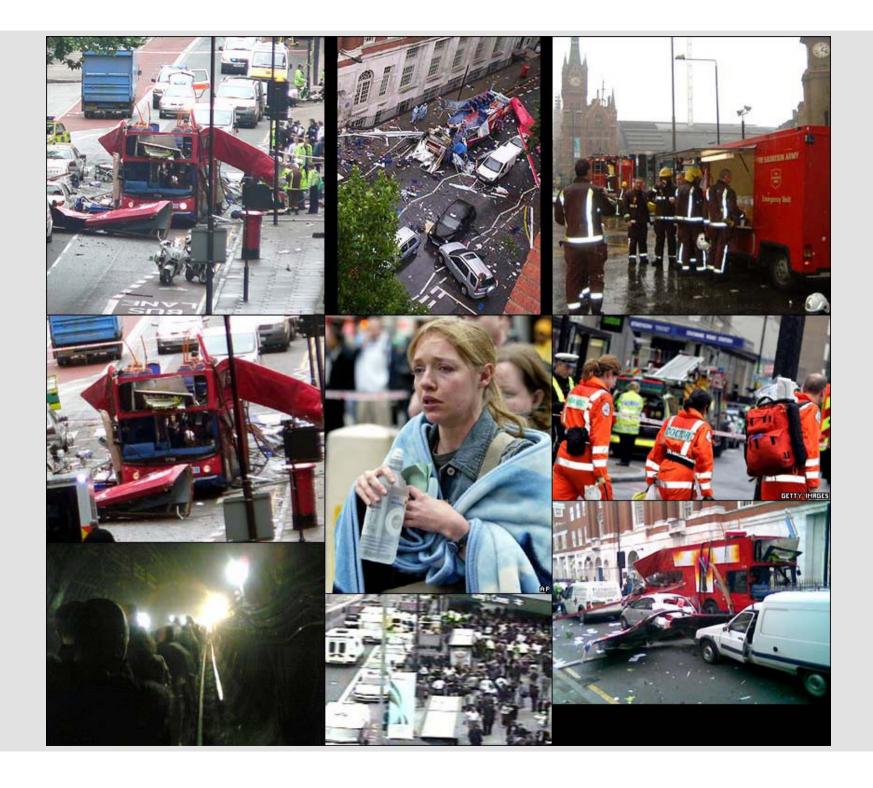


# Airwave Radio



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#### MY VISION

Confident Communities

Policing Shaped by the Needs of the Citizen

A Borough Infrastructure that reflects an understanding that Safer Communities are not solely a Police responsibility - but a collaborative one.

TOGETHER WE CAN BUILDING COMMUNITIES AND TRANSFORM LIVES

## QUESTION TIME