

Thank you for your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act. You have asked for:

Q1. What work is the Office for the PCC undertaking to monitor the implementation and uptake of the Community Remedy?

Q2. Are there currently any plans to revise your Community Remedy document?

Q3. How have you publicised the Community Remedy to the general public?

I am including a link, below, to the Police and Crime Commissioner's (PCC's) website where the community remedy has been published to the general public (Q3).

[https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/119269/community\\_remedy.pdf](https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/119269/community_remedy.pdf)

The community remedy document was developed following public consultation. The PCC included this as a commitment in his Police and Crime Plan review in 2014:

<https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/find-out-more/the-police-and-crime-plan-for-west-yorkshire/key-refreshes-2014/anti-social-behaviour-is-reduced.aspx>

and details of the outcome of the public consultation were published in 2014:

[https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/79589/final\\_analysis\\_-\\_community\\_remedy\\_consultation\\_-\\_supporting\\_document.pdf](https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/79589/final_analysis_-_community_remedy_consultation_-_supporting_document.pdf)

[https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/79586/record\\_of\\_decision\\_community\\_remedy\\_20.10.14.pdf](https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/79586/record_of_decision_community_remedy_20.10.14.pdf)

The PCC has established an *Out of Court Disposals Scrutiny Panel* which monitors the implementation of out of court disposals (including community remedy) (Q1). Further details can be found here:

<https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/our-business/out-of-court-disposals.aspx>

[https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/86784/out\\_of\\_court\\_disposals\\_fact\\_sheet.pdf](https://www.westyorkshire-pcc.gov.uk/media/86784/out_of_court_disposals_fact_sheet.pdf)

Finally, the community remedy document is reviewed from time to time and was last reviewed in March 2016 following discussion with colleagues in West Yorkshire Police about use of the remedy and how the remedy was working for victims (Q2). At this time the following option was removed in view of the risks related to any repairs being undertaken and, in particular, oversight of the work and guarantees.

'Reparation to the victim e.g. repairing or cleaning up any damage and mess caused'

I hope this response is helpful. I am attaching details of the appeals policy should you be dissatisfied with the way your request has been dealt with.