



Tom Smith, Ellen Miller & Ellis House Priority Estate Inspection newsletter – August 2010

Welcome to the Priority Estate Inspection newsletter

Priority Estate inspections are carried out quarterly to tackle concerns on local estate based issues. During these inspections residents have the opportunity to meet with the Police, Ward Councillors and Ascham Homes Officers.

On Tuesday, 17 August 2010 we carried out a Priority Estate Inspection on your estate; the following officers attended:

■ Roger Ellul	Senior Estate Supervisor	■ David Izard	Police Community Support Officer
■ Neil Brittain	Surveyor	■ Chris Howard	Police Community Support Officer
■ Waseem Salim	Police Officer	■ Erhan Mestanoglu	Assistant Community Development Officer
■ Carl Clarke	Police Officer		

Feedback from the inspection:

Location / Description	Job Ref	Due Date
Tom Smith House:		
■ Ascham Homes will install spinners at the top of the side gate to prevent un-authorized access (picture below).	To be Revised	To Be Confirmed
■ The intercom wires in the communal area are exposed. These wires will be re-secured (picture below).	To be Confirmed	20/10/10
■ There are three side path block stones in the communal drying area. These will be re-laid again and cemented (picture below).	464752/1	20/10/10
■ The top of the electrical sub-station roof will be cleaned (picture below).	N/A	20/10/10



Feedback from the inspection (continued):

Location / Description

Ellen Miller House:

■ A communal light on the ground floor is hanging off the ceiling. The light will be fixed and re-secured (picture below).

Job Ref

464751/1

Due Date

20/10/10



A message from the Metropolitan Police

Operation KORG commenced on July 12th 2010. This is joint initiative with the local authority. This intelligence led operation commenced with the aim of tackling serious and associated anti social behaviour. The local authority and partners are providing a

broad range of support from education, youth offending, licensing and dangerous dog enforcement.

We are concentrating on four specific areas where there has been an increase in crime and police are targeting the following areas – the High Street E17, Bakers Arms E10, Leytonstone High Road E11 and the area around Coronation Gardens E10. There will be an increased police presence in these areas.

This is not a short term measure and we will be seeking to impact on longer term issues - a joint partnership is being established to tackle gang related crime. This will incorporate police and the local authority co-locating and working together.



Police from Waltham Forest have had significant support from the Territorial Support Group (TSG) and the Traffic Unit with the aim of disrupting gang activity. We have been conducting more weapon sweeps and stop and search, which we make no apology for. This sends out the message that if you are found with a knife or firearms there will be serious consequences.

We have already seen a reduction in the number of robberies over the past week. Since the operation began, the TSG have conducted some 385 searches, made 38 arrests for various offences such as robbery, possession of a bladed instrument, drugs possession and drugs supply. 20 of the arrests have resulted in the suspects being charged. 31 vehicles have also been seized for being un-roadworthy or being uninsured.

This operation is just the beginning of a robust approach to gang related violence. Detective Superintendent Adrian Hutchinson said "This is a joint operation between a number of agencies and I am confident that it will make a real difference over the long term to the people of Waltham Forest".

If you have information and wish to remain anonymous, please call Crimestoppers on 0800 555111

Useful Contacts

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Community Development

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Gas leaks – TRANSCO

0800 111 999

Metropolitan Police

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The next Tom Smith, Ellen Miller & Ellis House Priority Estate Inspection is taking place on: Tuesday, 30 November 2010 at 9.30am, outside Tom Smith House. All residents are invited to attend.