Paper Petition Details

Request for CCTV at Garages in Borderside

We, the undersigned, are concerned citizens of Wexham Road, Borderside and Shaggy Calf Lane who urge our leaders to act now to and set up and monitor CCTV for the above mentioned location and to increase police patrols in the garage areas of Borderside to curb the illegal activities of drug dealing, fly tipping and anti-social behaviour which will only grow if not stopped.

Petition summary and background

Several burglaries have been committed behind the Wexham Road and Shaggy Calf Lane garages where at least 5 houses to date have been broken into and personal items stolen. There is also illegal activity being committed at this location at night time, including drug deals, fly tipping and anti-social behaviour. We believe the CCTV will prevent the illegal activities being committed, and therefore the rate of crime will decrease in the Wexham area.

This petition was received on 28th May, 2014.

This petition was passed to the Community Project Officer (East of Slough) on 2nd June, 2014.

This petition was responded to by the Community Project Officer (East of Slough) on 30th June, 2014.

Final Results	
Number of Signatures	18

Council Response

I am writing in response to the above paper petition receipted by Democratic Services on Wednesday 28th May 2014. Slough Borough Council installed a temporary CCTV camera on Friday 6th June 2014 in the garage area (at the rear of 153-163 Shaggy Calf Lane / 277-291 Wexham Road / 150-158 Borderside).

The Council has limited CCTV resources and therefore deployments are based on reports of crime and anti-social behaviour (ASB). This camera has been deployed in response to reports of ASB taking place in the garage area. The camera will help the Council to monitor the situation but we need residents to help by reporting incidents. Please report any incidents of ASB through to the **ASB hotline on 01753 875298**. This hotline is manned 24 hours a day 7 days a week and is operated by the Council's CCTV team. It is important that residents report specific information relating to incidents, i.e. the date and time the incident happened. This information will enable us to review the footage.

Please note that criminal activity should be reported through to the Police in the first instance on the Police non-emergency number 101 (999 in an emergency or if a crime is in progress).

If you require any further information please do not hesitate to contact me.