1. **Purpose of Presenting the Report**

1.1 The Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment is a document that outlines key issues for crime, disorder and anti-social behaviour (ASB) in the borough. The purpose of the assessment is to highlight areas of challenges that affect the Barking and Dagenham through statistical evidence and information provided by the Council and partner organisations. The Strategic Assessment with the support of partners shape our key priorities and highlights areas that require attention to improve crime, disorder and ASB in the borough.

1.2 The Strategic Assessment has been updated and set out into four sections that update and inform the board on how the Borough is changing through growth, regeneration, recent crime and disorder, our main priorities and targets for the next 12 months and the wider challenges that could impact community safety in future years. The four sections outlined in the report are as follows:

1. The shape of the Borough,
2. Performance and trends
3. Community safety priorities for 2018/19
4. Emerging trends.

1.3 This document is a restricted document therefore will not be published with the Community Safety Partnership Board agenda pack. The refreshed document will be presented at the board with the aim to publish in May 2018.

2. **Recommendation(s)**

2.1 The Board is recommended to note and comment on the contents of the Crime and Disorder Strategic Assessment.
2.2 The Board is recommended to review the targets of the subgroups and confirm as correct.

2.3 The board is encouraged to provide feedback on the updated assessment prior to publication.

3. **List of appendices**

   None