

# Prevent Crime. Put Off Criminals. Protect Your Home.





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As your Police Fire and Crime Commissioner, I know that there is no greater priority than protecting your family, your home, and your community and, all too often, you may not feel you have received the support to enable you to do that.

Following our bid to the Home Office's Safer Streets Fund, nearly £430,000 is to be invested in a project to cut crime in the Carlton, Camblesforth, Hirst Courtney, Birkin and Hillam areas of Selby.

The money will benefit around 1,600 homes, in an area where we know, due to its location and ease of access to the motorway network, there is a significant problem with high impact crimes such as burglary.

You can get a **free survey, video door bell and security upgrades** to your home as part of this project. The more people who take part, the safer we can make everyone and the better we can prevent crime, put off criminals and protect your home.

### Funding is available for the following:

- To upgrade the security of homes which fall below 'Secure by Design' standards by looking at what can be improved and then paying for this to be put into place – please see the enclosed information to find out how to register.
- To provide detailed security and crime prevention advice which you can find in this pack, to help you protect yourselves.
- To work with landowners and farmers to protect farms and equipment in addition to improving the security of the home we will also be installing equipment to better protect farm equipment, livestock and crops.
- Automatic Number Plate Recognition cameras we will be installing ANPR cameras in the area to monitor vehicles travelling into the area to commit crime.



# To apply for your free home security survey

- Please take five minutes to read the Protect Your Home scheme information leaflet
- Using the checklist in the leaflet, think about whether you are eligible for a security upgrade, most of you will be.
- If you think you are, or are not sure, please contact us.
- My team will then arrange for our approved provider to visit you, undertake the survey and upgrade your security.

# To arrange your free security survey:



- Scan the OR Code
- Go to www.ProtectYourHome.org.uk and complete the simple online form.
- Text Survey to 07808 654 870 and we will give you a call back.
- Email help@ProtectYourHome.org.uk with your name, address and contact details.
- Call 01423 569 562 and we'll take your details and answer any questions

# You can also:

- Mark your property using the enclosed security marker by writing your postcode in a discrete place on your valuable items.
- Place the property marking stickers enclosed in a prominent place where anyone visiting your home will see them.
- Read the crime prevention information provided in this pack and take action where you think necessary.
- Keep a lookout for #ProtectYourHome on social media, and for more crime prevention advice at www.ProtectYourHome.org.uk

Please register as soon as possible to help us prioritise your requirements. We only have until the end of March 2022 to complete this work, so act now to help us prevent crime, put off criminals and protect your home.

With best wishes,

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