

# Police and Crime Plan 2016-2020

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## Priority 1 - More Local, Visible and Accessible Policing

### We will:

*Boost community volunteering, encourage the Active Citizen Programme and grow the police family – doubling the Special Constabulary, with a Special Constable in every community.*

- The Special Constable headcount increased to 519 in December 2019, up from 477 in December 2018 (42 additional officers) with a further five planned intakes in the next quarter. In the last quarter there have been 211 applications to join the Special Constabulary (11.8% BAME: Black, Asian and Minority Ethnic, 29% female); 32 candidates are currently in pre-employment checks. The #MyOtherLife campaign continues.
- In the last quarter, Special Constables contributed a total of 47,035 hours (4% increase on the same period in 2018). The operational contribution has amounted to 32,959 hours. Special Constables have recorded 18,566 hours of high visibility policing over this time. The hours worked were equivalent to having an additional 105 full time officers, who would attract an annual salary cost of £5.4m.
- The Regular Constables recruitment campaign for 2019/20 continues to have an impact on the Special Constabulary headcount through the transition of Special Constables applying to be a Regular Constables. In the last six months, 106 people joined as a Special Constable and 102 people left. Of these, 58 applied to become a Regular Constable. Recent surveying has highlighted that 111 new Special Constables (55%) intend to apply to become a Regular Constable which will impact the ambition of achieving a headcount of 600 Special Constables by March 2020.
- Essex Police currently retains 384 Volunteer Police Cadets across the 13 Cadet Units. Maldon Unit is planned to launch early 2020. Further intakes during Winter 2019/20 will see Cadet numbers grow to over 400.
- Essex Police currently retains 135 Active Citizens/Police Support Volunteers and continues to work with all Community Volunteer Services (CVS) to boost volunteer numbers. The average volunteer is now performing two different volunteer roles, completing 4-6 hours a week. Active Citizens have been involved with Operation METEOR (a property marking campaign) and Coffee with Cops providing Crime Prevention Advice to their community and encouraging members of the public to become involved with volunteering for Essex Police.
- The Employer Supported Policing scheme (whereby staff are given paid time off to volunteer as a Special Constable) currently has 27 companies registered. 75 Special Constables provided 1,121 hours over the quarter (a 1% increase on 2018). Recent sign-up employers include The Stamford Group and Defra.

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- 47 Parish/Town Councils have signed up to Community Special Constables (CSCs) scheme, agreeing to fund 117 posts. 11 CSCs are actively patrolling in Witham, Halstead, Hullbridge, Canvey Island, Little Clacton, Billericay, Rayleigh and Birchanger. It is anticipated that there will be 15 active CSCs by March 2020. Over the quarter, CSCs have contributed 530 hours to visible and accessible policing. A third recruitment masterclass to support Parish/Town Councils is booked for February.
- Southend: Active Citizens to be involved in a Victim Satisfaction Initiative whereby monthly calls are made to victims of crime to gain feedback and ensure victims' experiences shape future service delivery. Active Citizens will form a Victim Feedback Panel to deliver independent and objective feedback to officers.
- Castle Point and Rochford: Community Policing Team (CPT) Inspector tasked with implementing and chairing a quarterly partner agency forum to increase Special Constables engagement and promote volunteer groups and partner cooperation with schemes such as Neighbourhood Watch (NHW). Castle Point Council are willing to increase their contribution to the Community Special Constables Scheme, upwards of five Special Constables.
- Basildon: A 'Special Takeover' shift was organised in November to support the Local Policing Team (LPT). 22 Special Constables replaced the LPT Officers and attended 12 emergency, 13 priority and 16 routine incidents. Two missing persons were located and an arrest made for drunk and disorderly. This enabled the LPT to focus on other priorities such as proactive patrols throughout the district. This type of event demonstrates the level of support available from the Special Constabulary.

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*Support increased participation in Neighbourhood Watch, Street Pastors, Active Citizens and Volunteer Police Cadets.*

- Membership of Neighbourhood Watch (NHW) continues to grow with approximately 105,000 registered members and over 3,000 NHW Coordinators. NHW works closely with the four Essex Watch Liaison Officers promoting NHW and the various Watch Schemes. Horse Watch Scheme will launch early 2020.
- Street Pastors continue to work closely with all Local Policing Teams (LPTs) offering support particularly around the Night Time Economy.
- Essex Police currently retains 135 Active Citizens/Police Support Volunteers and continues to work with all Community Volunteer Services (CVS) to boost volunteer numbers. The average volunteer is now performing two different volunteer roles, completing 4-6 hours a week. Active Citizens have been involved with Operation METEOR (a property marking campaign) and Coffee with Cops providing Crime Prevention Advice to their community and encouraging members of the public to become involved with volunteering for Essex Police.
- Volunteer Police Cadets continue to support their local Community Policing Teams (CPTs) with Crime Prevention (Operation METEOR) and Knife Crime Campaigns (Operation SCEPTRE). They are also working in collaboration with Essex County Fire Cadets. From early 2020 this will include Fire Safety training for Police Cadets and Crime Prevention training for Fire Cadets as well as joint attendance of community events.
- Southend: Monthly Partnership Activity days continue to be held in Anti Social Behaviour (ASB) areas promoting outreach services and citizens in policing. Supported by Street Pastors and NHW schemes.
- Castle Point and Rochford:
  - Local Policing Team (LPT) action plan implemented to increase high visibility foot patrols in high footfall/high harm areas. This will significantly enhance the police presence within the community, improve engagement and provide opportunities to prevent crime and increase stop and search. LPT are promoting their activity via the CPT Facebook page, with good community feedback.
  - In order to increase online visibility, relevance and ease of accessing information, the current CPT Facebook page will be divided into two separate pages (one for Castle Point, one for Rochford). The content will be revised to focus on proactive patrolling, community events and good news.

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- Basildon: November 2019 saw the reintroduction of 'Street Weeks' which focussed on high intensity activity in the Great Knightley's area. The initiative brought together members of the CPT, partner agencies, NHW volunteers and Active Citizens. The week of action, which coincided with National Safeguarding Awareness Week, saw volunteers out and about talking to residents about crime prevention and what to do if they are worried that someone is being abused or exploited. The volunteers also assisted with a 'Pop-up stall' giving residents advice on home and personal security. This type of initiative demonstrates the vital role volunteers play in keeping our communities safe.
- Grays: Special Constables and Street Pastors were deployed to assist with the major incident involving the deaths of 39 people in a lorry container in Grays on 23 October 2019. Street Pastors provided welfare support to officers and spent time on the welfare buses deployed to the various scenes pivotal in the investigation.
- Tendring: Following the success of Chelmsford and Maldon CPT running Parkrun in Chelmsford Park, followed by a "coffee with cops" engagement event, a similar event was held in Tendring this quarter.

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### **We will:**

*Make it easy to contact the police through 'Do It Online' and improvements to 101 ensuring that the public get a swift and responsive service from the police.*

- The Force Control Room (FCR):
  - Non emergency call demand continue to be high with 68,218 non-emergency calls received across the quarter.
  - The new FCR Digital Online Team went live in October 2019. This team provides information and intelligence in the initial stages of a critical operation/investigation in cases where digital sources can be exploited.
- Resolution Centre (formerly Crime bureau):
  - The Resolution Centre (opened fully as of 1st December 2019) are a team of investigators based at HQ who manage less complex crime investigations. In November 2019 the Resolution Centre, which was initially delivering a service to the South LPA only, received 472 crime investigations for the LPA. 80% of these (381) investigations were managed to conclusion by the team instead of by frontline response officers.
  - During the quarter, public call volumes totalled 24,889.
  - Across the quarter, the Crime Bureau has processed over 40,000 crime investigations.
- The 'Single online Home' (SOH) website (enabling the public to report crimes and incidents online) has progressed well. A trial of a "Live Chat" functionality is scheduled for 2020.

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## Priority 2 – Crack Down on Anti-social Behaviour

### Working with partners we will:

*Target repeat and high harm anti-social behaviour to protect individuals and communities from distress and disruption.*

- Under the ASB, Crime and Policing Act 2014, the Community Trigger process provides an opportunity for repeat victims of ASB to have their investigation reviewed by the Police, Local Authority and Housing partnership to ensure the best solutions are in place and any outstanding opportunities are identified. Engagement is being conducted to promote this.
- The Rural Engagement Team have been trained in the best use of Community Protection Warnings (CPW) and Notices (CPN) to target Hare Coursing. Rural communities continue to suffer from this criminal behaviour and the use of ASB legislation can help to tackle this.
- Further advice and guidance has been provided to officers to ensure they are aware of how to apply for civil orders to address ASB and criminal activity. This will ensure that officers consider additional tools, particularly when there is no criminal charge progressing to the courts.
- Southend: Community intelligence, analysis and targeted patrols of ASB areas has led to a reduction of 14% in ASB (960 less incidents) over a rolling 12 month period.
- Castle Point and Rochford District Council:
  - Closure Order achieved following ongoing patterns of ASB and criminal activity at an address in Benfleet. Castle Point Council and the Local Policing Team (LPT) worked together to supply evidence to support the application and accompany council staff to serve the Order. Regular visits to the property will continue to ensure compliance.
  - The Anti-Social Behaviour Offenders plan for prolific offenders in Rayleigh who have been committing crime and ASB in the local area has resulted in an offender being charged and remanded and subject to a Criminal behaviour Order (CBO) hearing.
  - Pre-emptive dispersal orders were put in place for Bonfire night in Canvey and Rochford. Successful reduction in ASB when compared to the previous year and very good community feedback.
- Basildon:
  - Pitsea market/retail area has been experiencing ASB from a problematic group of youths. The Community Policing Team (CPT) has worked with partners across the Community Safety Hub to tackle the problem. An increase in high visibility patrols has provided reassurance to the local community and a deterrent to the offenders. The Community Safety Partnership group are introducing a 'town-link' radio system to improve communication across local businesses.
  - A Dispersal Order to address vehicle related ASB has seen over 60 people stopped and searched.



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- Thurrock: ASB incidents have fallen 9.9% year on year as a result of operational activity in conjunction with the council. This includes Operation RAMBLER which is an operation to target nuisance vehicles / off road bikes. In addition, the town centre team play a very visible role and work closely with businesses to target offenders.
- Harlow:
  - A CPN was used to address ASB which resulted in a referral to the Youth Justice Multi-Agency Panel. The outcome ensured that all partner agencies worked to support the young person in changing their behaviour.
  - Operation LIMOUSINE is an operation to target 'car cruise' events. Community policing officers are visible at these events enforcing the law when any issues arise. The most recent meet finished early due to officers preventing them from causing a nuisance.
- Brentwood: The Sugar Hut licensed premises in Brentwood under new ownership submitted an application for a 24 hour licence at weekends. Recognising the risk for Anti Social Behaviour (ASB) and an increase in alcohol related violence this application was challenged, resulting in the withdrawal of the request.
- Chelmsford: A Criminal Behaviour Order (CBO) was made against an individual who was regularly found intoxicated and making lewd/sexual comments towards members of the public and police officers. The Order will prevent them being in Chelmsford City Centre.
- Uttlesford: Following a number of complaints regards ASB at the Co-op in Great Dunmow, the Community Policing Team (CPT) and partners have worked with the youths and eliminated the issue.

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## Priority 3 – Breaking the Cycle of Domestic Abuse (DA)

**Working with and through the Domestic Abuse Strategic Board to deliver an ambitious programme of transformation we will:**

*Support victims and their families affected by domestic abuse to feel safe, cope and recover through targeted help and jointly commissioned services; and tackle offending behaviour through robust behaviour change programmes to break the cycle of domestic abuse.*

- Monthly Domestic Abuse (DA) governance board (which brings together DA police professionals within Essex Police to look holistically at the entire DA journey from initial call for service through to outcome) meetings continue. The last meeting focused on understanding how victims can be better supported to keep them engaged throughout the entire process. A trial will commence shortly for victims being “live linked” to court, to prevent the need to attend in person.
- Basildon: A ‘Street Weeks’ event was held in the Great Knightley’s area of Basildon, which coincided with National Safeguarding Awareness Week. As part of the initiative, the Basildon Community Policing Team and Essex Police DA Safeguarding Team conducted welfare checks on previous victims of DA to ascertain if further support was required. The teams also engaged with staff at hair salons, community centres, Laindon train station and Laindon library to highlight ways of spotting if someone may need help, and if so how to make referrals.
- West Local Policing Area (LPA):
  - DA improvement plan has been implemented in Harlow and will roll out across the West LPA. There has been a small improvement in the number of solved Standard Risk DA offences in Epping Forest District.
  - Bodyworn video footage of DA incidents is being reviewed to share learnings across the LPA in order to improve the service provided to DA victims.
  - Raising awareness of Domestic Violence Protection Notices (DVPNs) and Domestic Violence Protection Orders (DVPOs) amongst Local Policing Team officers, highlighting their value in standard risk DA incidents and not just medium and high risk cases.

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## Priority 4 – Reverse the Trend in Serious Violence

### Working with partners we will:

*Bring violent offenders to justice through targeted police enforcement, working closely with neighbouring forces such as the Metropolitan Police.*

- Operation SCULPTURE, is an operation relating to a murder in Colchester in May 2019 whereby a male was stabbed three times. In conjunction with the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS), five people were arrested, three on suspicion of murder and two for assisting an offender. Two suspects were later charged with murder, attempted murder and being concerned in the supply of Class A drugs. A further arrest was made in December for the same offences.
- Operation RUTLAND, is an operation relating to a murder in Westcliffe-on-Sea in December 2019 whereby a male with multiple stab wounds was found deceased alongside a Cannabis grow. A variety of evidence was collected and as a result four people were arrested and are on bail, with four suspects still outstanding. Essex Police received assistance from Northampton Police regarding the arrest of a male suspect.
- Southend:
  - The Local Policing Proactive Team (formed to target repeat offenders and areas aiming to protect victims and bring offenders swiftly to justice) has arrested 500 suspects since October 2018 focusing on high harm offenders.
  - Southend Divert Scheme has secured funding from Big Lottery to support Project 360 where a Divert and Liaison Officer has been recruited and will operate within the community safety hub and custody suites to mentor a cohort of repeat offenders to address the triggers for their offending. Violent crime will be a priority.
- Castle Point and Rochford: Knife arch deployments conducted in cooperation with British Transport Police (BTP) at Benfleet Train station. The aim of these arches is to target and disrupt those carrying knives. Funding agreed by both Councils to fund a further knife arch.
- Basildon: Operation SCEPTRE funding enabled a mixture of high visibility and plain clothes patrols in the violence hotspots. Operation WAXEN, an operation relating to providing plain clothes patrols over six days to tackle 'county lines' linked to violence, has resulted in four arrests for drug and weapon offences of which two people were remanded in custody. A number of stop searches were completed and intelligence gained.
- Thurrock: Knife arches have been used in operations at Lakeside Shopping Centre and Chafford Hundred Rail Station in conjunction with BTP.
- Harlow: Operation SCEPTRE funding enabled regular operations to target knife point robbery offences on the cycle paths.

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## Priority 4 – Reverse the Trend in Serious Violence

### Working with partners we will:

*Ensure victims of rape and sexual violence receive the help and support they need, and work with criminal justice partners to ensure that perpetrators are convicted.*

- The first multi-agency Rape Scrutiny Panel was held in November 2019. The purpose of the panel is to work with partners to identify barriers and improve performance across agencies. The first theme focussed on Domestic Abuse Rape, No Further Action (NFA) cases. Panels will be themed with partner agencies invited to identify cases within the theme they believe should be scrutinised.
- Project Goldcrest is now live. This is an initiative designed collaboratively by Essex Police, The Oakwood Place Sexual Assault Referral Centre (SARC), and other partners. This project enables young people who have been identified as at risk of Child Sexual Exploitation (CSE), to take their own forensic samples at home, with someone with parental responsibility (or an appropriate adult) as a witness. Completed kits will be retained by Essex Police for 25 years. If a complainant subsequently comes forward, the kits can be utilised as evidence which otherwise might not be available.
- The Drink Aware project went live in December. As part of this project, a Nightlife crew (a team of two people) are located inside licensed premises circulating with customers to provide support for those vulnerable due to alcohol and to promote a positive social atmosphere.
- The Essex Synergy First Responder Project continues. This initiative ensures every rape victim can speak to an Independent Sexual Violence Advisor (ISVA) within 24 hours of reporting an offence.

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## Priority 5 – Tackle Gangs and Organised Crime

### Working with partners we will:

*Support victims of human trafficking and modern slavery including sexual exploitation working closely with UK Border Agency (UKBA), National Crime Agency (NCA) and national and regional partners to bring perpetrators to justice*

- Operation MELROSE, is an operation relating to an incident in Thurrock on 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019, whereby a refrigerated lorry containing 39 deceased Vietnamese migrants was located. The driver of the lorry was arrested at the time and research has identified an organised crime group involved in trafficking migrants into the UK. Four persons have been charged for their involvement in this incident, with a further four persons on bail. There is a joint investigation team across the United Kingdom, Southern Ireland, France and Belgium and the National Police Coordination Centre (NPOCC) has supported the enquiry with 23 forces providing approximately 70 resources.
- Operation NESCIENT, is an operation relating to an investigation into human trafficking and modern slavery. In August 2019, a female reporting that she had been brought to the UK from Botswana in October 2017. She was promised work and good wages, but was made to work 13 hour days in a care home, earning £225 in her first month. She was able to contact authorities and as a result warrants were conducted resulting in three arrests. The victim has been safeguarded via the National Referral Mechanism (NRM).
- The Essex Police Victim Navigator has triaged 76 Modern Slavery Human Trafficking (MSHT) crimes since October, offering strategic advice to 21 officers and supporting the victims. The Victim Navigator works with other agencies to find and provide support to victims of MSHT, such as housing, clothing, banking and counselling. In 2020 they will be exploring the possibility of having a safe house whereby victims of MSHT can stay prior to entering the NRM, which would allow officers more time to carry out investigations knowing the victims are safe.

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## Priority 5 – Tackle Gangs and Organised Crime

### Working with partners we will:

*Disrupt and prevent organised drug distribution through improved intelligence shared between the police, partners and local communities to limit the harm drugs cause.*

- Operation ANISE, is an operation relating to an investigation by the Kent and Essex Serious Crime Directorates Serious Organised Crime Unit into Possession of Class A Drugs with intent to supply. Intelligence suggested a male in Basildon was involved in Class A drug supply, and in conjunction with the National Crime Agency (NCA), enforcement activity was conducted against the suspect in November. Four persons were arrested, and following searches of their vehicles and addresses, two kilograms of Cocaine, six kilograms of Heroin and £10,000 cash were seized. The four suspects have been charged with a variety of offences, including Possession with Intent to Supply and drug importation.
- Castle Point and Rochford:
  - District Commander and Child and Young Persons Officer (CYP) meeting is pending with Key Adult safeguarding leads for senior schools within the District. Agenda to include plans for educational knife arch deployments/school grounds knife sweeps/educational presentations on county lines etc.
  - Activity to target two Organised Crime Groups (OCGs) will be formalised in an Operation FALCON action plan.
- Basildon: Operation RAPTOR team continue to respond to information and intelligence from partners and communities to tackle the supply of drugs. Since April 2019 the team have arrested 59 people, seized £252,000 worth of drugs, seized 16 weapons and achieved collective prison sentences of 94 years from their investigations.
- Thurrock: The C17 gang injunction continues to be used with new members added to the injunction when appropriate. Enforcement of the injunction has seen a number of arrests.
- North LPA:
  - Continue to work closely with Chelmsford Prison to make a clear link between street and cell, disrupting criminal activity outside and making opportunities for crime inside more difficult. This now features on our strategic assessment.
  - Continues to significantly increase its stop and search numbers. Training days conducted for front line officers included classroom and street based training using local subject matter experts.
- Joint operations with Metropolitan Police (Operation GAMBER) and Herts Police (Operation CHICA) will target and disrupt criminals operating in border areas. These operations have opened up greater opportunities for further cross border work in the future to target high harm offenders.

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## Priority 6 – Protecting Children and Vulnerable People

**Working with safeguarding partners and the Southend, Thurrock and Essex Safeguarding Boards we will:**

*Bring more perpetrators of rape and sexual abuse to justice.*

- Following a review of working practices, staff have been embedded within National Probation Service offices at Colchester and Laindon where police offender managers and probation officers visit, review and complete risk assessments with probation led registered sex offenders (RSOs). This joint working has improved working practices and Intelligence sharing opportunities with a view to providing a more joined up response to RSO management. Plans are in place to extend this trial to probation offices in Chelmsford and Harlow in 2020.
- The Police Online Investigation Team (POLIT) executed 50 search warrants in October and November this year. In the same period, they have safeguarded 81 children. They have seen an increase in Child Exploitation and Online Protection (CEOP) referrals over the last quarter.
- In November, POLIT were made aware of live Intelligence originating from an on-line chat room in Canada. Swift action from the POLIT team led to the arrest of a male who was charged with multiple sexual offences and pleaded guilty in court within 48 hours of the information coming to light.
- POLIT have been involved in assisting the Child Abuse Investigation Team (CAIT) with the investigation of two cases of child rape. One case resulted in a 21 year sentence for a male for sexual offences against his daughter who came forward to police aged 14 years. The second case involved a couple who abused their friends baby and resulted in a combined sentence of 21 years.
- Operation RATIFY, is an operation whereby individuals who have committed a rape and/or sexual offence on at least six occasions over the past 18 months will be identified and pro-actively targeted to reduce future offending. The police tactics which will include civil orders in order to restrict opportunities to offend.

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**Working with safeguarding partners and the Southend, Thurrock and Essex Safeguarding Boards we will:**

*Improve reporting of hate incidents through improved community engagement and greater use of Hate Incident Reporting Centres.*

- The Strategic Hate Crime Partnership (SHCP) have run a hate crime poster competition in order to engage with young people and schools. The winner received a gift voucher and their poster will be used in future hate crime campaigns. The competition has been used to highlight an ongoing drive to create and distribute a hate crime reporting pack to all schools in Essex.
- The network of Hate Incident Reporting Centres (HIRCs) continues to grow. There are now 60 HIRCs county wide with 850 trained volunteers to support these centres. The network has facilitated the reporting of 78 hate crimes which would otherwise have not come to the attention of Essex police. Two volunteers have been recruited to help with administration of the HIRC network to ensure sustainability.
- A bespoke system of crime reporting will be established for the Jewish Community on Canvey Island. This will encourage the community to report incidents at their own premises via a paper based system which is in line with their religious commitments, particularly during the Sabbath when they may not use any electronic communication devices.
- Thurrock: Operation GOLDCREST is an operation relating to supporting vulnerable young victims of sexual abuse and will be led by Crime and Public Protection and supported by Local Policing teams.
- Harlow: The frontline app has now been launched in Harlow which brings together a range of support services across all public services giving officers easy routes of referring vulnerable people to get the help they need.



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## Priority 7 – Improve Safety on our Roads

### Working with Safer Essex Roads Partnership we will:

*Reduce the numbers of people killed or seriously injured on our roads through the work of the multi-agency Safer Essex Roads Partnership on enforcement, engagement and education.*

- There were 208 Killed and Seriously Injured (KSI) casualties in the last quarter. Down from 223 KSI casualties in the same period in 2018. Fourteen of these were fatalities up from 13 in the same period in 2018.
- 433 drink drivers and 499 drug drivers were arrested in the last quarter. This compares to 353 drink drivers and 361 drug drivers arrested in the same period in 2018.
- December 2019 saw the highest number of recorded drink/drug drive arrests in a single month at 403 during the December Drink/Drug driving campaign. November 2019 was the previous record months at 338 arrests.
- Since the launch of the Driving with Confidence course in May 2019 the number of people wishing to take up the course has increased steadily with 119 clients to date having taken the course. In the last quarter 21 enquiries we made with 18 booking the course.
- There have been 129 deployments to improve road safety and tackle criminality on the roads in the last quarter. This resulted in 5,792 vehicles stopped, 223 arrests and 181 vehicles seized. This activity has led to 12,996 road safety educational courses delivered to offenders.
- The Safer Essex Roads partnership conducted 29 Static Road Checks in the last quarter, which involve a combination of enforcement and education to target road safety issues. There are over 130 road checks planned for this financial year.
- Safer Essex Roads Partnership Volunteers have deployed with Trucam on 49 occasions, detecting 444 speeding vehicles in their local villages.
- Road Crime Team Support officers have created 41 intelligence packages relating to drink/drug driving, of the packages that have been actioned 55% have been positive outcomes.